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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2329A.D.—The 26th September 1917.—In pursuance of section 48 of the Government of India Act, 1915, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., I.C.S., to be the Vice-President of the Executive Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 4903A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2030A.D.—The 12th September 1917.*—Mr. Tara Pada Chatarji, District and Sessions Judge, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Tippera.

Tippera.

No. 2275A.D.—The 25th September 1917.—The orders of the 7th August 1917, posting Babu Kunja Bihari Gosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district, are cancelled.

Rangpur.

No. 2292A.D.—The 25th September 1917.—Mr. R. C. Hamilton, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Nadia.

Nadia.

No. 2297A.D.—The 25th September 1917.—Babu Gyanendra Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Tippera district.

Burdwan.
Tippera.

No. 2354A.D.—The 29th September 1917.—The orders of the 13th September 1917, appointing Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, to act as Commissioner of the Dacca Division, are cancelled.

Dacca Divn.

No. 2367A.D.—The 29th September 1917.—Mr. W. S. Adie, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 2377A.D.—The 1st October 1917.—Mr. G. P. Hogg, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong.

Tippera.
Chittagong.

No. 2386A.D.—The 2nd October 1917.—Babu Sarada Nanda Das, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Lalbagh subdivision of that district.

Murshidabad.

POLICE.—*No. 2343A.D.—The 28th September 1917.*—Mr. G. W. Dixon, Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is appointed to act temporarily as an Additional Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2273A.D.—The 25th September 1917.*—In modification of the orders of the 5th June 1917, Babu Kunja Bihari Gosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 6th June 1917, and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

No. 2278A.D.—The 25th September 1917.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September 1917.

Rajshahi.

No. 4846A.—The 26th September 1917.—In modification of the orders of the 5th September 1917, Mr. A. C. Todd, I.C.S., Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 8th September to the 18th October 1917, inclusive.

Hooghly.

Dacca Divn. *No. 2356A.D.—The 29th September 1917.*—The orders of the 13th September 1917, granting privilege leave for sixteen days to Mr. F. C. French, I.C.S., Commissioner of the Dacca Division, are cancelled.

Faridpur. *No. 2359A.D.—The 29th September 1917.*—Mr. J. G Dunlop, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

No. 4897A.—The 1st October 1917.—Mr. A. W. Cook, C.I.E., I.C.S, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough for four months.

Calcutta. POLICE.—*No. 4851A.—The 28th September 1917.*—Mr. H. C Hunt, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Malda. *No. 4863A.—The 28th September 1917.*—Mr. T. J. A. Craig, Superintendent of Police, Malda, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th October 1917.

RESIGNATION.

Calcutta. INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.—*No 4893A.—The 1st October 1917.*—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation of his commission tendered by the Revd. Canon Robert William Hall Stuart, Honorary Chaplain, Calcutta Light Horse, with effect from the 31st March 1917.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* of the 26th September 1917 :—

No. 7334J.—The 20th September 1917.—The services of Mr. Tarapada Chatarji, Additional District and Sessions Judge, Sylhet and Cachar, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 7392J.—The 22nd September 1917.—The Hon'ble Mr. A. Majid, Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Assam, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th September 1917, and furlough for the remaining period under articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Regulations.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4859A.—The 28th September 1917.—It is hereby notified, in pursuance of rule 15 in schedule VI to the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, and in continuation of Notification No. 3748A., dated the 14th August 1917, that Khan Sahib Aman Ali was, on the 22nd September 1917, declared, under rule 13(*1*) in the same schedule, to have been elected by the Muhammadan community in the Chittagong Division to be an Additional Member of that Council.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1461T.R.—The 26th September 1917.—Babu Mriganka Bhushan Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bankura, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in that district, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bankura.

No. 1526T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands situated in thanas Asansol, Raniganj and Kaksa in the district of Burdwan, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

Burdwan.

No. 1529T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (V of 1875), Mr. O. E. C. Judd, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey in the district of Burdwan for the purpose of carrying out the survey ordered in Government Notification No. 1526T.R., dated the 29th September 1917.

Burdwan.

No. 1595T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the district of Nadia (excluding the areas already surveyed in pursuance of Government Notification No. 10331L.R., dated the 6th November 1914, published at page 2011 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem), as well as in those revenue survey mauzas comprised within the administrative boundaries of the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly, Burdwan and Murshidabad which fall wholly or partly within half a mile of the high bank of the river Hooghly extending from the Naihati bridge (known as the Jubilee Bridge) up to where it leaves the boundary of the Nadia district, and that the boundaries of estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands, so to be surveyed.

Nadia.
24-Parganas.
Hooghly.
Burdwan.
Murshidabad.

No. 1598T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), Mr. O. E. C. Judd, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent for the purposes of carrying out the survey directed to be made, under Government Notification No. 1595T.R., dated the 1st October 1917, in the districts of Nadia, 24-Parganas, Hooghly, Burdwan and Murshidabad.

Nadia.
24-Parganas.
Hooghly.
Burdwan.
Murshidabad.

No. 1606T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Mr. S. Klingenstein, I.C.S., is appointed to be Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 1607T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. S. Klingenstein, I.C.S., is appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a revenue officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to survey and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 1608T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (16) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. S. Klingenstein, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Jessore, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector under section 58 of that Act, in the district of Jessore, as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

Jessore. Faridpur.

No. 1609T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Mr. S. Klingenstein, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under—

Jessore. Faridpur.

1. The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),
2. The Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),
3. The Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),
4. The Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

No. 1610T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. S. Klingenstein, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Jessore, to settle rents in accordance with the provisions of that section in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914.

Jessore. Faridpur.

No. 1611T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606 Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a revenue officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore. Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

1. Babu Sudhir Chandra Ghosh, Deputy Collector.
2. „ Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Collector.
3. Maulvi Quazi Muhammad Sudrul Ola, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1612T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area :—

1. Babu Satamanyu Mukharji, Deputy Collector.
2. „ Krishna Gopal Ghosh, Deputy Collector.
3. „ Anil Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector.
4. „ Phanindra Bhusan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1613T R.—The 1st October 1917.—Notification No. 212T.R., dated the 24th April 1917, granting Mr. J. R. Johnson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, privilege leave for one month with effect from the 20th May 1917, is hereby cancelled.

Noakhali. Tippera.

No. 1615T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands appertaining to taidad No. 9334 of the Hooghly Collectorate called Debottar Singhabahini and situated in the districts of Hooghly and Howrah.

Howrah. Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rents or rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the lands, if any, which are his private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act ;

(*f*) the rent and cess lawfully payable by each tenant at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*g*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well, or any other source of supply : and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*j*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*k*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*l*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 1433T.R.—The 26th September 1917.—Rai Banshidhar Banarji Bahadur, C.I.E., Second Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days from the 31st October to the 13th November 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 1574T.R. —The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(1) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land measuring, more or less, 31·678 acres, as detailed below, which was required for the construction of the Mymensingh-Netrakona section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway in the district of Mymensingh, and was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 7218L.A., dated the 20th July 1915, published at pages 1293-98, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, as modified by Errata No. 11448L.A., dated the 20th November 1915, published at pages 1923-29, Part I of the said Gazette of the 24th idem, and No. 1361T.R., dated the 22nd September 1917 :—

Mymensingh.

Mile No. 1. (Total area ·930 acre.)

Block A, village Bhatikashar, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 1073 to 1970. Area ·637 acre.

North—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway,
East—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway and the land already acquired for the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
West—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway.

Block B, villages Bhatikashar and Krishnapur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 2050 to 2800. Area ·231 acre :—

Bhatikashar	...	...	·010 acre.
Krishnapur	...	...	·221 „

North, East and West—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway,
South—By the land already acquired for the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Krishnapur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 3668 to 3718. Area ·022 acre.

North—By the land of Jahar Sheik, Samed and Achharaddi,
East, South and West—By the land already acquired for the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block D, village Balashpur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 4575 to 4700. Area ·040 acre.

North—By the land of Dasarath Pal,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Mile No 2. (Total area 2·846 acres.)

Block A, village Balashpur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 6930 to 7010. Area ·562 acre.

North and South—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway,
East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Keyatkhali, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 7392 to 7810. Area ·139 acre.

North, East and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway and the District Board road.

Block C, village Balashpur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 6344 to 7658. Area 1·070 acres.

North—By the land of Rajendra Kumar Ray Choudhuri,
East—By the Brahmaputra river,
South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
West—By the District Board road.

Block D, village Balashpur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 6806 to 7723. Area, ·415 acre.

North and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
East—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway and the Brahmaputra river,
West—By the District Board road and the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block E, village Keyatkhali, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 7440 to 7503. Area ·584 acre.

North and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Netu Gain, Sadar Gain and others,
East—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block F, village Balashpur, pargana Alapsingh. Chain 7652 to 7711. Area ·076 acre.

North—By the Burning Ghat,
East—By the Brahmaputra river.
South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Mile No. 13. (Area ·080 acre.)

Block A, village Gajandhar, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 64335 to 64433.

North, East and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
West—By the land of Rahamat Sheik.

Mile No. 14. (Total area ·188 acre.)

Block A, village Kowrat, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 69028 to 69185. Area ·133 acre.

North, West and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
East—By the land of Kushai Sheik.

Block B, village Kowrat, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 69765 to 69870. Area ·055 acre.

North, East and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
West—By the land of Khalu Sheik.

Mile No. 17. (Total area ·306 acre.)

Block A, village Mailakanda, pargana Susanga. Chain 87325 to 87425. Area ·054 acre.

North, West and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
East—By the land of Makaroddi, Mafijaddi and Hafijaddi Sheik.

Block B, village Mailakanda, pargana Susanga. Chain 87485 to 87666. Area ·252 acre.

North, West and South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
East—By the land of Pyari Mohan Nandi.

Mile No. 18. (Total area ·162 acre.)

Block A, village Goalkandi, pargana Susanga. Chain 91345 to 91420. Area ·060 acre.

North—By the land of Nur Mamud and Fazil Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Goalkandi, pargana Susanga. Chain 91478 to 91530. Area ·035 acre.

North—By the land of Asmat Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Goalkandi, pargana Susanga. Chain 91650 to 91798. Area ·042 acre.

North—By the land of Miasar Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,

Block D, village Goalkandi, pargana Susanga. Chain 92020 to 92110. Area ·025 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Mallik Bepari and Taku Sheik.

Mile No. 19. (Total area ·075 acre.)

Block A, village Isabpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 96750 to 96820. Area ·043 acre.

North—By the land of Iyasin Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Isabpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 97342 to 97460. Area ·032 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Janu and Tanu Sheik.

Mile No. 20. (Total area ·177 acre.)

Block A, village Khagaria, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 101385 to 101534. Area ·150 acre.

North—By the land of Amir Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Khagaria, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 102680 to 102750. Area ·027 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Kabir Fakir.

Mile No. 21. (Total area ·308 acre.)

Block A, village Narainda, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 108855 to 108935. Area ·082 acre.

North—By the land of Ijjat Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Narnaranpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 109460 to 109610. Area ·154 acre.

North—By the land of Tamij Talukdar,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Jaran, pargana Raydani. Chain 109890 to 110018. Area ·072 acre.

North—By the land of Abdul Rahim,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Mile No. 22. (Total area ·381 acre.)

Block A, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 113100 to 113190. Area ·039 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Tamij Khan.

Block B, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 114140 to 114300. Area ·068 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Kadir Khan and Fazil Khan.

Block C, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 114190 to 114290. Area ·083 acre.

North—By the land of Fazil Khan and Adam Khan,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block D, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 114775 to 114884. Area ·075 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Azim Sheik.

Block E, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 115645 to 115700. Area ·016 acre.

North—By the land of Ali Hossain,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block F, village Bagra, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 115700 to 115839. Area ·060 acre.

North—By the land of Harmuj Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block G, village Jhausi, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 116143 to 116131. Area ·040 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Nobi Hossain Sheik.

Mile No. 23. (Total area ·471 acre.)

Block A, village Jhausi, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 117385 to 117515. Area ·120 acre.

North—By the land of Mamudraj Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Jhausi, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 118615 to 118724. Area ·101 acre.

North—By the land of Nabajan Bewa and Sholukjan Bewa,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Jhausi, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 118836 to 118934. Area ·089 acre.

North—By the land of Alaldi Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block D, village Narulia, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 121150 to 121280. Area ·161 acre.

North—By the land of Aktar Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Mile No. 24. (Total area 140 acre.)

Block A, village Rajendrapur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 124700 to 124775. Area ·045 acre.

North—By the land of Mahajam Sircar,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Rajendrapur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 124990 to 125050. Area ·009 acre.

North—By the land of Ismat Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Rajendrapur, pargana Mymensingh Chain 125600 to 125648. Area ·009 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Dianat Sheik.

Block D, village Rajendrapur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 125775 to 125845. Area ·077 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Rosmat Sheik.

Mile No. 25. (Total area ·379 acre.)

Block A, village Balijuri, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 128694 to 128744. Area ·018 acre.

North—By the land of Khamir Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Gopalpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 128900 to 129000. Area ·092 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Yearmamud Sheik.

Block C, village Gopalpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 129725 to 129825 Area ·117 acre.

North—By the land of Har Kisore Namadas,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block D, village Gopalpur, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 129813 to 129977. Area ·152 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Kaucha Nama Das and Tara Chand Nama Das.

Mile No. 26. (Total area ·143 acre.)

Block A, village Gara, pargana Raydam. Chain 132825 to 132872. Area ·036 acre.

North—By the land of Umedali Sheik,
East, South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block B, village Satpai, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 136900 to 137280. Area ·037 acre.

North—By the land of Intaj Sheik, Joharaddin Sheik and Amir Sheik,
East—By the land of Amir Sheik,
South and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.

Block C, village Satpai, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 136900 to 137280. Area ·070 acre.

North and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
South—By the land of Amir Sheik, Joharaddin Sheik, Bala Sheik and Aoj Khan,
East—By the land of Aoj Khan.

Mile No. 27. (Total area 25·092 acres.)

Block A, village Satpai, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 137280 to 139300. Area 2·581 acres.

North—By the lands of Amir, Nasaraddi, Eaoz Khan, Jaharaddi Sheik, Chandra Nath Das, by the Halat and the lands of Baikunta Nath Das, and Azim Khan, and the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway,
East and South—By the lands of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway and Aoj Khan,
West—By the lands of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway and Amir Sheik.

Block B, village Satpai, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 140060 to 142560. Area 22·487 acres.

North—By the Dhalai River,
East—By the land of Azim Khan, Peru Khan and Tamiz Khan,
South—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.
West—By the land of Aktar Sheik.

Block C, village Satpai, pargana Mymensingh. Chain 140980 to 141120. Area ·024 acre.

North, East and West—By the land of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway.
South—By the land of Khamir Sheik, by the Khal and the land of Amsar Sheik.

Grand Total—Area 31·678 acres.

No. 1575T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 19 cottahs of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 6296L.A., dated the 7th August 1916, published at pages 1420-21, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, and required for the Mahomedan boarding-house of the Sirajganj Victoria High English School in the village of Dattabari, tauzi No. 540 of the Pabna Collectorate, pargana Barabazoo, district Pabna.

Pabna.

No. 1573T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Babu Jyotish Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Inspector of Co-operative Societies, is allowed leave on private affairs for one month, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 6720Agri., dated the 5th September 1917.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1458T.R.—The 26th September 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Howrah for a public purpose, viz., for improving and widening the existing village road within village Sankrail *alias* Raghunathpur in order to convert it into a District Board road as a part of the Sankrail feeder road under construction in the village of Sankrail *alias* Raghunathpur, pargana Mozafarpur, zilla Howrah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose thirteen pieces of land altogether measuring more or less, 11 cottahs 5 chitaks and 24 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to ·187 of an acre, bounded on the—

Howrah.

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By Mahamad Sardar and Prasanna Kumar Neogi's land,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By Mahamad Sardar's land,
West—By the road-side drain,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By Beni Madhab Pal's garden land,
East and South—By the District Board road,
West—By Debendra Chakraberty's garden land,

PLOT NO. 3.

North—By the road-side drain,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By Devendra Chakraberty's garden land,
West—By Beni Madhab Pal's garden land,

PLOT NO. 4.

North, East and West—By the District Board road,
South—By the late Kirti Chandra Kanrar's land,

PLOT NO. 5.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 6.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 7.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 8.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 9.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 10.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South and West—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 11.

North, East and West—By the District Board road,
South—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 12.

North and West—By the District Board road,
East—By the village road,
South—By Nripendra Narayan Ghose's land,

PLOT NO. 13.

North and East—By the District Board road,
South—By Surja Narayan Banerjee, Nripendra Narayan Ghose and others' lands,
West—By the road-side drain,

are required within the aforesaid village of Sankrail *alias* Raghunathpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1509T.R.—The 28th September 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Gun and Shell Factory at Cossipore, in the village of Cossipore, pargana Dihi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 38 bighas 16 cottahs 8 chitaks and 29 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT I.

North and East—By the Eastern Bengal Railway siding to the Gun and Shell Factory,
South—By a portion of Jheel Road and the Gun and Shell Factory,
West—By the Gun and Shell Factory.

PLOT II.

North—By a portion of Jheel Road and of the Jheel, the Jheel Press, the remaining portion of premises No. 29, Cossipore Road,
East—By the Jheel Press and the Eastern Bengal Railway siding to the premises of the Electric Supply Corporation,
South—By the Eastern Bengal Railway siding to the Gun and Shell Factory,
West—By the Gun and Shell Factory with the exception of a small room occupied by a temple of *Shiva*,

are required within the aforesaid village of Cossipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Second Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dacca.

No. 1578T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening a new lane at Dhalkanagar, in the mahalla of Dhalkanagar, pargana Pukharia, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 cottah and 6½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Dhalkanagar Road,
East—By the compound wall of the house of Santa Moni Bose,
South—By the land of Kunja Lal Nag,
West—By the remaining portion of the house of Seik Kalu,

is required within the aforesaid mahalla of Dhalkanagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1581T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Gobardanga Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a reserve tank in the village of Goipure, pargana Dhuliapure, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 11 cottahs and 15 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Tara Prasanna Bosu's Road and the land of Kissory Mohan Basu and others,
East—By the lands of Kissory Mohan Basu and others, Jotindra Nath Basu and Brojo Kissore Mittra,
South—By the lands of Brojo Kissore Mittra, Akrur Chandra Mittra and Jotindra Nath Basu,
West—By the lands of Akrur Chandra Mittra, Sashi Bhusan Mittra, Jotindra Nath Basu, Kissory Mohan Basu and others,

is required within the aforesaid village of Goipure.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Chairman, Gobardanga Municipality.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Faridpur.

No. 1584T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for excavating the Mochra khal, in the villages of Badekhagail and Mochra, pargana Khararia-Mulghar, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1 rood and 8·59 poles, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Radha Nath Roy, Kanai Lal Roy, Esmile Munshi, Bipin Bihari Das, Jadab Ch. Das, Radha Nath Das and Gajan Sikdar,
East—By the Mochra khal *alias* Achi khal,

South—By the lands of Protap, Bani, Kunja, Eshan Ch. Sikdar, Esmile Munshi, Radha Nath, Uday Ch., Lakshman Kapali, Bipin Bihari Das, Jadab Ch. Das and Uma Charan Kapali,

West—By the lands of Nibaran and Sonatan Sikdar,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Badekhagail and Mochra.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Gopalganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 1600T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz, for Barguna-Parakata Road, in the villages of Karaitala, Shonakhali, Keorabunia, Charakgachia, Itbaria, and Parakata forming part of revenue survey mauza No. 2961, Burirchar, pargana Buzrugumedpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 203 bighas 16 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, running east to west at a varying breadth of 33 to 150 feet and 6 miles 5 furlongs and 30 yards in length, is required within the aforesaid villages of Karaitala, Shonakhali, Keorabunia, Charakgachia, Itbaria and Parakata.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the offices of the Collector of Bakarganj and the Subdivisional Officer of Patuakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Midnapore.

No. 1603T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a brick-field in the villages of Gokulpur and Jotegopi, pargana Dharenda, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 82 bighas 3 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 27·170 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Manahar Maity, Kusum Bewa, Trailakhya Maity and Bama Sundary Dasi,

East—By the lands of Sasi Saw, Pelamani Dasi and Kalachand Bera and the bastu land of Trailakhya Maity, Titu Rana, Sasi Rana and Jasada Bewa,

South—By the land of Iswan Maity, Nanda Maity, Haru Maity, Nitai Maity, Khudi Bewa, Krishna Adhikary and Sasi Shaw,

West—By the brick-field of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway, the land of Srinath Ghosh and Kusum Bewa and the bastu land of Nilmani Bera, Kunja Patar, Srinibas Maity and Gopinath Chowdhury.

is required within the aforesaid villages of Gokulpur and Jotegopi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Jessore. *No. 1614T.R.—The 1st October 1917.*—In lines 9-12 of Declaration No. 8502L.A., dated the 21st October 1916, published at page 1938, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a ganghut in the village of Kharikhali, pargana Mahammadshahi, district Jessore :—

for

"*North*—By the land of Chandra Bhusan Maulik,
East—By the Jessore-Jhenidah Road,
South—By the land of Matilal Maulik,
West—By the land of Kanti Bhusan Banerjee,"

read

"*North, West and South*—By the lands of Chandra Bhusan Maulik and his co-sharers,
East—By the Jessore-Jhenidah Road."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Tippera. *No. 1517T.R.—The 29th September 1917.*—Maulvi Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is granted combined leave for seven months, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th May 1917, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

This cancels Notification No. 4463Regn., dated the 18th June 1917.

Tippera. *No. 1569T.R.—The 29th September 1917.*—Maulvi Farid Bakht Majumdar, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Chandpur, in the same district, with effect from the 21st August 1917, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Afsaruddin Ahmad, or until further orders.

Bankura. *No. 1570T.R.—The 29th September 1917.*—Babu Bijay Kumar Neogi, Sub-Registrar of Khatra, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 20th August 1917.

Midnapore. Bankura. *No. 1571T.R.—The 29th September 1917.*—Babu Indu Bhusan Banarji, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Bankura, under orders of transfer to Debra (Loada), in the district of Midnapore, acted as Sub-Registrar of Khatra, in the district of Bankura, from the 31st August 1917 up to the afternoon of the 12th September 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bijay Kumar Neogi.

Bankura. *No. 1572T.R.—The 29th September 1917.*—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Probationer of Bankura, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Khatra, in the same district, with effect from the 13th September 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bijay Kumar Neogi, or until further orders.

No. 1587T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Babu Nripendra Nath Mustafi, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 26th June 1917, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

This cancels Notification No. 1162T.R., dated the 15th September 1917.

No. 1588T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Sahibzada Fateh Muhammad Shah, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 5th September 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 1589T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Khan Sahib Abul Muzaffar Abdul Ali Khan, District Sub-Registrar of Dacca, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 1369T.R., dated the 22nd September 1917.

Dacca.

No. 1590T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Jabbar, Sub-Registrar of Keshabpur, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Muhammadpur in the same district.

Jessore.

No. 1591T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Maulvi Fazlul Karim, Sub-Registrar of Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Keshabpur, in the district of Jessore

Bakarganj.
Jessore.

No. 1592T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—Maulvi Qurbunullah, Officiating Inspector of Registration offices, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-three days, with effect from the 6th October 1917.

No. 1616T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Babu Satindra Nath Sen, Joint Sub-Registrar of Khulna, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twelve days, with effect from the 7th September 1917.

Khulna.

No. 1617T.R.—The 1st October 1917.—Qara Hussain Qaiser Mirza, Probationer of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted extraordinary leave without allowances under rule (2) to article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 16th June to the 4th September 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 4185Regn., dated the 2nd June 1917.

24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1518T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Elahi Buksh temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-stations Howrah, Bantra, Golabari, Sibpur, Bally and Lillooah, in the district of Howrah, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Kazi Rafiuddin Ahmed, or until further orders.

Howrah.

No. 1519T.R.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Elahi Buksh temporarily to be Kazi within police-stations Howrah, Bantra, Golabari, Sibpur, Bally and Lillooah, in the district of Howrah, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Kazi Rafiuddin Ahmed, or until further orders.

Howrah.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 51T.-Eccle.—The 25th September 1917.—The Revd. C. J. Grimes, Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, and Additional Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 592 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

No. 551T.-Edn.—The 26th September 1917.—Mr. Atul Chandra Sen Gupta is appointed temporarily to the Indian Educational Service to act as Professor of Economics in the Presidency College, with effect from the 21st August 1917, during the absence of Mr. E. F. Oaten on deputation to military duty, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 55T.-Eccle.—The 27th September 1917.—The Revd. L. J. Burgess, Superintendent of the Bengal Mission of Seventhday Adventists, is authorised, under section 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, XV of 1872, to grant certificates of marriage in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal between persons who are Native Christians.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 352T.-S.R.—The 28th September 1917.—The following draft of a notification which the Governor in Council proposes to issue under section 85 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th November 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 85 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published under Notification No. 595S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, on pages 549 to 562, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, namely :—

For rule 8 of the said rules (as amended by Notification No 921S.R., dated the 17th April 1916, published on page 771, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th *idem*) and for rule 9 of the said rules *substitute* the following :—

"8. The import of foreign liquor under a bond for the payment of the duty imposed under section 27 may be made only by a person of one of the following classes, to whom a license has been granted by the Collector under section 16, namely :—

(*a*) a vendor holding a license for the sale of foreign liquor,

(*b*) a manufacturing chemist requiring rectified spirit for use in the manufacture of drugs, medicines or chemicals, who has obtained general permission from the Excise Commissioner

to import such spirit under a bond,

and after such person or his agent has—

(*i*) executed a bond (which may be either a general or a special bond) in favour of the Chief Revenue authority of the district or place of export, for the payment of the said duty, and

(*ii*) obeyed all rules in force in the district or place from which the export was made."

9. Foreign liquor shall not be imported under a bond as aforesaid unless—

(*a*) the consignment is accompanied by a pass granted by the Chief Revenue authority of the exporting district or place, or by the officer in charge of the distillery or warehouse from which it was taken, and containing the following particulars regarding each vessel in the consignment, namely—the distinctive number, the capacity and the contents of the vessel in bulk gallons to the nearest tenth of a gallon, the temperature, hydrometer indication, true strength and obscuration of the spirits contained in the vessel when despatched, together with the date of despatch, and in the case of a *metal* vessel, the gross weight when despatched and the weight of the empty vessel;" and

(*b*) the Collector of the importing district has received a copy of the said pass from the Chief Revenue authority of the exporting district or place, or from the officer in charge of the said distillery or warehouse."

Jalpaiguri.

No. 355T.S.-R.—The 28th September 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. I), Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax, in the district of Jalpaiguri, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Banarji, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

No. 358T.S.-R.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*v*) of clause (9) of section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make, with effect from the 3rd October 1917, the following amendment in the rules published under Notification No. 601S.-R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 1-32 of the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915), viz:—

For rule 146 *substitute* the following:—

"146. No *ganja* shall be removed from the public godas until the owner of the *ganja* has, in the presence of the Supervisor, attested a statement on the delivery order to the effect that he has received full payment for the *ganja* therein mentioned."

No. 2320S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the tenth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1915-16, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Thursday, the 4th October 1917, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 583 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 22nd December 1916, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*, except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 3,200 per chest from 1st April 1917 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 187S.R., dated the 23rd January 1917).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th October 1917, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 10th October 1917, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Friday, the 19th October 1917.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however. reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.
	Chests uncertified.
On or about Tuesday, 6th November 1917 ...	583
On or about Tuesday, 4th December ,, ...	587
Total ...	1,170

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD.
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA. *the 25th September 1917.*

No. 342T.S.-R.—The 25th September 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the Rules for the recruitment of Superintendents, Inspectors and Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt, in the Presidency of Bengal, published with Notification No. 501S.R., dated the 15th March 1915, at pages 447-450 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, viz:—

After rule (9) under the heading II, Rules for the recruitment of Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt, *insert* the following new rule and number the same as (10):—

(10) Notwithstanding anything in rules (*1*) to (*6*) the Commissioner may promote petty officers of exceptional ability and possessing an adequate knowledge of English to the rank of Sub-Inspector.

No. 1747T. Mis.—The 25th September 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (XXVI of 1881), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that Wednesday, the 12th December 1917, shall be a public holiday in connection with the holding of the "Our Day" celebration in India on that day.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

BENGAL COUNCIL OF MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

Notification under the Bengal Medical Act, 1914.

NOTIFICATION.

IN pursuance of rule 21 of the rules made by the Governor in Council under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 33 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), to regulate the elections of members to the Bengal Council of Medical Registration under clauses (*c*) to (*f*) of section 4 of the said Act (which were published under Notification No. 933Medl., dated the 30th April 1915, at pages 835-843 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th May 1915), it is hereby notified for general information that the names of the candidates, who have been duly elected to be members of the

said Council under clauses (*e*) and (*f*) of the said section 4, are respectively as follows :—

Candidates duly elected under clause (e) of section 4.

1. Babu Jatindranath Maitra, M.B. (Cal.), 68A, Beadon Street, Calcutta.
2. Dr. Kedarnath Das, M.B. (Cal.), M.D. (Madras), Teacher of Midwifery, Campbell Medical School, 22, Bethune Row, Calcutta
3. The Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sircar, M.A., M.D. (Cal.), 61, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

Candidates duly elected under clause (f) of section 4.

1. Babu Amulyachandra Mitra, Licensed Medical Practitioner, Burdwan.
2. Babu Birendranath Ghosh, Licensed Medical Practitioner, 2, Kaiser Street, Calcutta.

G. C. MUKERJEE,
Registrar, Bengal Council of Medical Registration,
Returning Officer.

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 29th September 1917.*

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 4904A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 4844A.—The 26th September 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Satyendra Nath Ray Chaudhuri Bahadur the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bakarganj, for a period of three years from the 16th October 1917, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Pirojpur subdivision of the said district,

Bakarganj.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Pirojpur Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 4877A.—The 28th September 1917.—Babu Praphulla Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong.

No. 4879A.—The 28th September 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Srish Chandra Banarji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Comilla Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Tippera, for a period of three years from the date of this notification—

Tippera.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

No. 4884A.—The 1st October 1917.—Maulvi 'Abdul Majid (No. I), Deputy Magistrate, Jalpaiguri, is vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 4899A.—The 2nd October 1917.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class :—

Mymensingh.
Faridpur.

Babu Birendra Mohan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh.
Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate, Faridpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 2942J.—The 27th September 1917.—Babu Atul Chandra Ray, B.L., is appointed to act as an Additional Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Kushtia and Ranaghat, but for the present to be employed at Kushtia, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rabindra Nath Dhar, or until further orders.

Nadia.

No. 2949J.—The 1st October 1917.—Babu Manmatha Nath Chaudhuri, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Comilla.

Sylhet.
Tippera.

No. 2951J.—The 1st October 1917.—Babu Hem Chandra Sanyal, Munsif of Habiganj, in the district of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Narayanganj.

Sylhet.
Dacca.

No. 2953J.—The 1st October 1917.—Babu Jatindra Nath Mukharji, Munsif of Sylhet, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Rangpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Gaibandha.

Sylhet.
Rangpur.

LEAVE.

No. 2939J.—The 19th September 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Sen, Substantive *pro tempore* Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, viz., thirty days under articles 242(*a*), 260 and 275 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under articles 242(*a*) and 271 of the Regulations, with effect from the 11th August 1917, in modification of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 11th August, 31st August and 7th September 1917.

Mymensingh.

No. 2970J.—The 27th September 1917.—Babu Hira Lal Mukharji, Munsif of Rampur-Boalia, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed leave for twenty-one days, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th September 1917.

Rajshahi.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3634P.D.—The 27th September 1917.—In the list of Commissioners appointed by the Governor in Council under Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), for the trial of all persons accused in the Rajshahi Division of anything which is an offence in virtue of rules 5 and 6 of the rules made under section 2 of the said Act, and published by the Government of India, Legislative Department, Notification No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, till further orders—

Rajshahi.

for Babu Jagadish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate, Rajshahi, Member, *substitute* Babu Annada Charan Gupta, B.A., Deputy Magistrate.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 12667P.—The 3rd October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914 (VIII of 1914), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules regulating the use of motor vehicles in places in the Presidency of Bengal other than Calcutta (including suburbs) and the Municipality of Howrah.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RULES TO REGULATE THE USE OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN THE BENGAL PRESIDENCY OTHER THAN IN CALCUTTA (INCLUDING SUBURBS) AND THE MUNICIPALITY OF HOWRAH.

PART I.—Preliminary.

1. In these rules—

Definitions.

(*1*) "motor-car" includes all motor vehicles other than motor-cycles, road-rollers and vehicles which run on rails;

(*2*) "heavy motor-car" means a motor-car exceeding two tons in weight when unladen;

(*3*) "light motor-car" means a motor-car not exceeding two tons in weight when unladen;

(*4*) "motor-cycle" means a motor vehicle running on not more than three wheels, and weighing not more than three hundredweights;

(*5*) "trailer" means a vehicle drawn by a heavy motor-car;

(*6*) "axle-weight" means, in relation to an axle of a heavy motor-car or of a trailer, the aggregate weight transmitted to the surface of the road or other base whereon the heavy motor-car or trailer moves or rests by the several wheels attached to that axle when the car or trailer is laden;

(*7*) "registered axle-weight" means the axle-weight of the axle of a heavy motor-car as registered by the Commissioner in pursuance of the rules contained in Part III of these rules;

(*8*) the expression "weight," when used in relation to a heavy motor-car or a trailer, means—

(*a*) when the car or trailer is unladen, the weight of the vehicle, including all parts, equipments, stores, fuel, water and accumulators which are necessary for, or are ordinarily used with, the car or trailer when working: Provided that, where alternative parts or bodies are used, the heaviest shall be taken for the purpose of calculating the weight; and

(*b*) when the car or trailer is laden, its weight, when unladen, *plus* its full lawful load, including the weight of the driver;

(*9*) the expression "width," when used in relation to the tyre of a wheel of a heavy motor-car, means the distance measured horizontally and in a straight line across the rim of the wheel and between the two points in the outer surface of the tyre which are farthest apart;

(*10*) the expression "diameter," when used in relation to a wheel of a heavy motor-car, means the diameter measured between the two opposite points in the outer surface of the tyre which are farthest apart; and

(*11*) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Police for Calcutta.

PART II.—All motor vehicles.

Registration.

2. (*1*) No person shall drive, or have charge of, or use or cause or permit to be used, any motor vehicle, unless it is registered by the Commissioner in accordance with the provisions of these rules in a register kept in a form prescribed by him:

Provided that, for the purposes of these rules,—

(*a*) every motor vehicle which is in use on the 3rd October 1917 and which was registered under the rules previously in force under the Bengal Motor-car and Cycle Act 1903, or under any rules in force in Calcutta and Howrah, or under any rules in force in any province other than Bengal and made under any local Act; and

(*b*) every motor vehicle registered in any part of British India other than Bengal under rules framed under the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914,

shall be deemed to have been registered under these rules.

(*2*) Every application for registration of a motor vehicle under sub-rule (*1*) of this rule shall be in such form and shall contain such particulars as the Commissioner may from time to time prescribe and shall be made to the Magistrate of the district in which the car is to be used.

(*3*) The fee for registration shall be Rs. 32 for a heavy motor-car, Rs. 16 for a light motor-car, and Rs. 4 for a motor-cycle.

(*4*) On the registration of each motor vehicle a certificate of registration in respect thereof shall be granted by the Commissioner. The Commissioner shall also forward a copy of each entry in the register to the Magistrate of the district concerned.

Compliance with rules a condition precedent to registration.

3. The Commissioner shall not register any motor vehicle unless he is satisfied on the report of the District Magistrate that the requirements of these rules in respect thereof have been duly complied with.

4. During a period of one month from the 3rd October 1917 any failure to comply with these rules, so far as they relate to the construction or use of heavy motor-cars or trailers, shall not be deemed to be a breach or contravention of the rules, if the failure occurs solely in relation to a car registered before, or to a trailer which is in use on, the 3rd October 1917.

Temporary cancellation of registration

5. Notwithstanding anything contained in these rules, if the Commissioner, or the District Magistrate, at any time after a motor vehicle has been registered, has reason to believe that it has ceased in any respect to conform to these rules, or that it is not maintained in such a condition as to be free from danger to the public, he may, after notice to the owner, direct that the registration be cancelled until the defects are remedied to his satisfaction. Every such order and every rescission of such order passed by a District Magistrate shall be reported to the Commissioner.

Report of change of address by registered owner.

6. Whenever the registered owner of a motor vehicle changes his address, he shall report the new address to the Commissioner through the District Magistrate.

7. Every transfer of ownership and every transfer of possession, whether temporary or otherwise, of a motor vehicle, registered under these rules, shall forthwith be reported to the Commissioner, through the District Magistrate, both by the registered owner and by the transferee.

Marking and lettering

8. (*1*) The Commissioner shall assign a distinguishing number to every motor vehicle registered under these rules and shall record the name and address of the owner:

Provided that a general number may, on payment of an annual fee not exceeding Rs. 32, be assigned to all or any motor vehicle for the time being in the possession of any manufacturer thereof or dealer therein, to be used on any such vehicle when on trial after completion, or when on trial by an intending purchaser, or when being used, by a person licensed under rule 15, for the purpose of instructing any other person in the use of the vehicle, or when on hire.

(*2*) When a general number has been assigned under the proviso to sub-rule (*1*) of this rule, the manufacturer or dealer aforesaid shall also distinctively mark every vehicle covered by the general number by an additional letter or letters.

(3) Every such manufacturer or dealer shall maintain a register containing the following particulars with respect to every motor vehicle so numbered and marked which leaves his premises, namely,—

(a) the date and time when the vehicle goes out;

(b) the name of the person in charge thereof;

(c) the purpose for which the vehicle is sent out;

(d) the date and time of the return of the vehicle to the premises; and

(e) the distinguishing number and letter or letters affixed to the vehicle.

Numbers and letters how to be attached, illuminated and maintained.

9. (1) No motor vehicle shall be used, unless the number assigned to it under sub-rule (1) of rule 8, and the letter or letters (if any) required by sub-rule (2) of that rule, be attached in a conspicuous place in large white figures on a black ground legible at a reasonable distance on its front and back and on the back of any vehicle drawn by it.

(2) The said numbers and letters shall be, in the case of a motor-car, at least 3½ inches high and, in the case of a motor-cycle, at least 1½ inches high, and shall be at least ⅛ths of an inch broad in every part.

(3) The space taken up by each figure contained in such number (except the figure 1) and by each such letter shall be at least 2½ inches, and the space between adjoining figures shall be at least half an inch.

(4) The said numbers and letters shall have a margin of half an inch both above and below them, and a margin of one inch on either side.

(5) On a motor-cycle the front number and letter or letters may be shown on each side of a plate projecting forward.

(6) During the time when lamps are required by rule 13 to be kept lit, the number and letter or letters at the back of a motor-car, or of a vehicle drawn behind a motor-car or motor-cycle, and the number in front of a motor-cycle, shall be illuminated so as to be legible at a reasonable distance.

(7) The number-plates for day use and those for night use need not be the same.

(8) The numbers and letters referred to in this rule shall not be in any way obscured or rendered or allowed to become not easily distinguishable.

10. No motor vehicle shall be used, unless it is—

Construction and maintenance.

(a) so constructed as to admit of its being at all times under full control so as to prevent undue interference with passenger or other traffic, and

(b) maintained in such a condition as to prevent danger to the public or to any person riding in or on the vehicle.

Width of a motor vehicle or trailer.

11. The width of a motor vehicle or trailer, as measured between its extreme projecting points, shall not exceed seven feet six inches.

Brakes.

12. No motor vehicle shall be used, unless it is provided with two independent brakes or other means of stoppage, in good working order, and of such efficiency that the application of either will be capable of forthwith stopping the vehicle:

Provided that one such brake shall suffice for a heavy motor-car propelled by steam.

Lights.

13. (1) To every motor-car when in use at night shall be affixed two lamps, one on either side, each exhibiting a white light visible to a reasonable distance forward and a red light visible to a reasonable distance in the reverse direction. If the two lamps do not exhibit a red light as above, there shall be attached to the back of the car one lamp showing a red light visible to a reasonable distance behind.

(2) To every motor-cycle, when in use at night, shall be attached a lamp throwing a white light to a reasonable distance forward.

(3) To every vehicle attached to a motor-cycle, when in use at night, shall be affixed,—

(a) if the vehicle is drawn behind a motor-cycle, the lamps specified for motor-cars in sub-rule (1);

(b) if the vehicle is attached in front of a motor-cycle, two lamps, one on either side, each exhibiting a white light visible to a reasonable distance forward and a red light visible to a reasonable distance in the reverse direction; or,

(c) if the vehicle is attached to the side of a motor-cycle, one lamp on the side of the vehicle furthest from the motor-cycle, exhibiting a white light visible to a reasonable distance forward and a red light visible to a reasonable distance in the reverse direction.

(4) No head-lights, other than head-lights lit by oil or candle, shall be attached to, or carried on, any motor-car, unless such head-lights are effectively hooded or screened.

(5) So long as a motor-car or motor-cycle is in use during the period between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise, all lamps shall be kept lit and free from obstructions.

Bell or horn.

14. Every motor vehicle shall carry a horn or other instrument capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of the approach or position of the vehicle, and the driver shall sound such instrument whenever it may be necessary to do so:

Provided that the District Magistrate may interdict, after such examination and inquiry as is found necessary, the use in any municipal or suburban area of such types of horns, sirens, whistles or similar appliances on motor vehicles as are likely to constitute a public nuisance.

Driver's license

15. (1) No person shall drive a motor vehicle unless he holds a license in force for the time being; and no person shall employ any one to drive a motor vehicle who does not hold such a license.

(2) The District Magistrate may grant a license to any one applying for the same on his being satisfied as to the capability of the applicant to drive a motor vehicle.

(3) Every license so granted shall remain in force for a period of twelve months from the date of the issue thereof:

Provided that if a licensee is desirous of renewing a license granted to him, and makes an application to the District Magistrate in this behalf on or before the date of the expiry of the license, the District Magistrate may renew the license, and the license so renewed shall continue in force for a further period of twelve months from the date on which it would otherwise have expired.

(4) If no such application is made within the time prescribed the person shall, if he desires to possess a license, be required to take out a new license under sub-rule (1) and be liable to pay the full fee for such license. He shall also be liable, in the discretion of the District Magistrate, to pass a test for driving, for which a fee of Rs. 2 shall be charged.

(5) There shall be payable for every license granted under this rule a fee of Rs. 10 in respect of a motor-car and Rs. 2 in respect of a motor-cycle. A fee of Rs. 2 shall be paid for a renewal of a license, and a fee of eight annas for each duplicate copy of a license.

(6) There shall be separate licenses for professional drivers bearing the photographs of those drivers, and such details as the District Magistrate may from time to time require to be supplied to him.

Speed.

16. (1) No motor-cycle or light motor-car shall be driven at a greater speed than 15 miles an hour within any municipal area.

(2) No heavy motor-car having non-resilient tyres shall be driven at a greater speed than 7 miles an hour.

(3) No heavy motor-car having all its wheels fitted with pneumatic tyres or with tyres made of a soft or elastic material, shall be driven at a greater speed than—

(a) six miles an hour—if the registered axle-weight of any axle exceeds six tons;

(b) twelve miles an hour—in other cases:

Provided that, in the case of a heavy motor vehicle with resilient tyres carrying passengers, the maximum speed limit shall be 12 miles an hour.

Emission of smoke or vapour from motor vehicle.

17. No person shall cause or permit the emission of smoke or visible vapour from a motor vehicle in such quantity as to cause annoyance or danger to the public.

Rule of the road.

18. The driver of a motor vehicle shall keep on the left side of the road :

Provided as follows :—

(*a*) he shall keep to the right of any vehicle or animal proceeding in the same direction which he desires to pass ; and

(*b*) he may pass any tram-car or other vehicle running on fixed rails on whichever side thereof he may consider necessary or expedient, having due regard to the circumstances of the case and to the safety and convenience of other users of the road.

Prohibition of driving in public places.

19. No motor vehicle shall be driven on any street or other public place where the use of motor vehicles is prohibited, in the case of a municipal area, by the Municipal Commissioners and, in the case of areas outside municipal limits by the District Boards of such areas.

Stopping when accident occurs.

20. On the occurrence of an accident such as is referred to in clause (*c*) of section 4 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914, the person in charge of the motor vehicle, on the request of a police-officer in uniform or of any other person, shall give all possible assistance to any person injured by any such accident and shall, if necessary, help in conveying him to a hospital.

Leaving motor vehicle unattended in street or other public place.

21. No motor vehicle shall be allowed to stand in any street or other public place unless it is attended by a person holding a license in force for the time being granted under rule 15, except when the mechanism of such vehicle has been stopped.

Learning to drive.

22. No person shall, in any street or other public place, learn to drive a motor-car unless accompanied by a person holding a license in force for the time being granted under rule 15.

PART III.—Heavy motor-cars.

Additional rules as to registration of heavy motor-cars.

23. (*1*) For the purpose of the registration of heavy motor-cars—

(*a*) the register of motor vehicles prescribed by rule 2, sub-rule (*1*), shall contain a separate part, and all heavy motor-cars shall be registered in such part which shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Commissioner ; and

(*b*) the application referred to in rule 2, sub-rule (*2*), shall contain a true declaration to be made by the applicant of—

(*i*) the weight of the car when unladen,

(*ii*) the axle-weight of each axle,

(*iii*) the diameter of each wheel, and

(*iv*) the width and material of the tyre of each wheel.

(*2*) The declaration referred to in clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*1*) of this rule shall be made in the form prescribed by the Commissioner.

(*3*) The Commissioner of Police, on the report of the District Magistrate or on other credible grounds for doubting the truth of the declaration made under clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*1*), may require that any car be produced, before registration or renewal of registration, before an officer appointed by him for verification of the particulars so declared at the nearest place where such verification is possible.

(4) When a heavy motor-car has been registered the following particulars shall be entered in the register of motor vehicles referred to in rule 2, namely:—

(a) the weight of the car when unladen, as declared under sub-rule (1) of this rule,

(b) the axle-weight of each axle, as so certified, or (if not so certified) as declared by the owner of the car,

(c) the diameter of each wheel,

(d) the width and material of the tyre of each wheel, and

(e) the highest rate of speed at which, in conformity with rule 16, the car may be driven.

(5) The registration of a heavy motor-car shall continue in force for a period of not more than twelve months from the date thereof; and, on the expiration of that period, the car shall be re-registered before it is again used on the street, half the initial registration fee being payable on such re-registration. Such re-registration shall continue in force for a period of not more than twelve months from the date thereof; but further re-registration may be effected annually on payment of the said half-fee.

Marking of heavy motor cars

24. (1) Upon receiving from the Commissioner a copy of the entries made in the register relating to a heavy motor-car, the owner of the car shall cause to be painted or otherwise plainly marked in a conspicuous place—

(a) on the right or off-side of the car—

(i) the registered weight of the car when unladen, and

(ii) the registered axle-weight of each axle, and

(b) on the left or near side of the car—

(i) the highest rate of speed at which, in conformity with rule 16, the car may be driven, and

(ii) the owner's name and address.

(2) The said marking shall be made in letters and figures not less than one inch in height, and of such shape and colour as to be clearly legible and clearly distinguishable from the colour of the ground whereon the said marking is made.

(3) The owner of the car shall cause the said marking to be repaired or renewed as often as may be necessary to keep the letters and figures clearly legible and clearly distinguishable.

Cancellation of previous registration.

25. The previous registration of all heavy motor-cars in use on the 3rd October 1917 shall, notwithstanding anything in the proviso to sub-rule (1) of rule 2, one month thereafter, be deemed to have been cancelled, except in the case of cars registered under the rules in force for Calcutta and Howrah.

Axle-weight of heavy motor-car.

26. (1) The axle-weight of a heavy motor-car shall not exceed the registered axle-weight.

(2) The registered axle-weight of an axle of a heavy motor-car shall not exceed eight tons, and the sum of the registered axle-weights of all the axles of a heavy motor-car shall not exceed twelve tons.

Tyres of heavy motor-car.

27 (1) (a) In all cases the driving wheels of heavy motor vehicles shall be fitted with twin resilient tyres.

(b) The non-driving wheels, if fitted with resilient tyres, shall, if the axle-load is or exceeds four tons, be fitted with twin tyres.

(c) The non-driving wheels, if fitted with non-resilient tyres, shall be smooth and without any projection, and shall not be constructed of separate plates separated by any spaces whatsoever.

(2) The width of the non-resilient tyre of each wheel of a heavy motor-car shall be not less than six inches and the tyres of the wheels on the same axle shall be of equal width.

(3) The permissible axle-load shall not exceed five hundredweights for each inch in width of the combined width of the two tyres of the axle in question.

Diameter of wheels of heavy motor-car

28. The diameter of the wheels of a heavy motor-car, if they are fitted with a tyre which is not pneumatic or made of a soft or elastic material, shall be not less than two feet six inches.

Use of heavy motor-car upon bridges

29. (*1*) When any authority who is liable for the repair of a bridge affixes or sets up, in suitable and conspicuous positions on the bridge and on each approach to the bridge, notices stating that the bridge is insufficient to carry a heavy motor-car the registered axle-weight of any axle of which exceeds such weight as may be specified in such notices, the owner of any such car shall not cause or suffer the car to be driven, and the person driving or in charge of any such car shall not drive the car upon the bridge, except with the written consent of the said authority.

(*2*) No owner of a heavy motor-car, the axle-weight of any axle of which exceeds six tons, shall cause or suffer the car to be driven, and no person driving or in charge of any such car shall drive the car upon any bridge at any time when another heavy motor-car is on the bridge.

30. No heavy motor-car shall be allowed to use any streets and public places in any municipal area which the Municipal Commissioners shall have declared, with the sanction of the Divisional Commissioner, to be closed to heavy motor-cars, or outside a municipal area which have been declared closed to heavy motor-cars by the authority responsible for their maintenance with the approval of the District Magistrate.

Restriction on use of trailers

31. (*1*) No heavy motor-car, which is used either as a stage carriage or otherwise for the conveyance of passengers for gain or hire, shall draw a trailer.

(*2*) Not more than one trailer shall be drawn by any motor-car:

Provided that the District Magistrate may, by order, for special reasons to be recorded by him, permit more than one trailer to be drawn by any such car upon such conditions (if any) as may be specified in such order.

Marking of trailer.

32. The owner of every trailer shall cause to be printed or otherwise plainly marked on a conspicuous part of the right or off side of the trailer, in letters and figures not less than one inch in height, and of such shape and colour as to be clearly legible and clearly distinguishable from the colour of the ground whereon the said marking is made,—

(*a*) the weight of the trailer when unladen, and

(*b*) the axle-weight of each axle of the trailer, if the weight of the trailer when unladen exceeds one ton;

and shall cause the said marking to be repaired or renewed, as often as may be necessary, to keep the said letters and figures clearly legible and clearly distinguishable.

Axle-weight of trailers.

33. The axle-weight of an axle of a trailer shall not exceed four tons.

Power of Commissioner or his office to ascertain axle-weight of heavy motor car or trailer at any time.

34. (*1*) Whenever the Commissioner, or any officer duly authorized by him in this behalf, has reasonable ground for suspecting that the axle-weight for the time being of any axle of any heavy motor-car or trailer drawn thereby exceeds the registered or marked axle-weight of that axle, he may—

(*a*) require the person driving or in charge of the car to drive the car, or cause it to be driven, with or without the trailer, to a weighing machine, and

(*b*) cause the axle-weight for the time being of any such axle to be ascertained.

(*2*) The person driving or in charge of such car shall comply with any such requirement, and shall to the best of his ability afford all such facilities as may reasonably be necessary for the purpose of ascertaining the axle-weight as aforesaid.

35. To every trailer exceeding one ton in weight, when unladen, the wheels of which are fitted with tyres which are not pneumatic or made of soft or elastic material, clause (*c*) of sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rules (*2*) and (*3*) of rule 27 shall apply, with the substitution—

Width of tyres of trailers.

(*a*) of three inches for six inches as the minimum width of the tyres, and

(*b*) of references to the axle-weights marked upon the trailer in pursuance of rule 32 for the references to registered axle-weights.

36. Rule 28 shall apply to every trailer exceeding one ton in weight, when unladen, the wheels of which are fitted with tyres which are not pneumatic or made of a soft or elastic material.

Diameter of wheels of heavy trailers.

PART IV.—Motor-cars and heavy motor-cars used on hire for conveyance of passengers.

37. A driver of a motor-car for hire shall, in the absence of reasonable cause to the contrary, proceed to the destination named by the hirer and by the shortest and quickest route.

38. No hirer shall refuse or omit to pay the legal fare for the hire of a motor-car; nor shall he refuse to supply his correct name and address to the driver in case of dispute in connection with the fare.

39. The brakes of a motor-car for hire shall be so affixed as to be capable of easy application. At least one brake shall be so made as to be applied by the foot of the driver, and at least one shall act directly upon the road wheels.

40. All brake and steering connections secured with bolts shall have such bolts secured with nuts, the same to be locked or pinned.

41. The wheel-tracks of the front and the rear wheels shall, so far as is possible, coincide (*i.e.*, the wheel-track of the rear wheels shall be the same as the wheel-track of the front wheels); and in no case shall the width of the front wheel-track be less than that of the rear wheel-track or the wheel-tracks vary by more than 2½ per cent. of the width.

42. All the underparts of a motor-car for hire inside the pivots of the front axle and steering arms (which shall be placed as near as possible to the road wheels), as far back at least as the rear axle, shall clear the ground at least 10 inches, sufficient allowance in addition being made to provide for the wear of the tyres, set of springs and other causes of lessened height, so that the minimum clearance of 10 inches is at all times maintained.

43. In every motor-car for hire the machinery shall be so constructed that no undue noise or vibration is caused, and shall be maintained in such condition at all times.

44. The District Magistrate may prohibit the use in his district of a motor-car which is in his opinion unfit to ply for hire until such time as the defects are remedied to his satisfaction and shall report such prohibition to the Commissioner to be noted in the register.

45. The carrying capacities of all motor-cars for hire shall be fixed by the District Magistrate.

46. No driver of a motor-car for hire shall, when in charge of a motor-car for hire, be drunk or misconduct himself to the annoyance or inconvenience of his own passenger, other drivers or the public, or to the hindrance of traffic.

47. No motor-car registered under these rules shall be used in Calcutta, including its suburbs and the Municipality of Howrah, except in conformity with the rules in force for that area.

PART V.

Additional Rules applicable to the Darjeeling district.

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48. Except as provided in rules 49 and 50, no motor vehicle shall be driven on any road in the district of Darjeeling.

49. Motor-cars not exceeding 20 horse-power and 21 hundredweights in weight may be driven on the following roads :—

(1) All roads in the Terai of the district.
(2) The Hill Cart Road from Siliguri to Darjeeling.
(3) The Lebong Cart Road.
(4) The Cart Road from Jorebungalow to Takdah Cantonment.
(5) The Teesta Valley Road from Sivoke to Teesta Bridge.
(6) The Punkhabari Road from Kurseong Railway station to the entrance to Constantia.
(7) The Cart Road from Jorebungalow to Jalapahar.

NOTE —For the calculation of horse-power, no allowance shall be made for rarified air.

50. Motor-cycles may be driven on the following roads, in addition to the roads mentioned in rule 49 :—

(1) The Ghoom Simana Road.
(2) The Sukhiapukri-Nagri Spur Road.
(3) The Peshok Road from the sixth mile to Teesta Bridge.
(4) The Rishi Road from Teesta Bridge to Kalimpong.

51. The Deputy Commissioner in Darjeeling or the Cantonment authority in cantonment areas may, from time to time, within the limits of their respective jurisdictions, prohibit motor traffic on any road or any portion of any road mentioned in rules 49 and 50 for the purposes of the prevention of danger or injury to the public or to any person or of obstruction to traffic.

52. The Deputy Commissioner or the Cantonment authority, referred to in rule 51, may add any road or part of a road lying within the limits of their respective jurisdictions to the lists of roads given in rules 49 and 50 :

Provided that, if any such road or part of a road be in charge of the Public Works Department, the sanction of the Superintending Engineer shall be obtained before such order is passed.

53. Notwithstanding anything contained in any other rule, no motor vehicle shall be driven within the limits of the district of Darjeeling at a speed exceeding 12 miles per hour, and the speed in all bazars and round blind projecting corners shall not exceed 5 miles per hour.

NOTE —The following roads and portions of roads shall, among other places, be deemed to be bazars for the purpose of this rule, namely :—

(1) From the Railway Engine Shed, Kurseong, to the Clarendon Hotel
(2) From the Railway Engine Shed, Kurseong, to the entrance to Constantia
(3) From the Peshok Road turning (Jorebungalow) to the Ghoom Post Office
(4) From Darjeeling Railway station to the Hospital Jhora.
(5) The whole of the Cart Road within the limits of the Jalapahar and Katapahar Cantonments
(6) From the Mess House, Takdah, to the end of Takdah Cart Road

II.

RULES APPLICABLE TO THE DARJEELING HILL CART ROAD BETWEEN SUKNA AND DARJEELING.

54. The following rules shall apply to the Darjeeling Hill Cart Road between Sukna and Darjeeling.

55. (*1*) Every driver of a motor vehicle shall stop at each railway station (including Sukna and Darjeeling), and before proceeding to the next station shall ascertain from the station-master, who shall give him the information in writing, whether any train has left the said next station on its way to the station where he is stopping. The driver of the vehicle shall acknowledge the receipt of the information in a book to be kept for the purpose.

(*2*) If any train is on its way from the said next station, the driver of the motor vehicle shall not proceed any further until the arrival of that train. If no train is on its way from the said next station, the driver may proceed, and, on his so doing, the station-master shall take steps immediately to

advise the station-master of the next station of his having done so in order that drivers of subsequent trains may be made aware of there being a motor vehicle on the section.

56. When two motor vehicles meet, the down vehicle shall be brought to a standstill on the left hand side of the road on the first information of the approach of the other vehicle and shall not proceed on its journey until the up vehicle has passed:

Provided that this rule shall not apply to motor-cycles without side-cars.

III.

RULES APPLICABLE TO MUNICIPAL AND CANTONMENT AREAS.

57. The following rules shall apply to the Municipalities of Darjeeling and Kurseong and to the Cantonments of Katapahar, Jalapahar, Lebong and Takdah.

58. (*1*) No motor vehicle shall be driven within the limits of the Municipalities of Darjeeling and Kurseong and the Cantonments of Katapahar, Jalapahar, Lebong and Takdah, except on a special permit from the Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling:

Provided that nothing in this rule shall be deemed to prevent a motor vehicle being driven along the portion of the Cart Road lying within the Municipality of Kurseong on its way to a destination outside such area.

(*2*) The Deputy Commissioner may refuse, for any reason which may appear to him sufficient, to grant such permit to any applicant.

(*3*) All permits granted under this rule shall be valid until the 31st March next following the date of issue.

(*4*) No charge will be made for the issue or renewal of permits.

(*5*) Names of all the roads along which motor vehicles may be driven shall be specified on the permits issued under this rule.

59. (*1*) Motor vehicles shall not be used within municipal and Cantonment areas, unless fitted with adequate silencers.

(*2*) No motor-cycle shall be ridden in the said areas with the cut-out open.

60. The Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling, may cancel or suspend, for any reason which may appear to him sufficient, any permit granted by him under these rules.

Midnapore.

No 12699P.—The 29th September 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang ordinarily residing in villages Patna, Dubda, Paniparul, Bara Neary, Sana Neary, Beharipur, Doudpur, Alipur and Satri within the jurisdiction of police-station Egra, Meabag, Rani-Patna, Garbhouri, Satilapur, Deuli and Kobra in Ramnagar police-station, and Harinapasdalbar (Sarpai) and Sarisaberia in Contai police-station, in the district of Midnapore, and commonly known as Hiralal Singh's gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

Midnapore.

No. 12700P.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of Hiralal Singh's gang, which has been declared by Notification No. 12699P., dated the 29th September 1917, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 4905A.

No. 4856A.—The 28th September 1917.—Babu Birendra Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Jangipur, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Murshidabad.

No. 4875A.—The 28th September 1917.—Babu Apurba Ranjan Barua, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 1252D., dated Darjeeling, the 24th September 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Binod Sinha is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the six weeks' privilege leave already granted to him in Notification No. 10773, dated the 13th August 1917.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1410-Medl., dated the 7th July 1913, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of Compounders will begin at 11 A.M. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 8th, 9th and 10th October 1917, at the Campbell Medical School.

2. Male candidates must forward to the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School, at least one week before the 8th October 1917, an examination fee of Rs. 5. Female candidates will be examined free of charge. No certificate or fee will be received on Sunday or public holidays.

3. Should any candidate fail to pass the examination, he will forfeit his fee.

NOTE.—The attention of candidates is drawn to rules 9 and 10 and of the persons granting the certificates to rules 11 and 14 (3) and to the Certificate Forms C (3), D, E and F in the Schedule of the Government of Bengal's aforesaid notification, as circulated by the Surgeon-General with the Government of Bengal, to all Civil Surgeons, Superintendents of Calcutta Hospitals, Medical Schools, Lunatic Asylums and Chief Medical Officers, etc., with his Circular No. 25, dated the 22nd July 1913.

R. P. WILSON, F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1917.*

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next preliminary examination of candidates for admission to the Compounder Class, Campbell Medical School, will be held on Friday, the 12th October 1917, between 11 A.M. and 3 P.M.

R. P. WILSON, F.R.C.S., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Campbell Medical School and Hospital.

CAMPBELL MEDICAL SCHOOL, CALCUTTA, *the 7th September 1917.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASHUTOSH DUTT has been placed in charge of the Pabna Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 17th September 1917 and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. C CHATTERJEE, *Collector*

PABNA COLLECTORATE, *the 17th September 1917.*

BABU NALINI RANJAN RAHA, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in executive charge of the Chittagong Treasury, from the afternoon of the 22nd September 1917, after expiry of his privilege leave, and Babu Manindra Bhusan Dutta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is relieved.

A. H. CLAYTON, *Collector.*

CHITTAGONG TREASURY, *the 24th September 1917.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 27th September 1917.

No. 92P.—An exchange of appointments is sanctioned between the following officers :—

Maulvi A. S. H. Hossain, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Burdwan Division, on leave (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), and

Maulvi Abul Hashem Khan Choudhury, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Dacca Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service).

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government order No. 168P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Mr. John E. Watts and Babu Raj Kumar Ghosal to be non-official visitors of the Uluberia subsidiary jail in the district of Howrah for a period of two years.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 22nd September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4192J.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the Narayanganj subdivision of that district.

F C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 25th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN supersession of this office notification, dated the 15th September 1917, published at page 1522, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, it is hereby notified for general information that the 6th November 1917 has been fixed for holding a bye-election for the election of a Commissioner for Ward No. IV of the Suri Municipality in the district of Birbhum, in the place of Babu Arunendra Nath Chakraverty, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 26th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at the general election held on the 19th September 1917, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, the following gentlemen have been duly elected Commissioners of the new Bhadreswar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, as reconstituted under Government Notification No. 439T.-M. of the 14th July 1917, published at pages 196-97, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem :—

Bhadreswar—Ward No. I.

Babu Atul Chandra Banerjee.
„ Hridoy Nath Banerjee.

North Shamnagore—Ward No. II.

Babu Monomoy Banerjee.
„ Jatindra Nath Banerjee.

Telinipara—Ward No. III.

Babu Bhupal Chandra Banerjee.

Victoria—Ward No. IV.

Babu Nilmoni Ganguli.
„ Jnanendra Nath Banerjee.

Mankundu—Ward No. V.

Babu Bonwari Lal Khan.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 25th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4258G.—It is hereby notified for general information that a by-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, on the 21st November 1917, in Ward D of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Babu Joytirindra Prasad Mitter, B.L., an elected Commissioner of that Municipality.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG. *the 26th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the election by the members of the Arambagh Local Board in the district of Hooghly of Babu Paramesh Prasanna Ray as their Chairman, *vice* Babu Satis Chandra Ghose, resigned, is approved under section 29 (*2*) of the Bengal Local-Self Government Act III of 1885.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 29th September 1917.*

ERRATUM.

IN this Office Notification No. 24L.S.-G., dated the 7th August 1917, published at page 1240, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th August 1917, *for* "Munshi Mahiuddin Mandal" *read* "Munshi Moijuddin Mandal" as one of the elected members for Ward No. II of Chandanpur Union Committee in the district of Khulna.

A. ISLAM, *Personal Assistant*, for *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 48L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the power conferred on me by section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Maulvi Chaudhuri Mazharul Huq to be a member of the Murshidabad District Board, in place of Khan Bahadur Khundkar Fazl-i-Rabbi, deceased.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 47L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, Munshi Khater Mandal has been appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee of the Vincent Charitable Dispensary at Kaliganj in the district of Khulna, in the place of Khondkar Buzler Rahaman, removed.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 20th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4201J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the Sub-Deputy Magistrate of Gopalganj is appointed to be the *ex-officio* Secretary of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Gopalganj, in the district of Faridpur, *vice* Babu Kali Charan Mukherjee, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Gopalganj, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 26th September 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of Proposed Public Street No. XXIV (Linton Street Area).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a Proposed Public Street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXIV (Linton Street Area).

The Plan provides for the laying out of several new roads of a width of 60 feet and is one of a series of alignments which will shortly be published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the Eastern Bengal Railway and linking up Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street No. III (Gobra Main Road).

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following municipal holdings :—

Name of street.		Number of municipal holdings.
Linton Street	...	14D, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 98, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 146, 150 and 154.
Gora Chand Road	...	46-1.

The Plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on weekdays between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the Plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 31st December 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th September 1917.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th September 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

SEPARATE REVENUE.
OPIUM.

The 27th September 1917.

No. 1053F.E.—It is hereby notified that—

In the calendar year 1918 not more than 5,600 uncertified chests of Benares Opium will be offered for sale by auction at Calcutta. The Government of India reserve to themselves the right at any time without previous notice to reduce the quantity or alter the class of opium to be offered for sale.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published by the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th September 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

COMMERCE AND TRADE.

Simla, the 29th September 1917.

No. 11426.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*a*) of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry No. 10257-W-II, dated the 21st October 1916, so far as it relates to Messrs. Thomson Lehzen and Company, Limited.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 29th September 1917.

No. 11601.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

The 14th day of August 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(B) Accoutrements;

(C) Bicycles and their component parts;

Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following :—

(A) Parts of shoemakers' machine tools;

(B) Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine;

(B) Camp equipment, military, articles of;

(A) Castings, malleable, hæmatite iron;

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(A) Zinc oxide;

(B) Zinc sulphide;

(A) Cylinders, metal, such as can be used for containing compressed gas;

(B) Equipment, military;

(B) Hair, human;

(A) Machinery, agricultural, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes;

(C) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories;

Seeds, the following :—

(B) Clover;

(B) Grass;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following :—

(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted: with the exception of velvets, plushes, nets, laces, mourning crêpe, trimmings, braids, ribbons not exceeding 6 inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles with the exception of articles for men's wear ;

(C) Sounding machines and gear;
(A) Tanning, extracts and substances for use in tanning;
(C) Typewriters ;
(C) Valves, gas, steam and water.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(B) Accoutrements, not otherwise prohibited;
(C) Bicycles and their component parts, not otherwise prohibited;
Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following :—

(A) Lasts ;
(A) Shoemakers' machines and their component parts ;
(A) Shoemakers' tools, hand and machine;

(B) Camp equipment, military, articles of, not otherwise prohibited ;
(A) Castings, malleable, haematite iron, the following :—

Belt fasteners ;
Buckles;
Builders' ironmongery ;
Chain fittings;
Coat and hat hangers ;
Conduit fittings ;
Cycle fittings;
Furniture fittings;
Hinges;
Horse clippers;
Lamp fittings;
Motor cycle fittings;
Pipe flanges;
Spurs;
Stove fittings;
Tramway fittings;

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(A) Ethylic alcohol, mixtures and preparations containing (not otherwise prohibited);
(A) Zinc oxide, and mixtures containing zinc oxide ;
(A) Zinc sulphide, and mixtures containing zinc sulphide ;

(A) Cylinders, metal, capable of use for the storage of gases or liquids under pressure;
(B) Equipment, military, not otherwise prohibited;
(B) Hair, human, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof;
(B) Hides, raw, manufactures of, the following :—

Pickers, drop box pickers, pinions, centres and other goods manufactured from raw hide, suitable for textile machinery;

(A) Machinery, agricultural, and component parts thereof, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes;
(C) Motor vehicles, motor bicycles, and their component parts and accessories, not otherwise prohibited ;
(B) Nozzles, metal having an orifice less than one and one-half inches in diameter;
(A) Oil, shark, and mixtures containing such oil;
Oils, vegetable, the following, and articles and mixtures containing such oils :—

(A) Colza or rapeseed;

(C) Pumice stone, including powdered pumice stone;
Seeds, the following:—

(A) Beet;
(A) Broccoli;
(A) Brussels sprouts;
(A) Cabbage;
(A) Celery;
(A) Chicory;
(A) Clover;
(A) Grass;
(A) Kale;
(A) Leek;
(A) Lettuce;
(A) Shallot;
(A) Spinach;
(A) Tomato;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following:—

(C) Articles of clothing for men's wear, manufactured from tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk) whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted;

(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted; with the exception of velvets, plushes, hair nets, in the piece, laces, mourning crêpe, trimmings, braids, ribbons not exceeding six inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kinds of metal thread, and all made up articles, not otherwise prohibited;

(A) Tanning extracts and substances for use in tanning, including cutch;
(C) Typewriters and parts thereof;
(B) Valves, metal, of all descriptions;
(C) Valves, gas, steam and water, not otherwise prohibited.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

No. 11611.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information:—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R. I.

Whereas by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation:

And whereas by certain Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly:

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited:

Now, therefore, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, viz. :—

All machinery driven by power and suitable for use in cutting, working or operating on wood, including :—

Sawing machines of all descriptions ;

General joiners ;
Mortise, tenon and boring machines.
Lathes and rounding machines ;
Box and cask making machines and all machines accessory thereto ;
Scraping and sand papering machines ;
Wheelwright machinery ;
Firewood-making and bundling machinery ;
Wood wool fibre and pulp machinery ;
Saw-sharpening and setting machines ;
Saw stretchers and brazing apparatus ;
All machines for grinding, planing or moulding irons.
Electrical motors up to one-half horse power.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 18) Proclamation, 1917.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-second day of August, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 29th September 1917.

No. 11407.—Mr. F. Buckney, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1st October 1917, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the leave.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 29th September 1917.

No. 11614.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413 dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

Additions.

Cavadia, P., Shanghai.
Chun Wo. Co., Canton.
Gaston Williams and Wigmore Electrical Engineering Corporation.

Alterations.

Muller Phipps (Asia) Limited,
should read
Muller and Phipps (Asia) Limited.
Pootung Dye Works, Pootung,
should read
Pootung Dye Works, Pootung, Shanghai.
Young Bros. Trust Co., Chungking,
should read
Young Bros. Trading Co. (Foreign Department), Chungking.

No. 11618.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

ADDITIONS TO THE SCHEDULE.

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

"Continental" Compania Transatlantica de Caoutchouc, Calle Viamonte 738, 752 & 766, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Diedrichs & Denker, Calle Alsina 1154, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Elpern, Leon, Calle Tacuari 483, & Calle Cangallo 826, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Estevez, Casimiro, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Herder, Friedr. Abr., Sohn, Calle Florida 233, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Kirschbaum & Company, Calle Independencia 401 and Calle Defensa 793, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Lind, V., & Company, Calle Veneznela 926 & Calle Belgrano 865, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Linotype Company (Hoffmann & Stocker), Calle Moreno 143, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Mutzenbecher and Company, Calle San Martin 233, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Plate, Juan F., Calle Balcarce 470-474, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Reise, Adolfo, Calle Pichincha 343-347, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Takken, P. A., Calle Bolivar 547 and Calle Balcarce 185, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Thiel, Francisco, La Quiaca, Argentina.
Wiering & Company, Calle Piedras 393, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Zwirner & Dahlmann, Calle Rivadavia 1255, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Bottiger, Trepp & Company, La Paz.
Calsow & Resse, Lagunillas, Yacuiba and Charagua
Hoffmann, Detlef, Tarija.
Romero, Abraham V., La Paz. Thiel, Francisco, Villazon.

BRAZIL.

Barrozo, J., Ceara.
Jacobsen, S., & Company, Rua Santo Antonio 56, Santos.
Rodrigues, Carlos, Para & Bahia.
Schwenck, Wilhelm, Cuyabá.
Zsigmondy, Paulo, & Company, Caixa 1256 & Rua General Camara 97 Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Gonzalez, Luis A., Valparaiso.
Horst, Jerman, Santo Domingo 860, Santiago.
Muecke & Company, Tacna.
Pasinovich, José, Punta Arenas.
Pasinovich, Mateo, Punta Arenas.
Petersen, Helmuth, Punta Arenas.
Rodriguez, G., Antofagasta.
Tello & Gonzalez, Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA

Franzius, Juan (or Juan Batista), Apartado 295, Bogota

ECUADOR.

Agami, Jose Nicolas, Plaza de la Constitucion, Quito
Hanna & Cattan, Guayaquil.

HAYTI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

Bauch, Les Cayes, Hayti.
Belot, L., Saint Marc, Hayti.
Dambreville, H., Gonaives & Petit Goave, Hayti.
Dehoux, L., Petit Goave, Hayti.
Gagneron, Emile, Petit Goave, Hayti.
Hohlt & Company, Santo Domingo.
Jacobsen, Joh., Les Cayes, Hayti.
Jurgensen & Company, Saint Marc, Hayti.
Kampen (Van) Schumacher & Company, San Pedro de Macoris, Santo Domingo.
Lemos, J. E. de, Sucesores, Santo Domingo.
Meza, P de, Saint Marc, Hayti.
Munchmeyer, H., & Company, Les Cayes, Hayti.
Munchmeyer, Neveu & Company, Les Cayes and Jacmel, Hayti.
Oloffson, Lucas & Company, Port au Prince, Gonaïves, Petit Goave, Miragoane and Saint Marc; Hayti.
Ramponeau George, Port au Prince, Petit Goave, Miragoane and Saint Marc; Hayti.
Reinbold & Company, Port au Prince, Saint Marc, Petit Goave Gonaïves and Miragoane; Hayti.
Rodriguez, E, Gonaïves, Hayti.
Schutt, G. E., Cape, Hayti.
Seckendorff, Arthur Von, & Company, Jacmel, Hayti.
Valdes, Enrique, San Pedro de Macoris, Santo Domingo.

NETHERLANDS.

Christiansen & Mahler's Scheepsuitrusting en Proviandeering, Gebroeders, Leuvehaven 139, Rotterdam.
Dralle, Edward (of "Lotus" Parfumerien Fabriek), Amsterdam.
Frachtkontor, G.m b.H., Zuidblaak 24, Rotterdam.
Geyerhahn, Fritz, Keizersgr. 174-6, Amsterdam.
Hibbeler, E. D., & Company, N. Z. Voorburgwal 130, Amsterdam.
Huber, M. G, Wijnhaven 98, Rotterdam.
International Talking Machine Company, Keizersgracht 137, Amsterdam.
Kaumanns & Company, Buitenhof 5, The Hague.
Lehmann, D., Zuidblaak 26, Rotterdam.
"Lotus" Parfumerien Fabriek, Amsterdam.
Oosthoek, de, Import en Export Handel N. Z. Voorburgwal 130 and Koninginnerveg 185, Amsterdam.
Perlstein (Van) & Roper Bosch, Singel 532, Amsterdam.
Stibbe, M., & Company, Keizersgracht 137, Amsterdam.
Telkamp, Gerard, Weeresteinstr. Hillegom, near Lisse.
Zeister Machinefabriek, N. V., Zeist.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Gnibert, H., Medan.
Ingenieurs Bureau Kaumanns & Company, Batavia.
Kaumanns & Company, Ingenieurs Bureau, Batavia.
Klaazen, Van, Sourabaya.

NORWAY.

Bentzon & Lepsoe, O. Kyrresgt, 47, Bergen.
Bentzon, Tobias Muller, Torvet 12, Bergen.
Bohne, Gustaf, Ovreg. 37, Bergen.
Grüner, M. F., Ovre Slotsgt. 15, Christiania.
Klohs, Heinrich, Bergen.
Lepsoe, Kristoffer, Torvet 12, Bergen.
Monssen, Anton Mikel, Fosswinckelsgt. 22, Bergen.
Muller, Wilhelm, Klostret 8, Bergen.
Paasche, Einar Ruth, St. Markevej 23, Bergen.
Türkheimer, Max, Bygdo Alle 59, and Ovre Slotsgt. 7, Christiania.

PERU.

Ostendorf, Walter, Piura.

SPAIN.

Aparatos Electricos, Sociedad Espanola de, Pasages, Guipuzcoa.
Barcelo, Hijos de Antonio, Torrijos 31, Malaga.
Casasnovas, Onofre, Soller, Majorca, Balearic Islands.
Casasnovas, Ramon, Soller, Majorca, Balearic Islands.
Dominguez, Viuda de, Valencia 293, Barcelona.
Dunki & Gut, Colon 34, Palma, Majorca.
Eichberg, Emilio, Santander.
Farran Serra, José, Paseo de Gracia 51, Barcelona.
Ferchen, Enrique, Valencia 293, Barcelona.
Flamme, Gustav, Calle Narrica 2, San Sebastian.
Gaona, José Marco, Barroso 8 and 10, Malaga.
Groth, Conrad, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Lacalle Rodriguez, Rafael, Leon 34, and Nicolas Maria Rivero 8 and 10 Madrid.
Moragas, Pedro, Tamarit 181, Barcelona.
Noriega, Anastasio, Unquera, Santander.
Ortega, Pedro, Santibanez 6 & Nuncio 3, Madrid.
Pradera, José Ibarzabal, Calle Narrica 2, San Sebastian.
Rodriguez, Rafael Lacalle (*see* Lacalle Rodriguez, Rafael).
Rumeu, Hector, Calle Dr. Allart 8, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Serra José Farran (*see* Farran Serra, José).
Sierra, Hijos de J., Calle Mayor 20, Madrid.
Stiehle, Adolf, Orotava, Tenerife.
Toro, Pedro del, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.

SWEDEN.

Dieden, Theodore, Foreiningsg. 48 and Soderg. 10, Malmö; and Gothenburg.
Ego Industri A-B., St. Vattugatan 10, Stockholm.
Ekström's (A) Maskinaffär A-B., St. Vattugatan 10, Stockholm.
Grumme & Son A-B., Östgötagatan 50 and 52, Stockholm; and Malmo
Hallbäck, C. M., & Sons, Adelgatan 5, Malmö.
Hellbut, Henry, Stockholm.
Hylin & Company's Fabriks A-B., Östgötagatan 42, Stockholm.
Negotia A-B., Artillerigatan 6, Stockholm.
Österman & Company (Owner Nils A. Osterman), Stadsgarden 8, Stockholm.
Robertson's, Davy, Maskinfabrik A-B., Stampg. 30, Gothenburg.
Sanatogen Generalagentur, Kungsgatan 59, Stockholm
Sanchez Martinez, Enrique, Stockholm.
Vollenbruch, Max, Artillerigatan 6, Stockholm.
Wisloff, J. I. (of Sanatogen Generalagentur), Kungsgatan 50, Stockholm.

REMOVALS FROM THE SCHEDULE.

ARGENTÍNA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Quell & Corron, Ascuncion, Paraguay.
Sassoli, A., (of Staudt & Company), Buenos Aires, Argentina; and Montevideo, Uruguay

BRAZIL.

Krieger, Emilio P., Rüa dos Andradas 443, Porto Alegre.
Monteiro, J. A., & Company, Rua de Candelaria 49, Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Alvarez, José Reinaldo, Coquimbo.
Chassin Trubert, Julio, Coquimbo.

COLOMBIA.

Sanclemente, Ismael, Buenaventura and Cali.

NETHERLANDS.

Cohen, Felix, Leuvehaven 86A, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Corné, W., Macassar.
Schaap, F. L. Samarang.

NORWAY.

Stoppenbrinks Vinhandel A./S., Söndregate 25, Trondhjem Troye, Johan, A./S., Nordnesgt 11, Bergen.

PORTUGAL.

Companhia do Congo Portuguez, Rua do Commercio 35, Lisbon.

SPAIN.

Fernandez, Viuda é Hijos de A., Irun; Port Bou; Calle Ancha 29, Barcelona; and Gran Via 4, Bilbao.

SWEDEN.

Wennersten & Klingenberg, Kungsgatan 56, Stockholm.

VARIATIONS IN THE SCHEDULE.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been included in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July 1917, as subsequently amended, as under :—

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Junghans Hermanos. Calle Arroyo 1172, and Libertad 1389, Buenos, Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Companhia (or Sociedade) Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.

Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia (or Sociedade) Commercial, Limitada, Puerto Suarez and Guajará-Mirim.

Sociedade Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada (*see* Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Limitada).

BRAZIL.

Companhia (or Sociadade) Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Limitada, Corumba.

Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Companhia (or Sociedade) Commercial Limitada, Corumba.

Sociedade Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana Limitada (*see* Companhia Commercial Mattogrossense and Boliviana, Limitada).

GREECE

Procopiou (Nikos), Patras.

POST OFFICE.

The 29th September 1917

No. 11527.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 16 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rules issued with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department

of Commerce and Industry No. 2883-45, dated the 26th April 1913, as subsequently amended, namely :—

In rule 157 for the entries under the heads "Square envelopes", "Oblong envelopes" and "Registration envelopes", the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"Square envelopes.

Half anna.

	Rs.	A.	P.
For 1 envelope	0	0	9
,, 2 envelopes	0	1	6
,, 3 ,, ...	0	2	3
,, 4 ,, ...	0	3	0
,, 5 ,, ...	0	3	6
Packets of 20 ,, per packet	0	14	0

Oblong envelopes.

Commercial, half-anna.

For 1 envelope	0	0	8
,, 2 envelopes	0	1	3
,, 3 ,, ...	0	2	0
,, 4 ,, ...	0	2	6
,, 5 ,, ...	0	3	0
Packets of 20 ,, per packet	0	12	0

Registration envelopes.

(1) Small size.

For each envelope	0	3	0
Packets of 16 per packet	3	0	0

(2) Large size.

For each envelope	0	3	6
Packets of 8 per packet	1	12	0

TELEGRAPHS.

The 29th September 1917.

No. 11543.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6975-137 (Telegraphs), dated the 16th September 1909, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For clauses (5) and (6) of rule 131 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(5) It may also be a telegram sent

(*a*) from or to the newspaper or news agency by its registered title (not by the name or designation of a person connected with its publication or management), to or from its correspondents or employés (by name or designation or both) on the subject of a press telegram actually received from, or despatched by a correspondent or employé, or

(*b*) to an official of the Telegraph Department on matters of press business from a newspaper or news agency by its registered title only.

(6) If a Press telegram is addressed by a correspondent or employé of a newspaper or news agency to any person of its headquarters staff, by name or designation or both, it is chargeable at the full Inland rates."

C. E. LOW,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th September 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 28th September 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1633.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants, with effect from the dates specified :—

(1) Pratul Pati Ganguli 10th August 1917.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1637.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Second Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Roland Westphal Von Morde. Dated 22nd September 1917.

Army Reserves.

No. 1651.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

Olans Macleod Martin ...	14th August 1917.
Montagu Henry Bowater Lethbridge ...	
John Graham Drummond ...	
Louis Reginald Fawcus ...	
Robert Neil Reid ...	
Wilfred Graham Thrupp ...	14th August 1917.
Lancelot Neville Bavin ...	
(Temporary Captain) Frederick Walter Champion ...	21st August 1917.
Thomas Clough ...	21st August 1917.
Thomas Morton Stevens ...	
Dudley Lewis Vaughan-Stevens ...	

Infantry Branch.

John Stewart Hannah ...	14th August 1917.
Arthur Herbert Conway Jackson ...	
Donald Lennox Campbell ...	
Abraham Lewis Blank ...	
(Temporary Captain) Herbert Cecil Stork.	
Humfrey Grose-Hodge ...	
Thomas Miller Dow ...	21st August 1917.
Thomas James Young Roxburgh ...	28th August 1917.

JUDICIAL.

No. 1665.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that for Question 11 in Form No. III-D., published in Army Department Notification No. 700, dated the 4th May 1917, the following shall be substituted namely :—

"11. Are you willing to serve for the period of the present war or less as may be required by Government"

No. 1666.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Indian Army Act Rules, published with the Army Department Notification No. 911, dated the 3rd November 1911, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(*i*) In rule 158—

(*a*) At the end of clause (E), the words "except a prisoner of war who is still absent" shall be added.

(*b*) At the beginning of clause (F), the words "save in the case of a prisoner of war who is still absent" shall be inserted.

(*c*) In the first paragraph of clause (H), and in clause (I), the word "recovered" shall be omitted.

(*d*) For the second paragraph of clause (H), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"The officer who assembled the court shall, when the court is held on a returned prisoner of war or on a prisoner of war who is still absent, direct the court to record their opinion whether the person concerned was taken prisoner through his own wilful neglect of duty, or whether he served with or under, or aided the enemy ; he shall also direct the court to record their opinion in the case of a returned prisoner of war, whether he returned, as soon as possible, to the service, and in the case of a prisoner of war still absent whether he failed to return to the service when it was possible for him to do so. The officer who assembled the court shall also record his own opinion on these points. In other cases the court shall give no opinion on the conduct of any person unless so directed by the officer who assembled the court."

(*ii*) In rule 161, clause (D) shall be omitted.

(*iii*) In rule 163, in clause (C), after the word "division" the words "divisional area" shall be inserted.

(*iv*) After rule 163, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"163-A.—The prescribed authorities for the purposes of section 52-A of the Act shall be the Commander-in-Chief in India and the officer commanding the division, divisional area or brigade within which the headquarters or the depot of the corps, department or detachment to which the person belongs is situated."

Prescribed authorities under section 52-A of the Act.

(*v*) After rule 164-A, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"164-B.—The prescribed officer for the purposes of section 112 of the Act shall, whenever any division is temporarily withdrawn from its territorial area, be the officer, not being below the rank of field officer, commanding the corresponding divisional area."

Prescribed officer under section 112 of the Act.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 1667.—Lieutenant William Ironside Milne resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1669.—Major Robert George Girard, I.S.O., V.D., resigns his commision and is granted, on retirement, the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated the 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5334Com.—The 2nd October 1917.—The following Press communiqué issued by the Government of India, Indian Munitions Board, is published for general information.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

Simla, the 28th September 1917.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

THE receipt of supplies from the United Kingdom and the generous response by the public to the appeals of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for the loan of binoculars for the use of officers on service in Mesopotamia have given the military authorities a supply of these instruments adequate for the present demands. Further offers need not therefore be made by the public.

2. The President of the Munitions Board on behalf of the Commander-in-Chief has already acknowledged separately the generosity of donors and lenders of binoculars; but His Excellency takes this opportunity of making public his appreciation of the assistance rendered to the military authorities.

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Howrah.

No. 542T.-M.—The 26th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 290 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 884), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published under Notification No. 231M., dated the 1st February 1915, at page 22 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 3rd idem, subject to which the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality may allow communication-pipes to be laid down from the service-pipes of the Commissioners for the purpose of leading water to holdings within the Municipality for domestic purposes only, as subsequently amended by Notifications Nos. 2799M., dated 8th December 1916, and 49M., dated 8th January 1917.

To the preamble add the following proviso :—

"Provided that in the case of a holding exempted from assessment as being used exclusively for purpose of public worship, but of which the annual value is not less than Rs. 100 or such higher amount as may be fixed by the Commissioners at a meeting, the Commissioners may allow connection for domestic purposes only."

After rule 5 insert the following as rule 5A :—

"No holding shall have more than one separate connection, but if in any case the Commissioners are satisfied that an adequate supply to any holding cannot be given through a single connection, they may sanction a second connection thereto."

24-Parganas.

No. 552T.M.—The 27th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. Mr. W. F. Harnett.
2. ,, T. A. Hurst.
3. Maulvi Quari Abdul Ali.
4. Babu Gour Mohon Sadhukhan.

24-Parganas.

No. 553T.-M.—The 27th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 23 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. W. F. Harnett to be the Chairman of the Kanchrapara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

No. 556T.M.—The 27th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Halisahar Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

24-Parganas.

Babu Hari Gopal Mukharji.	Munshi Fakir Ahmad.
„ Ram Chandra Basu.	Mr. F Law.

No. 559T.M.—The 28th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Champdani Municipality, in the district of Hooghly :—

Hooghly.

Mr. G. A. Spence.	Mr. John Low.
„ W. Allan.	Babu Chandi Charan Sur.

No. 567T.M.—The 29th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Bhadreswar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly :—

Hooghly.

Mr. R. B. Laird.	Babu Sachindra Nath Banarji.
„ J. Shepherd.	Sheik Meher Lal.

No. 578T.M.—The 30th September 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. T. T. Williams to be a Commissioner of the Dacca Municipality, in the district of Dacca, *vice* Revd. Harold Bridges, resigned.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee having previously given notice of their intention to define the general line of buildings on either side of the public street known as Cantopher Lane in Ward No. 20 and having duly considered the objections received within 30 days from the date of the publication of such notice, made an order under section 350(4) of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, on the 21st day of September 1917, defining the said line in accordance with the plan approved by the General Committee on the said date.

S. W. GOODE, *Acting Chairman.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 28th September 1917.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

NOTICE.

Qualified Urdu Teachers.

ALLAHABAD.

M. Shaikh Mohammad Ismail	South Malaka, Allahabad.
M. Syed Mazhar-ul Husain	253A, Mohtasham Ganj, Allahabad.

AMBALA.

M. Mohd. Miyan Khan ...	Sadar Bazar, Ambala.
M. Mohd. Akbar Khan Haidari	The Oriental Lodge, Ambala.
M. Anand Sarup ...	Sadar Bazar, Ambala Cantonment (winter only).
M. Shaikh Amir Bukhsh Gyani, Munshi Fazil ...	Regimental Munshi, 1-9th Middlesex Regiment, Ambala.

BANGALORE.

M. Mohd. Imdad Hussain ...	1, Gun Troop Road, Bangalore Cantonment.

BANNU.

M. Mul Chand Khurana, Munshi Alim ...	Pensioner and Clerk to Afghan Medical Mission, Bannu.

BAREILLY.

M. Mohd. Arif ...	Camp Bareilly.
M. Rashid Ahmad Khan ...	Old City, Sailani, Bareilly.

BOMBAY.

M. Mukhtar Ahmad ...	Regimental Munshi, South Staffordshire Regiment, Colaba, Bombay.

CALCUTTA.

M. Reza Ali Wahshat, M.R. A.S.	2-1-2, Tiljala, 1st Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Badru-z-Zaman ...	212-1, Linton Street, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Badi ...	5, Ramsanker Roy Lane, Calcutta.
M. A. M. F. Wahhab ...	Librarian, Calcutta Madrasah, 31, Collin Street, Calcutta.
M. Habibun Nabi Khan Saulat.	5, Mehar Ali Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Akmal Ali Akmal ...	25, Nur Ali's Lane, P. O. Entally, Calcutta.

M. Abdul Karim Nashtar ...	1, Jhowtollah Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Gholam Kibriya Ibrat.	17-1, Noorallah Doctor's Lane, Balligunge Road, Calcutta.
M. Badruddin Ahmed, B.A.	8, Elliot Lane, Calcutta.
M. Hossain Mirza ...	4-1, Collin Lane, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Israil Khan ...	23-1, Doctor Karam Hossain Lane, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Syed Nawab Ali ...	11, Colootola Street, Calcutta.
M. Wahidun Nabi Khan ...	88-1, Baitak Khana Road.
M. Daliluddin Ahmed ...	37, Karaya Bazar Road, Balligunge, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Wajid ...	106, Harrison Road, Calcutta.
M. A. M. Ubaidur Rashid, B.A.	4, Korabardar Lane, P. O. Wellesley, Calcutta.
M. Mohd. Muslim ...	12, Damzen's Lane, Chinapara, Calcutta.
M. Nisar Ahmad Khan ...	26-A, Noor Ally Lane, Entally, Calcutta.
M. Abdul Habib Khan ...	44, Gora Chand Road, Entally P. O., Calcutta.
M. Mahmud Hasan Israili ...	11, Cantopher Lane, Entally.
M. Azherus Sadain ...	138-1, Karaya Road.
M. Syed Mohammad ...	1, Kaisar Street, Calcutta.
M. Shahabuddin Ahmad Siddiqi.	41, Gardner Lane, Entally P. O., Calcutta.
*M. S. M. Abdullah Afzali ...	Ditto ditto.

CAWNPORE.

M. S. Abdul Ghani ...	Regimental Munshi, Garrison Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles.
M. Syed Aulad Husain ...	Second Master, 44/170, Ahta Kamal Khan, Halsey Road, Cawnpore.

DELHI.

M. Mohd. Akbar Khan Haidari.	Regimental Munshi, 1/4th Wiltshire Regiment, Delhi (winter only).
M. Aziz-ur-Rahman (of Delhi)	Regimental Munshi, The Fort, Delhi.

DINAPORE.

M. Farzand Ali Khan ...	C/o Dr. Hingan Khan, Orderly Bazar, Dinapore.

DUM DUM.

M. Syed Hadi Hussain ...	Regimental Munshi.

FEROZEPORE.

M. Suraj Narain, B.A. ...	Kabari Bazar, Ferozepore.
M. Harnam Das ...	Headmaster, Malwa Khalsa School, Ferozepore City.

HAPUR.

M. S. Khursad Ali ...	Mohalla Kaziwara, Hapur. District Meerut.

JHELUM.

M. Thakur Das Pahwa ...	Officers' Munshi, Jhelum.

JULLUNDUR.

M Karam Chand ...	C/o Jacki Mull & Sons, Suddar Bazar. Jullundur Cantonment.

KARACHI.

M Anandram Thadamal ...	Regimental Munshi, Norfolk Regiment Garrikhata, Karachi.

KASAULI.

M. Anand Sarup ...	Depôt Munshi, Kasauli (summer only).

KOLHAPUR.

Pt. Vasudeo Damodar Kulkarni	112, Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

LAHORE.

M. Sham Lal Bhargava	...	Officers' Munshi, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.
M. Sayyad Aulad Ali Gilani (Munshi Fazil).		Miran Shah Lane, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mohd. Khalil-ur-Rahman Sabri.		Mohalla Sammian, Chhawni Manawala, Taksali Gate, Lahore.
M. Mool Chand Saihgal	...	Regimental Munshi, 1-5th Devonshire Regiment, Saddar Bazar, Lahore Cantonment.

LUCKNOW.

M. Abdul Karim	...	C-o The 10th Battalion, Middlesex Regiment, Lucknow.

MEERUT.

M. Chhote Lal	...	B. T. Bazar, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jawala Parshad, II	...	Regimental Munshi, 12th R. H. A. Brigade, Meerut Cantonment.
M. Jamaluddin	...	British Cavalry Bazar, Cross Street, Meerut.

MOZUFFERPORE.

M. Mohd Shuaib	...	Arabic Teacher, Zilla School, Mozufferpore.

MULTAN.

M. Sultan Mohammad	...	Regimental Munshi, Multan Cantonment.

MURREE HILLS.

M. S. C. Bagchi	...	Munshi, Lawrence Government European School, Ghoragali, P. O. Murree Hills.
M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din	...	Regimental Munshi, 2nd North Staffordshire Regiment (summer only).

MUSSOORIE.

M. H. Ahmad Fakhriey	...	Islamia School, Mussoorie.

NAINI TAL.

M. Faqir Ulla	...	St. Joseph's College, Naini Tal.

PATNA.

M. S. Fasihuddin Balkhi	...	Bakhshi Muhalla, Patna City.

PESHAWAR.

M. Ahmed Din	...	Regimental Munshi, 1st Royal Sussex Regiment, opposite the Post Office, Sadar Bazar, Peshawar.
M. Abdur Rahim	...	Head Master, Islamia High School, Peshawar.
M. Ajab Shah Anand	...	Officers' Munshi, Daki Nama, Peshawar City.

QUETTA.

M. Mohd. Rahim Saha	...	Urdu Instructor, Cadet College.
M. Ahmed Bux	..	Ditto.
M. S. Karim Bukhsh	...	Ditto.
M. Mohd. Ishaq	...	Ditto.
M. Mohamed Sarwar	...	Ditto.
Pt. Hirday Narayan	...	Ditto.
M. S. Abdul Aziz	...	Ditto.
M. Syed Inam Ali	...	Mission Road, Quetta.

RAWALPINDI.

M. Ghulam Mohy-ud-Din	...	Regimental Munshi, 2nd Bn., N. Staff. Regt., Rawalpindi (winter only).
M. Ghulam Rasul	...	Sadar Bazar, Rawalpindi.
M. K. R. Mehta	...	Regimental Munshi, 1st F. S. Garr. Bn., Somerset Light Infantry.

RISALPUR.

M. Kazi Abdul Haqq Khan ... Regimental Munshi, Royal Flying Corps, Risalpur Cantonment

ROORKEE CITY.

M. Fazl-i-Haq ... Muhalla Satti, Roorkee City

SUBATHU.

*M. Mohd Yaqub Khan Officers' School of Instruction, Subathu. (Munshi Fazil).

Qualified Bengali Teacher.

CALCUTTA.

Babu Suresh Chandra Chatterjee 6, Muktaram Row, Calcutta.

Qualified Canarese Teacher.

BANGALORE.

M. R. Ry. K. Hanumantha Rao. No. 1, Main Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore.

Qualified Hindustani Teachers.

MADRAS.

Muhiddin Hussain Sahib ... 15-16, Vathiar Chinniah Pillai Street, Royapettah, Madras.

Munshi Ghulam Ahmed Sahib. 58, Dispensary Road, Bangalore Cantonment.

Qualified Malayalam Teacher.

ADICHANALLORE.

M. R. Ry. N. Sankara Pillai First Assistant, H. G. E. School, Adichanallore.

Qualified Marathi Teachers.

EAST KHANDESH.

Mr. Laxman Narayan Phandis, B.A. C-o Mr. M. N. Phandis, Editor, Kavya-Ratnawali, Jalgaon.

POONA CITY.

Mr. Govind Krishna Modak Sanskrit Teacher, New English School, Poona City.

Mr. D. K. Pathak ... 442, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

SHOLAPUR.

Mr. Vishnu Anant Salgarkar C-o Mr. Harichand Amichand Shah, Sholapur.

Qualified Tamil Teacher.

MADRAS.

M. R. Ry. K. Raghavachari ... Senior Tamil Pandit, Wesleyan Mission Girls' High School, Royapettah.

M. R. Ry A. M. Satakopara-manuja Acharya. Senior Tamil Pandit, National High School, Teppakulam, Trichinopoly.

Qualified Telugu Teacher.

GODAVARI.

M. R. Ry. V. Subba Rao ... Stewartpetta, Pithapuram, Godavari District.

N. B.—Whenever any teacher changes his address, he is requested to communicate his new address to the Board of Examiners

N. B.—Teachers whose names are preceded by an asterisk (*) are considered specially competent to give advanced instruction in the language.

CALCUTTA, O. F. JENKINS,

The 27th August 1917. Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1T.B.—The lists of text-books published herewith contain books approved for use in all schools in the Presidency of Bengal. In Western Bengal "List A" contains the books to be used in all classes of Government and recognised schools, both English and Vernacular, and embodies material which has hitherto appeared only in the inspectors' lists for the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions. List B contains supplementary text-books in English, History and Geography, along with the Mathematical, Vernacular and Classical texts for use in all grades of schools. In this list a wide range of the best supplementary reading is offered; and books which indicate the standard of attainment to be expected in the various classes have been noted. The same remarks apply to the two lists for Eastern Bengal; but appended to List B for that area is a separate list of books approved for vernacular schools following the Eastern Bengal vernacular curriculum. Here also are included books for girls' schools.

It has been felt in the past that the system of exclusive prescription, particularly in the case of Mathematical and Vernacular texts, has tended to discourage Indian publishers and to give undue monopoly to individual authors. It is not intended to adhere to this system more than is absolutely necessary; and save in the case of certain text-books in English, in Indian History and in Geography, where the range of choice is at present extremely limited, teachers are at liberty to select their text-books from those included in the supplementary List B for Eastern and for Western Bengal. It is, however, necessary to indicate the standard of attainment expected in the various classes of schools. Those books which may be taken as the best guide to this standard have been specially marked, and may be regarded as indicating the standard of the scholarship examination. It is not proposed, however, to base these examinations in future upon any single set of text-books.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA:

The 19th September 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL.

LIST A.

List of English and Vernacular Text-books approved for all classes of Government and Recognized High and Middle English schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions of Bengal for the year 1918.

English Literature and Grammar

For the books recommended by the University of Calcutta as indicating the standard of the Matriculation Examination in English, Headmasters are referred to the University Calendar. It should be noted that these books are intended only to indicate the standard expected of pupils on the completion of the high school course. These books are not suitable for such junior classes as VII and VIII; and, if used, they should be confined to the last year of study.

For High School classes VII, VIII, and IX.

The senior books of the following series:—

(*a*) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

(*b*) NEW ENGLISH READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)

For English texts suitable for additional and supplementary reading in classes beyond VI; see List B. Care should be taken to select books that appeal to Indian boys; and some effort should be made to encourage their reading on historical lines, and to make them acquainted with current events. "England in India" (Longmans, Green & Co.) deals with the British Empire in the East, and explains the work done by the British Government in and for India. It is an advanced supplementary reader for senior pupils and teachers. For knowledge of the war a book like Nelson Fraser's "The World at War" is of value.

Poetry: for anthologies of verse—*see* List B.

Grammar and Composition :—

(1) ELEMENTARY LESSONS IN ENGLISH COMPOSITION. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.)
(2) THE HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) JENNING'S ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(4) ENGLISH COMPOSITION FOR INDIAN HIGH SCHOOLS. (Oxford University Press.)

For Middle classes V and VI.

(1) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS, BOOKS III AND IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(2) TIPPING'S ENGLISH READERS FOR STANDARDS V AND VI. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) STAR OF INDIA READERS, BOOKS III AND IV. (Blackie & Son.)
(4) NEW ENGLISH READERS III AND IV.

Grammar and Composition :—

JUNIOR SCHOOL GRAMMAR FOR INDIA. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
MIDDLE SCHOOL ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)

For Junior classes.

(1) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS: PRIMER READERS I AND II.
(2) TIPPING'S ENGLISH READERS FOR STANDARDS III AND IV.
(3) NEW ENGLISH READERS I AND II.
(4) STAR OF INDIA READERS, I AND II. (Blackie & Son.)

Whenever it is found possible to introduce supplementary reading material in addition to the texts mentioned above, reference should be made to List B. At every stage the power of expression in simple English must be cultivated along with correct pronunciation and articulation. Teachers will be assisted in this by the "Teachers' Book" in the Reformed series of Readers for India, published by the Oxford University Press at As. 12. This series gives the simple principles of phonetics and should be procured for school libraries and for teachers' use.

History.

Class X—

A selected Matriculation Text, as recommended by the University.

Classes VII, VIII and IX—

HISTORY OF INDIA FOR JUNIOR STUDENTS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
BHARAT BARSHER ITIHAS. Marsden and Vidyasagar. (For Vernacular students.)
HISTORY OF INDIA FOR JUNIOR CLASSES. (Macmillan & Co.)
ENGLAND IN INDIA (Longmans, Green & Co.): for general knowledge of the growth of the British Empire and of the work done by the Government of India.

Classes IV, V and VI—

*(1) MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA FOR HIGHER CLASSES. PARTS III AND IV. (Macmillan & Co.)

*(2) MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA FOR LOWER CLASSES, PARTS I AND II. (Macmillan & Co.)

*(3) BENGALI MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA, PARTS I AND II.

*(4) AITIHASIK PATH, PART I. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

*(5) BENGALI HISTORY OF NORTH EAST INDIA. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar.

*These books are intended solely for the use of teachers in their oral instruction of history in middle and junior classes.

For supplementary historical material, and for books for the use of pupils in schools not adhering strictly to the Departmental curriculum, see List B.

Geography.

1. GEOGRAPHICAL SERIES FOR INDIA. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
   GEOGRAPHY OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.
   THE WORLD IN OUTLINE WITH FULLER TREATMENT OF INDIA, BOOKS I AND II.
2. REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE. (Blackie & Son.)
3. THE OXFORD GEOGRAPHIES EDITED BY HERBERTSON. (Oxford University Press.)
4. THE WORLD AND INDIA. (Oxford University Press.)
5. REGIONAL GEOGRAPHIES BY REYNOLDS. (Macmillan & Co.)

For descriptive Geographies, teachers are referred to List B and to the teachers' list for Geographical maps and apparatus.

Classes II to VI—

TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY, PARTS I AND II. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

At this stage the teaching of Geography will be purely oral and text-books for pupils are therefore not recommended.

Mathematics.

For books on Geometry, Algebra and Arithmetic teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard of the various grades of instruction, but these need not be exclusively used.

Bengali Literature and Grammar.

For vernacular class readers and grammars, teachers are referred to List B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard required in the various classes, but these need not be exclusively used.

Indian Classics.

For books on Sanskrit, Persian, Arabic, Pali and Urdu teachers are referred to List B. The books indicating the required standard have been marked.

Handwriting and Drawing

For the teaching of English penmanship the following copy books are recommended :—

(1) IMPERIAL COPY BOOKS (specially adapted to Indian pupils) (Macmillan & Co.)
(2) SEMI-UPRIGHT COPY BOOKS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(3) NEW GRAPHIC COPY BOOKS. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)

For the teaching of Bengali penmanship the following are recommended—

Classes I—V—

ADARSHA LIPI, PARTS I—III. Ashutosh Dhar.
LIPI SHIKSHA, PARTS I—III. Santi Press, Dacca.
ADARSHA LEKHA, PARTS I—III. Syam Chandra Dutta.
HATER LEKHA, PARTS I—III. Suniti Devi. (J. N. Banerjee.)
BANGLA ADARSHA LIKHAN, PARTS I—III. B C. Basak.
ADARSHA LIPI, PARTS I—IV. Upendra K. Roy.
BENGALI KINDERGARTEN ALPHABET CHARTS FOR USE IN SCHOOLS. P. Mukhopadhya, Calcutta.
URDU COPY SLIPS, I—IV. Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed.
URDU HANDWRITING COPY BOOKS, I—IV. (Rai Sahib Gulab Singh.)
WRITING COPY SLIPS, I—IV. Ramjidas Bargo. (Allahabad Book Depôt.)
MOVABLE COPY SLIPS, I—V. Ramjidas Bargo. (Allahabad Book Depôt.)

Drawing.

TEACHERS' MANUAL OF DRAWING, VOLS. I AND II (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha.

Classes I—VII—

CHITRANKAN PUSTAK, NOS. 1—6. Charu Chandra Guha.
PRIMARY TABLETS, I—VI. Charu Chandra Guha.
ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, I—VI. Satyendra Kumar Dutta.
PRATHAMIC CHITRA SHIKSHA, IA—V. J. C. Mahalanabis.
CHITRA SHIKSHA, I—II. J. C. Mahalanabis. (Bhattacharya and Son.) (For teachers only.)
CHITRA SHIKSHA TABLETS, I—VI. J. C. Mahalanabis.
ADARSHA CHITRA PUSTAK, I—VI. Syam Chandra Dutta

Drill.

Departmental Drill Book, revised by Dr. Gray and published by the Education Department.

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LIST B.

Supplementary List of Text-Books for use in Government and Recognised High and Middle English schools in the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions of Bengal for the year 1918. This list contains additional reading material in English, History, and Geography. It also contains the Mathematical, Classical and Vernacular texts for all classes of High and Middle English schools. Appended is a list of books for use in schools following the Vernacular Curriculum.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

Additional series of class readers are as follows :—

NEW GLOBE READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
KING READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
NEW SENIOR CLASS READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE 'AL' NEW ENGLISH COURSE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENIOR SUPPLEMENTARY READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
NEW LITERARY READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
LETHBRIDGE AND SIRCAR'S READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE REFORMED SERIES OF ENGLISH BOOKS FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
BRITISH EMPIRE READERS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
PALMERSTON READERS. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
NEWTON READERS. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
NEW SYSTEMATIC ENGLISH READERS. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.)
REFORMED SERIES OF READERS FOR INDIA WITH TEACHERS' BOOKS. (Oxford University Press.)
THE NEW INDIAN READERS. (Gulab Singh.)
TWENTIETH CENTURY READERS. (Chambers.)
THE TEMPLE LITERARY READERS. (J. M. Dent & Sons.)
ROYAL TREASURY OF STORY & SONG. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
INDIAN READERS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
GRADED READERS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
INDIAN READERS AND NEW ENGLISH READERS. (Christian Literature Society.)

Single texts may also be selected for the upper and middle classes of High Schools. Of these the following are recommended :—

SVARNALATA, SCENES FROM BENGALI VILLAGE LIFE. (Macmillan & Co.)
NARRATIVES FROM MACAULAY. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE BOYS' ODYSSEY. (Macmillan & Co.)
EPISODES FROM SOUTHEY'S LIFE OF NELSON. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENIOR PROSE READER (BARROW). (Macmillan & Co.)
JUNIOR PROSE READER (BARROW). (Macmillan & Co.)
GRIMM'S FAIRY TALES. (Macmillan & Co.)
FOLK TALES OF BENGAL. (Macmillan & Co.)
CHILDREN OF THE DAWN. (Macmillan & Co.)
PROGRESS TO LITERATURE SERIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
TALES FROM ÆSOP, GRIMM, ANDERSON AND THE ARABIAN NIGHTS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THEN AND NOW STORIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
HOW AND WHY STORIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
HERE AND THERE STORIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE PANDAVA PRINCES. (Macmillan & Co.)
A PERSIAN HERO. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE WANDERINGS OF RAMA. (Macmillan & Co.)
HAWTHORNE'S STORIES FROM A WONDER BOOK (Macmillan & Co.)

LITTLE PEOPLE IN FAR OFF LANDS. (Macmillan & Co.)
INDIAN FABLES FROM THE HITOPADESH. (Macmillan & Co.)
PERSIAN FABLES FROM ANWAR-I-SUHALI. (Macmillan & Co.)
EASTERN FABLES AND FOLK TALES. (Macmillan & Co.)
STORIES FROM HISTORY AND LITERATURE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SELECTIONS FROM MODERN ENGLISH LITERATURE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENTINEL HOURS (PROSE SECTIONS). (Macmillan & Co.)
SACRED TALES OF INDIA. (D. N. Neogi.)
DECCAN NURSERY TALES. (Kincaid.)
TALES OF THE PUNJAB. (Flora Annie Steele.)
THE JUNGLE BOOK. (Rudyard Kipling.)
SELECTIONS FROM FROUDE. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
SELECTED ESSAYS FROM ENGLISH LITERATURE. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
READINGS IN PROSE. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
SELECTIONS FROM ENGLISH LITERATURE I—IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
STEPS TO LITERATURE I—VI. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
KING ALFRED READERS IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
ARNOLD'S ENGLISH READERS IV. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
SIMPLE ENGLISH READINGS. Brindaban Dhar, B.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 4.
THE BOYHOOD OF KRISHNA, GRADE II. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2.
THE CHILD'S FIRST COURSE. A. C. Gupta, M.A. (B. M. De, Santi Press.) As. 4.
SIMPLE LESSONS. P. N. Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 4.
ARNOLD'S LITERARY READING BOOKS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
HEROES OF RAJASTHAN (Longmans, Green & Co.)
BUILDERS OF HISTORY. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
CLASS BOOK OF ENGLISH LITERATURE. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
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SAHITYA SAR, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by Jitendra Nath Ghosh. As. 4.

SAHITYA SHIKSHA, by Majammal Haque. As. 3.

PARIMAL PATH, Part II, by Amar Chandra Datta. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 3.

PRIYA PATH, by Sarajubala Datta. Published by Hemendra Nath Datta, Dacca. As. 5.

ADARSHA NIMNAPATH, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 6.

SARAL NIMNAPATH, by Rai Sahib Dinesh Chandra Sen and Nabin Chandra Basu. Published by Atul Library. As. 6.

PATHMALA, by Abinash Chandra Gupta M.A. Published by Jatindra Mohon Vyakarantirtha. As. 3-6.

SUKHA SAHITYA, by Anukul Chandra Shastri. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 4-6.

SUNITI PATH (revised edition), by Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. Published by the author. As. 5.

BALYA SAKHA, by Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. Published by Rajendra Narayan De. School Library, Dacca. As. 4-6

NABA PATH, by Rajendra Chandra Kushari. Published by Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A. As. 4.

MUKUL (revised edition), by Purna Chandra Bhattacharyya. Published by Kumud Chandra Bhattacharyya. As. 4.

Under the heading "Bengali Literature" the books marked thus * may be taken to represent the standard required in High, Middle and Junior classes, and the standard demanded in scholarship examinations; but these will not be set exclusively on any single text

SHIKSHA MUKUL, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 3.

NITI KATHA, by Rajani Chandra Datta Kabyaranjan. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta. As. 5.

SAISHAB SHIKSHA, Part I, by Amritananda Kabyabenode. Published by Prabhat Chandra Basu. As. 5.

BODH BIKASH, by B. N. Sinha Choudhuri. Published by the author. As. 6.

SHISHUPATHYA KOMAL KATHA, by Kali Bhusan Mukherjee. Published by Nripendra Chandra Roy. As. 5.

SAHITYA SUDHA, by Jogendra Nath Gupta. Published by S. N. Das Gupta. As. 5.

SUKATHA, by Atri Kumar Nag and Kunja Behari Ganguli. Published by the authors. As. 5-6.

NITI MUKUL, by Haridhan Kabyavyakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. Published by Jogesh Chandra Bose. As. 4.

JNANODAYA, by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. Published by the author. As. 6.

Class II.—

*BENGALI LOWER PRIMARY READER, Book I, by Basu & Majid. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 5.

HITAKATHA, by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by Ashutosh Library, Dacca. As. 2-6.

NABA SAHITYA PATH, Part I, by Tasadduk Ahmed. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 2-6.

SARAL PATH, by Rajendra Chandra Kushari. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 2.

SHISHU SAHITYA, by Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 2.

BALYA BINODE. Published by Hariram Dhar, B.A. As. 2.

SHISHURANJAN, Part I (revised edition), by Padma Lochan Ghosh. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy, Dacca. As. 3.

BENODE KATHA (improved edition), by Rasik Chandra Basu. Published by the author. As. 2.

PRIYA PATH (revised edition), by Paresnath Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 2-3.

SHISHUR SATHI, by Indira Devi. Published by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. As. 3.

BALAK PATH, Part II, by Rajendra Kumar Guha. Published by Radhaballav Basak. As. 2-9.

SHISHU SAKHA, by Pyari Mohan Dutta. Published by the author. As. 2-3.

Class I—

*BENGALI PRIMER, Part I, by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 2-6.

*BENGALI PRIMER, Part II, by Jaladhar Sen. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 3.

SARAL NITI, by Prasanna Kumar Guha. Published by Pran Kumar Guha. As. 2.

SISHU SAKHA, by A. L. Sarkar. Published by Hariram Dhar. As. 2.

BARNA PATH, Part I, by Kali Prasanna Ghosh. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. A. 1-6.

AMIYA PATH, by Abinash Ch. Roy. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.

SARAL SAHITYA. Published by Amritananda Kabyabenode. As. 2-6.

BARNA PATH, by Abinash Chandra Gupta, M.A. Published by N. Sen, M. sc. A. 1-6.

HAMAGUDI, by Surendra Nath Das Gupta, B.A. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

SAHITYA PATH (revised edition), by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2-6.

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KOMAL KATHA, by Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 2.

AMIYA KATHA, by Hara Nath Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 2-6.

KOMAL PATH, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. As. 2.

SISHUBODH, by Charu Chandra Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

SISHU PATH, by Ashutosh Dhar. Published by the author. A. 1.

SAHITYA PATH, Part I, by Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. Published by the author. A. 1.

SHISHU SAKHA, by Pran Kumar Guha. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

BANGLA PATH, Part I, by a lady. Published by B. C. Basak, Dacca. As. 2.

SISHUTOSH, by Manomohan Sen. Published by Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya. A. 1.

NUTAN SISHUPATH (revised edition), by Rai Sahib Isan Chandra Ghosh. Published by G. C. Neogi. A. 1.

ADARSHA BALYA SHIKSHA, by Rash Behari Mukhoti. Published by Jitendra Nath Mukhōti. A. 1-6.

SARAL SISHU SAHITYA. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. A. 1-9.

BARNA MANJARI, by Sitanath Vidyabenode. Published by Gopimohan Datta. A. 1-6.

KHOKAR SATHI, by Kailash Chandra Acharyya. Published by Acharyya & Co. A. 1.

BALYA SAKHA, Parts I and II, by Sahabuddin Ahmed, B.A. Published by the author. A. 1-3.

PARIMAL PATH, Part I, by Amar Ch. Dutta (Bhattacharjy). As. 2.

Bengali Grammar.

Classes VII and VIII—

*SAHITYA PRABESH VYAKARAN, by Mahamahopadhyaya P. C. Vidyaratna (For teachers only.)

For Middle and Junior classes.

CHHATRABODHA BENGALI VYAKARAN, by Jagadish Ch. Ghosh. Published by P. C. Bose. As. 8.

RIJU VYAKARAN, by Charu Chandra Kaviratna. Published by P. C. Basu. A. 1-6.

VYAKARAN MANJUSHA, by Umesh Chandra Gupta. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 10.

*ELEMENTARY BENGALI GRAMMAR, by Srinath Kavyatirtha. Published by B. C. Basak. A. 1.

SHISHU PRABESH VYAKARAN (revised and enlarged), by Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Ch. Vidyaratna. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 4.

SANKSHIPTA SAR VYAKARAN, by Haranath Ghosh. Published by Victoria Library, Dacca. As. 6.

ASHUBODH VYAKARAN, by Bepin Behari Ganguli. Published by Ashutosh Dhar. As. 6.

SARAL BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Nagendra Kumar Chanda. Published by Ramendra Kumar Chanda. As. 4.

BHASHA SIKSHA, by Prasanna Kumar Guha. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 6.

SARAL VYAKARAN, by Suryya Kumar Roy. Published by Kali Prasanna Nath. As. 4.

BHASHA BIKASH VYAKARAN, by Haridhan Kavya Vyakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. Published by Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons. As. 5.

SHISHU VYAKARAN, by Baikuntheswar Das Gupta. Published by Cotton Library. As. 3.

BANGALA PRABESH VYAKARAN O RACHANA, by Jnanendra Chandra Basu. Published by Mohit Mohan Dhar. As. 6.

* This book may be taken as indicating the standard required in their respective classes

NUTANDHARANER PRATHAM SHIKSHA BANGLA VYAKARAN, by Banamali Nath. Published by Kali Prasanna Nath. As. 3.

BALYA VYAKARAN, by Amritananda Kabyabenode. Published by Roy, Gupta & Co. As. 3.

SUKHABODH BANGLA VYAKARAN, by Kalikrishna Gosvami. Published by Birchandra Roy. As. 3.

BYAKARAN SOPAN, by Pyari Lal Chakravarti. Published by Bengal Library. As. 3.

SARAL SHISHU PRABESH VYAKARAN. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 3.

SHISHUTOSH VYAKARAN, by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. Published by the author. A. 1-6.

SISHUPATHYA BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Rajendra K. Ghosh. Published by Hemendra Nath Ghosh. As. 3.

CHARU PRABESH VYAKARAN, by Rajendra Mohan Datta. Published by Gopi Mohan Datta. As. 4.

SARAL BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Rajani Kanta Banerjee. Published by Ananta Chandra Banerjee. As 8.

SHISHUBODH BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Atal Behary Gosvami. Published by the author. As. 3.

PRATHAM SHIKSHA BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Lakshmi Charan Das Gupta. Published by Hem Chandra Sen Gupta. As. 2-6.

SUKHAPATH VYAKARAN, by Harendra Kumar Sen Kavyatirtha. Published by Surendra Nath Das Gupta. As. 2.

NUTAN BANGALA VYAKARAN, by Sudhangshu Mohan Mitra. Published by Bengal Library, Dacca. As. 6.

SHISHUPATH VYAKARAN, by Sreenath Bhattacharyya. Published by Bipresvar Chakravarti. As. 4. (In stiff cover.)

SISUPATHYA BANGLA BYAKARAN, By S. M. Dutt. Published by the author. As. 2.

BYAKARANPATH, by P. N. Mahalanabis. Published by the author. As. 4.

Oriental classics.

For Senior classes, *see* University Calendar.

Class VIII—

RIJU PRABANDHAM, by B. B. Goswami, M.A. Published by Kedarnath Basu. As. 4.

*SUKHA PATHAM, by Devendra Kumar Bandopadhyaya, M.A. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As 4.

BIBIDHA PRABANDHAM, by Ram Kamal Vidyabhusan. Published by Ashutosh Library. As. 4.

PRABESHIKA SOPANAM, by Atul Chandra Bhaitacharyya. Published by Jogendra Nath Mukherjee. As. 6.

SUNITI SARAM, by Devendra Kumar Vidyaratna. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 4.

Class VII—

NABAHITA PATHAM, by A. K. Vidyanidhi. Published by S. C. Chatterjee. As. 5.

SANSKRIT SOPANAM, by A. C. Kabyatirtha. Published by Bankim Ch. Sen, Gandaria, Dacca. As. 3.

SANSKRIT PRABESH, by Sreenath Kavyatirtha. Published by Students' Library, Dacca. As. 4.

PRABESHIKA SOPANAM, by Sadat Ali Khan. Published by Rebati Mohan Das. As. 3.

SANSKRIT KOUMUDI, by Banamali Chakravarti and Lakshmi Charan Mukhopadhyaya. Published by Adarsha Library, Barisal. As. 3.

SANSKRIT SIKSHA, by Sitanath Basak Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 4.

*SUNITI SOPANAM, by Barada Kumar Kavyatirtha. Published by Sarada Kumar Bhattacharyya. As 5.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes

JNANANKURA (omitting pages 38—48), by Rajani Kanta Kavyatirtha. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 3.

SANSKRIT SANDARVA, by Vidhushekhara Shastri. Published by Atul Chandra Chakravarti. As. 6.

SANSKRIT PATHMALA, Part I, by Upendranath Vidyabhusan. Published by Upendra Kumar Mitra. As. 5. Also for class VIII.

SANSKRIT MANJARI, by Kali Chandra Vidyabhusan. Published by the author. As. 6.

SANSKRIT BODHAM, by Jogendra Mohan Kabyaratna. Published by Surendra Chandra Bhattacharyya. As. 6.

THE NEW SANSKRIT PRIMER, by Jogeswar Ganguli. Published by Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 4. Also for class VIII.

DEVA BANI, by Surendra Mohan Bhattacharyya. Published by Mathura Mohan Chakravarti. As. 4.

SUNITY, by Akshoy Kumar Kabyatirtha. Published by B. B. Chakravarty. As. 6.

SANSKRIT GRAMMAR.

Classes VII and VIII—

THE BEGINNER'S SANSKRIT GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION, by Upendra Nath Vidyabhusan. Published by Upendra K. Mitra. Re. 1.

*EASY STEPS to SANSKRIT GRAMMAR (SANSKRIT VYAKARANER PRABESHIKA), by Mahamahopadhyaya Prasanna Chandra Vidyaratna. Published by Gopi Mohan Datta. As. 8.

VYAKARAN PRABESHIKA, by Sudhangshu Mohan Mitra, B.A. Published by Jitendra Nath Ghosh. As. 8.

AN INTRODUCTION TO SANSRKIT GRAMMAR, by Ashutosh Sarkar, B.A., B.T. Published by S. A. Gunny. As. 8.

SANSKRIT VYAKARANSAR, by Nava Chandra Nyayaratna. Published by the author As. 6.

HINTS ON THE STUDY OF SANSKRIT, by Nrisingharam Mukherjee. Published by Students' Library, Calcutta. Re. 1.

PRINCIPLES AND METHOD OF SANSKRIT COMPOSITION AND TRANSLATION, by R. C. Kavyavyakaransankhyavedantatirtha. Published by Amritalal Sen. As. 12.

ANUSHILANAM, by Sashibhusan Das Gupta. Published by D. L. Dutta. As. 12.

*UNIVERSITY GRAMMAR.

VIDYASAGAR'S UPAKRAMANIKA, by Gobinda Nath Guha, M.A. Published by the author. As. 8.

SANSKRIT BODHA, by Rajani Kanta Kavyatirtha. Published by Students' Library. Dacca. As. 6.

SANSKRIT VYAKARAN, by Amritananda Kavyabinode. Published by Roy, Gupta & Co. As. 8.

SHAHAJE SANSKRITA SHIKSHA, by Banamali-Vedantatirtha. Published by Bhattacharyya & Son. As. 9.

BYAKARAN MAYUKHA, by Karuna Kanta Sen. Published by B. C. Basak. As. 6.

SANSKRIT BYAKARAN DIPIKA. by Prabhat Chandra Kabyatirtha and Sasanka M. Kabya Vyakarantirtha. Published by Sasanka M. Kabya Vyakarantirtha. As. 10.

BYAKARAN PRABESHAM, by Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. Published by Brajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca. As. 8.

VIDYASAGAR'S SANSKRIT VYAKARANER UPAKRAMANIKA, edited by Purna Chandra De, B.A. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 8.

VIDYASAGAR'S UPAKRAMANIKA. Edited and published by Upendra K. Mitra. As. 8.

SANSKRIT PROBESH BYAKARAN, by Madan Mohan Kabyatirtha Bidyanidhi. Published by the author. As. 8.

SARAL SIDDHANTA KOUMUDI, by Jagat Bandhu Maitra. Published by the author. As. 6.

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PERSIAN.

Class VIII.

*FARSI-KI-DUSRI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayat-i-Islam, Lahore.

PERSIAN READER, Part 1, by Jalaluddin Ahmed. Published by the author. As. 4.

FARSI KI-TISRI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore. As. 6.

ANGLO-PERSIAN WORD BOOK, by Waheed Hossain. Published by Abdul Gani. As. 10.

*THE ANGLO-PERSIAN KING READER 1, by Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4.

Class VII.

*FARSI-KI-PAHILI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.

*THE ANGLO-PERSIAN KING READER 1, by Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed. Published by Macmillan & Co. As. 4.

PERSIAN GRAMMAR.

Class VIII.

A HAND BOOK OF PERSIAN GRAMMAR. by M. Hossain. Published by B. C. Basak. Re. 1.

Classes VII and VIII.

*PARSI SHIKSHA SOPAN (SULLAMMAL TALIM), by Abdul Wadud, B.A. Published by the author. As. 6.

*MAFIDUL QA WAYED, by Ali Ahmad Khan. Published by the author. Re. 1.

PERSIAN GRAMMAR, by Muhammad Kamil.

ARABIC.

Class VIII—

*ARABIC READER, No. 1, by Samsul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed. Published by the Students' Library, Dacca. As. 8.

ASSAHIFATUL-ULA (First Book of Arabic by the Direct Method), by Maulvi Abdur Rahim. Published by Ujir Singh. As. 3. (Approved for use in the upper classes of high schools.)

Class VII—

*ARABIC PRIMER, by Abdul Latif.

ARABIC GRAMMAR.

Class VIII—

*ARABIC SHIKSHAK, Part II, by Maulvi Rahimuddin. Published by the author. As. 10.

ARABIC SHIKSHAK, Part III (first half), by Maulvi Rahimuddin. Published by the author. Re. 1-2. (Approved as an alternative text-book for the top classes of high English schools.)

Class VII—

*ARABIC SHIKSHAK, Part 1, by Maulvi Rahimuddin. Published by the author. Re. 1.

PALI.

Class VIII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Delectus." Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Tilbe's "Pali Grammar." Printed at the American Baptist Mission Press, Rangoon.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes

Classes VII and VIII—

PALI FIRST BOOK OF READING, by Nitipurna Barua. Published by the author. As. 6.

Class VII—

(*i*) Gray's "First Pali Course.' Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, Calcutta.

(*ii*) Navaraj Barua's "Pali Grammar" (Inflections only). Published by U. L. Barua. As. 12.

(For Middle classes.)

URDU.

Class VI—

*(*i*) URDU-KI-DUSRI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.

CHAMANISTAN-E-URDU, by Hafiz Jalaluddin Ahmed. Published by the author. As. 8.

URDU-KI-CHOUTHI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore. As. 8.

URDU READER, I—VIII, by Rai Sahib Gulab Singh & Sons. Published by Education Department, Punjab.

NAKHLISTAN-I-URDU, by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. As. 6. (Also for Madrassahs.)

MUALLEMUL AKHLAQ, by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. As 4. (Also for Madrassah.)

URDU-KI-DUSRI-KITAB, by M. Muhammad Ismail. As. 2.

URDU-KI-TISRI-KITAB, by ditto As. 2-9.

Class V—

(*i*) TALIMI-I-URDU, by Waheed Hossain. Published by the author. As. 2.

*URDU-KI-PAHILI KITAB. Published by Anjuman-i-Hemayet-i-Islam, Lahore.

NAKHLISTAN-I-URDU, by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. As. 6. (Also for Madrassahs).

URDU-KI-PAHILI-KITAB, by Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. A. 1.

URDU-PRIMER, by Maulvi Abid Ali Khan. Published by Muslim Store, Malda. A. 1. (Approved as an alterpative text-book for the infant classes of schools where Urdu is taught.)

TALIME URDU, by Hazi Abdur Rahim and Sitanath Basak. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. A. 1. (Approved for use by Muhammadan pupils in all grades of schools where Urdu is taught.)

(*ii*) URDU-KA-QUAIDA, by Lala Rangbehari Lal. Published by Uttarchand Kapur & Sons, Lahore. P. 9.

URDU GRAMMAR.

Classes V and VI—

*(*i*) AN URDU GRAMMAR FOR BEGINNERS. Published by M. Hossain. Published by Albert Library, Dacca. As. 5.

* These books may be considered as representing the standard required in the various classes

EASTERN BENGAL.

BOOKS FOR VERNACULAR SCHOOLS.

Schools adopting the Eastern Bengal Vernacular curriculum will select their books from the following list. The text books considered suitable as setting the standard expected of each class are marked with an "asterisk." Books specially suitable for girls' schools are marked with a "dagger," and these indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' vernacular schools. Appended are the books to be used in Middle English Schools for girls.

Bengali Literature.

Middle Vernacular Classes.

Class VII—

PRABHAT CHINTA. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

*SANDARVA CHANDRIKA. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As. 10.

CHARU PRABANDHA. Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. (Atul Ch. Chakravarti, Dacca.) As. 8.

SAHITYA PRABANDHA. Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. (Bharat Ch. Sarkar.) As. 6.

SANDARVA SAR. Haranath Ghosh. (Ambika Charan Ghosh, Dacca.) As. 6.

*BIBIDHA PRABANDHA, PART III. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Atul Ch Chakravarti.) As. 8.

RATNABALI. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. (Gopi Mohan Datta.) As. 8.

PRABANDHA PATH. Mahamahopadhaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachuramani. (Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha.) As. 8.

PRABANDHA PATH, PART II. Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 8.

SHIKSHA MANJARI, PART II. Purnananda Gupta. (Prabhat Chandra Basu.) As. 8.

SAHITYA SANDARVA. Beni Madhab Datta. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 6.

KALYAN KATHA (revised edition). Rasik Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

*KABITA PUSTAK. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

KABITA SANDARVA. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

†SITAR BANABAS. Iswar Chandra Vidyasagar.

†MEGHNADBADH KABYA (selected cantos II, IV and IX). (Students' Library, Dacca.)

KABITA KALAP. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

PRABANDHA RATNAMALA. Sudakshina Dhar. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 7.

Class VI—

CHARU PRABANDHA. Lalmohan Vidyanidhi. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As 8.

*BIBIDHA PRABANDHA, PART III. Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Atul Chandra Chakravarty, Dacca.) As. 8.

SAHITYA PRABANDHA. Upendra Ch. Mukherjee. (Bharat Ch. Sarkar.) As. 6.

SANDARVA SAR. Haranath Ghosh. (Ambika Ch. Ghosh, Dacca.) As. 6.

JNAN SOPAN. Jagadananda Roy. (The author.) As. 6.

RATNABALI. Manmatha Nath Ganguli, B.A. (Gopimohan Datta.) As. 8.

PRABANDHA PATH. Mahamahopadhyaya Madhab Chandra Tarkachuramani. (Gouranga Chandra Kabyatirtha.) As. 8.

* These books indicate the standard required in the various classes.
† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools

PRABANDHA PATH, PART II. Kshitish Ch. Neogi, M A. (The author.) As. 8.

KALYAN KATHA (revised edition). Rasik Chandra Basu. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 8.

†KABITA PUSTAK. Rai Bahadur K. P. Vidyasagar. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 3.

KABITA SANDARVA. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

†SAKUNTALA. U. C. Bose. (Cotton Library, Dacca.)

†SARAL SAHITYA. Kazi Imdadul Haque.

JHANKAR. Hem Chandra Gangopadhyaya. (Prafulla Kumar Chakravarti. As. 9.

PRABANDHA RATNAMALA. Sudakshina Dhar. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 7.

KABITA KALAP. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

Upper Primary Class.

Class V—

* BENGALI LOWER PRIMARY READER, BOOK II. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

NITI PATH. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 4.

KABITA KALAP. Madan Mohan Mukherjee. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 4.

CHARUSHIKSHA. Umesh Chandra De, B.A. (Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

NITI PRABANDHA. Rasik Chandra Das. (Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 4.

NITI KABITA. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 2.

PURAN PRASANGA. Sreenath Chanda. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 2-6.

KABITA SANDARVA. Haranath Ghosh. (The author.) As. 3.

PADYA PRABANDHA. Ambika Ch. Ghosh. (Jatindra Lal Basu, Dacca.) As. 2-6.

*PUNYA GATHA. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As 2-6.

KAVITAMALA (revised and corrected). Rasik Chandra Bose. (Hariram Dhar, B.A., Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 2.

NITI GATHA. Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 2.

NITI GATHA, PART III. Jagat Chandra Sen. (B. N. Sinha Choudhuri.) As. 3.

KAVITA KOUMUDI, PART I. Harish Ch. Mitra. (Nagendra K. Roy.) As. 1-6.

PADYA PRAKASH, PARTS I AND II. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2 and As. 3-6.

†SAHITYA PUSTAK, PART I. P. C. Bidyaratna. (Students' Library, Dacca.)

†NAVA SANDARVA. A. K. Dutta Gupta.

†SAHITYA SOPAN, PART I. Zahiral Haque.

Lower Primary classes.

Class IV—

*BENGALI LOWER PRIMARY READER, BOOK II. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

NITI PATH. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 4.

NITI KABITA. Pran Kumar Guha. (The author.) As. 2.

CHARU SHIKSHA. Umesh Chandra De. B.A. (Cotton Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

NITI PRABANDHA. Rasik Ch. Das. (Albert Library, Dacca. As. 4.

SAHITYA PRAKASH. Syid Sarafat Ali. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 5.

† BALIKA BENODINI. Kali Bhusan Mukhopadhyaya. (Nripendra Chandra Roy.) As. 4. (For girls' schools only.)

†*MAKTAB READER, PART II. Tafazzal Hossain.

BICHITRA SANDARVA. Jagadananda Roy. Nagendra Kumar Roy. As. 7.

Class III—

*BENGALI LOWER PRIMARY READER, BOOK I. Basu and Majid. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

† NUTAN NIMNA PATH. Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A., B.L. (The author.) As 5.

* These books indicate the standard required in the various classes.
† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools

†CHELEDER RAMAYAN. U. K. Ray Chaudhuri. (The City Book Society.)
SAHITYA MUKUL. Maulvi Matloob Ahmed Khan Choudhuri, M.A. (Haranath Ghosh.) As. 5-6.
ADARSA NIMNAPATH. Kshitish Ch. Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 6.
PRIYA PATH. Sarajubala Datta. (Hemendra Nath Datta, Wari, Dacca.) As. 5.
†SARAL NIMNA PATH. Rai Sahib Dinesh Ch. Sen, B.A., and Nabin Ch. Basu, B.A. (Atul Library, Dacca.) As. 6.
PATHMALA. Abinash Ch. Gupta, M.A. (Jatindra Mohan Vyakarantirtha.) As. 3-6.
SUKHA SAHITYA. Anukul Chandra Shastri. (Amritananda Kabyabenode.) As. 4-6.
SUNITI PATH (revised edition). Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. (The author.) As. 5.
BALYA SAKHA. Atul Chandra Sen, M.A. (Rajendra Narayan De, School Library, Dacca.) As. 4-6.
NABA PATH. Rajendra Chandra Kushari. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, B.A.) As. 4.
SHIKSHA MUKUL. Haranath Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 3.
SUKATHA Atri Kumar Nag and Kunja Behari Ganguli. (The authors.) As. 5-6
NITI MUKUL. Haridhan Kabyavakarantirtha and Kalinath Kar. (Jogesh Ch. Ghosh.) As. 4.
JNANODAY. Atul Chandra Chakravarti. (The author.) As. 6.
†*MAKTAB READER. PART I Tafazzal Hossain.

Class II—

†*BENGALI PRIMER, II. Jaladhar Sen. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.
SARAL NITI. P. K. Guha. (Pran K. Guha). As. 2.
NABA SAHITYA PATH, PART I. Tasaduk Ahmed, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) As. 2-6.
AMIYA PATH. Abinash Ch. Roy. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 2.
†SISHU SAHITYA. (Amritananda Kabyabinode).
BANGLA PATH, PART I. A lady. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 2.
SARAL SAHITYA. (Amritananda Kabyabinode.) As. 2-6.
SISHURANJAN, PART I (revised edition). Padma Lochan Ghosh. (Nagendra K. Roy, Dacca.) As. 3.
SAHITYA PATH (revised edition). Kshitish Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 2-6.
BALYA BENODE. (Hariram Dhar, B.A. Dacca.) As. 2.
KOMAL KATHA. Akshay Kumar Datta Gupta, Kaviratna, M.A. (Ashutosh Dhar.) As. 2.
AMIYA KATHA. Hara Nath Ghosh. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh.) As. 2-6.
KOMAL PATH. Kshitis Chandra Neogi, M.A. (The author.) As. 2.
PRIYA PATH (revised edition). Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The author.) As. 2-3.
SARAL SISHU SAHITYA. (Ashutosh Dhar.) A. 1-9.
BALAK PATH, PART II. Rajendra K. Guha. (Radhaballav Basak.) As. 2-9.
SISHU SAKHA. Pyari Mohan Dutt. (The author.) As. 2-3.
†*MAKTAB PRIMER, Tafazzal Hossain.
PARIMAL PATH, PART I. Amar Ch. Dutta. (Bhattacharyya.) As. 2.

Class I—

†ANALYTIC READING SHEETS, PARTS I AND II. (Students' Library, Dacca.)
†BENGALI KINDERGARTEN. ALPHABET CHARTS. (Hare Press.)
*INSTRUCTION FOR MAKTAB TEACHERS. (For teachers only.) Tafazzal Hossain.

Classes IV—VII.

†ELEMENTARY BENGALI GRAMMAR. S. N. Kabyatirtha. For teachers only.)
MAKTAB BALYASHIKSHA. (M. Abdur Rahim.) As. 1-6.

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† These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools

History.

Classes VI and VII. (*For teachers.*)

BENGALI MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA. (BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS BISYAYAK PATHMALA (for teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

* In addition to the above books the teachers will also use a book on the History of N.-E. India. "Aitihasik Path," Part I, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A., or "North-Eastern India", by S. N Bhadra, M.A., should be used. "Pratham Shiksha Bharat Itihas", by Khagendra Nath Mitra, M A., "Prathamic Itihas", by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, B A, B T., and "British Samrayyer Sankshipta Itihas", by Syed Mohsin Ali, are also approved for the use of teachers in these classes.

Classes V to VII—

† MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA FOR LOWER CLASSES, BENGALI EDITION. (For teachers only.) (Macmillan & Co.)

Class VI—

† AITIHASIK PATH, PART I. (For pupils,) Kazi Imdadul Haque. (The Students' Library, Dacca.)

Class VII—

† HISTORY OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE. (For pupils.) Jagadish Ch. Ghosh, B.A. (P. C. Bose, Roy Gupta & Co., Dacca.)

Geography.

Classes III to V—

†TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY, Part I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes VI and VII—

†TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY, Part II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

† Approved for girls schools

MATHEMATICS.

Geometry.

Classes VI and VII—

A SCHOOL GEOMETRY, PART I. (Bengali Edition.) Hall & Stevens (for teachers only)

ADHUNIK JYAMITI. P. C. Basak (Amrita Lal Sen) for teachers only.

NABA JYAMITI BIKASH. Moban Ch. Ghosh. (S. C. Basak) for teachers only.

PRATHAMIC JYAMITI. Kazi Imdadul Haque. (Abdul Ghanny) for teachers only.

Arithmetic.

Classes V to VII—

*† SHISHURANJAN PATIGANIT, PARTS III AND IV. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 10.

* PATIGANIT SAR. S. P. Das, M.A. (The author.) As. 10.

Classes III to V—

SISU GANIT. Surendra Nath Sen. Brojendra Mohan Dutt. As. 8.

Classes III and IV—

* SHANKSHIPTA SHISHURANJAN PATIGANIT, PARTS I AND II. K. P. Basu, M.A. (D. N. Sen.) As. 5.

GANIT SOPAN. A C. Gupta, M.A., B.L. (Nityaranjan Sen, M Sc.) As. 5.

*† These books indicate the standard required in boys' and girls' schools, respectively

* ADARSHA PATIGANIT. R. G. Nath, M.A. (Ananda K. Nath, Comilla. As. 6.

* NABYA GANIT BENODE. Sarada Prasanna Das, M.A. (The author.) As. 5.

ADARSHA GANIT. Kedar Nath Majumdar. (The author.) As. 5.

NAVA SANKSHIPTA PATIGANIT. Sreenath Bhattacharyya (Devendra Nath Bhattacharyya.) As. 5.

SARAL GANIT SHIKSHA (revised edition). Mathura Nath Guha. (City Book Society, Calcutta). As. 4.

SCHOOL PATIGANIT. Bhuban Chandra Sen, B.A., and Hemanta Kumar Kayral, B.A. (Hemendra Nath Ghosh, Patuatuli, Dacca). As. 5.

* SARAL GANIT, PART I. Jitendra Mohan Datta, M.Sc. (Ashutosh Dhar.). As. 6-6.

* GANIT BIKASH, PART I. Ashutosh Bose, M.Sc., and Pulin Chandra Bose, M.A. (The authors.) As. 6.

SAISHAB GANIT. Lakshman Chandra Sen. (Hariram Dhar.) As. 5.

† SARAL PATIGANIT, PART I. K. K. Banerjee. (Roy & Co., Calcutta.)

* † SARAL SHISHU PATIGANIT, PARTS II and III. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2 and As. 3.

SHISHU PATIGANIT. Upendra Nath Banerjee. (The author). As. 5-6.

GANITANKUR Prasanna Kumar Sen, B.A. (Hariram Dhar). B.A. As. 5.

PATIGANIT, Part I. Hara Kanta Basu, B.A. (Pyari Mohan De). As. 6-6.

*GANIT KUSUM, Paresh Nath Basu, M.Sc. (The author). As. 7.

NABYA GANIT-SHIKSHA. (Jogesh Chandra Sen, B.A.) B. M. Datta, Students' Library. Calcutta. As. 5.

KHOKAR ANK. A. C. Chakravarti and B. C. Datt. (Kula Chandra Das). As. 6-6.

GANIT BIJNAN, P. N. Kali. (Hariram Dhar). As. 5.

SHISHU PATIGANIT, Rajani Kanta De. (Nagendra K. Roy). As. 6.

PATIGANIT SHIKSHA. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.) P. Sen and Brothers). As. 6.

NUTAN SHUVANKARI. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.) (P. Sen and Brothers). As. 1-6. (For supplementary use).

MANASIK GANANA. Adinath Sen, M.A. (Cal.), B.Sc. (Glas.) P. Sen and Brothers). A. 1 (For supplementary use.)

SISUPATIGANIT. R. K. Das, Bar.-at-Law. Hariram Dhar. As. 6.

Class II—

†PATIGANIT SHIKSHA PRANALI. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar.

SARAL SHISHU PATIGANIT, Part I. (Longmans, Green & Co.) For teachers only.

*ARITHMETIC IN URDU, PARTS I—III (improved edition). P. Ghosh. Revised by A. S. Ghosh. (S. C. Auddy & Co). As. 4 each.

*ARITHMETIC IN URDU, PART IV (improved edition). P. Ghosh, Revised by A. S. Ghosh. (S. C. Auddy & Co). As. 3-6.

*† These books indicate the standard required in boys' and girls' schools, respectively

Hand-writing.

For Primary Classes.

Classes II to V—

LIPI SHIKSHA, PARTS I—III. (Biraj M. De, Santi Press, Dacca. A. 1 each part. (Without any ruled lines.)

ADARSHA LIPI, PARTS I—III. Ashutosh Dhar. (The author.) A. 1 each part.

ADARSHA LEKHA, PARTS I—III (new edition—slip size). Syam Chandra Datta. (The author.) A. 1 each part.

HATER LEKHA, PARTS I—III. Suniti Devi. (J. N. Banerji.) P. 9 each part.

BANGALA ADARSHA LIKHAN, PARTS I—III. (B. C. Basak.) A. 1 each part.

ADARSHA LIPI, PARTS I—III. (Upendra Kumar Roy.) A. 1-3 each part.

Class I—

LIPI SHIKSHA CHART, NOS. I AND II. (Santi Press, Dacca.) As. 2-6. (To be pasted on thick cardboard.)

BENGALI KINDERGARTEN ALPHABET CHARTS. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons, Calcutta.) Rs. 2. (Each school may purchase a copy.)

Drawing.

Classes VI and VII.—

CHITRANKAN PUSTAK, BOOKS NOS. 5 & 6. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author). As. 4 each part.

Class V—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART VI. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author). As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART VI. Satyendra Kumar Datta (The author). As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 5. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta). As. 2.

Class IV—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART V. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author). As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART V. Satyendra Kumer Datta (The author). As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 4. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta) As. 2.

Class III—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART IV. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART IV. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 3. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Class II—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART III. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART III. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author). As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 2. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son.) As. 2.

Class I (2nd year)—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART II. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART II. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 1. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Class I (1st year)—

PRIMARY TABLET, PART I. Charu Chandra Guha. (The author.) As. 1-6.

THE ROYAL DRAWING COPY BOOKS, PART I. Satyendra Kumar Datta. (The author.) As. 1-6.

PRATHAMIK CHITRA SHIKSHA, No. 1A. J. C. Mahalanavis. (Bhattacharyya & Son, Calcutta.) As. 2.

Class II—

†TEACHERS' MANUAL OF DRAWING, VOL. I. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

†DRAWING TABLET NO. I. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

Classes III to VII—

†TEACHERS' MANUAL OF DRAWING, VOL. II. (For teachers only.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

†DRAWING TABLET NO. II to VI. (For pupils.) Charu Chandra Guha. (Author.)

Drill.

†DEPARTMENTAL DRILL BOOK. Revised by Dr. Gray. (The Education Department.)

Books for Muhammadan Institutions.

FOR MUKTABS—

Class IV—

†*MAKTAB READER, PART II. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) As. 2-3.

Class III—

†*MAKTAB READER, PART I. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1-9.

Class II—

†*MAKTAB PRIMER. Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1-6.

Class I—

†*INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAKTAB TEACHERS (for teachers only.) Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1.

MAKTAB BALYASHIKSHA. M. Abdur Rahim. A. 1-6.

URDU.

UR-DU-KA-QAIDA. (Anjuman-i-Hemayati-i-Islam, Lahore.) P. 6. (For maktabs.)

FOR MIDDLE MADRASAHS—

HOW TO TEACH GEOGRAPHY. K. M. Jalaluddin. (A. M. Zaman Brothers.) As. 5.

MANUAL OF GEOGRAPHY ON INDIA. Undergraduate. (Kacker Brothers.) As. 2-6.

URDU-KI-TISRI-KITAB. (Anjuman-i-Hemayati-Islam, Lahore.)

MIFTA HUSSARF. Kazi Muhammad Bashiruddin. As. 2.

MUNTAKHABUN NESAIH. Hazi Rahmatulla Badwi. (Quami Press, Cawnpore.)

URDU.

FOR MAKTABS AND MADRASAHS—

MAZHAR-I-BINISH. Maulvi Mazharul Haque. (Qayyumi Press, Cawnpore.) P. 9. (For infant classes of maktabs.)

FAWAIDUL-AM. Maulvi Basharatullah. As. 3. (For the lowest classes of maktabs and madrasahs.)

*These books indicate the standard required in the various classes.
†These books indicate the standard required in the various classes of girls' schools.

URDU-KI-PAHILI KITAB. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. A. 1. (For maktabs.)

URDU-KI-DUSRI-KITAB. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 2. (For maktabs.)

URDU-KI-TISRI-KITAB. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 2-9. (For madrasahs.)

URDU-KI-CHOUTHI-KITAB. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 3. (For madrasahs).

URDU-KI-PANCHAI-KITAB. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. As. 4. (For madrasahs.)

TUZUK-I-URDU. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. (Newal Kishore Press, Lucknow.) As. 8. (For the top classes of madrasahs.)

KUMUK-I-URDU. Maulvi Muhammad Ismail. (Newal Kissore Press, Lucknow.) As. 6. (For madrasahs.)

Teachers' hand-books.

Classes I and II—

† TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK ON NATURE LESSONS, PART I. (TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF CORRELATED LESSONS, PART I.) (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes III to V—

TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK ON NATURE LESSONS, PART II (in two volumes). J. A. Taylor, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-4. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

†TEACHERS HAND-BOOK OF CORRELATED ORAL LESSONS, PART II ; FOR GIRLS. (For teachers only.) (H. N. Dutt, Wari.)

Classes II to V—

† TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY, PART I. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2. (Also for Elementary Training Schools.)

Classes IV and V—

TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF TENANCIES AND RECORDS-OF-RIGHTS IN EASTERN BENGAL. Rai Bahadur P. M. Basu. (The author.) As. 5.

Classes VI and VII—

TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK ON SCIENCE LESSONS. J. A. Taylor, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5. (Also for Normal Schools.)

† TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK OF GEOGRAPHY, PART II. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Students' Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-2.

† TEACHERS' HAND-BOOK ON VILLAGE SANITATION (PALLIGRAME SWASTHYA RAKSHYA). K. C. Banerjee. (The author.) A. 1.

† BENGALI MODEL LESSONS IN THE HISTORY OF INDIA (BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS BISYAYAK PATHMALA) (for teachers only(*a*).) (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

Instructions for Maktab teachers (for teachers only), by Tafazzal Hossain. Published by D. N. Bhattacharyya. A. 1.

Nava Kindergarten Karma Sangit, by Salamatullah Ahmed. Published by the author. As. 2. (Recommended for teachers in Lower Primary schools.)

MAKTAB BALYASHIKSHA. M. Abdur Rahim. A. 1-6.

Hygiene.

Classes V and VI—

† SARAL SARIR PALAN. J. N. Mukherjee. (Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.)

†For use also in girls' schools.

Sewing.

Classes I to VII—

SUCHI SILPA. (For teachers.)

ENGLISH BOOKS FOR GIRLS' MIDDLE ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

ENGLISH. Class III. First Steps in English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Second Term in English. (Indian Scenes.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Third Term in English. (An Indian Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

FOR TEACHERS. Class III. First Steps in Teaching English. (To accompany First Steps in English by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Second Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Third Term in Teaching English. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Class IV. The Fourth Term in English. (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fifth Term in English. (An English Tour continued, 3rd edition.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Sixth Term in English. (Story and History from the East, 3rd edition, with illustrations.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

FOR TEACHERS. Class IV. The Fourth Term in Teaching English. (To accompany "The Fourth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) (An English Tour.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fifth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (An English Tour to accompany "The Fifth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Sixth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. (To accompany "The Sixth Term in English" by the Direct Method.) J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Class V. Picture Composition, Book I. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader, II.

Class VI. Picture Composition, Book II. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader, III.

Class VII. Picture Composition, Book III. Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son.)

Macmillan's Bengal Reader, IV.

GEOMETRY. Class VII. Inductive Geometry for Transition classes. H. A. Nesbitt.

WESTERN BENGAL.

LIST A.

List of English and Vernacular Text-books approved for all classes of Government and Recognised Schools in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions of Bengal for the year 1918.

English Literature and Grammar.

For the books recommended by the University of Calcutta as indicating the standard of the Matriculation Examination in English Headmasters are referred to the University Calendar. It should be noted that these books are intended only to indicate the standard expected of pupils on the completion of the high school course. These books are not suitable for such junior classes as III and IV; and, if used, they should be confined to the last year of study.

For High School classes.

(1) For classes II, III and IV. the senior books of the following series :—

(*a*) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
(*b*) NEW ENGLISH READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)

(2) For English texts suitable for additional and supplementary reading in classes II, III and IV, see list B. Care should be taken to select books that appeal to Indian boys; and some effort should be made to encourage their reading on historical lines, and to make them acquainted with current events. "England in India" (Longmans Green & Co.) deals with the British Empire in the East, and explains the work done by the British Government in and for India. It is an advanced supplementary reader for senior pupils and teachers. For knowledge of the war a book like Nelson Fraser's "The World at War" (Oxford University Press) is of value.

(3) Poetry : for anthologies of verse—*see* List B.

(4) Grammar and Composition :—

ELEMENTARY LESSONS IN ENGLISH COMPOSITION. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)
JENNING'S ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
ENGLISH COMPOSITION FOR INDIAN HIGH SCHOOLS. (Oxford University Press)

For Middle classes (Standards V and VI).

(1) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS, BOOKS III AND IV. (Longmans Green & Co.)
(2) TIPPING'S ENGLISH READERS FOR STANDARD V AND VI. (Macmillan & Co.)
(3) STAR OF INDIA READERS, BOOKS III AND IV. (Blackie & Son.)
(4) New English Readers III and IV.

Grammar and Composition :—

JUNIOR SCHOOL GRAMMAR FOR INDIA. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
MIDDLE SCHOOL ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.)

For Upper Primary classes (Standards III and IV).

(1) NEW ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS : PRIMER READERS I AND II.
(2) TIPPING'S ENGLISH READERS FOR STANDARDS III AND IV.
(3) NEW ENGLISH READERS, I AND II.
(4) STAR OF INDIA READERS, I AND II. (Blackie & Son.)

Whenever it is found possible to introduce supplementary reading material in addition to the texts mentioned above, reference should be made to list B. At every stage the power of expression in simple English must be cultivated, along with correct pronunciation and articulation. Teachers will be assisted in this by the "Teachers' Books" in the Reformed series of Readers for India, published by the Oxford University Press at As. 12. This series gives the simple principles of phonetics; and should be procured for school libraries and for teachers' use.

History.

1. For Class I: A selected Matriculation text as recommended by the University.

2. For Classes II, III AND IV: HISTORY OF INDIA FOR JUNIOR STUDENTS. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

3. ENGLAND IN INDIA. (Longmans, Green, & Co.) for general knowledge of the growth of the British Empire and of the work done by the Government of India.

4. For Supplementary Historical reading—*see* List B.

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

*1. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS, PART II. Ishan Chandra Ghosh. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 10.

*2. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS. Hara Prasad Sastri. (Hare Press.) As. 10.

3. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS FOR STANDARDS V AND VI. Hari Charan Mukherjee. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 4-6.

4. BALAK PATHYA BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS, PART II. M. M. Bose. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 12.

Urdu.

1. HISTORY OF INDIA FOR STANDARDS V AND VI. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS, PART I. Ishan Chandra Ghose. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 8.

2. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS FOR STANDARDS III AND IV. Hari Charan Mukherjee. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 7.

*3. PRATHAMSHIKSHA BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS. Khagendranath Mitra. (City Book Society.) As. 8.

4. SHISHUBODH BHARATER ITIHAS. Kali Prasanna Banerjee. (Students' Library.) As. 4.

5. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS, PART I (REVISED). Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 7.

6. PRATHAMSHIKSHA BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS (REVISED). Hara Prasad Shastri. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons.) As. 8.

7. CHHELEDER BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS (REVISED). Abhoy Charan Pal. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 5. Price As. 6 for copy bound in cloth.

8. SHISHUPATHYA BHARATBARSHA (REVISED). Jaladhar Sen. (Gopal Chandra Roy.) As. 4.

9. BENGALI HISTORY OF INDIA FOR STANDARDS III AND IV. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

10. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS FOR STANDARDS III AND IV (REVISED). Tarak Chandra Roy. (Nalini Ranjan Banerjee.) As. 7.

*11. BHARATBARSHER SARAL ITIHAS (REVISED). Jogindra Nath Bose. (Anukul Chandra Ghosh.) As. 8.

*These books may be considered as representing the standard of Middle and Upper Primary Scholarship Examinations; but these examinations will not be based exclusively on any single text.

12. BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS, PART I. S. N. Bhattacharjya (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 8.

13. SISHURANJAN BHARATBARSHER ITIHAS. S C. Mitra (Students' Library.) As. 8.

Urdu.

1. HISTORY OF INDIA FOR STANDARDS III AND IV. E. Marsden (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8.

Geography.

1. GEOGRAPHICAL SERIES FOR INDIA. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
   GEOGRAPHY OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE.
   THE WORLD IN OUTLINE WITH FULLER TREATMENT OF INDIA, BOOKS I AND II.
2. REGIONAL GEOGRAPHY OF THE INDIAN EMPIRE. (Blackie & Son.)
3. THE OXFORD GEOGRAPHIES EDITED BY HERBERTSON. (Oxford University Press).
4. THE WORLD AND INDIA. (Oxford University Press.)
5. REGIONAL GEOGRAPHIES BY REYNOLDS. (Macmillan & Co.)

For descriptive Geographies, teachers are referred to list B; and to the teachers' list for Geographical maps and apparatus.

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

1. NABA BHUGOL PATH, PART II (THE NEW GEOGRAPHICAL READER, PART II) REVISED. Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee. (B. L. Chakravarti.) As. 11.

2. BHUGOL READER FOR STANDARDS V AND VI (REVISED). Girish Chandra Basu. (The author.) As. 6.

*3. BHUPARICHAY WITH SUPPLEMENT, PARTS I AND II (REVISED). Nepal Chandra Roy and Ajit Kamar Chakravarti. (The Indian Press, Allahabad.) As. 12.

4. MADHYA SIKSHA BHUGOL. D. P. Banerjee. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.)

Urdu.

5. MIDDLE VERNACULAR GEOGRAPHY READER. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1. NABA BHUGOL PATH, PART I. Sasi Bhusan Chatterjee. (B. L. Chakravarti.) As. 9-6.

*2. PRATHAMSHIKSHA BHUBRITTANTA (BENGALI PRIMARY SCHOOL GEOGRAPHY, REVISED EDITION). C. Morrison and I. C. Ghosh. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8-6.

3. BHUGOL READER FOR STANDARDS III AND IV (REVISED). Girish Chandra Basu. (The author.) As. 5.

*4 PRATHAMSHIKSHA BHUGOL FOR STANDARDS III AND IV. Dwija Pada Banerjee and Ramesh Chandra Chakravarti. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 7-6.

5. BHUGOL SIKSHA, PART I. S. N. Chatterjee. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 10.

Urdu.

6. UPPER PRIMARY GEOGRAPHICAL READER. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

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Mathematics.

For books on Geometry, Algebra and Arithmetic teachers are referred to list B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard of the various grades of instruction, but these need not be exclusively used.

Bengali Literature and Grammar.

For vernacular class readers and grammars teachers are referred to list B. The books marked with an asterisk indicate the standard required in the various classes, but these need not be exclusively used.

Indian Classics.

For books on Sanskrit, Persian, Arabic, Pali and Urdu teachers are referred to list B. The books indicating the required standard have been marked.

Science Readers.

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

*1. MIDDLE SCIENCE READER. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (P. Mukhopadhyaya and Sons.) As. 8

*2. BIJNAN READER FOR STANDARDS V AND VI. Girish Chandra Basu. N. C. Dutta & Co.) As. 7

Urdu.

1. MIDDLE SCIENCE READER. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (P. Mukhopadhyaya & Sons.) As. 8.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1 PRIMARY SCIENCE READER. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 7

*2. BIJNAN READER FOR STANDARDS III AND IV. Girish Chandra Basu. (N. C. Dutta & Co.) As. 4.

3. SARAL BIJNAN PATH. Umapati Bajpeyi. (The Author.) As. 5-6.

*4. BIJNAN KATHA. Ramendra Sundar Trivedi. (Durgadas Trivedi.) As. 7.

Urdu.

1. PRIMARY SCIENCE READER. Armistead and Mahalanabis. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6-6

Drill Books.

DEPARTMENTAL DRILL BOOK. As. 8.
DRILL SIKSHA. G. C. Karforma. As. 6.

*These books may be considered as representing the standard of Middle and Upper Primary Scholarship Examinations.

Handwriting and Drawing.

High, Middle and Primary Classes.

For the teaching of English penmanship, the following copy books are recommended :—

IMPERIAL COPY BOOKS. (Specially adapted for Indian pupils). (Macmillan & Co.)

2. SEMI-UPRIGHT COPY BOOKS. Longmans, Green & Co.

3 COLLINS NEW GRAPHIC COPY BOOKS. Indian School Supply Depôt.

For the teaching of Bengali penmanship the following are recommended :—

For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

1. PATRA O DALIL-SHIKSHA PADDHATI, PART III. Tulsidas Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) As. 2.

LIKHAN PATHAN PARICHAYA, PART III. Bipin Bihari Basu. (P. Chattarjee.) As. 2.

3. NUTAN LIKHAN PRANALI, PART II. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2-6.

4. ADARSHA LIPI, PART III, FOR STANDARDS V AND VI. RAKHAL Chandra Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.

For Upper Primary Classes (Standards III and IV).

1. PATRA O DALIL SHIKSHA PADDHATI, PART II. Tulshi Das Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) As. 2.

2. LIKHAN PATHAN PARICHAYA, PART II. Bepin Behari Basu. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 2.

3. NUTAN LIKHAN PRANALI, PART I. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2-6

4 ADARSHA LIPI, PART II, FOR STANDARDS III and IV. Rakhal Chandra Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.

For Primary Classes, Standards I and II [For Teachers].

1. SHISHU SHIKSHA LIKHAN PRANALI. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2.

2. PATRA O DALIL SHIKSHA PADDHATI, PART I (REVISED). Tulshi Das Mukherjee. (Students' Library.) A. 1-6.

Infants [Teachers].

1. LIKHAN PATHAN PARICHAYA, PART I. Bipin Bihary Basu. (P. Chatterjee.) As. 3.

2. HASTALIPI O BARNAJOJANA. Amrita Lal Sinha. (Fakir Chandra Roy.) A. 1.

Drawing.

1. BENGAL STUDENTS' DRAWING BOOKS, FIRST BOOK. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.

2. BENGAL STUDENTS' DRAWING BOOKS, SECOND BOOK. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.

3. BENGAL STUDENTS' DRAWING BOOKS, THIRD BOOK. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.

4. BENGAL STUDENTS' DRAWING BOOKS, FOURTH BOOK. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6.

1. BENGAL DRAWING BOOKS, BOOK I. E. B. Havell (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

2. BENGAL DRAWING BOOKS, BOOK II. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

3. BENGAL DRAWING BOOKS, BOOK III. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

4. BENGAL DRAWING BOOKS, BOOK IV. E. B. Havell. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

WESTERN BENGAL.

LIST B.

Supplementary List of Text-books approved for use in Government and recognised schools in the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions of Bengal for the year 1918. This list contains additional reading material in English, History and Geography. It also contains the Mathematical, Vernacular and Classical texts for all classes of High, Middle and Primary Schools.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

Additional series of class readers are as follows :—

NEW GLOBE READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
KING READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
NEW SENIOR CLASS READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE 'AL' NEW ENGLISH COURSE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENIOR SUPPLEMENTARY READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
NEW LITERARY READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
LETHBRIDGE AND SIRCAR'S READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE REFORMED SERIES OF ENGLISH BOOKS FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
BRITISH EMPIRE READERS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
PALMERSTON READERS. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd)
NEWTON READERS. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd)
NEW SYSTEMATIC ENGLISH READERS. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd.)
REFORMED SERIES OF READERS FOR INDIA WITH TEACHERS' BOOKS. (Oxford University Press.)
THE NEW INDIAN READERS. (Gulab Singh.)
TWENTIETH CENTURY READERS. (Chambers.)
THE TEMPLE LITERARY READERS. (J. M. Dent & Sons.)
ROYAL TREASURY OF STORY & SONG. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
INDIAN READERS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
GRADED READERS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
INDIAN READERS AND NEW ENGLISH READERS. (Christian Literature Society.)

Single texts may also be selected for the upper and middle classes of High Schools. Of these the following are recommended:—

SVARNALATA, SCENES FROM BENGALI VILLAGE LIFE. (Macmillan & Co.)
NARRATIVES FROM MACAULAY (Macmillan & Co.)
THE BOYS' ODYSSEY. (Macmillan & Co.)
EPISODES FROM SOUTHEY'S LIFE OF NELSON. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENIOR PROSE READER (BARROW). (Macmillan & Co.)
JUNIOR PROSE READER (BARROW). (Macmillan & Co.)
GRIMM'S FAIRY TALES. (Macmillan & Co.)
FOLK TALES OF BENGAL. (Macmillan & Co.)
CHILDREN OF THE DAWN. (Macmillan & Co.)
PROGRESS TO LITERATURE SERIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
TALES FROM ÆSOP, GRIMM, ANDERSON AND THE ARABIAN NIGHTS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THEN AND NOW STORIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
HOW AND WHY STORIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
HERE AND THERE STORIES (Macmillan & Co.)
THE PANDAVA PRINCES. (Macmillan & Co.)
A PERSIAN HERO. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE WANDERINGS OF RAMA. (Macmillan & Co.)
HAWTHORNE'S STORIES FROM A WONDER BOOK. (Macmillan & Co.)
LITTLE PEOPLE IN FAR OFF LANDS. (Macmillan & Co.)
INDIAN FABLES FROM THE HITOPADESH. (Macmillan & Co.)
PERSIAN FABLES FROM ANWAR-I-SUHALI. (Macmillan & Co.)
EASTERN FABLES AND FOLK TALES. (Macmillan & Co.)

STORIES FROM HISTORY AND LITERATURE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SELECTIONS FROM MODERN ENGLISH LITERATURE. (Macmillan & Co.)
SENTINEL HOURS (PROSE SECTIONS). (Macmillan & Co.)
SACRED TALES OF INDIA. (D. N. Neogi.)
DECCAN NURSERY TALES. (Kincaid.)
TALES OF THE PUNJAB. (Flora Annie Steele.)
THE JUNGLE BOOK. (Rudyard Kipling.)
SELECTIONS FROM FROUDE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
SELECTED ESSAYS FROM ENGLISH LITERATURE. Longmans Green & Co.)
READINGS IN PROSE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
SELECTIONS FROM ENGLISH LITERATURE I—IV. (Longmans Green & Co.)
STEPS TO LITERATURE I—VI. (Longmans Green & Co.)
KING ALFRED READERS IV. (Longmans Green & Co.)
ARNOLD'S ENGLISH READERS IV. (Longmans Green & Co.)
ARNOLD'S LITERARY READING BOOKS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
HEROES OF RAJASTHAN. (Longmans Green & Co.)
BUILDERS OF HISTORY. (Longmans Green & Co.)
CLASS BOOK OF ENGLISH LITERATURE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
CALLENDER'S LIFE OF NELSON (Longmans Green & Co.)
BRASSEY'S VOYAGE IN THE SUNBEAM. (Longmans Green & Co.)
STORIES OF GREECE AND ROME. (Longmans Green & Co.)
HISTORICAL TALES FROM SHAKESPEARE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
STORIES FROM THE EARTHLY PARADISE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
CONTINUOUS STORY READERS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
INDIAN READING BOOKS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
ENGLISH READING BOOKS FOR INDIAN STUDENTS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
TALES OF INDIAN CHIVALRY. (Blackie & Son.)
STORY OF THE GOLDEN FLEECE. (Blackie & Son.)
ENGLAND AND THE ENGLISH. (Blackie & Son.)
EUROPE AND ITS PEOPLES. (Blackie & Son.)
OUR EMPIRE OVER SEAS. (Blackie & Son.)
NEW SYSTEMATIC READERS (SENIOR BOOKS ONLY). (Blackie & Son.)
HEROES AND HEROIC DEEDS OF THE GREAT WAR. (Blackie & Son.)
HEROES OF EUROPEAN NATIONS. (Blackie & Son.)
MAIN STREAM OF EUROPEAN HISTORY. (Blackie & Son.)
TALES FROM HENTY. (Blackie & Son.)
A BOOK OF GOLDEN DEEDS. (Blackie & Son.)
INDIAN FAIRY STORIES. (Blackie & Son.)
HERBERT STRANG'S LIBRARY. (Oxford University Press.)
THE INDIAN HEROES. Kincaid. (Oxford Univerisity Press.)
STORIES RETOLD FOR INDIAN STUDENTS. (Oxford University Press)—

IVANHOE.
THE CLOISTER AND THE HEARTH.
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS.
FORT AMITY.
KING ARTHUR.
A TALE OF TWO CITIES.
HEREWARD THE WAKE.
LAST DAYS OF POMPEII.
THE PRISONER OF ZENDA.
KENILWORTH.

PARABLES FROM NATURE. (G. Bell & Sons.)
DEEDS THAT WON THE EMPIRE. (G. Bell & Sons.)
FIGHTS FOR THE FLAG (G. Bell & Sons.)
STORY OF HIAWATHA. (G. Bell & Sons.)
ALI BABA AND THE FORTY THIEVES. (W. & R. Chambers.)
SINDBAD THE SAILOR. (W. & R. Chambers.)
PRINCE CHERRY. (W. & R. Chambers.)
THE WATER BABIES. (W. & R. Chambers.)
PICTURE CHILDREN. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
HOMER'S TALE OF ODYSSEUS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
A FIRST BOOK OF LITERARY READING FOR HIGHER CLASSES (T. Nelson & Sons.)
THE STORIES OF SHAKESPEARE'S PLAYS. (K. & J. Cooper.)
THE POPULAR READER. (Ripon Depository.)

THE RUSKIN NATURE READER (SENIOR) (J. M. Dent & Sons.)
ROYAL ENGLISH COURSE FOR INDIAN BOYS, 1ST AND 2ND BOOKS. N. LAW. (P. C. Bysack.)
A SECOND ENGLISH PRIMER. K. P Bannerjee.
FIRST BOOK OF READING. P. C. Sircar.
MIDDLE READER, PART I—III. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.)
A NEW ENGLISH READER. Moti Lal Chatterjee.
A NEW ENGLISH READER. N. K. Bhaduri.
THE SCHOOL READER. Azizul Huq.
NATIONAL ENGLISH READER. Lily Soward. (The National Publishing House.)
INSTRUCTIVE READER. (A. K. Roy & Co.)
THE JUNIOR ENGLISH READER. Lily Soward.
THE NEW INDIAN READER. No. I. G. A. Lorimer. (S. C. Auddy & Co.)
STORIES FROM NATURAL HISTORY. Wagner (Macmillan & Co.)
ROYAL PRIMER READER, No. IV. (Nelson & Sons.)
ÆSOP'S FABLES. (Cassel & Co.)
MORAL LESSONS. (B. Bannerjee & Co.)
LIFE AND LIGHT READERS. (Bhattacharjea & Sons.)
NARRATIVES FROM MACAULAY. (Macmillan & Co.)
HOMER'S TALES OF ODYSSEUS. (T. Nelson & Sons.)
LAMB'S TALES FROM SHAKESPEARE. (Bell & Sons.)
THE THIRD TERM IN TEACHING ENGLISH. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans Green & Co.)
TANGLEWOOD TALES. (Macmillan & Co.)
ADVENTURES OF ROBINSON CRUSOE. (Macmillan & Co.)
THREE LAYS OF ANCIENT ROME. (Nelson & Sons.)
THE CLOISTER AND THE HEARTH. (Bell & Sons.)
A LEGEND OF MONTROSE. (Bell & Sons.)
NELSON'S GRADED READINGS. (Nelson & Sons.)
RIP VAN WINKLE AND OTHER SKETCHES. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE LANCER OF LYNWOOD. (Chambers.)
THE WATER BABIES. (Bell & Sons.)
THE KING OF THE GOLDEN RIVER. (Oxford University Press.)
THE GOLDEN TOUCH. (Oxford University Press.)
THE STORIES OF SHAKESPEARE'S PLAYS, DENT. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
SCOTT'S TALES OF A GRANDFATHER. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE POPULAR READER. P. N. Ghosal. (N. C. Dutt.)
GULLIVER'S TRAVELS (Macmillan & Co.)
LAMB'S TALES FROM SHAKESPEARE. (Macmillan & Co.)
FROUDE'S "SHORT STUDIES ON GREAT SUBJECTS," SELECTIONS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
GRAY'S ELEGY. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
GOLDSMITH'S POEMS. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
LAMB'S TALES FROM SHAKESPEARE. Dent. (School Book and Useful Literature Society.)
REFORMED SERIES OF READERS, No. III. (Macmillan & Co.)
THE A. L. SERIES OF STORY READERS. (Macmillan & Co.)
A FIRST BOOK OF LITERARY READING. (Cooper & Co.)
THE KING AND THE RUBIES. (Macmillan & Co.)
SINDBAD THE SAILOR. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
JACK AND THE BEANSTALK. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
NORSE STORIES. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
THE ANDERSON READER. (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
1. THE FORTUNES OF NIGEL. SIR W. SCOTT. ADAPTED BY PAUL HARDY. (G. Bell & Sons.) 1*s.*
2. THE ARABIAN NIGHTS. M. Dorothy Hardy (G. Bell & Sons). 1*s.*
3. THE STORY OF HIAWATHA. Alice B. Woodward. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d.*
4. PETER PAN FOR LITTLE FOLK. Daniel O'Connor. (G. Bell & Sons.) 9*d.*
5. THE HOME OF THE LOST BOYS. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*
6. THE CHIMNEY CORNER. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 3*d.*
7. THE STORY PORCH. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

8. MASTERFUL MEN. Edited by Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. 8d.
9. KING'S TREASURIES. Edited by Richard Wilson (Macmillan & Co.) 2s

The following anthologies of verse are recommended :—

PALGRAVES' GOLDEN TREASURY.
PALGRAVE'S CHILDREN'S TREASURY.
ENGLISH POETRY FOR INDIAN BOYS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
GOLDEN NUMBERS (MATRIC STANDARD). (Longmans Green & Co.)
ANTHOLOGY OF ENGLISH VERSE (MATRIC STANDARD). (Longmans Green & Co.)
A CHILD'S GARDEN OF VERSE. Stevenson. (Longmans Green & Co.)
INDIAN SERIES OF SELECTED POETS. (Longmans Green & Co.)
THE INDIAN SCHOOL BOOK OF VERSE. I & II. STOKES. (Longmans Green & Co.)
POETICAL SELECTIONS FOR JUNIOR STUDENTS. (Macmillan & Co.)
ENGLISH POETRY FOR YOUNG STUDENTS. (Macmillan & Co.)
THOMPSON'S ANTHOLOGY FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS (Matric Standard), (Macmillan & Co.)
A POSY OF PLEASANT DELIGHTS FOR CHILDREN. (Blackie & Son.)
THE STAR OF INDIA POETRY BOOK. (Blackie & Son.)
PASSAGES FROM THE POETS. (Blackie & Son.)
LYRIC SELECTIONS. (Oxford University Press.)
THE YORK POETRY BOOKS. (G. Bell & Sons.)
POETIC GEMS. (W. & R. Chambers.)
STORIES IN VERSE. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.)
THE BOYS' BOOK OF VERSE. (Banerjee.)
THE BOYS' ENGLISH POEMS. (N. C Dutt.)
BALLADS OLD AND NEW. Macmillan & Co.

Grammar and Composition.

THE HIGH SCHOOL ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Macmillan & Co.)
IDIOMS, GRAMMAR AND SYNTHESIS. (Macmillan & Co.)
AIDS TO THE STUDY AND COMPOSITION OF ENGLISH. (Macmillan & Co.)
LESSONS IN ENGLISH COMPOSITION, ORAL AND WRITTEN, I, II AND III. (Macmillan & Co.)
MODERN ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Macmillan & Co.)
BENGALI DIGLOTT GRAMMAR. (Macmillan & Co.)
A GUIDE TO THE STUDY OF ENGLISH. (Macmillan & Co.)
JUNIOR SCHOOL GRAMMAR. (Longmans Green & Co.)
JUNIOR SCHOOL COMPOSITION. (Longmans Green & Co.)
GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION. (Longmans Green & Co.)
JENNING'S ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Longmans Green & Co.)
DIRECT COMPOSITION. (Longmans Green & Co.)
ARNOLD'S OUTLINES AND PICTURES FOR COMPOSITION. (Longmans Green & Co.)
ARNOLD'S STORIES AND PICTURES FOR COMPOSITION (specially recommended for the direct method of teaching English speech). (Longmans Green & Co.)
WRITTEN ENGLISH AND THE WAY TO WRITE. (Longmans Green & Co.)
A FIRST ENGLISH COURSE. (Blackie & Son.)
PICTURE COMPOSITION (useful for teachers). (Blackie & Son.)
JUNIOR AND INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (G. Bell and Sons.)
PROGRESSIVE PRACTICE BOOK IN ENGLISH COMPOSITION. (K. & J. Cooper.)
PICTURE COMPOSITION. (K. & J. Cooper.)
ENGLISH COMPOSITION FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS, (Oxford University Press.)
A MANUAL OF TRANSLATION. (S. C. Auddy & Co.)
GANGULY'S DICTIONARY OF BENGALI WORDS AND PHRASES). (S. C. Auddy & Co.)
GANGULY'S BEGINNERS' DICTIONARY. (S. C. Auddy & Co.)
PRIMER AND MANUAL OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Literary Society, Madras.)
A PRIMER OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Students' Library.)
THE "DO AND SAY" METHOD OF TEACHING ENGLISH IN INDIAN SCHOOLS (Indian School Supply Depôt.)
PROGRESSIVE LESSONS ON ENGLISH COMPOSITION. (B. Banerjee & Co.)

A MIDDLE CLASS ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (B. Banerjee & Co.)
ENGLISH SPELLING AND DICTATION. I—IV. J. S. Laurie.
NEW MANUAL OF ENGLISH SPELLING. I. J. S. Laurie
SUGGESTIVE WORD-BUILDING AND SPELLING BOOK. (Blackie.)
BOYS' HAND-BOOK OF TRANSLATION AND RE-TRANSLATION. Iswar Chandra Chakravarti.
ELEMENTARY ENGLISH ETYMOLOGY. (Blackie & Son.)
THE PUPIL'S ENGLISH GRAMMAR (IN FOUR PARTS).
PRACTICAL TEXT-BOOK OF ENGLISH COMPOSITION. J. S. Laurie. As. 3.
GRAMMAR ON A NEW METHOD. A. C. Banerji As. 2.
BOYS' ANNA ENGLISH GRAMMAR. N. G. Sarma. A. 1.
A FIRST COURSE OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR. J. S. Laurie. As. 2-6.
AN EASY ENGLISH GRAMMAR FOR YOUNG CHILDREN. J. S. Laurie.
CHILD'S FIRST GRAMMAR, WITH HINTS ON PARSING. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 2.
A LOWER CLASS ENGLISH GRAMMAR. M. N. Burma.
BEGINNER'S ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Satya Rup Misra.
A PRIMER OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR. S. Roy. (A. K. Roy & Co.) As. 6
MIDDLE CLASS ENGLISH GRAMMAR. M. N. Burma. (B. Banerji & Co.) As. 12
PRACTICAL MANUAL OF ENGLISH. Welinkar. (Srinivas Varadachari & Co.) Re. 1-8.
ELEMENTARY ENGLISH GRAMMAR THROUGH COMPOSITION. J. D. Rose. (George Bell & Sons.) 1*s.*
AN EASY GRAMMAR. Jogindra Nath Banerji. (S. K. Nath & G. C. Nath.) As. 4.
THE CHILD'S MANUAL OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR. (Indian Press, Allahabad.) As 5.
A PRIMER OF ENGLISH GRAMMAR (ANGLO-URDU). H. Sinha. (P. C. Sinha, Calcutta. Ram Narain Lal, Allahadad.) As. 5.
JUNIOR ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Edited by A. J. Ashton. (George Bell & Sons.) 1*s.*
INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH GRAMMAR. Eited by A. J. Ashton. (George Bell & Sons.) 2*s.*
A MANUAL OF TRANSLATION FROM BENGALI TO ENGLISH. Benimadhab Ganguli and Bisweswar Chakravarti. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) Re. 1-4.
BEGINNER'S GRAMMATICAL INDUCTION (ANGLO-URDU). Daulat Ram Kanaujia. (Ram Narain Ltd.) As. 4.
MATRICULATION GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION. Rasamay Mitra. (B. Banerji & Co.) Re. 1-4.
ADVANCED ENGLISH GRAMMAR. John D. Rose. (George Bell & Sons.) 2*s.* 6*d.*
CLASS EXERCISES IN ENGLISH COMPOSITION. BOOK I. A. Linecar. (The Indian School Supply Depôt for T. C. & E. C. Jack.) 4*d.* Teachers' Book.
THE "A. L." SCHOLAR'S ENGLISH DICTIONARY. (Macmillan & Co. for E. J. Arnold & Son.) As. 4. For class use.

History.

Supplementary historical readers, dealing with English and Indian History are as follows :—

England in India (Longmans & Co).
THE WORLD AT WAR. Nelson Fraser. (Oxford University Press.)
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28. TAISIR-UN-NAHN. Muhammad Muslim. As. 6.
29. BA-ILM-I-TASRIF. (Muhammad Ishaque.) As. 3.
30. FARSI-KI PAHLI KITAB. Abu Muhammad Ibrahim. (Muhammad Ishaque.) As. 2. Text and Library Book.
31. USULE ARABI. Muhammad Amir. (Syedi Press, Patna.) As. 12. Text and Library Book.
32. TALIM-UL-HASAN. Md. Ismatullah. (The Author.) As. 8.
33. MIFTAH-UL-SARF. Qazi Md. Bashiruddin Siddiqui. (The Author.) As. 2.
34. AL-AKHLAQ. Saiyed Mohibbul Huq. (The Author.) As. 4.
35. KHOLASATUL QUWAID FARSI. Quazi Md. Bashiruddin Siddiqui. (The Author.) As. 2.
36. ELEMENTARY ARABIC GRAMMAR. Abdul Latif. (The Author.) Re. 1.
37. TAFHIMUL QUWAID. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Anwar-i-Ahmedi Press, Allahabad.) As. 3.
38. BENGALI ARABIC GRAMMAR, PART II. Abdul Ghani. (The Author.) As. 12.
39. GULSHAM-I-AKHLAQ. Rahamat Ali. (The Author.) As. 8. Also for Madrassas.
40. FAZAIDUL-AM. Muhammad Basharatulla. (Munshi Karim Baksh.) As. 3. May be used as a text-book in Maktabs for rituals.
41. THE ARABIC TEACHER. Abdul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (The Author.) As. 10.
42. THE NOORUL MOMININ. A. M. Noorul Alam. (The Author.) Text-book for rituals of Islam in Muhammadan Schools.
43. KILID-I-URDU, AN URDU PRIMER. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) A. 1-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.
44. MUALLIM-UL-ATFLA, URDU READER, PART I. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 3. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.
45. GULDASTA-I-AKHLAQ, URDU READER, PART II. M. H Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 4. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.
46. NAKHLISTAN-I-URDU, URDU READER, PART III. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 7. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

47. CHAMANZAR-I-URDU, URDU READER, PART IV. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 8. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

48. GULZAR-I-URDU, URDU READER, PART V. M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 10. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

49. QAWAID URDU, PART I. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As 1-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

50. QAWAID URDU, PART II. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 2. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

51. QAWAID URDU, PART III. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 5-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

52 QAWAID URDU, PART IV. Mirza Nisar Ali Beg. Revised by M. H. Jalaluddin Ahmed. (The Author, Cawnpore.) As. 6-6. Approved for schools in which Urdu is taught.

53. A'INA-I-IBRAT. Khujasta Akhtar Banu Suhrawardiya Begum. Text-book for 3rd class of a High School.

54. AINA-I-AKHLAQ, PART I. M. Shujaat Ali Khan. (The Author.) As. 6. Text-book for 4th class of a High School.

55. AINA-I-AKHLAQ, PART II. M. Sujaat Ali Khan. (The Author.) As. 6. Text-book for 3rd class of a High School.

56. DINAT-KA-PAHAL RISALA. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) 6 pies. Text-book for girls.

57. DINIAT-KA-DOSARA RISALA. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) 9 pies. Text-book for girls.

58. DINIAT-KA-TISARA RISALA. S. Abdulla (The Author.) As. 3-6 Text-book for girls.

59. URDU PRIMER. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) 9 pies. Text-book for girls.

60. URDU FIRST READER. S. Abdulla. (The Author.) As. 2-3. Text-book for girls.

61. ANGLO ARABIC TRANSLATION, BOOK I. Abul Basher Muhammad Osman Ghani. (A. S. Ahmadur Rahaman.) As. 7.

62. FIRST BOOK OF ARABIC BY THE DIRECT METHOD (ASSAHIFATUL ULAH). Abdur Rahim. (Ujir Singh & Sons, Peshawar.) As. 3.

63. MATRICULATION PERSIAN GRAMMAR. (A. A. K. Muhammad.) The Noor Library. Re. 1-6.

64. DASTAL-UL-SARF. (M. H Jalaluddin Ahmed.) As. 2.

65. THE ARABIC TEACHER. (A. B. Osman Ghani.) As. 11.

66. NAURAJ SHIKSHA. (Shaik Abdur Rahman.) As. 4.

67. SALEES KHAIDA. (Shakeel & Co.) As. 1-6.

68. RESALA ZABANDANI. M. Abdur Rauf. As. 4

NOTIFICATION.

THE half-yearly examination in the Art of Teaching for teachers of English subjects, employed in Government, aided and unaided schools in the Dacca Division, will be held at the Dacca Collegiate School on Monday and Tuesday, the 26th and 27th November 1917, at 11 A.M. The examination of teachers of vernacular subjects will also be held on the same dates at the Dacca Normal School.

2. The examination will consist of—

(*a*) A practical examination in class-control, the candidate being required to keep a class of at least a dozen boys attentive and fully occupied throughout a lesson.

(*b*) A practical test of teaching ability, the candidate being required to give two lessons on different subjects, viz., English, Bengali, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, etc., etc.

(*c*) An oral examination in which the Inspector or other Examiner will put some questions on the Art of Teaching, object-lessons, class management, organisation and discipline.

3. The following books on the Art of Teaching are recommended :—

(*a*) For teachers of English subjects—

1. Indian Teacher's Guide, by P. C. Wren.
2. Indian School Organisation, by P. C. Wren.
3. Suggestions for the Consideration of Teachers (Board of Education, Whitehall).
4. Talks to Teachers (James).

(*b*) For teachers of vernacular subjects—

1. P. Mukherjee ... উচ্চ শিক্ষক সুহৃদ।
2. Ditto ... বিদ্য শিক্ষক সুহৃদ।
3. Macmillan & Co. ... শিক্ষক সহচর।
4. A. N. Adhikary ... বিবিধ বিধান।

4. Intending candidates from high schools should submit their applications through the head masters and teachers of middle schools through the Deputy Inspectors so as to reach this office not later than the 12th November 1917. Every candidate will be required to produce his University or other certificates at the time of examination. A statement containing the following information should accompany the application :—

1. Name (in full).
2. Name of father (in full).
3. Name of native village and district.
4. Last University examination passed.
5. Year of passing.
6. Period of service as a teacher.
7. Present appointment with date.
8. Signature of the applicant with full address.

J. W. GUNN,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

DACCA, *the 15th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

AN examination in the knowledge of English idiom and in pronunciation for teachers of secondary schools, who have to teach English or other subjects through the medium of English, will be held at the office of the Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, Ramna, Dacca, on the 3rd December 1917, and the day following, if necessary, at 11 A.M.

Teachers who intend to present themselves for examination should send, at least a week before the examination, a statement containing the following information and should also bring with them their University certificates on the day of the examination :—

Name in full.	Last University examination passed.
Name of father in full.	Year of passing.
Name of native village and district.	Signature of the applicant.
	Designation and full address.

Candidates should also state whether they have sat for this examination before, and if so, how often, giving dates.

No candidates shall be allowed to appear at the examination more than once in a calendar year, or more than three times in all.

J. W. GUNN,
Offg. Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division.

DACCA, *the 15th September 1917.*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

University Matriculation Examination, 1918.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who have not attended any recognized or unrecognized High English schools for at least one year previous to the examination. The term " private students " includes school-masters.

2. Private students must appear at the Test Examination to be held on Monday, the 3rd December 1917, and the following days at the Hooghly Collegiate School.

Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 6, which should be remitted to the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, along with his application for admission to the Test Examination by the 9th November 1917, after which date a fine of Rs. 2 will have to be paid for each week's delay. *Under no circumstances will the admission fee be refunded.* No private student will be admitted to the Test Examination unless he is accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

3. Applications must be submitted through the head-master of the school in which the applicant last read. The head-master, in forwarding the application to this office, should note whether he recommends the application or not. If he does not, his reasons should be stated. The application of no candidate is to be forwarded who did not leave school from the first class, or who had not been declared fit for promotion to that class. The information to be given and the documents to be appended (in original) are the following :—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate by the head-master of the school in which he last read; or

(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance Examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) The age of the candidate is not required in cases (*b*) and (*c*). No candidate who has not completed the age of sixteen years on the first day of the Matriculation Examination is eligible.

(*e*) In the case of school-masters, a certificate of good conduct from the secretary or proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

(*f*) A certificate from a respectable gentleman to the effect that the candidate has prosecuted a regular course of study and has been subject to proper discipline, and that he has not read in any school since the last Matriculation Examination held in July 1917. Detailed information is needed under this head. The person granting the certificate should state his social or professional position.

(*g*) The names of subjects in which the candidate wishes to be examined.

4 *The fee for the Matriculation Examination has NOT to be sent to this office.* It should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications.

5. The address of each private student should be supplied to this office.

6. The Matriculation Examination in 1918 will be held on the 4th March 1918 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 19th January 1918.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA,
The 27th September 1917.

INTERMEDIATE AND B. A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bona fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of three academical years preceding the examination, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the secretaries of their respective schools. Candidates for the B. A. Examination must forward with their applications their F. A. certificates, and those for the Intermediate Examination their Entrance or Matriculation certificates. Those candidates who were admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations are informed that their applications for admission to these examinations will not be considered unless they enclose with their applications to this office the sanction of the Senate to appear at the said examinations. Candidates who have applied for or have obtained the special permission of the Senate for the purpose are required, under section 9, chapter XV of the Revised Regulations, dealing with the registration of University students, to apply at once to the Registrar for the registration of their names as University students. No person will be deemed a "University student" unless and until his name has been duly registered, and none but "University students" will be eligible for admission to any University examination other than the Matriculation.

4. The printed form of application should be carefully and correctly filled in and submitted to this office on or before the 12th January 1918, together with other papers, as mentioned in rules 2 and 3, after which no application will be received.

5. The Intermediate Examination of 1918 will be held on the 13th March 1918 and following days. The B. A. Examination of 1918 will be held on the 4th April 1918 and following days. The applications and fees for admission to the Intermediate Examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 30th January 1918, and those for the B. A. Examination on or before the 21st February 1918.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA,
The 27th September 1917.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1917.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the two senior "Muhammadan Education Fund" scholarships of Rs. 90 per annum each are granted to the following students of the Dacca College :—

(1) Mujaffar Ali. | (2) Serajuddin Ahmed.

The scholarships are tenable for two years at the Dacca College with effect from 1st June 1917.

EVAN E. BISS,
Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

ON the results of the First and Final M. B. Examinations held in April 1917, the undermentioned Medals, Prize and Scholarship have been awarded to the candidates mentioned against each :—

FINAL M. B. EXAMINATION.

1.	Goodeve Medal	Indubhushan Basu, Medical College, Calcutta.
2.	Emperor Edward VII Coronation Medal.	
3.	McLeod Medal	Panchanan Chattopadhyay, Medical College, Calcutta.
4.	Dr. Rai Debendranath Ray Bahadur Medal.	Phanibhushan Mukhopadhyay, Medical College, Calcutta.

FIRST M. B. EXAMINATION.

1.	Dr. Rakhaldas Ghosh Prize ...	Panchanan Basu, Medical College, Calcutta
2.	Manackjee Rustomjee Scholarship...	

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 24th September 1917.*

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1917.

PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fusli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Cross-reference lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2025.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 0	·17	.....	.....	.....	North and East—By Forman, Armaan and others' land. South—By Forman, Armaan and others' land and khal. West—By Formas, Armaan and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. GHOSH, for Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th September 1917.

LIABILITIES

		Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,17,50,000	0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000	0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 1,12,98,812	5 0			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 4,38,24,110	12 7	5,51,22,923	1	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		27,66,71,826	12	2
Bank Post Bills, etc		27,84,830	11	2
Sundries		14,44,251	0	7
		37,77,28,831	9	6

ASSETS

		Rs	A	P
Government Securities		6,11,29,413	0	0
Other authorised Investments		1,31,79,840	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		5,57,28,758	9	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		4,72,47,603	9	11
Bills discounted and purchased		1,96,96,000	6	4
Balances with other Banks		42,81,050	9	6
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		22,07,722	4	9
Stamps		12,070	14	0
Sundries		6,40,998	14	5
		20,78,28,453	4	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 10,41,58,133	1 3			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 6,57,41,745	8 10	16,98,99,878	5	1
		37,77,28,331	9	6

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,77,992 8 0
† Do do do „ 10,37,862 8 0
Rs 14,15,855 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent
Percentage, 50 56

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL — H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant. — N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer

Calcutta, the 28th September 1917.

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Sheriff's Sale.

PROCLAMATION.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Original Side, dated the 9th day of July 1917, made in execution of the decree of the Court of Subordinate Judge at Burdwan, dated the 26th day of August 1912, in suit No. 395 of 1903 (wherein Dinobondhu Nundy is the plaintiff and Saidani Ayimana Bibee and others are defendants) by the Sheriff of Calcutta in his sale-room on the ground-floor of the High Court by public auction on Friday, the 30th day of November 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, the interest of the defendants in the undermentioned property :—

Lot No. 1.—All that one-storied brick-built messuage or dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 5 cottahs, more or less, situate, lying at and being premises No. 10, Wellesley Square, in the town of Calcutta and comprised in Holding No. 130, Block No. IX in the south division, and in respect whereof a sum of Re. 1-8-10 is payable to the Collector of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by the premises No. 11, Wellesley Square, belonging to Mahomed Wahidul Hossain, and Mahomed Sydut Hossain, on the east by premises No. 33, Taltolla Lane, belonging to Abdul Khoir on the south by Taltolla Lane, and on the west by Wellesley Square.

It appears from search made in the office of the District Registrar of Assurances at Calcutta from the year 1865 to 1917 that the said property does not appear to be in any way affected with any charges or encumbrances save and except (1) Bengali deed of sale dated 22nd Baisak 1318 from Syed Abdul Waresh Al Musavi to Rakhal Das Mukerjee for Rs. 7,000 and (2) a Bengali instrument of mortgage, dated 21st Pous 1299, executed by Saidani Ayimana Bibee and Syed Moulvi Sudderuddin Ahmed to secure repayment of a sum of Rs. 3,000 with interest at 12 per cent. due to Neemchand and others, and also (3) a Bengali instrument of mortgage, dated 15th April 1902, executed by the said Saiddni Ayimana Bibee and Syed Moulvi Sudderuddin Ahmed to secure repayment of the sum of Rs. 4,000 with interest at 9 per cent. due to Sreemutty Mrinalini Dassee and another (since the attachment of the property the defendants have not paid any money to the plaintiff either towards the said decretal amount or the costs of the above suit).

It appears from a search at the Collector's office that the area of the above premises as appearing in the records of the Collector's office is 8 cottahs 5 chitaks and 25 square feet.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 14,809-9 and of the execution proceedings.

The condition of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

HARIRAM GOENKA, Sheriff.

O. C. Gangooly & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, the 24th day of September 1917 (2543—1—2488)

NOTICE

In the First Court of Munsif, Bongaon, District Jessore.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 204 OF 1917.

E. G MacLeod, decree-holder, *versus* Naresh Chandra Basu and others (amount due Rs. 287-9-3), judgment-debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right, title and interest of judgment-debtor No. 1 in Tauzi No. 5511 of Jessore Collectorate, for which the revenue payable to Government is Rs. 556-11-6, will be sold in the above case on the 19th November 1917 at 12 noon by the Nazir of the Civil Court at the sale shed, Bongaon

SARAT CHANDRA MUKHERJI, Munsif

Bongaon, the 24th September 1917. (2498—1—2483)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 12, clause (2), of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to the creditors of Saiyed Khudu Mian, son of Saiyed Sahebjon Mian, of Jatra, thana Shahapur, district Birbhum, that his insolvency petition has been admitted by this Court and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Suri, the 24th September 1917. (2496—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

[*Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Annada Prasad Bosu, of Torekona, at present of Bohula, police-station Raniganj, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 4th October 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 10th September 1917. (2386—1—2487)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Baul Chandra Das, of Mirerbagan, thana and chouki Kalna, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 27th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 22nd September 1917. (2484—1—2472)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Kamar Ali Chowdhuri *alias* Laj Jat Ali Chowdhuri, son of late Yar Ali Chowdhuri, of Shahebpur, thana Mirsarai, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 6th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 22nd of November 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

B. L. BANERJI, for District Judge.

Chittagong, the 25th September 1917. (2520—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*)

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 34 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 23rd February 1917, filed by the debtor Durga Charan Saha, son of late Dwarika Nath Saha, of Kaonnarah, police-station Saturia, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 24th day of September 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge. (2521—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

(*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*)

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 45 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd March 1917, filed by the debtor Kali Charan Saha, son of late Dwarika Nath Saha, of Kaonnarah, police-station Saturia, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 24th day of September 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub Judge. (2522—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1917.

SAFAR MAHAMED, son of For Mahaman, resident of Kalyandangi, police-station Raiganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 6th day of September 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

The 24th September 1917. (2497—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

GOPAL PALI, son of Sudaru Pali, deceased, resident of Fulat, police-station Kaliganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 12th day of September 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 26th September 1917. (2537—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 27 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Balaram Mandal, son of late Sonatan Mondal, of Jagdia, police-station Nagarkanda, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 6th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing his application.

Dated the 24th September 1917

S. P. SEN, District Judge. (2491—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Bepin Chandra Shil, son of Madan Mohan Shil, of Dushhajar, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 9th October 1917 has been fixed for hearing his application.

Dated the 24th September 1917.

S. P. SEN, District Judge. (2492—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 3 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause (2), section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that Easin Mridha, son of late Kalai Mridha by caste Musalman, of Durbakundu, police-station Kotchandpore, in the district of Jessore, has applied for being adjudged an insolvent and that 5th day of October 1917 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 24th September 1917. (2500—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 29 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 6th August 1917, filed by Bhibash Chandra Chakrabartti, son of late Rajnaran Chakravartti, of Kalagechhia, pargana Khaijimandalghat, district Midnapore, debtor applicant, and on the application of debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Atul Krishna Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 21st November 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 24th day of September 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2501—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 27 OF 1917

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 13th July 1917, filed by Rumdayal Mukhopadhya, son of late Jadunath Mukhopadhya, of Kashiarha, police-station Kharijimandalghat, district Midnapore, debtor-applicant, and on the application of debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Atul Krishna Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that the 22nd November 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 25th day of September 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2519—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 25 OF 1917.

In the matter of Khabiruddin Pramanik, residing at Baje Pabna, district Pabna, police-station Pabna, insolvent.

PURSUANT to a petition dated 17th February 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor, and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Raty Kanta Kundu, the pleader for the applicant it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent

Notice is given to the creditors that the 30th day of November 1917 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 21st day of September 1917

M. C. GHOSH District Judge

(2503—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 61 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Brajo Gopal Mandal, son of late Rasharaj Mandal, of Baserbada, police-station Saga, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 20th August 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 30th day of November 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debts
					Rs.
1.	Purna Chandra and Satish Chandra Basak	Pabna-bazar.	Pabna ...	Pabna ...	48
2.	Prank Ishna Pal ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	50
3.	Benamali Pramanik	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	350
4.	Raimohan Biswas ...	Pabna ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	50
5.	Asmuddin Shek ...	Purankuti-bari.	Do. ...	Do. ...	350
6.	Nityananda Sarkar ...	Pabna ...	Do ...	Do ...	100
7.	Panchu Shek Khalipa	Radha-nagar.	Do.	Do.	5
8.	Raghunath Mital-walia.	Pabna-bazar.	Do. ...	Do ...	10
9.	Pramatha Nath Mandal.	Talberia ...	Talberia ...	Nadia ...	350
10.	Alep Biswas ...	Sadhupara	P bna ...	Pabna ...	100
11.	Gour Gopal Das ...	Pabna-bazar.	Do. ...	Do ...	60
12.	Satish Chandra Pal...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	7
13.	Pranranjan Bhatta-charji.	Jharia ...	Jharia ...	Man-bhum.	45
14.	Atal Chandra Saha ...	Talberia ...	Talberia ...	Nadia ...	450

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 21st September 1917. (2505—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 72 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Nathu Pramanik, son of late Nalu Pramanik of Raibati, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 17th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village	Post Office.	Dist ict.	Amount of debt
					Rs.
1.	Haran Chandra Saha	Bhulaghati	Alphadia...	abna ...	160
2.	Jogesh Chandra Kundu	Ghoorka ...	Ditto ...	Do ...	241
3.	Kailash Chandra Kundu	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	126
4.	Kunja Behari Kundu	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	25
5.	Prasanna Kumar Kundu.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	80
6.	Mitu ramanik ...	Diarpara...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	70

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge

Pabna, the 22nd September 1917. (2509—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 62 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Pulin Chandra Manji, son of late Iswar Chandra Manji, residing at Telkupia, police-station Sirajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 21st August 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act. III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtors If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debt.
					Rs. A. P.
1.	Nanda Lal Saha ...	Sirajganj	Sirajganj	Pabna ...	155 0 0
2.	Jadu Nath Saha and Bato Krishna Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	54 13 6
3.	Dhaniram Kashinath Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	16 5 3
4.	Jogesh Chandra Talukdar and Bimala Sundari Dashya.	Chandai Bayra.	Ditto ..	Do. ...	200 0 0
5.	Krishna Lal Saha Chowdhuri.	Kokshatari	Ditto ...	Do. ...	250 0 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 21st September 1917. (2506—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 74 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Manik Pramanik, son of late Serandi Pramanik, of Dadpur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 17th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtors. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debt.
					Rs. A.
1.	Rajani Kanta Saha	Rainagar	Hati Kumrul.	Pabna	580 0
2.	Elahi Baksha Munshi.	Dhupli ...	Salanga ...	Do. ...	340 0
3.	Janatulla Talukdar.	Do. ...	Ditto ..	Do. ...	135 15
4.	Abdul Hosen Talookdar	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	220 0
5.	Upendra Narain Chukrabarty.	Atgharia	Atgharia...	Do. ...	775 0
6.	Kashi Behari Lahiri.	Hati Kumrul	Hati Kumrul	Do. ...	204 8
7.	Krishna Chandra Bhomik.	Pabna ...	Pabna ...	Do. ...	375 0
8.	Gaya Nath Sarkar	Boalia ...	Ullapara	Do. ...	18 12
9.	Darapali Rani ...	Chak Faridpur.	Atgharia	Do. ...	40 8
10.	Abdul Sarkar ...	Muradpur	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 22nd September 1917 (2511—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 63 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Lalit Mohan Manji, son of late Iswar Chandra Manji, of Telkupi, police-station Sirajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 21st August 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court, has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs. A. P.
1.	Nanda Lal Saha ..	Sirajganj	Sirajganj	Pabna...	155 0 0
2.	Lokenath Bhim Chandra Ray.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	124 2 0
3.	Jadunath Bata Krishna Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	54 13 6
4.	Dhaniram Kashinath Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	16 5 3
5.	Prasanna Baishnabi	Deraui ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	18 0 0
6.	Jadunath Saha ...	Sirajganj	Ditto ...	Do. ...	139 0 0
7.	Jogesh Chandra Talookdar and Bimala Sundari Dashya.	Chandai Bayra.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	200 0 0
8.	Krishna Lal Saha Chaudhuri.	Khoksabir.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	250 0 0
9.	Sujabatali Talookdar.	Rahamatganj.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	34 0 0
10.	Kashim Khan ...	Dhitpur...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	49 0 0
11.	Rani Bhabani Dashi	Sialkole...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100 0 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 21st September 1917. (2507—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 75 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Janulla Shekh, son of late Monmita Shekh of Mathurapur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debt.
					Rs. A. P.
1.	Brojendra Kumar Ray	Sirajganj	Sirajganj	Pabna...	400 0 0
2.	Khirode Chandra Saha	Bhadroghat	Nalka ...	Do. ...	95 0 0
3.	Hundi Saha ...	Pangashi	Hat Pangashi.	Do. ...	63 10 0
4.	Radha Ramon Saha ...	Bhadroghat	Nalka ...	Do. ...	150 0 0
5.	Kailash Singha ...	Kalinja ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	15 0 0
6.	Sakhat Sardar ...	Jhikra ...	Ullapara ...	Do. ...	100 0 0
			Total ...	...	862 10 0

M. C GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna the 22nd September 1917. (2512—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 71 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Enayet Ali Khan, son of late Rajal[illegible] Khan, of Dhangora, police-station Serajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 14th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debt.
					Rs. A.
1.	Nayab Ali Khan ...	Belna ...	Hemnagore	Mymensingh.	3,000 0
2.	Kalidas Shaha Chaudhury.	Shohagpur	Belna ...	Pabna ...	3,400 0
3.	Raghunath Subol Chaudhury.	Serajganj	Serajganj	Do. ...	500 0
4.	Prasanna Kumar Saha.	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	450 0
5.	Ambica Charan Ganguly.	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	400 0
6.	Rupchand Sethia ...	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ..	333 2
7.	Sadashu Srichand Jhumormul Boyd.	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	336 0
8.	Dhanuk Das ...	Nalka ...	Nalka ...	Do. ...	500 0
9.	Golapchand Monmul	Serajganj	Serajganj	Do. ...	300 0
10.	Jaladhar De ...	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	207 9
11.	Paramananda Madhab.	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	110 0
12.	Ratimul Ganeshmul	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	18 0
				Total ...	8,454 11

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.
Pabna, the 22nd September 1917. (2508—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 73 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Jadavali Fakir, son of late Bajtulla Fakir, of Dadpur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 17th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and you names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtors, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 12th day of October 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditor.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs. A.
1.	Abdul Hossain Talukdar.	Dhupil ...	Salanga ...	Pabna ...	330 0
2.	Jonaball Talookdar ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	143 12
3.	Dharma Das	Ghurka ...	Atgharia...	Do. ...	130 0
4.	Krishna Charan Bhowmik.	Pabna ...	Pabna ...	Do. ...	375 0
5.	Rai Chand Das ...	Ghurka ...	Atgharia...	Do. ...	27 8
6.	Gaya Nath Sarkar ...	Boalia ...	Ullapara ...	Do. ...	73 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.
Pabna, the 22nd September 1917. (2510—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

(Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1917.

In the matter of Sherali Shek, son of late Madari Shek, residing at Salgaria, district Pabna, police-station Pabna, debtor insolvent.

PURSUANT to a petition dated 18th April 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor, and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Tarak Nath Sarkar, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 30th day of November 1917 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 21st day of September 1917.

M C. GHOSH District Judge.
(2504—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907)

In the matter of Srikanta Rishi, of Ambarpur, police-station Domkal, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 19th September 1917.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampur, the 25th September 1917. (2502—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1917.

Koilash Chandra Saha, 2. Prankrishna Saha and Kunja Behari Saha, sons of late Rasik Chandra Saha, of Pakuria, police-station Rajapur, district Rajshahi, applicants.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvents have applied at the Court for their discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 6th day of October 1917, at 10-30 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 5th day of September 1917

J. CORNES, District Judge.
(2375—1—2468)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 33 OF 1917.

Bandhu Ram Taly, son of Ram Golam Taly, of Rohonpur, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, applicant.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 6th day of October 1917, at 10-30 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 5th day of September 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.
(2376—1—2471)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1917.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Kunja Teor, (2) Pulin Teor, (3) Pora Teor and Gandhua Teor, sons of Haria Teor, of Manipakar, police-station Harishchandrapur, district Malda, were adjudged as insolvents by this Court on the 1st day of September 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 5th September 1917.

(2377—1—2470)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1917.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Surendra Nath Pal, son of late Lal Behari Pal, of Jamnagra, police-station Bagatipara, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 4th day of August 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 5th September 1917.

(2378—1—2469)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 110 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Gadu Sheik, son of late Daku Sheik, of Kachdaba, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd September 1917. (2513—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 93 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

FARAJ MAMUD, son of Fajil Teli, of Sadu Damar, police-station Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd day of September 1917 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th September 1917. (2514—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 92 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

FAZIL TELI, son of late Abed Mamud Teli, of Sadu Damar, police-station Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd day of September 1917 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th September 1917. (2515—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 111 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kanchia Shaik, son of late Daku Shaik, of Kachdaha, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 22nd day of November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 22nd September 1917. (2516—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 94 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

BAHARUDDIN PRAMANIK, son of late Badia Pramanik, of Jamdani, police-station Pirganj, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 22nd day of September 1917 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th September 1917. (2517—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 113 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kanai Barman, son of late Chukulu Barman, of Amrulbari, police-station Jaldahaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 24th September 1917. (2518—1)

JATINDRA MOHAN SEN, Govt. Pleader, Dinajpur, intends to be enrolled as a Vakil, Calcutta High Court.

(2384—4—2347)

NILRATAN BANERJI, B.L., intends to be enrolled as a Vakil of the High Court, Calcutta.

(2213—4—2234)

Wanted.

AN Amin Peshkar for the Falakata Tahsil, in the district of Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 30 per month

Candidates having knowledge of surveying with Plane Table and Theodolite only need apply. The applicants should state their age and educational qualification in their applications.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th October 1917.

F. W. STRONG, Deputy Commissioner.

Jalpaiguri, the 20th September 1917.

Medical Store Department.

NOTICE.

SEALED Tenders, in duplicate, will be received by the Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 1st November 1917 for the supply of local medical stores to the Medical Store Department, Calcutta, from 1st April 1918 to 31st March 1919.

2. Tenders will only be received on printed forms, which can be obtained up to 26th October 1917 on payment of one rupee from this office. Tenders must have the address and signature of the tenderers in full in English. List of the stores will be supplied along with the Tender Form.

3. The Medical Store-keeper to Government reserves the right, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, to accept the whole or part of any tender or to reject the whole without assigning any reason.

4. Tenders must be accompanied by a Bank receipt or Government Promissory Note for 2 per cent. of their total value as earnest money, which will be returned if the tender should be rejected; but in case of the Medical Store-keeper to Government accepting, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, part of any tender only and the tenderer failing to take up the contract, the whole earnest money deposit will be confiscated.

5. Tenders received after the time fixed or not complying with these conditions will be rejected.

6. Rates are required for delivery at the Government Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, but in the case of tenderers from a distance sending their supplies by rail and having no agents at Calcutta, the Medical Store-keeper to Government will take delivery at the Railway station.

A. G. BROWN, LT., I.S.M.D., in charge Government Medical Store Depôt.

Calcutta, the 28th September 1917.

Notice.

PURSUANT to the orders of Government, dated the 29th June 1881, particulars of the undernoted articles, held by the Calcutta Port Commissioners as Receivers of Wrecks, each article being of value exceeding Rs. 100, are published for general information in accordance with the provisions of section 76, Act VII of 1880.

Number and date in Recovery Register 1917.	Description of Articles.	Approximate value.	Where and when recovered.	Where lying.
		Rs. A. P.		
August, 22, 3 Pa.	One teakwood log measuring 28' 2" × 1' 3" × 1' 3" 225 2 15 15	123 3 6	In the river	Port Commissioners' Store, Kidderpore.

E. A. CONSTABLE, Deputy Conservator.

Calcutta, the 11th September 1917. (2404—3)

Notice.

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The 21st September 1917.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 225375, 225376 and 225377 of the 3½ per cent. loan of 1865 for Rs. 1,000 each, originally standing in the name of the Accountant-General, Post Office and Telegraphs, and last endorsed to Md. Woomed Khan, the proprietor, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person having been stolen, notice is hereby given that payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the abovementioned securities.

Name of the Advertiser—Md. Woomed Khan, Proprietor.

Residence—Village Parijeepahari, post office Daudpur, Dacca. (2102—3—2373)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 19163, dated 31st August 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
	Of	Rs.	
168131	1900-01	1,000	Lalit Mohan Nandy.

Name of the Proprietor—Lalit Mohan Nandy.

Residence—Boro Champatola, Fr. Chandernagore.

(2499—1—2484)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 19984, dated 21st September 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
169896	3½ per cent. 1900—1	Rs. 500	Jagdam Sahai

Name of the proprietor—Jagdam Sahai.

Residence—13, Goaltoli Road, Bhowanipore, Calcutta.

(2541—1—2486)

Re The Sudh Bastu Co., Ld.

(In Liquidation.)

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S. R BATLIBOI, F.C.A.A., Incorporated Accountant (Lon.) } Liquidator

Calcutta, the 1st October 1917. (2544—1—2485)

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Ditto (Supplementary) ...	5th ,, ...	6-15	—	5 30	—
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New Zealand	4th Oct. ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam and French Indo-China ...	Wednesday	4-30	...	4 0	...
Burma	4th Oct. ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 24th September 1917.*

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 244 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 740 of 1917), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 635 of 1917 (*this Office No. 214 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished:

Aden, Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir), ____| |____, Karachi, Bombay and vicinity, Colombo, Barberyn, Madras, Puri, Shortt island, Balasore, Calcutta and Hughli river approaches, Rangoon river approaches, Port Blair in the Andaman islands, Penang, Singapore.

All lights in the Persian gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice. Vessels should arrange to arrive at their destinations during daylight hours.

2. Certain Ports closed by night:

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6·0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise; vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4422/17.*)

CHINA SEA—FOOCHOW DISTRICT.

Approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, Ragged Point—Uncharted rock.

No. 245 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 642 of 1917) that an uncharted rock has been found in the approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, about ¾ cable to the north-eastward of Ragged Point. There is said to be a least depth of 7 feet over the rock at low water of spring tides.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST, SPENCER GULF.

Tipara Reef Light—Alteration in Sectors.

No. 246 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 80 of 1917.
Subject.—The bearings of the White and Red Sectors have been altered.
Position.—Lat. 34° .04′ S., long. 137° .24′ E.
Sectors.—Shows *White* from 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.) through North, East and South to 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.).
Red from 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.) to 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.)
White from 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.) through West to 318½° (N. 46° W. Mag.).
Red from 318½° (N. 46°. W. Mag.) to 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.).

Remarks.—The above bearings are to be substituted for those given in Notice No. 80 of 1917.
Charts affected.—No. 402, Wallaroo and Tipara Bays
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759b, Australia—Southern Portion.
Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 244.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1917.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Gibbon—Mooring buoy established.

No. 247 (first publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1917) that on or about July 18th, 1917, a Mooring Buoy will be placed about 70 fathoms E.S.E. of the sea end of Port Gibbon Jetty.

Approximate position.—Lat. 33° 49′ S., long. 136° 48′ 30″ E.
Charts affected.—Nos. 2389 and 2389B.
Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 218.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Victoria—Buoy established to mark the wreck of the "Songvaar."

No. 248 (first publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1917) that a Green Buoy with the word "Wreck" painted on it in white letters has been placed to mark the sunken wreck of the *Songvaar*. The Buoy is about 30 fathoms N.W. x N. of the northernmost part of wreck.

Approximate position.—Lat. 34° 27′ S., long. 137° 23′ E.
Charts affected.—Nos. 752, 2389 and 2389B.
Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 238.

The 20th September 1917.

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—SAN TO.

Sei To—Occasional Fog-Signal established.

No. 242 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 712 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At the lighthouse on the southern extreme of Shou wo shan.

Lat. 34° 00½′ N., long. 127° 19½′ E.

Description.—A gun which gives two reports, with an interval of three minutes between each report, when a vessel's fog-signals are first heard. Should the vessel's signals continue to be heard, the firing of the gun will be repeated in a similar manner.

Charts affected.—No. 1280, Tonai kai and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton
„ 3365, Port Hamilton to Mackau group.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, &c.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1763.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 48.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 125 of 1917. (*H. 4110/17.*)

CHINA, SOUTH COAST—HONGKONG APPROACH.

Kap Sing Island Light—Alteration in Period.

No. 243 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 719 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 22° 20½′ N., long. 114° 03¾′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 10 sec., 124 ft., vis. 5 m.*

Alteration.—The period of the *group flashing white* light has been altered from twenty seconds to *ten seconds*, the light showing thus :—

Flash.	eclipse.	flash.	eclipse.
1 sec.	1 sec.	1 sec.	7 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 3632, Wan chu chau to Brothers point.
„ 3280, Hongkong waters—west.
„ 1466, Hongkong.
„ 3681, Kap sing mun to Boca Tigris—southern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1513.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 486.

Authority.—King's Harbour Master, Hongkong. (*H. 2472/17.*)

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 10th September 1917.

INDIA, WEST—KATHIAWAR COAST.

Diu Harbour—Annual re-exhibition of leading lights.

No. 239 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 131M. of 1917), are republished :—

Details.—The Captain of the Ports for Portuguese India has notified that the lights of Forte de Mar, Couráca, Forte de Simbor and Forte de Barra at Brancavara, which are extinguished for the South-West Monsoon, will be re-exhibited from September 1st, 1917.

Caution.—See Notice No. 63M. of 1917 (*Calcutta No. 114 of 1917*), with reference to extinction of lights in Portuguese India.

Authority.—His Britannic Majesty's Consul for Goa, dated 20th August 1917.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Goa, Mandovi River Entrance—Annual re-exhibition of leading lights.

No. 240 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 132M. of 1917), are republished :—

Details.—The Captain of the Ports for Portuguese India has notified that the leading lights at Campal, Malim, Reis-Magos, Verem, and Marca-Tejo, which were extinguished owing to the impracticability of the bar for navigation during the South-West Monsoon, were re-exhibited on 16th August 1917.

Caution.—See Notice No. 63M. of 1917 (*Calcutta No. 114 of 1917*), with reference to extinction of lights in Portuguese India.

Authority.—His Britannic Majesty's Consul for Goa, dated 20th August 1917.

DUNCAN F. VINES, CAPTAIN, R.I.M.,
Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 13th September 1917.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Off the Gulf of Cambay—Derelict reported.

No. 241 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 137M. of 1917), are republished :—

Details.—The Nacoda of Dunghy "Hurri Prasad" reports having abandoned his vessel in the following position :

Position.—Lat. 20° 4′ N., long. 71° 55′ E.

Caution.—This derelict constitutes a danger to navigation.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 826, Karáchi to Vengurla.
„ 2736, Gulf of Kutch to Viziadrug.
„ 1012, Arabian Sea.
„ 748*b*, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 31st August 1917.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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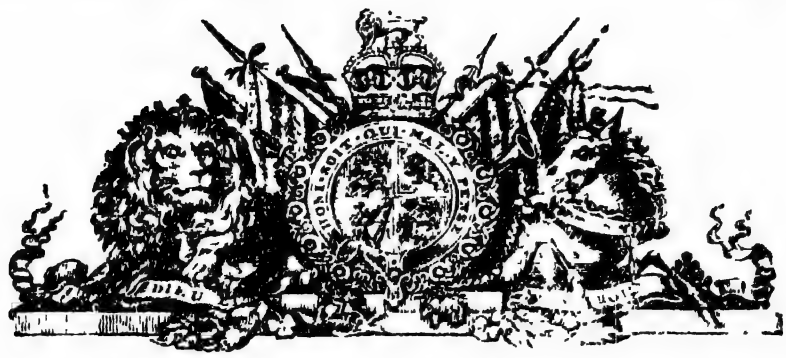

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Preliminary Forecast of the Bhadoi Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1915-16, the area under autumn rice in Bengal, has represented some 6·6 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the season.—In the Western Bengal districts, the weather conditions have been generally favourable although some damage is reported to have been caused in places by the sudden rise of rivers especially in the Howrah District. In the Eastern and Northern districts, on the other hand, conditions at sowing time were not generally favourable. Damage from excessive rainfall and floods is reported from parts of Malda, Faridpur, Chittagong and Noakhali. Damage by drought in Dinajpur and Tippera is

reported to amount to 40 per cent. The season though not altogether favourable has been on the whole "fair."

Acreage.—The total area sown this year with the different crops is reported to be 5,905,300 acres against 5,878,800 acres returned in last year (Final Forecast) and against 6,152,700 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. Of this, the area under autumn rice is reported to be 5,073,900 acres this year against 5,048,200 acres in last year (Final Forecast) and against 5,231,900 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Outturn.—According to the estimates of the District Officers the outturn of the different *bhadoi crops* works out to 87 per cent. against 74 per cent. of the normal last year and against 79 per cent. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. Of autum rice a yield of 87 per cent. is estimated this year against 78 and 74 per cent. reported respectively in the preliminary and final forecasts of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA ;

The 25th September 1917.

APPENDIX I.

Preliminary Forecast on the Bhadoi *Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.*

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,400	59,000	70,400	75	100	April to June. Early	The increase in area is due to the fact that paddy has been sown on lands ordinarily reserved for jute. The weather has been generally favourable.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	.....	100	200	75	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,700	1,900	2,700	58	83		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,300	3,700	4,200	50	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	3,800	2,000	2,300	92	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jawar, bajra, marua and maize.	.....	.....	200	.....	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	1,200	1,200	58	12		
	Total ...	84,000	67,900	81,300	73	96		
Nadia ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	491,100	475 300	466,100	50	75	Beginning of May. Normal.	The weather has been favourable. Slight damage was done by a sudden rise of the rivers.
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	100	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	6,000	4,300	5,000	58	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		700		33			
	Indigo	1,000	2,200	5,300	100	67		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,400	3,100	2,300	67	67		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,800	2,300	1,900	58	58		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	2,800	2,800	58	83		
	Mulberry	(50)	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	8,900	7,100	15,800	50	83		
	Total ...	523,900	497,800	501,200	50	76		
Murshidabad.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	229,700	171,200	176,4 0	58	83	April to June Normal.	The increase in area is due to favourable weather conditions at sowing time. The weather has been favourable, but the flood in August may cause damage to the extent of about two annas
	Jowar	100	1 0	100	75	100		
	Bajra	500	300	400	83	75		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	500	600	600	67	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	4,400	4,000	50	67		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	900	800	75	67		
	Indigo	.....	.....	1,700	.....	92		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	1,100	1,600	58	83		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,000	2,600	3,000	67	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,500	2,000	2,100	67	83		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	400	400	600	58	67		
	Mulberry	4 000	3,100	3,500	83	75		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	20,000	13,900	13,000	42	67		
	Total ...	271,300	201,600	206,800	58	81		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jessore ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	407,300	350,500	369,800	75	75	Middle of April.	The increase in area is due to a corresponding decrease in jute cultivation. The weather has been favourable on the whole, but the damage done in some parts by flood and insects is estimated to be approximately two annas.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ..	12,300	12,300	11,100	60	66		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	12,300	10,600	10,800	60	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,300	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	12,100	1,700	2,000	75	75		
	Total ...	445,000	384,000	393,700	74	75		
Fhulna ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	17,800	17,000	17,000	77	96	Beginning of April. Normal	The decrease in the area under fruits and vegetables is due to want of timely rainfall.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	200	100	100	77	100	Middle of May. Normal.	The weather has been favourable.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	600	600	600	85	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	14,800	14,100	11,900	88	80		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	200	200	93	100	May. Normal.	
	Total ...	33,700	32,000	29,800	81	91		
Burdwan ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	92,500	107,500	83	92	May to June. Normal.	The increase in area is due to timely rainfall.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	3,000	3,000	2,000	100	83	June and July. Normal.	The weather has been generally favourable, but some damage has been done by floods to crops grown on the river side.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	700	700	75	92	End of May to July Normal.	The outturn is slightly below the normal owing to excessive rainfall in places.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,200	900	1,100	67	92		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	2,800	2,900	89	92		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	1,700	1,600	75	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	200	200	200	80	83	End of May. Normal.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute	6,500	4,800	4,800	83	75	End of May to June Normal, but a bit late at Sadar.	
	Mulberry	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	End of May to July. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	4,000	3,300	2,900	83	75		
	Total ...	160,200	109,980	123,700	81	92		
Birbhum ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	144,100	143,100	133,100	92	100	June Normal .	The weather has been favourable.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	83	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ..	1,400	1,200	1,200	67	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	10,000	10,000	88	100		
	Mulberry	1,000	(50)	(50)	67	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	2,800	2,800	2,800	83	83		
	Total ...	161,200	149,000	149,000	91	99		

DISTRICT.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER EACH CROP.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
BANKURA ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	21,900	5,600	5,500	117	117	The dates were normal.	The increase in area and outturn is due to timely rainfall. The character of weather from the time of sowing up till now has been good.
	Bajra	800	700	700	117	100		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	1,100	900	800	117	100		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	3,400	3,200	3,200	133	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	117	100		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	2,000	1,500	117	100		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	700	4,400	4,400	117	108		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	800	700	700	133	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,300	1,900	1,800	117	83		
	Total ...	40,900	32,800	31,600	121	108		
MIDNAPORE	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	73,000	73,900	72,900	66	83	By the end of July. Normal.	The crops in the low-lying tracts have suffered from excessive rainfall and flood, the damage probably was not less than two annas.
	Bajra	3,900	3,400	3,400				
	Mandua, marua or ragi	6,700	6,200	6,200				
	Indian corn (maize) ...	11,000	5,300	5,200				
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	3,100	3,100				
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	10,500	9,000	10,200				
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,500	6,000	6,000				
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	6,000	7,500	7,000				
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,500	1,100	1,000				
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	1,000	1,000	1,100				
	Mulberry	400	100	100				
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibre	15,000	7,200	7,600				
	Total ...	142,300	123,100	123,800	66	83		
HOOGHLY ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	45,500	31,900	30,400	65	72	.....	The increase in area in some cases is due to favourable weather at sowing time. The weather has been favourable. The outturn is expected to be below the normal owing to damage caused by floods
	Indian corn (maize) ...	300	300	300	66	66		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	600	200	400	46	68		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		100	100	50	83		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,100	4,000	4,100	68	76		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	400	800	67	89		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	100	100	100	50	66		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute	100	Nil	100	Nil	91		
	Mulberry	100	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	Nil	.....	Nil	.....		
	Total ...	51,900	39,900	38,900	65	73		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres				
Howrah ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	18,800	9,100	8,800	54	70	Middle of June. Late.	The decrease in area is due to heavy rains. Practically no *bhadoi* crops have been sown in the Uluberia police-station and jute has taken their places. The outturn is estimated to be much below the normal owing to excessive rainfall and heavy floods at the beginning. Considerable damage has been done to the crops. Nearly three-fourths of the crops have been damaged by floods in the Singti and Amta police-stations.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	200	100	50	92		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,300	1,000	1,000	50	50		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,200	5,700	5,200	37	58		
	Other *bhadoi* fodd-crops	2,700	1,400	1,500	50	58		
	Bhadoi fooder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,500	100	200	58	83		
	Total ...	41,500	17,500	16,900	54	64		
Rajshahi ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	300,000	289,700	289,300	75	85	Beginning of April Normal.	The weather was favourable at sowing time, but the crops suffered in May and June for want of sufficient rain.
	Jowar	100	200	300	75	80		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	200	200	200	70	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,100	1,300	1,300	70	90		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	5,800	6,000	6,000	70	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2 000	1,900	1,900	65	80		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,200	3,800	3,800	75	85		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	1,800	3,000	3,000	70	85		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	4,800	4,800	4,800	65	75		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	500	400	400	75	90		
	Mulberry	1,000	700	700	75	85		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	900	900	75	85		
	Total ...	319,500	312,600	312,300	75	85		
Dinajpur ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	130,700	140,000	126,100	84	60	Middle of May. A little late.	The decrease in area is due to want of rainfall at the time of preparing the lands for the crops. At sowing time the rainfall was insufficient and the weather conditions up till now have continued rather unfavourable.
	Jowar	1,200	800	700	62	69		
	Bajra	100	100	100	100	75		
	Indian-corn (maize)...	1,000	1,000	400	74	89		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,600	200	100	50	25		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	900	400	800	64	72		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	1,700	1,800	1,400	69	56		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	100	600	800	50	75		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	.....	(20)	.....	75		
	Total ...	137,600	144,900	130,600	84	60		

DISTRICT.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER EACH CROP.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
JALPAIGURI	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	196,000	178,000	176,000	77	86	Middle of April ...	The decrease in area is due to deficient rainfall at the sowing time in the Chaklajat estates. The weather has been marked by unequal distribution of rain in all parts of the district.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	300	200	200	80	75	First week of May.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	4,000	3,900	3,800	83	86	Third week of April	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,100	1,000	1,000	76	76	Middle of August.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,300	1,800	1,800	77	78		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	15,800	13,300	13 200	71	76		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	9,300	5,900	4,200	75	81		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,600	5,000	6,800	77	91	April.	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	100	100	70	70		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,000	2,000	2 000	77	100		
	Total ...	236,600	210,200	208,100	77	85	The dates are normal	
DARJEELING	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	7,700	3,900	3,900	85	85	May	The decrease in area is due to want of early rain. The weather has been favourable.
	Mandua, marua or ragi	5,300	5,700	3,6 0	77	85	June	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	40,300	46,600	46,700	62	77	March	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,200	700	700	69	69	July	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		1,700	1,700	69	69		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	400	600	400	92	92	August	
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	5,300	4,700	4 600	69	77	March	
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,900	3,100	1,200	100	92	April	
	Total ...	66,800	65,900	64,700	84	78	The dates are normal.	
RANGPUR ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	282,500	238,000	238,000	100	100	March Normal	The decrease in area is due to increase in the area under jute and also to want of timely rain. At sowing time there was a deficiency of rain, but subsequent rainfall on the whole proved favourable.
	Jowar	300	300	300	100	80		
	Indian corn (maize) ..	100	100	100	90	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ..	10,000	5,100	4 200	80	60	April. Normal	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root crops.	10,000	5,000	3,400	90	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	18,000	300	300	100	100	First week of August Normal	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	...	(80)	...	100	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	50,000	25,000	20 000	100	100		
	Total ...	380,800	281,800	326,300	99	98		

District.	Name of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bogra ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	103,000	112,800	85	77	First week of April to first week of May. Normal.	Last year's area was underestimated in the case of *bhadoi* paddy and overestimated in case of mulberry *bhadoi* cereals, *bhadoi* fruits, etc., *bhadoi* food-crops and *bhadoi* non-food crops. The weather was favourable at sowing time, but has been less favourable since. The fall in outturn is due to insufficient rainfall.
	Jowar	...	...	(20)	...	80		
	Mandua marua, or ragi	...	...	(18)	...	87		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	...	...	3,060	...	80		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,500	2,500	1,500	70	24		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	...	...	360	...	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	2,000	400	70	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	2,000	2,000	400	70	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	100	...	38		
	Mulberry	100	100	(12)	75	45		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	200	200	...	70	...		
	Total ...	146,800	111,800	118,800	85	75		
Pabna ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	180,000	181,800	75	85	End of March. Normal.	Owing to low price of jute last year, there has been an increase in the area under *bhadoi* paddy. The weather conditions have been favourable.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	6,000	6,500	6,500	70	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	30,000	30,000	30,000	70	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,500	3,500	3,500	70	75		
	Total ...	181,500	220,000	221,800	74	83		
Malda ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	260,000	255,000	259,000	80	100	By the beginning of May Normal.	The weather has been favourable in respect of *bhadoi* paddy, mulberry and vegetables, but less so in respect of other crops. About two annas of the paddy and Indian corn have been damaged by flood. The falling in outturn in the case of jowar, bajra, Indian corn, cereals and pulses is due to excessive rainfall during the period of growth
	Jowar	800	1,300	1,300	50	75		
	Bajra	1,600	1,300	1,300	50	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	24,800	17,000	16,000	50	75	By the end of May. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	800	800	800	50	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	700	700	800	50	75		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,000	18,000	19,000	80	100		
	Mulberry	23,000	13,800	13,800	100	100		
	Total ...	3 8,700	307,900	307,700	82	98		
Dacca ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	238,700	263,800	266,700	68	95	The dates are normal.	There was some deficiency of rain at sowing time and for some time after, but subsequent rainfall proved most favourable. Some damage is reported from Manikganj and Narayanganj Subdivisions by drought.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,200	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	500	.....	.....	.....	.....		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	3,900	3,900	70	83		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	28,500	26,500	19,400	74	99		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	3 700	1,800	1,800	90	95		
	Total ...	277,600	296,500	291,800	69	92		

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			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
MYMENSINGH	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	390,600	466,500	466,500	74	100	First part of April. Normal	The weather has been generally favourable.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,500	5,500	5,500	73	100		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	43,000	43,000	43,000	70	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize	64,000	64 000	64,000	75	100		
	Total ...	503,100	579,000	579,000	74	100		
FARIDPUR ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	235,800	239 100	242,900	90	95	March and April. Normal.	The increase in area is due to decrease in jute cultivators. The weather has been generally favourable, in places heavy rain has affected the growth of the crops. Some damage has been caused by flood
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including fodder-crops.	23,300	22,900	23,200	80	86		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	500	500	500	80	87		
	Total ...	259,100	262,500	266,600	88	94		
BAKARGANJ	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	136,000	300,000	300,000	70	100	Middle of March ...	The increase in area under fruits and vegetables is due to sufficient rain at sowing time and to absence of any flood. The weather has been favourable. A little damage has been done to the crops by insect pests
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	800	800	80	80	February to May	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	140,000	144,000	148,000	80	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	1,400	1,500	1,500	80	80		
	Total ...	278,400	446,000	450,000	73	100	The dates are normal	
CHITTAGONG	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	202,000	208,400	208,500	90	80	April to June, Normal.	The weather has been favourable. Some damage has been done by insects and by excessive rain.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	200	200	200	80	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	200	200	100	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables including root-crops	3,400	2 500	2,500	90	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,800	1,600	1,600	90	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,800	4,000	4,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	100	100	100	100	100		
	Total ...	213,900	215,300	215,400	90	81		
TIPPERA ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	320,000	316,000	316,000	65	60	April. Normal ...	The weather at sowing time was favourable, but subsequently the crops suffered for want of rain. About 40 per cent., of the crop has been damaged by drought
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,100	700	800	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	1,000	1,100	60	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	7,300	5,100	5 100	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,000	900	900	60	60		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	9,000	9 000	9,000	60	60		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	7 000	5,000	5,000	70	75		
	Total	346,400	336,700	337,700	65	60		

District.	Names of crops	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres	Acres.	Acres.				
Noakhali ...	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	204,000	210,000[a]	215,000	90	85	End of March and beginning of April. Normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of previous year is due to encouragement given by advancing loans for growing *aus* paddy in the tract of the Feni Subdivision where *aman* paddy was lost by flood last year. The weather conditions have been fair. Damage to some extent has been done by floods in the Feni Subdivision. Some damage has also been caused by insect pests and floods.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	1,000	1,000[a]	1,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jawar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,000	2,000	2,000	100	100		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	(21)	100	.....	100	.....		
	Total ...	207,000	213,100[a]	218,000	90	85		
Chittagong Hill Tracts	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	168 000	148,000	158,000	64	70	By the middle of April. Normal.	The weather has been favourable on the whole. The outturn is expected to be better than last year.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	2,100	1,900	2,000	46	60		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	4,000	3,000	3,500	65	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	7,000	7,400	7,900	50	54		
	Total ..	201,100	160,300	171,400	61	68		
Total Bengal	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	5,031,500	5,048,200	5,072,900	74	87		
	Jowar	2,400	2,700	2,700	61	75		
	Bajra	6,900	5,800	5,900	70	82		
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	14,200	11,700	11,600	73	84		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	100,200	87,900	88,800	81	77		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	111,600[a]	79,000	78,600	65	73		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	2,200	7,000	100	73		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops	302,600	279,600	280,200	76	93		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	191,300	159,600	149,600	70	86		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	107,600	100,400	102,800	74	93		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	9,200	7,700	8,100	84	79		
	Mulberry	29,700	17,800	16,100	98	94		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	129,400[a]	76,200	78,000	76	84		
	Total ...	6,037,600	5,878,800	5,905,300	74	87		

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Winter rice crop of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note.—*On the average of the five years ending 1915-16, the area under winter rice in Bengal represents some 19·5 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.*)

Character of the season.—Owing to the good rainfall in the beginning of the season preparatory tillage was well advanced. For the same reasons conditions were favourable for seed-bed sowings and the sowings of broadcasted crops. Transplanting operations, although commenced at the usual time, were seriously interfered with in many districts owing to want of rainfall in August and the first half of September. Some of the Northern Bengal districts fared very badly in this respect. As a consequence the area figures in these districts show a considerable falling off. In Eastern Bengal the shortage of water caused some anxiety regarding the deep-water paddy.

Acreage.—According to the figures reported by the District Officers the area sown this year is 15,299,000 acres against 15,492,100 and 15,667,400 acres shown in the last year's first and final forecasts, respectively. The decrease as has been already stated is due to the weather being too dry in Northern and Eastern Bengal at the transplanting season, the contraction of area being most marked in the Dinajpur, Jalpaiguri and Rangpur districts.

Outturn.—From the appendix attached to the report it will be seen that two districts only, viz., the 24-Parganas and Bankura, have reported more than a normal crop, the return for the latter district being 150 per cent. Eleven districts have returned a normal crop and ten districts a crop between 80 to 95 per cent., while the percentage outturns for the remaining four districts range from 60 to 75.

According to the District Officers' estimates, the provincial outturn works out to 96 per cent. of the normal against 92 and 94 per cent., respectively, in the first and final forecasts of last year.

CALCUTTA,
The 26th September 1917.

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First forecast of Winter Rice Crop of 1917-18.

DISTRICT.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
		Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	899,700	899,700	877,400	92	108	April; normal ...	June; normal	The increase in area is due to favourable rains and reclamation of new areas in Sundarbans. Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have been good. The outturn is expected to be above the normal.
Nadia	138,500	117,400	121,800	83	87	Middle of May; normal	July; normal	Slight increase is due to timely rainfall. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. Some damage has been caused by flood. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Murshidabad ...	345,600	306,500	312,100	83	100	May to June; normal	June to July; normal	Increase in area is due to timely rainfall and favourable weather. Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have been good. Some damage has been caused by flood in Kandi subdivision. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Jessore ...	588,100	455,500	480,100	92	90	April and May; normal, but late in Magura subdivision.	July and August; normal, but late in Magura subdivision.	The increase in area is due to decrease in area under jute crop. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. Some damage has been caused by flood in some parts of Jhenida and Magura subdivisions. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Khulna ...	745,800	748,300	747,700	83	100	April to June; normal	July; normal	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Burdwan ...	874,800	840,000	716,000	83	100	End of May and June, normal.	End of June to middle of July.	The increase in area is due to seasonable rainfall. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been caused by flood in the riverside low lands and in some parts plants were cut by crabs, but the injury is not material.
Birbhum ...	604,600	595,000	601,500	100	100	No broadcast sowing in this district.	End of June, early.	The increase in area is due to good rainfall. The weather conditions have been good for the growth of the crop.
Bankura ...	510,600	510,600	520,000	133	150	Middle of June ...	Middle of July.	The increase in area and estimated outturn is due to favourable weather and timely rainfall.
Midnapore ...	1,579,400	1,640,000	1,637,000	94	100	May; normal ...	July; normal ...	Excessive rain early in the season adversely affected the crop on low land, but at present more rain is wanted for high land crop. Large tracts of land in Ghatal, Daspur and Panskura thanas were flooded by the bursting of embankments and the entire crop within these areas was destroyed. Floods also occurred in Contai and Tamluk in a smaller scale and the damage done was not serious. In spite of the damages a normal outturn is anticipated if the character of the season for the remaining period proves satisfactory.
Hooghly ...	276,700	200,900	197,900	66	82	June, normal ..	Ditto ...	The decrease in area is due to want of timely rainfall and partly to flood in the Arambagh subdivision. The weather condition has been unfavourable in Arambagh subdivision, but elsewhere favourable. About 33 per cent of the crop has been damaged by recent flood in the Arambagh subdivision. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Howrah ...	125,300	112,000	119,100	75	80	Beginning of June; normal.	Beginning of July; normal.	The increase in area is due to favourable condition of weather at sowing time. The weather condition has been favourable except in the area affected by the Damodar floods. Half of the crop within the jurisdiction of Sibpur and Amta thanas and quarter of those within the jurisdiction of Mahishalghat police-station have been destroyed by floods. Crops in some area in the Bagnan police-station have also been damaged. The outturn is estimated to be normal in the Sadar subdivision. Heavy rainfall and flood are calculated to cause the outturn to fall much below the normal in Uluberia subdivision.

DISTRICT.	Estimated normal area under winter rice	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
		Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Rajshahi ...	697,000	566,300	560,300	80	80	End of April; normal...	End of July, normal	The decrease of area sown is due to want of timely rainfall. The weather condition has not been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to want of rainfall.
Dinajpur ...	1,120,300	1,058,100	569,600	100	69	Middle of May; normal	Middle of July; normal	The large decrease in area is due to want of sufficient rain which retarded the transplantation and growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal
Jalpaiguri ...	501,300	504,000	419,900	103	90	Middle of May, late in Alipur, but early in Chakiajat.	End of June in Sadar; normal, and in Alipur early.	The decrease in area is due to want of timely rainfall. The weather condition has not been favourable for the growth of the crop. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal for want of sufficient rain.
Darjeeling ...	65,200	38 200	38,200	100	100	Latter part of April; normal.	July; normal	The weather condition has been favourable for the growth of the crop.
Rangpur ...	813,300	800 000	585,000	100	75	May; normal	Beginning of June; normal.	The decrease in area is due to insufficient rainfall in the months of July and August, retarding and hampering greatly transplantation. The outturn is below the normal for want of sufficient rainfall
Bogra	303,000	303,000	465,500	110	80	Middle of March; normal	1st week of June; normal	The weather was favourable at sowing time but not so later. The outturn is below the normal for insufficient rainfall. The large increase in area as compared with last year is due to revision of estimates.
Pabna ...	866,000	800,000	820 300	85	95	End of March; normal	End of July, normal ...	The increase in area is due to the low price of jute last year The weather conditions since the time of sowing have been favourable. The outturn is expected to be about normal.
Malda ...	300 000	316,000	320,000	115	100	June; normal ...	July; normal ...	The increase in area is due to extension of cultivation The weather condition was favourable up to first week of August; since then a heavy shower was wanted for the crop. Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have been good. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Dacca ...	633,100	623,600	634,900	85	100	April; normal ...	July; normal ...	The increase in area is due to low price of jute and good crops grown last year. The weather was favourable at sowing time, but some lack of rain in Narayanganj has retarded the growth of the crop there. The lowness of rivers is causing some apprehension regarding prospects of broad-casted winter rice.
Mymensingh ...	1,136,700	969 700	969,700	93	90	First part of April; normal.	First part of July; normal	The weather conditions have been generally favourable, but more rain is wanted at some places. The outturn is expected to be normal except at Tangail, where water subsided suddenly and there was no sufficient rain.
Faridpur ...	770,100	769,000	787,900	100	95	March and April; normal	June and July; normal	The increase in area is due to decrease in area under jute crop. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. Some damage has been caused by flood in Gopalganj and Madaripur subdivisions Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Bakarganj ...	1,900,000	1,339,000	1 367,000	90	100	Middle of June, normal	Middle of July, normal	The increase in area is due to colonization in the Sundarbans. The weather conditions have been favourable for the growth of the crop. A very slight damage has been caused by insect-pests. A normal outturn is expected.
Chittagong ...	418,400	416,100	426,100	100	100	Last week of June ...	Last week of July ...	The weather conditions have been fairly good for the growth of the crop. A little damage has been caused by flood.

District.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	Estimated area under winter rice.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the sowing of broadcasted winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which the transplanting of winter rice commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late	Remarks by District Officers
		Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).	Last year.	This year.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres					
Tippera ...	734,600	798,000	780,000	90	85	Middle of March; normal	Middle of August; normal	The decrease in area is due to increase in the area under jute in Brahmanbaria subdivision. The weather condition was favourable at the sowing time, but want of rain afterwards affected the growth of the crop Some damage has been done to the crop by drought in certain areas The outturn is expected to fall below the normal for want of sufficient rain.
Noakhali ...	610,000	600.000	600.000	100	100	April; normal ...	July; normal	Effects of the weather on the cultivation and growth of the crop have been favourable A normal outturn is expected
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47,500	41,500	42,000	45	60	End of June; late ...	Last week of July; late	The weather was not good owing to insufficient rain
Total Bengal ...	16,622,500	15,667,400	15,799,000	94	96			

Statement showing the Normal and Actual rainfall in each district during May to August 1917.

District	May.		June.		July.		August	
	Normal.	Actual.	Normal	Actual.	Normal.	Actual.	Normal.	Actual
1. 24-Pargonas	5·48	6·30	10·90	13·45	13·83	14·88	13·49	13·58
2. Nadia	6·71	6·84	9·99	13·23	10·66	11·21	10·94	7·05
3. Murshidabad	5·02	6·88	10·04	9·73	10·98	13·08	11·17	6·88
4 Jessore	7·30	5·98	11·47	17·79	11·03	13·38	10·82	9·35
5. Khulna	7·38	6·51	11·79	13·79	15·11	15·22	13·29	13·12
6. Burdwan	5·15	7·14	9·68	11·55	11·89	13·34	11·49	7·53
7. Birbhum	4·21	7·74	10·35	12·51	12·73	16·37	11·82	8·96
8. Bankura	4·20	8·87	9·87	15·99	12 11	10·86	11·37	11·13
9. Midnapore	4·97	7·40	9·80	22·18	12·68	11·90	12·50	11·48
10. Hooghly	5·52	5·64	9 93	8·85	12·06	10·63	11·85	8·59
11. Howrah	5·23	7·70	10·83	16·36	13·21	8·28	11 41	11·60
12. Rajshahi	5·75	5·63	10·27	10·36	11·42	12·35	10·19	8·07
13. Dinajpur	6·92	6·97	14·59	13·12	15·89	14·95	13·78	7·83
14. Jalpaiguri	13·27	13·28	27·15	32·19	23·67	27·07	29·06	25·12
15. Darjeeling	7·23	11·51	22·88	37·36	22·96	36·03	26·17	22·27
16. Rangpur	10·87	7·97	17·18	19·34	14·48	12·79	13·88	5·51
17. Bogra	8·09	6·71	13·14	9·23	12·57	8·87	11·85	8·73
18. Pabna	7·20	4·95	11 64	13·99	12·71	11·94	9·91	7·75
19. Malda	4·73	3·51	9·62	13·40	12·07	14·16	11·54	8·21
20. Dacca	9·35	6·37	12·79	12·22	12·70	17·27	12·64	11·79
21. Mymensingh	11·69	7·53	17·97	15·70	16·66	14·80	17·24	12 78
22. Faridpur	8·33	6·81	13·46	14·54	11·96	13·72	11·42	10·75
23. Bakarganj	8 85	6·45	17·21	13·35	17·01	20·53	16·09	16·70
24. Chittagong	9·99	5·82	21·62	26·22	26·22	27·16	21·92	17·66
25. Tippera	10·36	6·68	15·27	12·72	13·27	16·75	13·96	13·63
26 Noakhali	9·21	5·66	20·31	19·34	23·91	26·57	23·97	19·46
27. Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	9·28	4·39	18·09	14·42	20·18	18·01	17·25	22·67
28. Cooch Behar	13·90	6·52	28·42	33·44	24·78	21·21	21·63	13·30

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 1st October 1917.

Summary.—During the week under review, the rainfall was fair. More rain, however, is needed for the winter paddy crop. Transplantation of winter paddy is now nearly completed and weeding is going on. The condition and prospects of the crop are reported to be good. The steeping and washing of jute continue. The harvesting of the autumn crops is now approaching completion. Insect attacks on the rice crop are reported from places in the Burdwan Division. Cattle-disease is reported from seven districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has been practically stationary during the week.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	0·47	9	9	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter paddy has been completed in Basirhat. Steeping of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy still continue in some places. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease still continues in thana Kulpi in Diamond Harbour subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	1·65	10	(*a*)	
	Barrackpore	0·83	8	8	
	Barasat ...	0·29	9	8½	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	8½	8½	
2	Nadia ...	2·32	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	0·89	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	3·15	8½	8½	
	Chuadanga...	0·85	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	3·72	9	9	
3	Murshidabad	1·45	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. It is favourable to the standing crop. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	1·38	10	10	
	Jangipur ...	0·19	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	0·42	11½	12	
4	Jessore ..	0·88	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is finished and that of jute is nearly finished. Steeping of jute is going on. Prospects of paddy and jute are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	...	11	11	
	Magura ...	2·84	11	11	
	Narail ...	0·22	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	2·48	11½	11½	
5	Khulna ...	0·22	8	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of winter paddy are finished. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Katchua in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	2·17	8	8	
6	Burdwan ...	0·93	9	9	Weather rainy. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy are going on. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from Jamuria and Ondal thanas. Sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	1·79	10	10	
	Katwa ...	1·63	11½	11½	
	Kalna ...	0·93	10½	10	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·65	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Insects locally known as "bhenpu" are damaging standing rice crop. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Rajnagar.
	Rampurhat	0·93	11	11½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* and *kelas* paddy continues. Winter rice has been slightly damaged by "bhenpu" insects. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ranibandh, Simlapal and Taldangra thanas.
	Vishnupur ...	1·42	11	11	
9	MIDNAPORE	1 44	$10\frac{1}{16}$	$9\frac{11}{16}$	Weather rainy. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Harvesting of autumn paddy is going on and that of jute is nearing completion Outturn of jute is fair.
	Ghatal ...	0·58	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	1·62	$9\frac{3}{16}$	9½	
	Contai ...	0·57	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	0·10	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy continue. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	0·50	7½	$7\frac{11}{16}$	
	Arambagh ...	3·42	10½	10½	
11	HOWRAH ...	1·33	8½	8½	Weather rainy. Jute is being harvested. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	0·15	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	0·61	8	8	Weather cloudy and hot. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping of jute continues.
	Naogaon ...	1·02	9½	9½	
	Nator ...	2·43	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·48	9	9	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute is in progress. Transplantation of winter rice is nearing completion. Water and fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	1·24	10	10	
	Balurghat ...	3 81	$9\frac{3}{16}$	$9\frac{9}{16}$	
14	JALPAIGURI	2·34	8	8	Weather seasonable. Effect of weather is favourable for winter paddy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of jute and transplantation of winter paddy are still going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	0·83	8	8	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	2·65	8	8	Weather rainy. Harvesting of potatoes, cardamom, marua and maize is in progress. Prospects of winter rice are good. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Teesta. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	3·15	7½	(n)	
	Siliguri ...	0·16	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	0·63	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	2·09	9	9	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplanting of winter paddy is almost finished. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Kurigram only.
	Nilphamari	1·20	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	2·05	8	8	
	Gaibandha ...	1·62	8	8	
17	BOGRA ...	3·88	9½	9¾	Weather cloudy. Transplantation of autumn rice is completed. Harvesting of jute continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	2·28	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 0·27 inch. Weather hot and partially cloudy and rainy. Harvesting of jute still continues. The water of the Ganges is again rising. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease.
	Sirajganj ...	0·24	8	8	
19	MALDA ...	3·05	9½	9½	Weather cloudy with occasional rains. Harvesting of jute is finished. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	3·86	9½	9⅝	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *haimanti* seedlings has not yet been finished. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	0·18	9	9	Weather sultry. Weather condition is favourable for jute and sugarcane crops. More rain is wanted for *aman* and transplanted paddy. Harvesting of jute is approaching completion. Cutting of sugarcane is progressing satisfactorily. Recent rise of rivers has greatly benefitted the standing *aman* crops. Prospects of jute are very good. Rice and paddy are being imported from neighbouring districts. Fodder is scarce in Manikganj subdivision. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	0·38	9	9	
	Narayanganj	0·16	8½	8½	
	Munshiganj*	0·40	8½	8½	

(n) Not reported

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	Mymensingh	0·14	7 3/8	7 3/8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Transplantation of winter rice continues. Prospects are good; there has been no damage. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported except in thana Kishorganj.
	Jamalpur ...	0·72	8	8	
	Tangail ...	2·77	8 3/16	8 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	1·98	7 9/16	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	0·60	8	8	
23	Faridpur ...	4·17	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is completed in some places. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	1·96	9⅛	9⅛	
	Madaripur ...	3·32	8	8	
	Gopalganj†...	0·39	8	9	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	1·06	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	0·09	7½	7½	
	Patuakhali...	1·98	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	1·24	7½	7½	
25	Chittagong	1·69	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is nearly finished. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 8 and 6½ seers per rupee both at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	9	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	2·15	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. More rain is wanted. Prospects of *aman* paddy are good. Steeping and retting of jute are nearing completion. Very little jute is standing. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is practically finished. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported except from Kasba thana in Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·36	9⅜	9 1/16	
	Chandpur ...	1·80	9	9	
27	Noakhali ...	2·50	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Salt is selling at 8 seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	2·37	9½	9½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	5·43	8	8	Weather seasonable. Recent rain has been favourable to winter rice. Prospects are good. Harvesting of *jhum* paddy is nearly over; outturn is fair. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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Calcutta, *the 2nd October 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	4	0	4	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	4	14	0	5	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	0	0	4	14	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	0	0	5	5	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	5	0	3	10	0	0	2	0	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	8	0	4	10	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	4	0	4	8	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	6	0	3	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
4. „ dal	4	4	0	4	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	4	12	0	5	8	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	4	4	0	4	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	4	0	5	4	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	8	0	5	14	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	4	8	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
9. Salt	3	14	0	3	15	0	0	1	9	0	2	1½
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	4	0	11	14	0	0	5	0	0	7	0
11. Gur, Bheli	9	0	0	.....			0	4	0	.....		
„ Bhursut	8	12	0	9	0	0	.....			.....		
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	14	8	0	17	0	0	0	6	6	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	6	0	7	2	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	3	8	0									
„ „ 2½	4	6	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ B	7	6	0									
16. Suji	6	6	0	7	2	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	73	8	0	.....			1	12	0	2	0	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	62	8	0	.....			1	8	0	1	11	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sugar, &c.)	57	0	0	.....			1	3	0	1	7	0
18. Maize	2	4	0	2	8	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	4	0	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
20. Patal	4	8	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	4	0
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			.....			.....		
22. Onion	3	4	0	3	10	0	0	1	3	0	1	9
23. Fish, Rahu	25	0	0	30	0	0	0	10	0	0	14	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
25. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 1st October 1917.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd September 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 22nd September 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 23rd September 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	168	14,155	211	130	20,704	293
Jute	145	42,205*	559	114	61,664†	585
Firewood	62	43,125	576	18	10,950	165
Other articles	733	196,100	1,990	433	72,679	821
Total ...	1,108	295,585	3,336	695	165,997	1,864
Empty boats and rafts ...	428	...	933	372	...	756
Grand Total ...	1,536	295,585	4,269	1,067	165,997	2,620

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds 53,662½
† Ditto ditto 66,850

CALCUTTA,
The 1st October 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 30th September 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	269	17,830	279	163	28,908	325
Jute	231	68,090*	838	227	116 224†	1,079
Firewood	67	26 950	391	49	21,350	291
Other articles	842	210,533	2 280	733	138,241	1,503
Total ...	1,409	323,403	3,788	1,172	304 723	3,198
Empty boats and rafts ...	461	...	1,132	622	...	1,052
Grand Total ...	1,870	323,403	4,920	1,794	304,723	4,250

Mds
* Weight by canal measurement 75,067½
† Ditto ditto 123,775

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd October 1917.

A. W. DAVIS,
For *Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1917-18.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of August 1917.

Circle.	District	Canal	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in month.	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.							RAINFALL, 1917-18.		RAINFALL, 1916-17.		Remarks.
								Long-term leases.	SEASON LEASES.						During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.	Hot-weather.	Total.	Grand Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	226·08	252 38	59,742	77,100	64,816	9,244	...	...	...	9,244	74,060	6·48	41·56	13·50	41·43	
		Panchkura	522	5·33	0·71	115	7,806	7,830	...	...	...	...	...	7,830	10·94	62·71	10·01	37·96	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14·48	48·40	18·29	42·43	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	59,857	84,906	72,646	9,244	...	...	...	9,244	81,890	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	70,800	14,505	...	...	...	14,505	85,305	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly	Eden Canal	1,000	303	303	23,712	26,496	24,046	...	56	5	...	61	24,107	5·58	34·99	13·56	33·33	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	25,961	824	97	7	37	965	26,879	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	83,569	111,402	96,692	9,244	56	5	...	9,305	106,997	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	96,761	15,329	97	7	...	15,433	112,194	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 1st October 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 29th September 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
23rd Sep. 1917	7 A.M.	20·6	20·6	22·6	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
24th „ „	7 „	20·7	20·7	22·3	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
25th „ „	7 „	20·9	20·9	22·2	
26th „ „	7 „	21·2	21·2	22·3	
27th „ „	7 „	21·3	21·3	22·4	Its reduced level is 22·41.
28th „ „	7 „	21·4	21·4	22·2	
29th „ „	7 „	21·6	21·6	22·2	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	...	1·8· on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest „	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto „	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest „	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	...	Ditto „	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	.. ...	Ditto „	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 29th September 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 29th September 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
23rd Sep. 1917	7 A.M	12·75	61·75	60·70	R. L. of gauge post is 49·00, and from 26th September 1917 R.L. of gauge post is 61·00.
24th „ „	7 „	13·30	62·30	61·40	
25th „ „	7 „	13·70	62·70	61·50	
26th „ „	7 „	2·30	63·30	62·00	B. M. on College step 69·74.
27th „ „	7 „	2·60	63·60	62·50	
28th „ „	7 „	3·00	64·00	62 90	
29th „ „	7 „	3·40	64·40	63·00	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record	...	Highest „	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do.	...	Lowest „	...	37·68 on 26th April 1884.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	38 18 on 14th-15th April 1888.
Do.	..	Ditto „	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do.	...	Ditto „	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B —The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 29th September 1917.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 22nd September 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
16th Sept. 1917	At low tide.	64·4	Not connected with mean sea-level.	67·6	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
17th " "	Ditto	64·4		67·4	
18th " "	Ditto	64·4		67·2	
19th " "	Ditto	64·4		66·9	
20th " "	Ditto	64·4		66·7	
21st " "	Ditto	64·3		66·5	
22nd " "	Ditto	64·0		66·8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
31st "	1912	67·16	
26th "	1914	66·7	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·8	
15th "	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 24th September 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 15th September 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	413,910	(a)1,81,750	1,011,880	(b)1,33,270	(c)23,170	3,40,190	(f)36,396	(d)37,209	87,495
Or per mile of railway ...	201·22	88·36	491·92	64·79	11·24	165·38			
For previous 28 weeks of official half-year (g)	11,113,369	45,90,443	29,435,522	41,55,171	6,55,964	94 01,578	1,161,296	1,213,141	2,394,439
Total for 24 weeks ...	11,896,179	47,72,193	30,437,402	42,91,441	6,81,134	97,44,768	1,231,584	1,250,350	2,481,934
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,068 miles open	429,029	1,43,542	743,693	1,08,859	23,214	2,76,715	58,919	(e)41,373	100,292
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	207·76	69·61	359·66	52·70	11·23	134·00			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	13,128,356	49,89,999	29,416,323	39,61,830	6,76,947	95,91,776	1,522,190	1,202,936	2,725,126
Earnings for Coaching, Goods, and total train-miles respectively during the week ...		3·61		2·66	·23	3·89			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half year		2·44		2·66	·23	2·76			

(a) Decrease mainly in local passengers with an increase in amount due chiefly to enhanced fares with a slightly longer lead.
(b) Increases chiefly in local and foreign outward, the former with reduced lead; foreign inward decreased.
(c) Increase mainly under mileage and demurrage.
(d) Includes 3,483 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 6,769 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.
(g) Includes audited figures up to the 30th June 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 15th September 1917 on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total Traffic for the week	660 890	2,83,550 0 0	2,480,640 0	2,67,280 0 0	31,590 0 0	(f)6,82 420 0 0	82,289	(c) 82,585	164 874
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 422	(a) 181 0 0	1,574 0	233 0 0	(c) 16 0 0	(c)429 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year(d) ...	15,458,979	71,25 472 0 0	53,100,967 0	59,79,536 0 0	8,19,959 0 0	1,39 24 967 0 0	1,977,696	1,259,981	3,237,677
Total for 24 weeks ...	16,119,869	74,09,022 0 0	55,581,607 0	63,46,816 0 0	8,51,549 0 0	1,46,07,387 0 0	2,059,985	1,342,566	3,372,551
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	653,791	2,71,458 0 0	3,323 220 0	5,63,110 0 0	53,063 0 0	8,87,631 0 0	99,799	64,999	164,798
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 416	(b) 173 0 0	2,041 0	346 0 0	33 0 0	540 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	16,065,667	71,66,283 0 0	58,647,852 0	75 61,947 0 0	8,43,634 0 0	1,35,71,864 0 0	2,433,378	1,343,797	3,776,175

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 58 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings Rs. 6,800
(d) Audited figures to end of June 1917.
(e) Including ballast train miles, 11,261.
(f) Decrease is chiefly due to jute, rice, paddy and sundry articles.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 15th September 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	51,560	17,870 0 0	103,230 0	6,590 0 0	2,710 0 0	28,170 0 0	3,492	(b) 4,967	8,459
Per mile of railway per week	444	154 0 0	891 0	57 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 213 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year (d).	1,334,813	4,39,580 0 0	1,913,203 0	1,22,275 0 0	71,185 0 0	6,25,990 0 0	156,380	49,186	205,566
Total for 24 weeks ...	1,386,372	4,50,450 0 0	2,015,533 0	1,28,815 0 0	74,895 0 0	6,54,160 0 0	159,872	57,053	216,025
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	56 079	24,157 0 0	(d)228,883 0	13,786 0 0	3,144 0 0	41 087 0 0	6,979	3 468	10 447
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (119 mean mileage worked)	471	203 0 0	2,722 0	116 0 0	4 0 0	323 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	1,321,685	4,19,613 0 0	2,913,944 0	1,78,577 0 0	67,077 0 0	6,80,267 0 0	161,388	50,119	211,485

(a) Excluding Bahadurbad ferry earnings Rs. 3,500.
(b) Including ballast train-miles 625.
(c) Audited figures to end of June 1917.
(d) Includes certain adjustments.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ending 15th September 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,720	2,780 0 0	30,150 0	2,150 0 0	30 0 0	4,960 0 0	812	(a)340	1,152
Per mile of railway per week	204	84 0 0	914 0	65 0 0	1 0 0	150 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year (b)	130,187	62,063 0 0	880,163 0	56,764 0 0	668 0 0	1,19,495 0 0	21,708	7,576	29,284
Total for 24 weeks ...	136,907	64,843 0 0	880,313 0	58,914 0 0	698 0 0	1,24,455 0 0	22,520	7,916	30,436
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	7,090	1,996 0 0	35,146 0	2,694 0 0	54 0 0	4,744 0 0	950	269	1,219
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (23 mean mileage worked)	215	60 0 0	1,065 0	82 0 0	2 0 0	144 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	134,996	53,706 0 0	905,042 0	55,433 0 0	656 0 0	1,19,805 0 0	22,961	8,337	31,298

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of June 1917.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 15th September 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	18,630	5,240 0 0	135,140 0	7,530 0 0	40 0 0	12,800 0 0	1,288	(a) 1,902	3,190
Per mile of railway per week	333	94 0 0	2,413 0	134 0 0	1 0 0	229 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year (b)	398,157	1,26,735 0 0	2,244,403 0	1,04,234 0 0	694 0 0	2,31,663 0 0	39,125	22,073	61,198
Total for 24 weeks ...	416,787	1,31,975 0 0	2,379,543 0	1,11,774 0 0	734 0 0	2,44,463 0 0	40,413	23,975	64,388
Total for 11 weeks of calendar half-year.	182,310	58,810 0 0	1,065,639 0	52,060 0 0	400 0 0	1,06,270 0 0	18,453	10,100	28,553
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	18,397	5,134 0 0	(c)324,654 0	(c)985 0 0	80 0 0	15,169 0 0	1,687	1,677	3,364
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (54 mean mileage worked).	341	95 0 0	6,012 0	185 0 0	1 0 0	281 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	394,681	1,23,851 0 0	2,257,787 0	1,16,748 0 0	778 0 0	2,41,347 0 0	46,706	23,879	70,585
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	166,155	48,643 0 0	1,894,464 0	74,193 0 0	361 0 0	1,23,217 0 0	20,749	13,779	34,528

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of June 1917.

(c) Includes adjustment.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ending 15th September 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	3,630	2,680 0 0	38,030 0	3,250 0 0	10 0 0	5,940 0 0	1,190	(a)538	1,728
Per mile of Railway per week	163	51 0 0	717 0	61 0 0	.....	122 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 22 weeks of half-year (b)	161,572	61,443 0 0	731,459 0	50,889 0 0	504 0 0	1,12,836 0 0	17,105	7,857	24,962
Total for 24 weeks ...	170,192	64,123 0 0	759,489 0	54,139 0 0	514 0 0	1,18,776 0 0	18,295	8,395	26,690
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	6,310	2,544 0 0	77,163 0	6,096 0 0	20 0 0	8,660 0 0	1,440	728	2,168
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	164	51 0 0	1,543 0	122 0 0	.....	173 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	76,969	24,374 0 0	680,374 0	47,447 0 0	306 0 0	72,127 0 0	14,934	6,996	21,930

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of June 1917.
N.B.—The decrease in goods traffic is chiefly due to decrease in Jute traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 15th September 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96(a) miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of Passengers	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	75,000	52,000 0 0	338,000 0	61,000 0 0	6,000 0 0	1,19,000 0 0	16,792	17,977	34,769
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	59·09	.....	68·34	6·72	134·18	.....	...	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year (b)	3,149,770	13,94,966 0 0	9,480,156 0	15,47,036 0 0	2,13,805 0 0	30,54,807 0 0	350,302	420 394	770 696
Total for 24 weeks ...	3,224,770	13,46,966 0 0	9,818,156 0	16,08,036 0 0	2,18,805 0 0	31,73,807 0 0	367,094	438 371	805,465
COMPARISON									
Corresponding week of previous year —									
Proportionate actuals ...	88,923	48,594 0 0	570,821 0	96,230 0 0	20,613 0 0	1,65 536 0 0	15 624	20 529	36,153
Per mile of railway(c) ...	.....	60·67	.....	117·05	25·04	202·76	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,260,284	12,40,471 0 0	11,250,878 0	18,98,686 0 0	2,54,980 0 0	30,93 437 0 0	409,029	471,940	880,969

(a) Revised mileage takes for Tangi-Narsinganj Section.
(b) Includes audited figures up to July 1917
(c) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Incorporated in Great-Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 15th September 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 937·47 miles for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 31·28 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	85,000	56,000 0 0	358,000 0	64,000 0 0	6,000 0 0	1,26,000 0 0	17,592	18,494	36,086
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	59·74	.....	68·26	6·19	131·99	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year(a)	2,180,560	13,06,536 0 0	9,532,226 0	15,54,736 0 0	2,12,805 0 0	30,74,067 0 0	352,444	421,402	773,846
Total for 24 weeks ...	2,265,560	13,62,536 0 0	9,890 226 0	16,18,736 0 0	2,18,805 0 0	32,00,067 0 0	370,036	439,896	810,232
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals ...	98,923	48,594 0 0	5,70 221 0	96,230 0 0	20,612 0 0	1,65,536 0 0	15,624	20,529	36,153
Per mile of railway ...	.....	60·67	.....	117·05	23·04	202·76	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,260,284	12,40,471 0 0	11,258,878 0	15,98,686 0 0	2,54,290 0 0	30,93,437 0 0	409,039	471,940	880,989

(a) Includes audited figures for A.-B. Railway up to July 1917, and also approximate earnings for M. B. Railway opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 15th September 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·5 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 15·58 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,070	3,540 0 0	20,070	3,020 0 0	.....	6,720 0 0	1,100	317	1,417
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	61·59	.....	[illegible]·43	.....	103·77	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	31,340	11,340 0 0	54,450	7,70[illegible]0 0	.....	19,260 0 0	2,142	1,008	3,150
Total for 4½ weeks ...	41,410	15,300 0 0	74,520	10,730 0 0	.....	25,980 0 0	3,242	1,325	4,567
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 15th September 1917, on 2,650° mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A. P.	Mds.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.			
		(a)		(b)					
Total traffic for the week	612 695	6,68 104 0 0	9,493,644 0	16,23,417 0 0	52,160 0 0	23,43,621 0 0	154,865	347,857	502,722
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	252 1 10	.....	612 9 9	19 10 7	884 6 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 13 weeks of half-year.	14,121,666	1,52,96,022 0 0	205,325,786 0	3,35,02,255 0 0	9,75,736 0 0	4,97,74,905 0 0	3,295 033	7,566,909	10,861,942
Total from 1st April ...	14,734,361	1,59,65,026 0 0	214,819,430 0	3,51,25,672 0 0	10,27 828 0 0	5,21,18,526 0 0	3,449,898	7,914,766	11,364,664
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	701,670	6 24,577 0 0	9,764,949 0	15,44,229 0 0	85,142 0 0	22,53,948 0 0	152,882	341,004	523,886
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	240 0 7	.....	593 7 8	32 11 6	866 8 9	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	12,906,796	1,44,94,845 0 0	227,990,233 0	3,56,89,630 0 0	10,14,340 0 0	5,11,98,715 0 0	4,152,726	7,901,152	12,053,878

(a) The increase is chiefly due to enhancement of fares. (b) The increase is in coal.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs A P
*2,667	Month of April	2,611,631	25,14,764	44,631,398	70,94,650	1,45,771	97,55,175	853	2,123,358	4 9 6
*2,667	,, ,, May	2,706,734	30,86,850	42,042,837	71,59,941	2,30,387	1,04,77,178	887	2,139,849	4 14 4
*2,661	,, ,, June	2,960,113	32,51,512	42,496,103	68,14,605	2,51,800	98,17,917	861	2,089,410	4 11 2
2,649	Week ended 7th July ...	697,825	7,30,724	8,208,463	13,86,656	—17,400	20,99,980	793	462,648	4 8 7
2,649	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	601,379	6,54,700	8,000,766	14,17,087	—11,400	20,60,387	778	459,523	4 7 9
2,649	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	553,728	6,31,018	7,186,409	12,93,290	—8,400	19,15,868	721	461,976	4 1 11
2,649	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	580,574	6,06,278	7,311,243	12,03,572	8,600	19,20,450	725	445,474	4 5 0
2,649	,, ,, 4th August	587,276	6,54,859	6,044,214	10,59,927	31,600	17,46,386	659	414,817	4 3 4
2,649	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	546,463	6,06,670	6,190,018	10,01,950	38,700	16,47,320	620	391,168	4 3 2
2,649	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	562,988	6,10,775	7,130,025	11,47,341	44,700	18,04,816	681	421,848	4 4 6
2,649	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	537,035	5,75,873	7,506,985	13,11,234	79,700	19,66,807	742	442,126	4 7 0
2,650	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	569,286	7,13,080	8,601,669	14,63,948	98,570	22,75,598	857	462,466	4 11 4
2,650	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	580,787	6,68,029	9,037,766	15 48,094	86,100	23,02,223	869	503,399	4 9 2
2,650	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	612,695	6,68,104	9,493,644	16,23,417	52,160	23,43,621	884	502,722	4 10 7
	Totals up to date ...	14,734,361	1,59,65,026	214,819,430	3,51,25,672	10,27,828	5,21,18,526	817	(a) 11,364,664	4 9 5

* Audited figures.

(a) Added 21,186 being the difference between the approximate and audited train mileage for the month of July 1917.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P
2,602	Month of April	3,117,023	25,73,512	46,010,471	71,52,946	8,946	97,15,424	871	2,233 449	4 5 11
2,602	,, ,, May	3,532,780	29,58,752	45,923,761	68,59,867	—30,692	97,87,739	849	2,238,891	4 5 11
2,602	,, ,, June	3,494,316	27,98,751	41,344,718	64,01,543	1,63,095	93,63,347	840	2,182,464	4 4 8
2,602	First 1 day of July ...	116,180	97,299	1,304,360	1,88,264	5,549	2,86,042	—	67,115	4 4 3
2,602	Week ended 8th ,, ...	761,244	6,41,751	9,3.9 233	13,89,801	44,060	20,75 613	798	494,351	4 3 3
2,602	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	773,266	5,81,727	8,998 437	13,80,086	61,836	20,23,649	778	489,023	4 3 3
2,602	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	654,066	5,39,075	8,636,657	12,97,659	59,297	18,96,031	729	475,181	3 15 10
2,602	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	638,581	5,17,092	8,487,606	12,93,107	49,189	18 59 338	715	468,627	4 0 2
2,602	,, ,, 5th August	660,063	5,35,705	8,488.945	12,94,320	57,325	18,90,351	727	474,918	3 15 8
2,602	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	681,668	5,44,763	8,887,117	13,91,407	61,982	20,18,151	776	482,110	4 3 0
2,602	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	683,117	5,39,969	8,860,108	13,79,407	68,221	20,27,597	779	486,081	4 3 9
2,602	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	621,445	5,37,993	8,568,316	14,18,806	94,460	20,51,259	788	509,443	4 0 5
2,603	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	629,982	5 87,131	8,818,726	14,06,682	1,36,700	20,70,483	796	511,990	4 0 8
2,602	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	633,795	5,31,543	9,443,901	15,80,061	1,19,420	21,81,024	838	511,448	4 4 3
2,602	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	701,670	6,24,577	9,764,949	15,44,229	85,142	22,53,948	866	522,886	4 4 10
	Totals up to date ...	18,000 976	1,45,92,622	229,354,309	3,59,02,955	10,14,486	5,15,00,013	830	12,196,794	4 3 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th September 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. M.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	41,802	39,499 0 0	775,600 0	56,107 0 0	890 0 0	96,496 0 0	13,192	9,939	22 131
Or per mile of railway...	.....	202 8 11	.....	287 11 6	4 9 0	494 13 7	.....	.....	.....
For previous 28 weeks of the f-year.	1,095,479	9,33,652 0 0	12,069 883 0	7,43,935 0 0	10,076 0 0	16,87,653 0 0	276,604	225,780	502,384
Total from 1st April ...	1,137,281	9,73,151 0 0	12 845,483 0	8,00 032 0 0	10,966 0 0	17,84,149 0 0	289,796	235,689	524,485
COMPARISON.									
Total for co responding week of previous year.	39,536	38 899 0 0	394,289 0	36,114 0 0	1.091 0 0	75,604 0 0	12,302	9,895	22,197
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	196 14 8	.....	185 3 3	5 9 6	387 11 5	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,167,364	8,62 675 0 0	11,753,103 0	7,30,960 0 0	10,553 0 0	16 04,178 0 0	275,703	203,417	479,120

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195*	Month of April ...	179,788	1,60,933	2 898,730	1,61 066	1,513	3,23,532	387	97,654	3 5 0
195*	,, ,, May ...	193,190	1,36,189	2.903,410	1,73,144	1,366	3,12,699	362	110,125	2 13 5
195*	,, ,, June ...	232 884	2,01,128	3,104,218	1,62,034	3,057	3,63,228	436	92,933	3 15 1
195	Week ended 7th July ...	57,118	45,867	314 882	26 725	890	72,982	374	20 300	3 9 6
195	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	52,099	42,635	403,174	31,252	390	74,277	381	20,310	3 10 6
195	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	48,296	41,706	231,068	19,334	390	61,430	335	20,681	3 1 1
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	51,307	41,364	241,489	19,850	390	61,614	316	19,505	3 2 7
195	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	51,939	42,071	196 029	16,942	390	59,703	301	19,454	3 0 6
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	48,871	42,114	216,041	19,119	390	61,624	316	19,259	3 3 0
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	45,071	42,104	260,047	22,450	290	64,844	333	19,086	3 6 6
195	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	45,090	42,803	364,902	26 616	290	70,710	363	20,010	3 9 6
195	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	43,898	42,721	336,486	26,140	420	69,681	357	20,536	3 6 4
195	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	43,998	46,617	587,443	39,913	890	87,420	448	20,508	4 4 2
195	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	41,802	39,499	775,600	56,107	890	96,496	495	22,131	4 5 9
	Totals up to date ...	1,137,281	9,73,151	12,845,483	800 932	10,966	17,84 149	381	(a)524,485	3 6 5

* Audited figures.

(a) 524,485 being the difference between the approximate and audited train mileage for the month of July 1917.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. 1916-17.

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	Month of April ...	203,081	1,62,986	2,411,819	1,41,217	1,184	3,05,387	365	93,803	3 3 11
195	,, ,, May ...	230,952	1,64,097	2,068,098	1,41,340	1,184	3,06,620	335	86,809	3 9 2
195	,, ,, June ...	233,117	1,49,366	2,402,641	1,43,640	2,411	2 95,717	354	84,007	3 7 3
195	First 1 day of July ...	6,461	5,030	67,475	2,704	43	7,737	.....	2,763	2 13 1
195	Week ended 8th ,, ...	50,590	34 136	435,720	27,714	441	62,291	319	20,185	3 1 4
195	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	48,934	34,458	353,191	22,472	441	57,049	295	19,449	2 15 4
195	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	42,274	34,007	324,012	18,806	441	54,554	282	18,545	2 15 4
195	,, ,, 29th ,, ...	42,011	33,237	379,160	22,496	441	56,194	288	16,836	3 5 5
195	,, ,, 5th Aug. ...	45,999	35,289	407,385	21,653	337	57,191	293	21,226	2 11 1
195	,, ,, 12th ,, ...	45,198	34,542	441,490	22,645	317	57,504	294	20,120	2 13 7
195	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	46,945	36,988	442,589	24, 49	317	61,338	314	19,763	3 1 8
195	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	43,960	33,065	445,419	32,608	317	64,990	334	19,355	3 5 9
195	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	40,841	35 916	472,098	37,823	565	73,604	376	23,331	3 2 4
195	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	43,819	37,364	518,041	39,362	1,091	78,817	403	21,096	3 11 8
195	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	39,536	38,399	394,289	36,114	1,091	75,604	348	22,197	3 6 6
	Totals up to date ...	1,173,906	8,62,958	11,806,397	7,31,685	10,549	16,14,842	343	482,082	3 5 7

JHIND-PANIPAT EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th September 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,[illegible]3	1,781 0 0	25,857 0	1,990 0 0	10 0 0	3,781 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	... ...	40 7 7	.....	45 3 8	0 3 8	85 14 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year.	204,630	51,449 0 0	413,758 0	25,806 0 0	290 0 0	77,545 0 0	21,164	8,062	29,226
Total from 1st April ...	211,161	53,230 0 0	439 615 0	27,796 0 0	300 0 0	81,326 0 0	22,081	8,367	30,448

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*44	Month of April ...	29,151	6,041	63,509	1,298	49	7,386	39	5,736	1 6 7
*44	,, of May ...	41,353	10,342	76,710	4,334	81	14,957	77	5,921	2 8 8
*44	,, of June ...	46,806	10,856	103,855	9,521	60	20,437	106	5,359	3 14 8
44	Week ended 7th July ...	9,628	2,531	19,129	1,183	10	3,724	85	1,222	3 0 9
44	,, ,, 14th ,, ...	9,226	2,593	16,989	1,184	10	3,787	86	1,222	3 1 7
44	,, ,, 21st ,, ...	7,491	2,026	28,573	1,770	10	3,803	86	1,222	3 1 10
44	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	9,428	2 584	21,518	1,375	10	3,969	90	1,222	3 4 0
44	,, ,, 4th Aug. ...	8,899	2,430	19,875	860	10	3,300	75	1,222	2 11 2
44	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	8,687	2,378	13,99'	909	10	3 297	75	1,222	2 11 3
44	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	7,932	2,004	14,844	676	10	2,690	66	1,222	2 3 10
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	9,274	2,418	13,457	1,094	10	3,522	80	1,222	2 14 1
44	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	13,814	2,782	7,928	392	10	3,184	72	1,222	2 9 8
44	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	9,851	2,267	12,380	1,012	10	3,289	75	1,222	2 11 1
44	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	8,831	1,781	25,857	1,990	10	3,781	86	1,222	3 1 6
	Totals up to date ...	211,161	53,230	439 615	27,796	300	81,326	77	(a)30,448	2 10 9

* Audited figures.

(a) Added 590 being the difference between the approximate and audited train mileage for the month of July 1917.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 15th September 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,108	18,592 0 0	27,946 0	11,780 0 0	108 0 0	30,887 0 0	3,204	2,991	6,196
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	373 0 0	.....	231 0 0	2 0 0	606 0 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 23 weeks of the half-year	1,05,466	2,94,653 0 0	619,146 0	2,57,697 0 0	4,073 0 0	5,56,423 0 0	58,504	83,353	1,39,857
Total traffic up to 15th September 1917 ...	1,10 569	3,13,252 0 0	646,292 0	2,69,477 0 0	4,181 0 0	5,87,310 0 0	59,708	86,344	1,46,052
(168 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	256 0 0	.....	220 0 0	4 0 0	480 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,225	14,594 0 0	28,447 0	12,743 0 0	134 0 0	27,491 0 0	3,038	2,599	5,637
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	286 0 0	.....	250 0 0	3 0 0	539 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,10,546	3,17,949 0 0	777,769 0	3,26,985 0 0	4,239 0 0	6,49,064 0 0	67,593	90,826	1,58,319
Or per week per mile of railway	...	260 0 0	.....	267 0 0	3 0 0	530 0 0	...	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week	+	4,405	—	963	—	45	+	3,396	
Difference up to date	—	4,247	—	57,468	—	49	—	61,764	

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local passengers and Troop traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Public Coal and Potatoes traffic.

DARJEELING HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 16th September 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	5 071	3,635 0 0	9 201 0	1,319 0 0	17 0 0	3,971 0 0	621	1,479	2,100
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of the half-year	1,30,729	56,650 0 0	364,867 0	31,853 0 0	606 0 0	89,109 0 0	14,743	35,752	50,495
Total traffic up to 15th September 1917	1,35 800	59,285 0 0	373,868 0	33.172 0 0	623 0 0	93,080 0 0	15,364	37,231	52.595
(168 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	28 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,715	2,067 0 0	16,469 0	959 0 0	27 0 0	3,053 0 0	1,006	815	1,821
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	30 0 0	...	14 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,43,778	48,309 0 0	342,639 0	28 865 0 0	548 0 0	77,762 0 0	21,976	24,964	46,940
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	29 0 0	...	17 0 0	...	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week ...		+ 568		+ 360	— 10	+ 218			
Difference up to date ...		+ 10,976		+ 4,307	+ 35	+ 15,318			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Hide Raw and Cardamoms traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI—TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 15th September 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week,	619	385 0 0	3,117 0	628 0 0	1 0 0	1,014 0 0	214	598	812
Or per week mile of railway	.....	13 0 0	...	21 0 0	.....	34 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of the half year	14,130	9,867 0 0	346,678 0	38 690 0 0	125 0 0	48,181 0 0	4,410	15,419	19,829
Total traffic up to 15th September 1917	14,749	10,252 0 0	349,695 0	36 727 0 0	126 0 0	47 205 0 0	4,624	16.017	20,641
(168 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	15 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	168	151 0 0	845 0	—3 0 0	11 0 0	159 0 0	101	74	175
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	13,539	9,571 0 0	186,825 0	33 136 0 0	442 0 0	43.149 0 0	5,213	9.537	14.750
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	13 0 0	.....	46 0 0	1 0 0	60 0 0	.....	.....	...
NOTES.—Difference for the week		+ 274		+ 641	— 10	+ 905			
Difference up to date		+ 781		+ 3,591	— 316	+ 4,056			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in tea and Cardamoms traffic

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 5th September 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	6,399	1,364 0 0	89 155 0	13,870 0 0	(a)414 0 0	16,148 0 0	535	(d)735	1,270
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	52 0 0	...	385 0 0	5 0 0	(c) 442 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 23 weeks of half-year.*	163,945	44,330 0 0	1,780,838 0	2,38,892 0 0	9,275 0 0	2,92,997 0 0	12,852	19,960	32,792
Total for 24 weeks ...	169,323	46,694 0 0	1,869,993 0	2,52,762 0 0	9,689 0 0	3,09,145 0 0	13,387	20,695	34,082
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,199	1,794 0 0	94,890	14,036 0 0	(b)418 0 0	16,248 0 0	808	(c 575	1,183
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	50 0 0	...	390 0 0	4 0 0	(c 444 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	170,739	45,391 0 0	1,918,463	2,46,319 0 0	10,774 0 0	3,02,484 0 0	12,798	22,651	35,449

(a) Includes ferry earnings Rs. 251.
(b) Ditto. 1916, Rs. 260.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles Nil.
(e) Ditto. 1916, 40.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of June 1917.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th September 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	13,490	4,083 0 0	125,133 0	18,866 0 0	32 0 0	22,981 0 0	1,977	3,499	5,476
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	35 0 0	...	161 0 0	...	196 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 23 weeks of half-year.*	344,175	1,09,150 0 0	3,489,240 0	3,42,737 0 0	5,998 0 0	4,58,885 0 0	44,760	86,740	131,500
Total for 24 weeks ...	357,665	1,13,233 0 0	3,614,373 0	3,61,603 0 0	7,030 0 0	4,81,866 0 0	46,737	90,238	136,975
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	13,436	3,983 0 0	120,191 0	20,606 0 0	41 0 0	24,630 0 0	1,498	(b)3,589	5,087
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	34 0 0	...	176 0 0	1 0 0	211 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	347,926	1,06,320 0 0	2,574,569 0	3,80,796 0 0	3,343 0 0	4,90,459 0 0	45,274	83,229	128,703

(a) Ballast train-miles, 384. (b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 598.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of June 1917.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION No. 380-F., Delhi, the 1st March 1917.

INDIAN WAR LOAN.

The whole of the cash subscriptions received will be given to His Majesty's Government for the prosecution of the War.

5 per cent. War Loan 1929—1947.

5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920, 5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.

Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates (Issue of 1917-18).

Principal and interest secured on the assets and revenues of the Government of India.

I. War Loan 1929—1947.

ISSUE PRICE: Rs. 95 PER CENT. payable as follows:

For fully paid allotments: Rs. 95 per cent. on application.

For instalment allotments: Rs. 15 per cent. on application and the balance in four monthly instalments of Rs 20 per cent. each on the 15th day, or if that be a Sunday, on the 16th day, of the first, second, third, and fourth months succeeding that in which the application is made.

INTEREST: Rs. 5 PER CENT. per annum payable on the 15th February and the 15th August.

DATE OF REDEMPTION.—If not previously redeemed, the War Loan 1929—1947 will be repaid at par on the 15th August 1947: but the Government of India reserve to themselves the right to redeem the Loan or any part of it at par, on or after the 15th August 1929, on giving three calendar months' notice in the *Gazette of India*.

SINKING FUND.—For the purpose of providing against depreciation in the market price of the War Loan 1929—1947, the Government of India undertake to set aside annually a sum equal to one and one-half per cent. of the amount of the War Loan 1929—1947 to form a fund to be used for the purchase of securities of that loan for cancellation, whenever the market price falls below the issue price.

II. War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922.

(FREE OF INCOME-TAX)

ISSUE PRICE: Rs. 100 PER CENT. payable as follows:

For fully paid allotments: Rs. 100 per cent. on application.

For instalment allotments: Rs. 20 per cent. on application and the balance in four monthly instalments of Rs. 20 per cent. each on the 15th day, or if that day be a Sunday, on the 16th day, of the first, second, third, and fourth months succeeding that in which the application is made.

INTEREST: Rs. 5½ PER CENT. per annum payable on the 15th February and the 15th August.

DATE OF REDEMPTION: War Bonds 1920 are repayable on the 15th August 1920, War Bonds 1922 on the 15th August 1922.

III. Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates.

(FREE OF INCOME-TAX)

FOR

Rs. 10, Rs. 20, Rs. 50, and Rs. 100.

PAYABLE 5 YEARS AFTER ISSUE.

ISSUE PRICE:

Rs. 7-12, Rs. 15-8, Rs. 38-12 and Rs. 77-8.

These certificates may also be cashed at the Post Office of issue at any time during the five-year period at the rates prescribed in Annexure D to this Notification.

Form of securities.

1. Securities in respect of War Loan 1929—1947, War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922, will be issued at the option of the applicant (to be stated in his application) in the following forms:—

(1) Inscribed Stock Certificate . . transferable by deed;
(2) Promissory Notes . . . . transferable by endorsement;
(3) Bearer Bonds . . . . . transferable by delivery.

In the absence of any specified option, securities will, in the first instance, be issued in the form of Inscribed Stock Certificates.

Income-tax.

2. Interest on War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 will be exempt from income-tax but not from super-tax.

Interest on War Loan 1929—1947 is not exempt from income-tax or super-tax. Income-tax will be levied in accordance with the provisions of Part III of the Second Schedule of the Income-tax Act.

Conversion rights.

3. For every Rs. 100 (nominal) of War Loan 1929—1947 taken up, the subscriber may convert Rs. 150 (nominal) of the 3 per cent., of any of the

3½ per cent. Rupee Loans, or of the 4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 1916-17, of the Government of India, and receive in lieu thereof War Loan 1929—1947 at the rate of—

Rs. 65 War Loan (nominal), for every Rs. 100 (nominal), of 3 per cent. loan converted
" 76 " " " " " " of 3½ " " " " "
" 92 " " " " " " of 4 " " Conversion Loan converted

together with such further amount of War Loan as may be required to make up an exact multiple of Rs. 100, subject to the payment in cash of this further amount less one anna in the rupee.

4. Conversion rights may be exercised at any time after the 1st November 1917 but not later than the 15th January 1918. Conversion warrants will be negotiable and will be issued in Bearer form.

5. Securities of War Loan 1929—1947 issued by conversion will bear interest from the 15th August 1917. No interest will be paid separately in respect of the cash payments made under clause 3 above.

6. Holdings of War Loan 1929—1947, War Bonds 1920, and War Bonds 1922, do not carry any right of conversion into any future issue that may be made by the Government of India.

Applications.

7. Applications for War Loan 1929—1947, War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 (other than applications through the Post Office under the procedure described in clauses 20 to 23 of this Notification) should be in the form appended (Annexure A), and may be presented any day from Thursday, the 15th March 1917, to Friday, the 15th June 1917, to any of the following officers or persons:—

(1) The Controller of Currency, Calcutta, or any Provincial Accountant-General or Comptroller.
(2) The Secretaries and Treasurers, Banks of Bengal, Bombay and Madras, at their Head Offices, or the Agents of these Banks at any Indian Branch, and
(3) Officers in charge of Government treasuries at district head-quarters.

8. Applications must be for sums of Rs. 100 or multiples of that sum.

9. Applications for the sum of Rs. 100 only must in all cases be accompanied by full payment, namely, Rs. 95 in the case of War Loan 1929—1947, and Rs. 100 in the case of War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922.

10. Applications for sums of Rs. 200 or more in War Loan 1929—1947, War Bonds 1920 or War Bonds 1922 may be either for—

(*a*) Fully paid allotments, or
(*b*) Instalment allotments.

11. Applications for Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates will be regulated by the procedure described in clauses 32 to 40 of this Notification.

Brokerage.

12. A commission of one-eighth per cent. will be allowed to recognised bankers and brokers on allotments made in respect of cash applications bearing their stamp, but this commission will not be allowed in respect of applications received through the Post Office, including applications for Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates, or in respect of applications for conversion.

Supplementary provisions.

Fully paid allotments.

13. Applications for fully paid allotments must in all cases be accompanied by payment of the full amount payable. Fully paid Allotment Letters, exchangeable in due course for Securities, viz., Stock Certificates, Promissory Notes, or Bearer Bonds, will be issued in respect of such allotments. Interest due from the date of payment to the 14th August 1917 will be payable by warrant at the time of the issue of Securities, which will bear interest payable half-yearly commencing from the 15th August 1917.

Instalment allotments.

14. Applications for instalment allotments must in all cases be accompanied by payment of the first amount of the instalment stated above to be payable in respect of such applications. In the case of default in the payment of any instalment by its proper date, any instalments previously paid will be liable to forfeiture. Allotment Certificates exchangeable in due course for Securities, viz., Stock Certificates, Promissory Notes, or Bearer Bonds, will be issued in respect of such allotments.

In the case of instalment allotments paid in full on or before the 15th August 1917, the interest due on the instalments from the date of actual payment to the 14th August 1917 will be payable by warrant at the time of issue of Securities, which will bear interest payable half-yearly commencing from the 15th August 1917.

In the case of instalment allotments paid in full after the 15th August 1917, the interest due on the instalments from the date of actual payment to the 14th February 1918 will be payable by warrant at the time of issue of Securities, which will bear interest payable half-yearly commencing from the 15th February 1918.

Method of payment.

15. Applications must be accompanied either—

(1) By a receipt for the amount payable thereon, from the Head Office, or any Indian Branch Office, of the Banks of Bengal, Bombay and Madras, or from an officer in charge of a Government Treasury at district headquarters, or

(2) By a cheque, for the amount payable thereon, drawn in favour of the officer to whom, and on a Bank in the place at which, the application is presented, or

(3) By whole currency notes for the amount payable thereon.

Subsequent instalments may be paid into the Head Office, or any Indian Branch Office of the Bank of Bengal, Bombay or Madras, or into any Government Treasury at district headquarters to be named by the applicant in his application.

Conversion procedure.

16. Conversion warrants will be issued by the Public Debt Office, which in this connection means the Presidency Banks of Bengal, Bombay and Madras, respectively, at their Head Offices, on presentation of the Allotment Letters or of the Allotment Certificates (after these latter have been fully paid up) referred to in clauses 13 and 14 above.

17. Applications for conversion duly completed should be made within the dates prescribed in clause 4 to—

(1) The Public Debt Office, as above defined, or any Indian Branch Office of a Presidency Bank ; or

(2) A Government Treasury at district headquarters, for transmission to the Public Debt Office.

and should be accompanied—

(1) By the necessary Conversion warrants,

(2) By the securities (duly receipted) tendered for conversion and

(3) By the cash payment, if any, referred to in clause 3.

18. The same warrant may be used partly for the conversion of securities of the 4 per cent. Conversion Loan and partly for the conversion of securities of the 3½ per cent. or the 3 per cent. Rupee Loans. Where the securities thus converted do not exhaust the full amount of conversion rights allowed by the Conversion warrant the holder may apply to, and will then receive from, the Public Debt Office a fresh warrant for the difference.

19. On application by the holder a warrant will be sub-divided by the Public Debt Office into two or more warrants on payment of a fee of 4 annas in respect of each of the warrants issued in exchange.

POST OFFICE SECTION.

(SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR APPLICATIONS THROUGH THE POST OFFICE.)

20. Applications for War Loan 1929—1947, War Bonds 1920, and War Bonds 1922 will also be received at any Post Office authorised to transact savings bank business from Thursday, the 15th March 1917, to Monday, the 15th October 1917, from any person whether previously a depositor in the Post Office savings bank or not: subject to the conditions stated in the following clauses.

Form of application.

21. Applications must be made in the special form prescribed in Annexure B.

Maximum and minimum amounts.

22. Applications through the Post Office must be for sums of Rs. 25 or any multiple thereof. The same person may not apply for or hold through the Post Office more than Rs. 22,500 in all under this Notification, of which

not more than Rs. 7,500 may be in War Loan 1929—1947; not more than Rs. 7,500 may be in War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 singly or together; and not more than Rs. 7,500 may be in Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates—see clause 37.

NOTES.—(1) Applications through the Post Office under this Notification will be permitted irrespective of any holdings of other securities previously obtained through the Post Office.

(2) Amounts of War Loan 1929—1947 obtained by conversion will not be taken into account in applying the above limits

Amounts payable.

23. Amounts applied for must be paid in full with the application and are not payable in instalments. But the same person may present more than one application, provided his aggregate applications do not exceed the limits prescribed in clause 22.

Method of payment.

24. The payments due as in the preceding clause may be made in either of the following ways or partly in each :—

(*a*) By transfer from any balance in cash standing at the credit of the applicant's savings bank account if he has one;

(*b*) By a payment in coin or currency notes, or by a crossed cheque drawn on a recognized Bank in favour of the Head Postmaster of the place at which such Bank is established.

Securities.

25. Securities in respect of applications made through the Post Office will be issued either in the form of Promissory Notes or Stock Certificates. Securities thus issued may be left in the custody of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs.

Income-tax.

26. Interest payable on War Bonds 1920 and War Bonds 1922 is exempt from income-tax. Securities of the War Loan 1929—1947 are specially exempted from income-tax if deposited with the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, and for so long as they are so deposited.

Interest.

27. Interest due from the date of payment of the amount applied for to the next regular date of half-yearly payment of interest (15th August 1917 or 15th February 1918 as the case may be) will be paid in cash at the time of issue of the Securities. Future interest will begin to accrue

from the 15th August 1917 when payment of the amount applied for is made on or before the 15th August 1917 and

from the 15th February 1918 when payment of the amount applied for is made after the 15th August 1917.

Conversion.

28. An applicant for War Loan 1929—1947 through the Post Office will receive a negotiable Conversion warrant (together with forms of application for conversion) enabling him to exercise the rights specified in clause 3 above either in the manner stated in clause 17, or through the agency of the Post Office as in clause 29.

29. Conversion of securities of the 3 per cent., of any of the 3½ per cent. Rupee Loans or of the 4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 1916-17, will, subject to the cash payment, if any, referred to in clause 3, be effected by the Post Office in all cases in which the securities tendered for conversion are already in deposit with, or were originally purchased by the convertor through, the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, on presentation at any Post Office savings bank office, after the 1st November 1917 and before the 15th January 1918,

(*a*) Of the necessary Conversion warrants (whether obtained through the Post Office or not) and the form of application for conversion duly filled up; and

(*b*) Of the securities (if any) endorsed to the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs.

30. If the securities thus converted do not exhaust the full amount of conversion rights covered by the Conversion warrant, the holder will receive from the Post Office a fresh warrant for the difference, unless the unutilised amount is less than Rs. 500, in which case the warrant for the difference will be issued only on special application being made.

31. A Conversion warrant issued through the Post Office may be subdivided on application by the holder to the Public Debt Office, in the manner stated in clause 19.

Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates.

CERTIFICATES FOR Rs. 10, Rs. 20, Rs. 50 AND Rs. 100 PAYABLE FIVE YEARS AFTER ISSUE.

32. Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates may be obtained at any time on and after the *1st April 1917* at all Post Offices at which savings bank business is transacted.

33. These Certificates will be in the form shown in Annexure C attached, and will be in four denominations:—

Rs. 10	obtainable on payment of	Rs. 7-12.
Rs. 20	,,	,,	Rs. 15-8.
Rs. 50	,,	,,	Rs. 38-12.
Rs. 100	,,	,,	Rs. 77-8.

34. The full amount shown in the Certificate will be payable five years after the date of issue. But at any time within the five years period the holder will be entitled to payment in cash at the rates prescribed in the table attached as Annexure D.

35. Such payment will ordinarily be made at the Post Office of issue and on presentation of the Certificate. But on application to the Postmaster of the office of issue and on cause being shown, payment at any other Post Office conducting savings bank business may be permitted.

36. No income-tax will be levied on these Certificates.

37. The maximum holding of these Certificates by any single individual shall not exceed Rs. 7,500 irrespective of any holdings of securities obtained by him through the Post Office of 3 per cent., 3½ per cent., or 4 per cent. Rupee Loans, or of War Loan 1929—1947 or War Bonds 1920 or War Bonds 1922.

38. These Certificates may not be transferred except by permission of the Postmaster-General of the Circle in which the Post Office of issue is situated.

39. These Certificates will be kept, if so desired, in the custody of the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs.

40. Forms of application for these Certificates may be obtained from any Post Office.

By order of the Governor-General in Council,

J. B. BRUNYATE,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ANNEXURE A.

No.

5 per cent. War Loan 1929—1947.

APPLICATION FOR "FULLY-PAID ALLOTMENT."

1. In terms of the Notification of the Government of India, No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, $\frac{I}{We}$ hereby apply for a *Fully-paid Allotment* of Rupees (*a*) _____ of the above-mentioned issue.

(*a*) *Figures and words should be written here.*

2. I enclose $\frac{\text{a receipt}}{\text{a cheque}}$ / currency notes for rupees _____ being the amount of the required payment at the rate of Rs. 95 for every Rs 100 of the loan applied for.

3. $\frac{I}{We}$ request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be—

1. Inscribed as Stock :
2. Issued in Promissory Notes of the denominations stated below :
3. Issued in Bonds to Bearer of the denominations stated below :

NOTE.—*Securities will be issued in the form of Inscribed Stock certificate unless another form of security is specified in the application.*

_____ $\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs. _____ each.

_____ $\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs. _____ each.

_____ $\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs. _____ each.

Signature _____

Allotment Letter to be sent to _____

Address _____

Date 1917.

ANNEXURE A.

No.

5 per cent. War Loan, 1929—1947.

APPLICATION FOR "INSTALMENT ALLOTMENT."

1. In terms of the Notification of the Government of India, No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, I/we hereby apply for an *Instalment Allotment* of Rupees (*a*)_____ of the above mentioned issue.

(*a*) *Figures and words should be written here.*

2. I enclose a receipt / a cheque / currency note for Rs._____ being the amount of the first instalment at the rate of Rs. 15 for every Rs. 100 of the loan applied for.

3. I/we hereby engage to pay (*b*) at the Bank of / at the Branch of the Bank of ____ at / into the Public Treasury at ____ to the account of Government the instalments as they shall become due on any allotment that may be made in respect of this application, as provided by the above notification, that is to say—

(*b*) *Here enter the name of the Presidency Bank or Branch of Presidency Bank or Treasury at which the instalments will be paid and score out unnecessary words.*

Rs. ____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of____ 1917 (*c*).

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Rs. ____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of ____ 1917 (*c*).

Rs.____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of 1917 (*c*).

(*c*) *Here fill in the first, second, third and fourth months following that in which this application is made*

4. I/We request that any allotments made in respect of this application may be—

1. Inscribed as Stock.
2. Issued in Promissory Notes of the denominations stated below:
3. Issued in Bonds to Bearer of the denominations stated below:

Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer of Rs. ____ each.

Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer of Rs. ____ each.

Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer of Rs.____ each.

NOTE.—*Securities will be issued in the form of Inscribed Stock certificate unless another form of security is specified in the application.*

Signature _____

Allotment Certificate to be sent to _____

Address_____

*Date*_____ *1917.*

ANNEXURE A.

No.

5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920, 5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.

APPLICATION FOR "FULLY-PAID ALLOTMENT."

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1. In terms of the Notification of the Government of India, No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{we}}$ hereby apply for a *Fully-paid Allotment* of Rupees (*a*)_____ of

(*b*) $\frac{\text{War Bonds 1920.}}{\text{War Bonds 1922.}}$

(*a*) *Figures and words should be written here.*

(*b*) *Strike out top or bottom line.*

2. $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ enclose $\frac{\text{a receipt}}{\text{a cheque}}$ / currency notes for Rs. _____ being the amount of the required payment at the rate of Rs. 100 for every Rs. 100 in Bonds of the issue applied for.

3. $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be—

1. Inscribed as Stock:
2. Issued in Promissory Notes of the denominations stated below:
3. Issued in Bonds to Bearer of the denominations stated below:

NOTE.—*Securities will be issued in the form of Inscribed Stock certificate unless another form of security is specified in the application.*

$\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs._____each.

$\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs._____each.

$\frac{\text{Promissory Notes}}{\text{Bonds to Bearer}}$ of Rs._____each.

Signature

Allotment Letter to be sent to

Address_____

*Date*_____ *1917.*

Note.—This form must be used for application of *ONE ONLY* of the issues of War Bonds. Applications for allotments of the two issues must be made on *separate forms.*

ANNEXURE A.

No.

5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920, 5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.

APPLICATION FOR "INSTALMENT ALLOTMENT."

1. In terms of the Notification of the Government of India, No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ hereby apply for an *Instalment Allotment* of Rupees (*a*)_____ of

(*a*) *Figures and words should be written here.*
(*b*) *Strike out top or bottom line.*

(*b*) War Bonds 1920. / War Bonds 1922.

2. $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ enclose a receipt / a cheque / currency notes for Rs. ____ being the amount of the first instalment at the rate of Rs. 20 for every Rs. 100 of Bonds in the issue applied for.

(*c*) *Here enter the Presidency Bank or Branch of Presidency Bank or Treasury at which the instalments will be paid and score out unnecessary words.*

3. $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ hereby engage to pay (*c*) at the Bank of / at the Branch of the Bank of / into the Public Treasury at ____ at. to the account of Government the instalments as they shall become due on any allotment that may be made in respect of this application, as provided by the above notification, that is to say—

(*d*) *Here fill in the first, second, third and fourth months following that in which the application is made.*

Rs._____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of_____1917.(*d*)

Rs. ____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of ____ 1917.(*d*)

Rs. ____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of_____ 1917.(*d*)

Rs. ____ being 20 per cent. of the amount applied for due on the 15th day of ____ 1917.(*d*)

NOTE.—*Securities will be issued in the form of Inscribed Stock certificate unless another form of security is specified*

4. $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{We}}$ request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be—

1. Inscribed as Stock :
2. Issued in Promissory Notes of the denominations stated below :
3. Issued in Bonds to Bearer of the denominations stated below :

__ Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer - of Rs. ____ each.

____ Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer of Rs.____ __ each.

__ Promissory Notes / Bonds to Bearer __ of Rs.____ each.

Signature

Allotment Certificate to be sent to _____

Address _____

Date __ *1917.*

Note.—This form must be used for application of *ONE ONLY* of the issues of War Bonds. Applications for allotments of the two issues must be made on *separate forms.*

ANNEXURE B.

Form of application through the Post Office for 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929—1947.

(To be presented at any Post Office which does savings bank business not later than the 15th October 1917. This form may be detached and used if required.)

In terms of the Government of India Notification No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917,

1 (*a*) _____

hereby apply for an allotment of Rupees (*b*) _____

of the above-mentioned issue.

In payment (*c*) of the amount applied for by me

(1) I tender herewith { in cash Rs. _____ / by cheque Rs. _____

(2) I authorise withdrawal of Rs. _____ from the amount at my credit at the Post Office Savings Bank, and enclose the Pass Book herewith.

TOTAL Rs. _____

(a) Please write legibly.

(b) Figures and words should be written here.

(c) Amounts paid in cash or by cheque and amounts, if any, paid by withdrawal from the savings bank balance should be shown separately in the space provided The unnecessary clause, if any, should be scored out.

(A) (*d*) I request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be held by the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, on my behalf and the interest thereon credited to—

(*i*) my existing Savings Bank Account No. _____ open at the _____ Post Office.

(*ii*) a Savings Bank account to be opened for the purpose at the _____ Post Office.

(d) Please fill up either (A) or (B) and score out the other.

Clause (i) to be scored through if the applicant has no account already open.

(B) I request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be—

(*i*) Inscribed as Stock.

(*ii*) Issued in Promissory Notes of the following denominations enfaced for payment of interest at the _____ Treasury.

_____ Promissory Notes of Rs. _____ each.

_____ Promissory Notes of Rs. _____ each.

I request that a warrant authorising the conversion of securities of the 3 per cent. or of any of the 3½ per cent. Rupee Loans or of the 4 per cent. Conversion Loan, 1916-17, of the Government of India under the terms specified in clause 3 of the notification quoted above may also be delivered to me.

Signature _____

Address _____

Date _____ 1917.

Date of presentation at the Post Office.

Head Office Stamp

Register No.

(To be noted by the receiving Postmaster.)

(To be noted by the Head Postmaster.)

ANNEXURE B.

Form of application through the Post Office for 5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920 : 5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.

(To be presented at any post office which does savings bank business not later than the 15th October 1917. This form may be detached and used if required.)

In terms of the Government of India Notification No. 380-F., dated the 1st March 1917, I (*a*)_____.

(*a*) *Please write legibly.*

hereby apply for an allotment of Rupees(*b*)_____

(*b*) *Figures and words should be written here.*

_____ in (*c*)War Bonds 1920. / War Bonds 1922.

(*c*) *Strike out top or bottom line.*

In payment(*d*) of the amount applied for by me

(1) I tender herewith { in cash Rs. _____ / by cheque Rs. _____

(2) I authorise withdrawal of Rs. from the amount at my credit at the Post Office Savings Bank, and enclose the Pass Book herewith.

(*d*) *Amounts paid in cash or by cheque and amounts, if any, paid by withdrawal from the savings bank balance should be shown separately in the spaces provided. The unnecessary clause, if any, should be scored out.*

Total Rs.

(A) (*e*) I request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be held by the Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, on my behalf, and the interest thereon credited to—

(*i*) my existing Savings Bank Account No._____ open at the _____Post Office.

(*ii*) a Savings Bank Account to be opened for the purpose at the _____Post Office.

(*e*) *Please fill up either (A) or (B) and score out the other.*

Clause (i) to be scored through if the applicant has no account already open.

(B) I request that any allotment made in respect of this application may be—

(*i*) Inscribed as Stock.

(*ii*) Issued in Promissory Notes of the following denominations enfaced for payment of interest at the Treasury.

Promissory Notes of Rs. each.

„ „ of Rs. each.

Signature _____

Date _____1917. Address _____

Date of presentation at the Post Office.

_____ Head Office Stamp Register No.

(To be noted by the receiving Postmaster.) *(To be noted by the Head Postmaster.)*

N.B.—This form must be used for application of *ONE ONLY* of the issues of War Bonds. Applications for allotments for the two issues must be made on *separate forms.*

ANNEXURE C.

Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate.

(*Not transferable except with the permission of the Postmaster-General.*)

No._____

Amount due on maturity Rs._____

This is to certify that _____

is registered at the Post Office as the holder of a Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate, issued in accordance with the terms of Notification No. 380 F., dated the 1st March 1917. The Government of India undertake to pay to him, on presentation of this Certificate at the aforesaid Post Office on or after the_____, Rs. , or at any earlier date the sum not exceeding Rs.— -, specified on the reverse of this Certificate as due on such date.

Post Office_.

Date of Issue

(Head Postmaster.)

ANNEXURE D.

Table referred to in clause 34 showing amounts due on Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates according to the dates on which payment is claimed.

If payment is claimed :—	Amount due on certificate for Rs. 10			Rs. 20			Rs. 50			Rs. 100		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Within one year from date of issue :—Amount originally paid, viz.	**7**	**12**	**0**	**15**	**8**	**0**	**38**	**12**	**0**	**77**	**8**	**0**
After 1 complete year from date of issue ...	**8**	**1**	**0**	**16**	**2**	**0**	**40**	**5**	**0**	**80**	**10**	**0**
„ 15 complete months ...	8	2	6	16	5	0	40	12	6	81	9	0
„ 18 „ „ ...	8	4	0	16	8	0	41	4	0	82	8	0
„ 21 „ „ ...	8	5	6	16	11	0	41	11	6	83	7	0
„ **2 complete years ...**	**8**	**7**	**0**	**16**	**14**	**0**	**42**	**3**	**0**	**84**	**6**	**0**
„ 27 complete months ...	8	8	9	17	1	6	42	11	9	85	7	6
„ 30 „ „ ...	8	10	6	17	5	0	43	4	6	86	9	0
„ 33 „ „ ...	8	12	3	17	8	6	43	13	3	87	10	6
„ **3 complete years ...**	**8**	**14**	**0**	**17**	**12**	**0**	**44**	**6**	**0**	**88**	**12**	**0**
„ 39 complete months ...	9	0	0	18	0	0	45	0	0	90	0	0
„ 42 „ „ ...	9	2	0	18	4	0	45	10	0	91	4	0
„ 45 „ „ ...	9	4	0	18	8	0	46	4	0	92	8	0
„ **4 complete years ...**	**9**	**6**	**0**	**18**	**12**	**0**	**46**	**14**	**0**	**93**	**12**	**0**
„ 51 complete months ...	9	8	6	19	1	0	47	10	6	95	5	0
„ 54 „ „ ...	9	11	0	19	6	0	48	7	0	96	14	0
„ 57 „ „ ...	9	13	6	19	11	0	49	3	6	98	7	0
„ **5 complete years ...**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**50**	**0**	**0**	**100**	**0**	**0**

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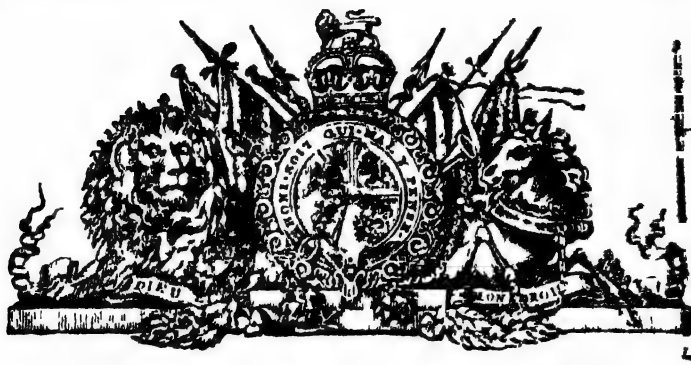

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5028A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2399A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.*—Mr. J. A. L. Swan, I.C.S., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling.

Calcutta.
Darjeeling.

No. 2419A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—Mr. D. H. Waves, I.C.S., substantive *pro tempore* Magistrate and Collector, Bakarganj, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

Bakarganj.
Calcutta.

No. 2423A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—Rai Jogendra Kumar Ghosh Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, Bakarganj, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of that district.

Bakarganj.

No. 2428A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Benegal Narsinga Rau, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, to be Additional District Magistrate, Mymensingh, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Jessore.
Mymensingh.

No. 2431A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—Mr. J. T. Rankin, I.C.S., is appointed to be Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

Presy. Divn.
Howrah.

No. 2452A.—The 4th October 1917.—In supersession of the orders contained in Notification No. 4745A., dated the 19th September 1917, Mr. Tara Pada Chatarji, District and Sessions Judge, is appointed to act as Additional Sessions Judge of Chittagong, Tippera and Noakhali, during a portion of the ensuing Civil Court vacation, viz., from the 15th October to the 30th October 1917, inclusive. He is authorized, under section 193 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to receive and dispose of all criminal applications and cases, except applications for revision, under section 435 of the Code, during the absence, on vacation leave, of Messrs. G. P. Hogg, F. W. Ward and Sarada Prasad Bakshi.

Mr. Tara Pada Chatarji is also authorized, under section 9(4) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to sit at Chittagong, Comilla or at Noakhali for the disposal of cases arising in any of these districts.

Chittagong.
Tippera.
Noakhali.

No. 2473A.D.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bakarganj.

No. 2475A.D.—The 6th October 1917.—The orders of the 24th August 1917, appointing Mr. R. W. Morde, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, temporarily to have charge of the Lalbagh subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Murshidabad.

No. 4950A.—The 6th October 1917.—Mr. Satish Chandra Mitra, Bar-at-law, is appointed temporarily to act as Coroner of Calcutta, in addition to his own duties as Assistant Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, *vice* Mr. F. K. Dobbin, on leave.

Calcutta.

No. 4993A.—The 8th October 1917.—Mr. C. C. V. R. Sells, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Pabna district on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Pabna.

No. 5005A.—The 8th October 1917.—Babu Gopendra Kumar Ghosh Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Narail subdivision of that district, *vice* Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, granted leave.

Jessore.

POLICE.—*No. 5009A.—The 8th October 1917.*—Mr. C. E. S. Fairweather, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal Railway Police, Saidpur.

Calcutta.
Saidpur.

No. 5011A.—The 8th October 1917.—Mr. J. E. Spencer, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal Railway Police, Saidpur, is transferred to the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police.

Saidpur.
Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2375A.D.—The 1st October 1917.*—In modification of the orders, dated the 30th August 1917, Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for two months and seventeen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd August 1917.

Tippera. *No. 2395A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.*—Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tippera, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 31st October 1917 to the 22nd December 1917.

Calcutta. *No. 2407A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.*—Mr, J. D. V. Hodge, I.C.S., Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political Department, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Burdwan. *No. 2469A.D.—The 6th October 1917.*—Babu Girish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bakarganj. *No. 2471A.D.—The 6th October 1917.*—Maulvi Afzal-ur-Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Calcutta. *No. 4948A.—The 6th October 1917.*—Mr. F. K. Dobbin, Coroner of Calcutta, is allowed leave without allowances from the 15th October to the 24th November 1917, both days inclusive.

Nadia. *No. 4998A.—The 8th October 1917.*—Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 31st October 1917 to the 20th November 1917 inclusive.

Jessore. *No. 5002A.—The 8th October 1917.*—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Narail, Jessore, is allowed leave for thirty-one days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Chittagong. *No. 5007A.—The 8th October 1917.*—Maulvi Mustafiz-ur-Rahman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

RESIGNATION.

GENERAL.—*No. 2461A.D.—The 5th October 1917.*—Mr. J. A. Ezechiel has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 1st October 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4916A.—The 4th October 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that the second half-yearly Departmental Examination in 1917, of Assistant Magistrates, Deputy Collectors and Sub-Deputy Collectors in the Regulation and non-Regulation districts, of Cantonment Magistrates and of Officers of the Police, Medical, Forest, Public Works, Educational, Imperial Customs, Agricultural and Civil Veterinary Departments will be held on Monday, the 19th November 1917, and the four following days.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4917A.—The 4th October 1917.—In continuation of Notification No. 4916A., dated the 4th October 1917, the following programme of the second half-yearly Departmental Examination for Civil, Police, Public Works, Forest, Military, Medical, Educational, Imperial Customs, Agricultural and Veterinary Officers is published for their information.

The examination will be held at the Town Hall, Calcutta.

The times fixed for the *viva voce* examinations will be communicated to the candidates individually :—

Programme of Examination.

Monday, the 19th November 1917—

10 A.M. ... } *Viva voce* (Bengali and Hindustani).
2-15 P.M. ... }

Tuesday, the 20th November 1917—

10 A.M. ... } *Viva voce* (Bengali and Hindustani).
2-15 P.M. ... }

Wednesday, the 21st November 1917—

10 A.M.—

Law, Part I (Criminal Law and Law of Evidence), without books (three hours).
Criminal Law for Police Officers, without books (three hours).
Forest Law, without books (three hours).
Canal Law, Part A, without books (three hours).
Law paper for the qualifying test of Military Officers for Cantonment.
Magistracy, without books (three hours).

2-15 P.M.—

Law, Part II (Revenue Law), without books (three hours),
Criminal Law for Police Officers, with books (three hours).
Canal Law, Part B, without books (three hours).
Land Revenue Systems, without books (three hours).
Cantonment Act and Rules, with books (three hours).

Thursday, the 22nd November 1917—

10 A.M.—

Law, Part III (General Law), with books (three hours).
Procedure and Accounts for Forest Officers, with books (three hours).
Higher Standard Law for Cantonment Magistracy, with books (three hours).
Canal Officers' Examination in Cases (time to be determined by the Examination Committee).

2-15 P.M.—

Accounts for Civil Officers, with and without books (three hours).
Accounts for Police Officers, with books (three hours).

Friday, the 23rd November 1917—

10 A.M.—

Translation from English (two hours), 10 A.M. to 12 noon.
Dictation (one-half hour), Lower Standard, 12 noon to 12-30 P.M.
Dictation (one-half hour), Higher Standard, 12-30 P.M. to 1 P.M.

2-15 P.M.

Translation from vernacular (two hours).

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4957A.—The 8th October 1917.—The following Regulations respecting the examination of candidates for the Civil Service of India to be held in August 1918 are published for general information :—

[Copies of this paper may be obtained on application to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.]

NOTICE.

AN Open Competitive Examination for the Indian Civil Service will be held in London, commencing on the 1st August, 1918 under the Regulations, a copy of which is sent herewith.

The number of vacancies to be filled will be announced hereafter.

No concurrent examination will be held either for Clerkships (Class I) in the Home Civil Service or for Eastern Cadetships in the Colonial Service.

No person will be admitted to examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the **1st June,** *an application* in the handwriting of the Candidate *on the prescribed form, a copy of which is sent herewith. No allegation that an Application Form or a letter respecting such Form has been lost or delayed in the post will be considered by the Commissioners unless the person making such allegation produces a Post Office certificate of posting. Candidates who delay their applications until the last days will do so at their own risk.*

Acknowledgments of such Application Forms are sent, and any Candidate who has filled up and returned the printed Application Form but has not received an acknowledgment of it within four complete days should at once write to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, Burlington Gardens, London, W. 1, Failure to comply with this provision will deprive the Candidate of any claim to consideration.

The Order for Admission to the examination will be posted early in July to the address given on the Form of Application. It will contain instructions as to the time and place at which the Candidate will be required to attend, and as to the manner in which the prescribed fee (£6) *is to be paid.*

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
September, 1917.

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

REGULATIONS.

*** *The following Regulations, made by the Secretary of State for India in Council, are liable to alteration from year to year.*

1. An examination for admission to the Indian Civil Service, open to all qualified persons, will be held in London in August of each year for such number of appointments to that Service as the Secretary of State may on each occasion determine. The date of the examination and the number of appointments to be made for each province will be announced beforehand by the Civil Service Commissioners.

2. No person will be deemed qualified who shall not satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners—

(*i*)(A) That save as hereinafter provided he is a British subject.

(B) That if he (being a British subject) or his father or his mother was not born within His Majesty's Dominions and allegiance, then at the time of his birth his father was a British subject and that such father still is or continued to be till his death a British subject :

Provided that a ruler or subject of any State in India in respect of whom the Governor-General in Council has made a declaration under section 96-A of the Government of India Act, 1915, as amended by section 3 of the Government of India (Amendment) Act, 1916, may be considered eligible.

(*ii*) That he had attained the age of twenty-two, and had not attained the age of twenty-four on the first day of August of the year in which the examination is held, or that he is in a position to claim such a concession under the provisions of the Appendix to these Regulations as will render him eligible.*

[*N.B.—In the case of Natives of India it will be necessary for a Candidate to obtain a certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the Province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides, or should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides.*]

(*iii*) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity, unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Indian Civil Service.†

(*iv*) That he is of good moral character.

2. (A) No person will be eligible for admission to the Indian Civil Service who has made before any Tribunal established under the Military Service Acts, 1916, an application for the issue to him of a certificate of exemption from the provisions of those Acts on the ground of a conscientious objection to the undertaking of combatant service.

3. No person, who, in a previous year, accepted the offer of a nomination as a Selected Candidate for the Indian Civil Service and subsequently resigned his position as a Selected Candidate, will be admitted to the examination.

4. Should the evidence upon the above points be *primâ facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the Candidate, on payment of the prescribed fee will be admitted to the examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion, at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result to such inquiries in the case of any Candidate should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects he will be ineligible for admission to the Indian Civil Service, and, if already selected, will be removed from the position of a Probationer.

5. The Open Competitive Examination will take place only in the following 38 subjects (*a*) :—

		Marks.
1.	English Composition	500
2.	Sanskrit Language and Literature	800
3.	Arabic Language and Literature	800
	Greek, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
4.	Translation	400
5.	Prose Composition	200
6.	Verse Composition	200
7.	Literature, &c.	300
	Latin, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
8.	Translation	400
9.	Prose Composition	200
10.	Verse Composition	200
11.	Literature, &c.	300
12.	English Language and Literature	600

* The Appendix referred to is printed on page 1611 *ante*.

† The Civil Service Commissioners will regard no person as constitutionally fitted for appointment to the Indian Civil Service who has not been satisfactorily vaccinated within the last seven years.

(*a*) A Syllabus, defining the character of the examination in the various subjects, may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, W. 1.

		Marks.
13.	Italian, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
14.	Italian, History of the Language and Literature	200
15.	French, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
16.	French, History of the Language and Literature	200
17.	German, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
18.	German, History of the Language and Literature	200
	The History of the Languages and their Literatures can only be taken by candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in those languages.	
19.	Lower Mathematics	1,200
20.	Higher Mathematics	1,200
	Natural Science, *i.e.*, any number not exceeding *four* of the following, or *three* if both Lower and Higher Mathematics be also taken :—	
21.	Chemistry	600
22.	Physics	600
23.	Geology	600
24.	Botany	600
25.	Zoology	600
26.	Animal Physiology	600
27.	Geography	600
28.	Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500
29.	Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500
	English History, either or both sections may be taken :—	
30.	Section I., to A.D. 1485	400
31.	Section II., A.D. 1485 to 1848	400
32.	General Modern History	500
33.	Logic and Psychology	600
34.	Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy	600
35.	Political Economy and Economic History ...	600
36.	Political Science	500
37.	Roman Law	500
38.	English Law	500

From the marks assigned to Candidates in each subject such deduction will be made as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary in order to secure that no credit be allowed for merely superficial knowledge.

Consistently with the limitations specified above Candidates are at liberty to name any of the foregoing subjects, provided that the maximum number of marks that can be obtained from the subjects chosen is limited to 6,000. If this maximum is exceeded by a Candidate's selection he will be required to indicate one of his subjects, the marks for which should, in his case, be reduced so as to bring his maximum marks within the prescribed limit. The marks so reduced will be subject to a correspondingly reduced deduction.

Moreover, if a candidate's handwriting is not easily legible, a further deduction will, on that account, be made from the total marks otherwise accruing to him.*

6. A list of the competitors shall be made out in order of their proficiency as disclosed by the aggregate marks finally awarded to each competitor, and in that order so many competitors, up to the determined number of appointments, as are found by the Civil Service Commissioners to be qualified by examination, shall be designated to be Selected Candidates for the Indian Civil Service, provided that they appear to be duly qualified in other respects. Should any Selected Candidate become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus

* It is notified for general information that the number of marks deducted for bad handwriting may be considerable.

created shall be filled or not. In the former case the Candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a Selected Candidate.

7. Selected Candidates, before proceeding to India, will be on probation for one year, at the end of which time they will undergo an examination, called the Final Examination, in the following compulsory subjects (*b*) :—

		Marks.
1.	Indian Penal Code	400
2.	Code of Criminal Procedure	200
3.	The Indian Evidence Act	200
4.	Indian History	400
5.	The principal Vernacular Language of the province to which the candidate is assigned ...	400

The principal Vernacular Language prescribed for each province to which Candidates are assigned is as follows :—

For the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, the Punjab or the Central Provinces ...	Hindustani
For Bengal or Assam	Bengali
(unless it is the Candidate's mother tongue).	
For Bihar and Orissa	Hindustani
For Burma	Burmese
For Bombay	Marathi
(unless it is the Candidate's mother tongue).	
For Madras	Tamil or Telugu
(at the option of the Candidate).	

In Hindustani the Candidate will be required to be acquainted with both the Persian and the Nagari character.

A Candidate assigned to Bengal or Assam, whose mother tongue is Bengali, must offer for examination Hindustani ; a Candidate assigned to Bombay, whose mother tongue is Marathi, must offer for examination Hindustani ; and a Candidate assigned to Madras, whose mother tongue is either of the languages shown against his province, must offer the other for examination.

8. Selected Candidates may in addition offer in the Final Examination one of the following optional subjects :—

		Marks
1.	Hindu and Muhammadan Law	450
2.	Sanskrit	400
3.	Arabic	400
4.	Persian	400
5.	Hindustani	400

No Candidate who offered Sanskrit or Arabic at the Open Competition may offer the same language at the Final Examination ; and only candidates assigned to the province of Burma may offer Hindustani as an optional subject.

9. In the Final Examination, as in the Open Competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the Open Competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

If any Candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending such examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the Final Examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination.

10. The selected Candidates will also be tested during their probation as to their proficiency in Riding.

(*b*) Instructions, showing the extent of the examination, will be issued to Selected Candidates as soon as possible after the result of the Open Competition is declared.

The examinations in riding will be held as follows :—

(1) Shortly after the result of the Open Competitive Examination has been declared, or at such time or times as the Commissioners may appoint during the course of the probationary year.

(2) Again, at the time of the Final Examination. Candidates who may then satisfy the Commissioners that they are sufficiently at home in the saddle for the efficient performance of all the duties of the Indian Civil Service will be awarded marks ranging between 101 and 200 according to the degree of proficiency displayed, to be added to their marks in the Final Examination. Candidates who fall short of this adequate proficiency but show such minimum proficiency as is evidenced that with a moderate amount of practice they can attain full proficiency, will receive marks ranging between 1 and 100; they will be allowed to proceed to India and will on their arrival there be subjected to such further tests in riding as may be prescribed by their Government, and shall receive no increase to their initial salary until they have passed such tests to the satisfaction of that Government.

A Candidate who fails at the end of the year of probation to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that he has reached the minimum standard of proficiency in riding, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of Selected Candidates.

11. The Selected Candidates who, on examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 7, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of nationality, age, health, character, conduct during the period of probation, and ability to ride, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Indian Civil Service, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Persons desirous to be admitted as Candidates must apply on Forms, which may be obtained from "The Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners, London," at any time after the 1st December, in the year previous to that in which the examination is to be held. No person will be admitted to the examination from whom the Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners has not received on or before the 1st June (or, if that date should fall on a Sunday or public holiday, then, on or before the first day thereafter on which their office is open), in the year in which the examination is to be held, an application, in the handwriting of the Candidate, on the prescribed form.

APPENDIX.

1. Any person who has joined since the 4th August 1914, or may join during the present war, the Army or Navy or Royal Marines, or has rendered or may render during the same period actual military service in the Special Reserve or Territorial Force, Royal Naval Reserve or Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, may, if eligible in point of age under the Regulations as they now stand for admission to the examination or competition held in 1915, 1916, or 1917 (but over age in 1916, 1917, or 1918, respectively), deduct from his actual age at the time of the examination or competition held in 1916, 1917, or 1918, as the case may be—

(*a*) The actual period of such service, if it has not exceeded three months.

(*b*) One year, if the actual period of service has exceeded three months. No candidate will be allowed to deduct more than one year from his actual age.

2. The same concession may also be granted to those who have been employed during the same period in connection with the armed forces of the Crown at home or abroad giving their whole time and under obligation to serve for the duration of the war or until their discharge, or for any period not terminable at their own option, provided that their employment be not on ordinary commercial terms, such as that of Assistant Paymasters, Clerks, Artisans, and the like.

3. The grant of the concession described in paragraph (2) will be at the discretion of the Civil Service Commissioners, whose decision in each case will be final. Candidates who contemplate applying for an age deduction under (2) will do well to apply to the Civil Service Commission for a ruling on their case.

4. Candidates to be eligible for the concessions in (1) or (2) must furnish an official certificate of the period and satisfactory character of their service, and if any doubt arise whether the service of any candidates is of the kind contemplated, the Secretary of State for India in Council reserves to the Civil Service Commissioners the right to decide the case upon its merits.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements :—

(i) *Selected Candidates will be allotted to the various provinces upon a consideration of all the circumstances, including their own wishes; but the requirements of the Public Service will rank before every other consideration.*

(ii) *Except in the case of persons continuing to receive Scholarship allowances of equal or greater amounts from the Government of India an allowance amounting to £150 will be given to any Candidate who passes his probation at one of the Universities or Colleges which have been approved by the Secretary of State, viz, the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Dublin, Glasgow, Edinburgh, St. Andrews, and Aberdeen; the School of Oriental Studies, London Institution, Finsbury Circus; Victoria University, Manchester.*

This allowance will be paid to the Selected Candidate in four instalments on the following dates respectively :—December 24th, after his selection, March 25th, June 24th, and the date of his signing his covenant on being finally appointed to the Service.

An allowance on account of passage to India will be paid to each newly appointed Civilian to the amount of £40 for passage to Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, and £50 for passage to Rangoon. These allowances will only be paid after production of evidence that the Officer has engaged a First Class *passage. An Officer who prefers it can have a First Class passage taken for him by the India Office in lieu of receiving a passage allowance. Applications giving proposed dates of sailing should be made to the Secretary, Judicial and Public Department, India Office, London, S.W.1.*

The payment of each of the first three instalments will be conditional on the receipt, by the Secretary of State, through the Civil Service Commissioners, of a Certificate that the Candidate has fulfilled up to date the requirements of the Authorities, and shown satisfactory conduct at the Authorized University or College; the fourth and final instalment will be paid as soon as the selected Candidate has signed his covenant, and for its payment no certificate from College Authorities will be required.

The whole probation must ordinarily be passed at the same Institution. Migration will not be permitted except for special reasons approved by the Secretary of State.

(iii) *Each Candidate will be required before receiving the first instalment of his allowance to execute an agreement binding himself and one surety, jointly and severally, to refund all moneys he may have received from the Secretary of State for India in the event of—*

(1) *his failure to pass the Final Examination within the time prescribed by the Regulations, and to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners of his fitness for admission to the Indian Civil Service, or*

(2) *his subsequent failure to execute the usual covenant and to proceed to India, as and when he shall be directed by the Secretary of State for India.*

(iv) *All candidates obtaining Certificates will be also required to enter into covenants, by which, amongst other things, they will bind themselves to make such payments as under the rules and regulations for the time being in force, they may be required to make towards their own pensions or for the pensions of their families The stamps payable on these covenants amount to £1.*

(v) *The seniority in the Indian Civil Service of the Candidates obtaining Certificates will be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the combined marks of the Open Competitive and*

Final Examinations, but may ultimately be affected by appointments made by the Secretary of State under the Temporary Provisions Act, 1915.

(vi) *Candidates obtaining Certificates will be required to report their arrival in India within such period after the grant of their Certificates of Qualification as the Secretary of State may in each case direct.*

(vii) *Candidates who fail to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners at the Final Examination held in any year will be definitely rejected, and will not be allowed to present themselves for re-examination, unless it shall appear to the Secretary of State in Council, after reference to the Civil Service Commissioners, that such failure is due to circumstances wholly exceptional and beyond the control of the candidate.*

Civil Service Commission,
September, 1917.

A Manual of Rules and Regulations applicable to members of the Indian Civil Service has been compiled by permission of the Government of India, and may now be procured from the undermentioned Agents for the sale of Indian Official publications. Price 1s. 0d. LONDON.—A. Constable & Co., Ltd., 10, Orange Street, Leicester Square, W.C.2 ; P. S. King & Son, 2 and 4, Great Smith Street, Westminster, S.W. 1 ; Kegan Paul, Trench, Trübner & Co., 68, Carter Lane, E.C.4, and 25, Museum Street, W.C. 1 ; B. Quaritch, 11, Grafton Street, New Bond Street, W. 1 ; Henry S. King & Co., 65, Cornhill, E.C. 3 ; Grindlay & Co., 54, Parliament Street, S.W. 1 ; T. Fisher Unwin, Ltd., 1, Adelphi Terrace, W.C. 2 ; W. Thacker & Co., 2, Creed Lane, Ludgate Hill, E.C. 4 ; Luzac & Co., 46, Great Russell Street, W.C. 1 ; W. Wesley, 28, Essex Street, Strand, W.C. 2. EDINBURGH.—Oliver & Boyd, Tweeddale Court. DUBLIN. —E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street. OXFORD.—B. H. Blackwell, 50 and 51, Broad Street. CAMBRIDGE.—Deighton, Bell & Co. Trinity Street. FRANCE.—Ernest Leroux, Rue Bonaparte, Paris. HOLLAND.—Martinus Nijhoff, The Hague.

The Commissioners have been requested by the Secretary of State for India to draw the attention of Selected Candidates to the prefatory note attached to this Manual, as it is considered important that it should be clearly understood that this compilation is not to be regarded in any other light than that of a collection, made for facility of reference, of certain information and rules, that it is by no means exhaustive, and that it is liable to such modifications as may from time to time be sanctioned by competent authority.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

Syllabus of an Open Competitive Examination for the Indian Civil Service to be held in the year 1918, and of any other competition that may be held in combination therewith.

In view of the importance of legible handwriting in the public service, Candidates are warned that the provision as to deductions for bad handwriting in these competitions will be strictly enforced.

Candidates are warned that full marks cannot be obtained on any paper unless the whole of it is answered, or, in cases where the number of questions to be answered is specified, unless the full number specified is answered.

English Composition.—An Essay to be written on one of several specified subjects.

Sanskrit Language and Literature.—Translation from Sanskrit ; composition in Sanskrit ; Sanskrit Literature, including the life, thought, and antiquities of Ancient India, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject ; questions on the Sanskrit Language (including questions on Philology).

Composition will be required in Classical Sanskrit alone ; elsewhere Vedic Sanskrit is also included.

Candidates are expected to make a special study of the Seventh Mandala of the Rig-veda, but other Vedic hymns may also be set in the examination.

Arabic Language and Literature.—Translation from Arabic ; set composition and free composition in Arabic ; Arabic Literature, including the life and thought of the Arabs as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject ; questions on the Arabic language (including questions on Philology).

Greek Literature.—Questions on the Greek Language (including questions on Philology), Literature, and Antiquities.

Latin Literature.—Questions on the Latin Language (including questions on Philology) and on Roman Literature and Antiquities.

English Language and Literature.—The examination will be in two parts. In the one Candidates will be expected to show a general acquaintance with

the course of English Literature, as represented in the chief writers in verse and prose, between the reign of Edward III and the death of Queen Victoria.

A minute and detailed knowledge will not be looked for in this part of the examination; but its aim will be to test how far the Candidates have studied at first hand the chief productions of the greatest English writers, and are acquainted with the leading characteristics of their thought and style, and with the place which each of them occupies in the history of English Literature.

The other part of the examination will relate to one of the following periods, which will follow each other year by year in rotation :—

Period I: 1360 to 1600, Chaucer to Spenser.
Period II: 1600 to 1660, The later Elizabethans.
Period III: 1660 to 1744, The age of Dryden and Pope.
Period IV: 1744 to 1800, From the death of Pope to the death of Cowper.
Period V: 1800 to 1832, Nineteenth Century writers to the death of Scott.
Period VI: 1832 to 1892, from the death of Scott to the death of Tennyson.

The examination in this part will require from the Candidates a more minute acquaintance with the history of the English Language and Literature, as illustrated in the chief works produced in each period, and will be based to a considerable extent, but by no means exclusively, on certain books specified each year by the Commissioners. The names and other indications placed beside the dates are intended to suggest the general character of the literary development of the period, and, consequently, the natural limits of the examination. All the works of Shakespeare and Milton, for example, will be regarded as falling within the period 1600 to 1660; all the works of Wordsworth and Coleridge within the period 1800 to 1832; all the works of Carlyle, Landor and Macaulay within the period 1832 to 1892.

For the year 1918, Period I (1360-1600) is prescribed, and the following are the specified books :—

Chaucer.—Canterbury Tales :—The Prologue, The Nonne Preestes Tale with Prologue; The Pardoners Tale with Prologue; Troylus and Criseyde.
Langland.—Vision of Piers the Plowman (Text A), Prologue and Passus I—IV.
Pollard.—English Miracle Plays, Varieties, and Interludes.
James I.—The King's Quair.
Malory.—Morte d' Arthur.
Udall.—Ralph Roister Doister.
Tottel's Miscellany —The poems of Surrey and Wyatt.
Ascham.—Toxophilus.
Sackville.—Gorboduc.
Spenser.—The Faerie Queene, Books I—III; Mother Hubbard's Tale; Shepherd's Calendar: April, July, October
Lyly —Endymion: Euphues, the Anatomy of Wit.
Marlowe.—Dr. Faustus.
Ben Jonson.—Every Man in his Humour.
Hooker.—Ecclesiastical Polity, Book I.
Oxford Book of English Verse, Nos. 1—122 and 165—204.

Italian, Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

Italian, History of the Language and Literature.—Italian Literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (*i.e.*, before the time of Dante), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Italian.

French, Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

French, History of the Language and Literature.—French Literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (*i.e.*, before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in French.

German, Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

German, History of the Language and Literature.—German Literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (*i.e.*, before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in German.

Lower Mathematics.—Plane Geometry including conic sections; Solid Geometry including the method of orthogonal projection; Algebra and Plane Trigonometry; Elementary Plane Co-ordinate Geometry; Elementary Mechanics of solids and fluids; Geometrical Optics; Elements of Differential and Integral Calculus with simple illustrations from other branches of the subject. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Higher Mathematics.—Higher Algebra (including Theory of Equations) Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, Differential Calculus, Integral Calculus, Differential Equations, Analytical Geometry (Plane and Solid), Statics including Attractions, Dynamics of a Particle, Rigid Dynamics, Hydrodynamics, the Mathematical Theory of Electricity and Magnetism. The questions may involve the use of drawing instruments. The use of the slide rule is allowed.

Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Botany, Zoology, Animal Physiology.—Candidates are warned that the practical examinations carry a large proportion of the marks.

Geography.—Geography as understood in the universities, not excluding topics which concern geography jointly with other subjects, such as economics, history, physics, botany, and geology. There will be a practical test which will necessitate a knowledge of cartographical methods and notations, and for this test drawing instruments may be required.

Greek History.—Questions (*a*) on the General and (*b*) on the Constitutional History of Greece to the death of Alexander. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

Roman History.—Questions (*a*) on the General and (*b*) on the Constitutional History of Rome to the death of Trajan. Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of the original authorities. They must also be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

English History.—The subject will include (*a*) the Political History of the British Isles and the Colonies, (*b*) the Constitutional History of England. Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities:—

Period I, to 1485: Stubbs, Select Charters, ninth edition [Clarendon Press].

Period II, 1485 to 1848; Prothero, Statutes and Constitutional Documents [Clarendon Press]; Gardiner, Documents of the Puritan Revolution [Clarendon Press].

In each period the number of marks assigned to the question or questions dealing with the text of the prescribed books will be about one-sixth of that assigned to the whole period. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

General Modern History.—Candidates may, at their choice, be examined in any one of the following periods. Periods III, IV and V will include Indian History. Candidates are warned that high marks will not be awarded in this subject unless the text of the prescribed books has been carefully studied by

them. Candidates must be prepared to answer questions on historical geography, and to draw sketch maps.

I. From the accession of Charlemagne to the Third Crusade. [A.D. 800 to A.D. 1193.]

II. From the Third Crusade to the Diet of Worms. [A.D. 1193 to A.D. 1521.]

III. From the Diet of Worms to the Death of Louis XIV. [A.D. 1521 to A D. 1715.]

IV. From the accession of Louis XV to the French Revolution of 1848. [A.D. 1715 to A.D. 1848.]

V. From the Peace of Paris to the Treaty of Berlin. [A.D. 1763 to A.D. 1878.]

Candidates should be acquainted with the following authorities:—

PERIOD I. 800-1193.

Einhard, Vita Caroli Magni, from 800 A.D. Editions:—(1) Pertz, (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum, (3) Clarendon Press.

Lambert of Hersfeld, Annales. Editions:—(1) Pertz, (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum.

Suger, Vita Ludovici VI. Editions:—(1) Migne, (2) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Otto of Freising, De gestis Friderici I. Editions:—(1) Pertz, (2) Scriptores Rerum Germanicarum The continuators are included.

PERIOD II. 1193—1521.

Joinville, St. Louis. Editions:—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat, (3) Buchon, (4) Société de l'Histoire de France, 1868.

Philippe de Comines, Mémoires. Editions:—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat, (3) Buchon, (4) de Mandrot [Picard, Paris, 1901—3].

Machiavelli, The Prince. English translation by Thomson, published by the Clarendon Press.

PERIOD III. 1521—1715.

Sully, Memories, up to the Treaty of Vervins. Editions:—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

Torcy, Mémoires. Editions:—(1) Petitot, (2) Michaud et Poujoulat.

PERIOD IV. 1715—1848.

Frederick II, Histoire de mon Temps, *and* la Guerre de Sept Ans. Editions:—(1) Boutaric (2) Œuvres de Frèdéric II, published by Decker, Berlin, 1846.

Malmesbury (First Earl of), Diaries and Correspondence; London, Bentley, 1844; Vol. II, Mission to the Hague, pages 66—443; Vol. III, Mission to Lisle, pages 369—599.

Metternich. Aus Metternich's Nachgelassenen Papieren · Autorisirte Original-Ausgabe; Vienna, 1880. Or in English translation:—Memoirs of Prince Metternich; Richard Bentley and Son, London, 1880—1882. To be studied up to the year 1815.

PERIOD V. 1763—1878.

Malmesbury, as for Period IV.

Metternich, as for Period IV.

Bianchi, La Politique du Comte Camille de Cavour, 1852-1861 (Turin, 1885).

Bismarck. Gedanken und Erinnerungen von Bismarck (Edited by H. Kohl, Stuttgart, 1898). Or in English translation:—Bismarck, the Man and the Statesman; Reflections and Reminiscences, etc.; translated under supervision of A. J. Butler; Smith and Elder, London, 1898. To be studied up to the year 1878.

Logic and Psychology.—The history of the subject will be included.

Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy.—The history of the subject will be included

Political Economy and Economic History.—Candidates will be expected to possess a knowledge of economic theory; of the existing economic conditions; of statistical methods; and of the history of industry, land tenure, and economic legislation in the United Kingdom.

Political Science.—Candidates will be expected to show a knowledge (1) of political theory and the history of political theory, and (2) of the development, and more especially the modern forms and functions, of political

institutions. Political theory should be understood to include not only the theory of legislation, but also the general theory of the state in its connection with kindred studies such as ethics, psychology, jurisprudence, public international law, and economics; and candidates will be expected to show a knowledge of original authorities. Under the head of political institutions are included subjects such as early institutions and comparative politics.

English Law.—Law of Contract; Law of Evidence; Law of the Constitution; Criminal Law; Law of Torts.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
September 1917.

The following applies only to candidates for Clerkships on the Establishment of the Foreign Office, for Attachéships in the Diplomatic Service, and for Student Interpreterships in China, Japan and Siam.

Russian and Spanish: Translation, Composition and Conversation.—In the conversation test importance is attached to pronunciation. The study of phonetics is an important aid to correctness of pronunciation.

Spanish, History of the Language and Literature.—Spanish literature, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Questions will be asked which demand a knowledge of the language in its early stages (*i.e.*, before 1500), but such questions will not be obligatory. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Spanish.

Russian Literature.—Russian Literature since 1800, including the life and thought as shown in the literature, together with such knowledge of history as bears upon the subject. Candidates will not be required to write their answers in Russian.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
September, 1917.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1918.

[FORM TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES FOR EXAMINATION.]

*** *The order for admission to the examination will not be issued unless this Form*, filled up by the Candidate himself, *is received by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission on or before the* **1st June, 1918.**

Sir,

I beg to inform you that I wish to be admitted to the Open Competitive Examination for the Indian Civil Service, which is appointed to commence in London on the 1st of August, 1918.

A candidate whose case may come under clause 2 (1) (B) of the Regulations should state the facts fully in a separate letter

I am a British subject.

I hereby declare that I was born on the day of 18 , and that therefore I shall have attained the age of 22 years and shall not have attained the age of 24* years on the 1st of August, 1918; I also declare that I have no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me, or likely to unfit me, for the Indian Civil Service; and that I am of good moral character, and otherwise eligible under the Regulations; and I undertake that, if I am successful, I will conform, during my period of probation, to such rules respecting the conduct of Public Servants as have

* A candidate claiming to be entitled to the concession contained in the Appendix printed on page 1611 should attach a special statement of his case for consideration

been laid down, or may hereafter be laid down, by the Secretary of State for India in Council.

Candidates who are not Natives of India should strike out this paragraph

I send herewith a Certificate of age and nationality issued in accordance with the rule respecting Natives of India printed in paragraph III below.

* If you have never been examined, insert here the word "never"
† If you have been examined, give the date, etc., of the *last* occasion

I beg to inform you that I was * ____ examined before the Civil Service Commissioners in the month of †_____ in the year 1 ____, as a Candidate for the situation of_____

I am, SIR.

Your obedient Servant,

Name in full _____

Address to which it is desired that the Order for examination should be sent‡_____

‡ If a London address, state the postal district and number of the office of delivery; if a country address, state the post town

*Date*_____

The Secretary, Civil Service Commission

[Certificates of age (except as mentioned above), health, and character should not be supplied until after the result of the examination is known.]

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the Selection Form on pages 1619 and 1620, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

I. Every candidate born in the United Kingdom should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial officers. This Certificate may be obtained from the Registrar-General in London, Dublin, or Edinburgh, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

II. A Candidate born of European parents in India should be prepared to produce, when required, a Certificate of Baptism from the district in which he was baptised. If this does not also mention the date of birth it should be accompanied by a statutory declaration by one of the Candidate's parents, stating the date and place of birth. When such certificate is not in the possession of the Candidate an extract from the Registers kept at the India Office will probably be obtainable.

III. A candidate who is a Native of India must, **on or before the 1st June** preceding the examination, produce a Certificate of age and nationality issued under Notification of the Government of India, No. 2252, dated 21st August, 1888, as amended by Notification No. 404, dated 19th May, 1898, and signed, should he be a resident in British India, by the Secretary to Government of the province, or the Commissioner of the Division within which his family resides: or, should he reside in a Native State, by the highest Political Officer accredited to the State in which his family resides. *No other Certificate will be accepted for this Competition.*

IV. All candidates who claim an extension of age under the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Appendix to the Regulations will be required to produce an official certificate of the period and satisfactory character of their service.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1918.

SELECTION FORM.

[TO BE FILLED UP BY THE CANDIDATE HIMSELF, AND RETURNED WITH THE FORM OF APPLICATION.]

*** *Place your Initials against the Subjects which you select; if your selections exceed 6,000 marks, indicate the Subject which is to be reduced; and sign your name in the place indicated on the next page.*

Initials.			Maximum marks.
.....	1.	English Composition	500
.....	2.	Sanskrit, Language and Literature ...	800
.....	3.	Arabic, Language and Literature ...	800
		Greek, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
.....	4	Translation	400
.....	5.	Prose Composition	200
.....	6.	Verse Composition	200
.....	7.	Literature	300
		Latin, not less than two subdivisions, of which one must be Translation :—	
.....	8.	Translation	400
.....	9.	Prose Composition	200
.....	10.	Verse Composition	200
.....	11.	Literature, &c.	300
.....	12.	English, Language and Literature ...	600
.....	13.	Italian, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
.....	*14.	Italian, History of the Language and Literature	200
.....	15.	French, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
.....	*16.	French, History of the Language and Literature	200
.....	17.	German, Translation, Composition and Conversation	400
.....	*18.	German, History of the Language and Literature	200
.....	19.	Lower Mathematics	1,200
.....	20.	Higher Mathematics	1,200

* The History of these Languages and their Literatures can only be taken by Candidates who also offer themselves for the rest of the examination in these languages.

Initials.			Maximum marks.
		Natural Science, *i.e.*, any number not exceeding *four* of the following, or *three* if both Lower and Higher Mathematics be also taken :—	
... .	21.	†Chemistry	600
.....	22.	Physics	600
.....	23.	Geology	600
.....	24.	†Botany	600
.....	25.	Zoology	600
.....	26.	Animal Physiology	600
.....	27.	Geography	600
.....	28.	Greek History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500
.....	29.	Roman History (Ancient, including Constitution)	500
		English History, either or both sections may be taken :—	
.....	30.	Section I., to A.D. 1485	400
.....	31.	Section II., A.D. 1485 to 1848 ...	400
.....	32.	General Modern History	500
.....	33.	Logic and Psychology	600
.....	34.	Moral and Metaphysical Philosophy ...	600
.....	35.	Political Economy and Economic History ...	600
.....	36.	Political Science	500
.....	37.	Roman Law	500
.....	38.	English Law	500

Signature _____

Date _____

To the Secretary,

Civil Service Commission,

London, W. 1.

N.B.—Attention is drawn to the Application Form on page 1617, which must be filled up by every Candidate.

† For the Practical Examination in Chemistry, Candidates may bring any printed works on Analysis; and for the Practical Examination in Botany, any printed Flora. All books brought must be submitted to the Presiding Examiner for his approval; no written notes of any kind will be allowed.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1643T.R.—The 2nd October 1917.—Babu Kalipada Maitra, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Collector, employed as Assistant Settlement Officer in charge of the survey and settlement operations in the district of Dacca, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for seventeen days, with effect from the 2nd October 1917.

Dacca.

No. 1689T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 31st October 1917 :—

Bankura.

1. Babu Khirodeswar Banarji, Munsif.
2. „ Bama Charan Chakrabatti, Munsif.

No. 1690T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

1. Babu Khirodeswar Banarji, Munsif.
2. „ Bama Charan Chakrabatti, Munsif.

No. 1691T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—The undermentioned officers are appointed to be Assistant Settlement Officers, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 31st October 1917 :—

Jessore.

1. Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, Munsif.
2. „ Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, Munsif.

No. 1692T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the district of Jessore, including the area recently transferred from it to Faridpur by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

1. Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, Munsif.
2. „ Kshitish Chandra Chatarji, Munsif.

No. 1750T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

Maulvi Ekramuddin, Sub-Deputy Collector.

Babu Upendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 1714T.R.—The 5th October 1917.—The following account of the receipts and disbursements of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1916-17 is published for general information :—

Annual Account of the Mohsin Endowment Fund for the year 1916-17.

—	⅛th share of the Matwali.	⅞ths share for religious purposes.	⅛th and ⅞ths shares for secular and educational purposes.	Total.
Receipts.				
Income from endowment.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Syedpur Trust Estate—				
Ordinary receipts	6,666 10 8	20,000	33,333 5 4	60,000 0 0
Interest on fixed investment ...	.....	.....	36,902 8 2	36,902 8 2
„ „ variable investment ...	.....	.....	3,156 1 6	3,156 1 6
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	953 2 0	953 2 0
Total receipts ...	6,666 10 8	20,000	74,345 1 0	1,01,011 11 8
Opening balance	1,666 7 3	.....	(a)7,610 12 4	(a)9,277 3 7
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 1 11	20,000	81,955 13 4	1,10,288 15 3
Expenditure.				
Education.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
Special Muhammadan Scholarship ...	.....	.....	21,316 8 4	21,316 8 4
Short fee payments by Muhammadan students—				
In Government colleges ...	.....	.....	7,743 12 0	7.743 12 0
In Government schools ...	.....	.....	5,696 4 0	5,696 4 0
In private colleges ...	.....	.....	1,778 0 0	1,778 0 0
In private schools ...	.....	.....	3,414 9 0	3,414 9 0
Contribution for Muhammadan education in Bihar and Orissa.	.....	.....	3,200 0 0	3,200 0 0
Medical.				
Contribution to Dufferin and Imambara Hospital.	.....	.....	14,420 0 0	14,420 0 0
Unani establishment	.....	.....	1,701 7 8	1,701 7 8
Local agents' establishment—				
Clerks and servants	.....	.....	703 14 1	703 14 1
Miscellaneous	.....	.....	133 5 3	133 5 3
Religious endowment.				
Matwalis' ⅛th share	6,666 11 0	.....	.....	6,666 11 0
Committees' ⅞ths share	.....	20,000	.....	20.000 0 0
Imambara establishment ...	.....	.....	9,669 5 0	9,669 5 0
Compensation for dearness of provision.	... ..	.....	11 0 0	11 0 0
Pension	.....	.....	826 1 0	826 1 0
Total ...	6,666 11 0	20,000	70,614 2 4	97,280 13 4
Closing balance ...	1,666 6 11	.....	11 341 11 0	13,008 1 11
GRAND TOTAL ...	8,333 1 11	20,000	81,955 13 4	1,10,288 15 3

(a) The difference of Rs. 8 with the closing balance shown last year is due to the subsequent adjustment of the amount in the supplementary accounts for 1915-16

Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 1751T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act :—

Maulvi Khalilur Rahaman Khan	...	Sub-Deputy Collector.
„ Muhammad Fariduddin	...	Substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector.
Babu Gyan Chandra Chakrabatti	...	Ditto ditto.

No. 1752T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the district of Mymensingh, as well as in those revenue survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the districts of Rangpur, Bogra, Pabna and Tippera, but which fall, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Mymensingh, the functions of a Revenue Officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Mymensingh. Rangpur. Bogra. Pabna. Tippera.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas :—

Maulvi Shams-uz-zoha Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector.

Babu Probhat Chandra Sen, ditto.

No. 1753T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Muhammad Ishaq, Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi, as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda which lie in mauzas falling, wholly or partly, within five miles from the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia. Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas.

Certificate of Approval.

No. 1687T.R.—The 3rd October 1917.—With reference to rule 7 of the Rules issued by the Government of India with their Resolution No. 7552—7581-121, dated the 15th September 1913, for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in British India, it is hereby certified that Mr. R. D. Coggan, of Assam, is approved by the Government of Bengal as a fit and proper person to whom such licenses or leases can be granted in the Presidency of Bengal.

2. Under rule 8 of the aforesaid Rules this certificate will expire at midnight on the 31st of December 1918.

No. 1696T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 5 cottahs and 2 chitacks of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 1623L.A., dated the 17th February 1917, published at page 261, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, and required by the District Board of Khulna for the construction of a Charitable Dispensary in the village of Senhati, pargana Esobpur, district Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 1697T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 bighas 9 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 204T.R., dated the 11th May 1916, published at page 897, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, and required by the District Board of the 24-Parganas for the excavation of a tank in the village of Dehti, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1723T.R.—The 5th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of five pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 11 bighas and 8 cottahs of standard measurement, which were notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 1644L.A., dated the 19th February 1917, published at page 262, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, and required

24-Parganas.

by the District Board of the 24-Parganas for the bridge approaches on the 5th mile of Sikra-Haroa Road in the villages of Jagatpur, Madartala and Gopalpur, pargana Balanda, zilla 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1693T.R.—The 4th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a play-ground for the High English School at Magura, in the village of Dari Magura, pargana Mamudshahi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 bighas 4 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 3·38 acres, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By a passage for Beni Christian's house,
East—By the lands of Beni Christian, Aijuddy and Afsar Chopedar,
South—By the lands of Taher Jotedar, Aijuddy and Afsar Chopedar,
West—By the Jessore-Magura Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Dari Magura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Magura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1717T.R.—The 5th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police station at Titulya, in the village of Titulya, pargana Boda, zilla Jalpaiguri, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 bighas 18 cottahs 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Jalpaiguri.

North—By drain and Government land,
East—By Local Board road,
South—By drain and school compound,
West—By Mahananda river,

is required within the aforesaid village of Titulya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Jalpaiguri.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1720T.R.—The 5th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a public purpose, viz., for the Hindu cremation and burial-ground at Hât Naugaon in mauza Hât Naugaon, pargana Barbakpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas and 6 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Rajshahi.

North—By the Dahar and the existing fuel store-house for cremation,
East—By the river Jabuna,
South—By the Dahar,
West—By the lands of Benode Behari Bairagi,

is required within the aforesaid mauza of Hât Naugaon.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1891, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer at Naugaon.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 1790T.R.—The 8th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for 2nd down line between Raniganj and Ondal stations, in the village of Kumarbazar pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 9 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement. equivalent to 1·48 acres, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North, East and West—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
South—By the lands of Bonwari Kundu, Felaram Adhikari and the khas land of the Bengal Coal Company,

PLOT B.

North—By the land of Ketu Bauri, Bonowari Kundu, Girish Mondal, Kali Pal, a road, and the khas land of the Bengal Coal Company,
East—By the land of Kali Pal,
South—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
West—By the land of Ketu Bauri,

are required within the aforesaid village of Kumarbazar.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector. Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 1754T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-three days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 1755T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Kunja Behari Chakrabutty, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 1756T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Sashi Bhusan Datta, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Jara, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-nine days, with effect from the afternoon of the 19th September 1917.

No. 1757T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, to act as Sub-Registrar of Jara in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sachipati Ray, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 1758T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Noakhali.

No. 1759T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Maulvi Nazmul Haq Khan, Sub-Registrar, grade V, on being relieved of his officiating appointment at Gasbaria in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi in the district of Noakhali, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Masud, or until further orders.

Chittagong.
Noakhali.

No. 1760T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Rohini Kumar Som, Sub-Registrar of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-three days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 1761T.R.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Nalini Kanta Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Faridpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Feni, in the district of Noakhali, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Rohini Kumar Som, or until further orders.

Faridpur.
Noakhali.

No. 1789T.R.—The 8th October 1917.—Maulvi Abu Abdulla Husain, Sub-Registrar of Kalihati, in the district of Mymensingh, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and two days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 3895Regn., dated the 19th May 1917.

Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 356T.—Medl.—The 1st October 1917.—The services of second grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Narendra Nath Chaudhuri are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the forenoon of the 21st September 1917.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5029A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5015A.—The 9th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Annada Prasad Mukharji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Birbhum, for a period of three years from the 30th October 1917, and

Birbhum.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Rampur Hât Bench in the said district.

No. 5017A.—The 9th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 10th October 1917, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kamarhati Bench in the said district :—

1. Mr. J. H. Scott.
2. Babu Kali Gopal Mukharji.
3. Babu Chuni Lal Banarji.

Babu Chuni Lal Banarji is also directed to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 5013A.—The 9th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Amarendra Nath Ray, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Faridpur, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Faridpur.

Babu Amarendra Nath Ray is also vested with powers under sections 110, 133 and 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3017J.—The 4th October 1917.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Rajshahi, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur-Boalia, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hira Lal Mukharji, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 3057J.—The 8th October 1917.—The gentlemen named below are appointed under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure to be Presidency Magistrates for the town of Calcutta :—

Calcutta

1. Pandit Sundar Lal Missir.
2. Mr. D. J. Cohen.
3. „ C. H. M. Rustomjee.
4. Rai Sahib Makhan Lal Ghosh.
5. Dr. Narendra Nath Chakrabarti.
6. Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen.
7. „ Jogesh Chandra Sinha.
8. „ Bangshidhar Set.
9. „ Jadu Nath Roy.
10. „ Murali Dhar Roy.
11. Prince Dara Jah Mirza Muhammad Abdul Ali Bahadur.

No. 3058J.—The 8th October 1517.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the gentlemen, named below, to be Presidency Magistrates in Calcutta and to empower each of them to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate :—

Calcutta.

1. Rai Mani Lal Nahar Bahadur.
2. Babu Panchanan Mukharji.
3. „ Nibaran Chandra Ghatak.
4. Mr. J. Henderson Grey.
5. Babu Gokul Chandra Mandal.
6. „ Panna Lal Banarji.
7. Mr. N. M. Ross.
8. „ E. A. Kidman.

No. 3059J.—The 8th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower each of the Presidency Magistrates, named below, to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate:—

Calcutta.

1. Babu Jatindra Nath Sen.
2. Mr. I. J. Cohen.
3. Mirza Ahmed Ali.
4. Dr. Rai Haridhan Dutt Bahadur.
5. Nawabzada Saiyid Husain Ali Nadir Jang.
6. Babu Brajendra Nath Mullick.

No. 3065J.—The 9th October 1917.—Babu Pratap Chandra Sen Gupta, M.A., B.L., acted as a Munsif at Midnapore from the 6th to the 17th September 1917, both days inclusive, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Makhan Lal Mukharji.

Midnapore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3831P.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—In paragraph II of Political Department Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, under the names of Commissioners in the Chittagong Division, *for* "Babu Upendra Lal Roy" *substitute* "Rai Upendra Lal Ray Bahadur."

Chittagong.

J. H. KERR,
Cheif Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in Government Order No. 4434P.D., dated the 25th October 1913, I appoint Babu Harendra Krishna Sil to be a non-official visitor of the Presidency Jail.

R. CLARKE, *Commissioner of Police.*

CALCUTTA, *the 5th October 1917.*

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF REGISTRATION, BENGAL

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st October 1917.—It is hereby notified that no Special Test of Sub-Registrars for District Sub-Registrarships instituted under Government Notification No. 852Regn., dated the 19th January 1915, will be held during November 1917.

P. N. MOOKERJEE,
Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 6th October 1917.

No. 102.—Mr. A. K. Taylor, Executive Engineer, Electrical Division, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, furlough for one year in extension of the leave granted in this Department Notification No. 38, dated the 29th March 1917.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th October 1917.

No. 103.—Babu Shailendra Nath Banarji, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, attached to the Dacca Division until further orders.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 8th October 1917.

No. 13R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

C. P. WALSH.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 775-P.-16, dated Simla, the 27th September 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the 2 feet gauge from Kalimpong Road, a station on the Teesta Valley Railway, to Gangtok in Sikkim, *vid* Rungpo, a distance of about 50 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Kalimpong Road-Gangtok Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

The 8th October 1917.

No. 14R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 16-P.-16, dated Simla, the 4th October 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a detailed survey being carried out by the Agency of the Assam-Bengal Railway Company for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Rajapur, a station on the Assam-Bengal Railway, to Srimuddi, a distance of 31 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Rajapur-Srimuddi Railway Survey.

The 9th Octo'er 1917.

No. 15R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 608-P.-16, dated Simla, the 2nd October 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IT is notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the agency of the Eastern Bengal Railway for a line of railway on the 2'-6" gauge from Rampore Boalia to Nischindpur *vid* Nattore, a distance of about 50 miles.

2. This survey will be known as the Rampore Boalia-Nattore-Nischindpur Railway Reconnaissance Survey.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 6th October 1917.

No. 101.—Babu Amal Chandra Sen, Overseer, Rajshahi Division, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 30th October 1917.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5030A.

No. 2392A.D.—The 2nd October 1917.—Babu Jamini Mohan Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

No. 4913A.—The 4th October 1917.—Babu Ram Prasanna Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months and twenty-nine days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 16th March 1917.

No. 4952A.—The 6th October 1917.—Babu Nagendra Nath Diwan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 4989A.—The 8th October 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, for one month and twelve days, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th August 1917.

No. 5000A.—The 8th October 1917.—Babu Upendra Mohan Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, Pirojpur, Bakarganj, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 31st October 1917 to the 22nd December 1917, inclusive.

Bakarganj.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

ERRATUM.

No. 1326D., dated Darjeeling, the 1st October 1917.—In this Department, Notification No. 12600, dated the 10th September 1917, granting three months' privilege leave to second grade Assistant Surgeon Chandra Kumar Nandi, *for* "10th August 1917" *read* "27th August 1917".

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IN accordance with the Government of Bengal Notification No. 1114T.-Medl., dated the 19th September 1907, notice is hereby given that the next half-yearly examination of compounders in the district will be held at 10 A.M. on Wednesday, the 17th October 1917, and the day following at the Jessore Charitable Dispensary.

SHEIKH ELAHI BAKHSH, *Civil Surgeon.*

JESSORE, *the 6th October 1917.*

NOTICE.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 1st November 1917 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medical, dated the 7th July 1913 :—

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

President.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, M.D. (Cantab.), I.M.S.

Members.

1. Teacher of Surgery.
2. Teacher of Midwifery.

(*b*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medical, dated the 7th July 1913.

(*c*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of examination; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

* NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) The students of the Compounder class of the medical schools at the end of the one year of study, and the students of the Licentiate class of these schools, on the completion of their Second Year's course, will be allowed to appear at an optional examination, to be conducted by the Committee of Examiners notified above in minor bandaging, preparation of

antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. No additional fee shall be charged for this optional examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in minor bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2-8 for this examination, but no fee will be required from a candidate who appears at the combined Compounders' and Dressership Examination and who has paid the fee of Rs. 5 prescribed in paragraph (*c*).

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 31st August 1917.

NOTICE (2).

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder class, Medical School, Dacca will be held on the 1st November 1917, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 31st August 1917.

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABU ASHUTOSH DUTT has been placed in charge of the Pabna Sadar Treasury from the forenoon of the 17th September 1917 and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. C CHATTERJEE, *Collector*

PABNA COLLECTORATE. *the 17th September 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI ABDUL GAFFAR has been placed in charge of the Burdwan Treasury from the afternoon of the 25th September 1917 and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

B. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Collector.*

BURDWAN TREASURY, *the 25th September 1917.*

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MAULVI ABUL MAHMUD has been placed in charge of the Murshidabad Treasury from the forenoon of the 2nd October 1917, and is authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

H. C. V. PHILPOT, *Collector.*

MURSHIDABAD COLLECTORATE, *the 4th October 1917.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU DURGA KANTA RAY, substantive *pro tempore* Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sudharam Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHASHI BHUSAN BANARJI, Officiating Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Dinajpur.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU ANANDA KISHORE DATTA RAY, Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Krishnagar Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU KALI KUMAR SARKAR, Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU UMESH CHANDRA SEN, Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Faridpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BHUPAL CHANDRA GANGULI, Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,

CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,

The 27th September 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHASHI BHUSAN BANARJI, Officiating Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Dinajpur and Jalpaiguri, is appointed to be a District Delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1885 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Jalpaiguri.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 27th September 1917 *Registrar.*

BABU JYOTISH CHANDRA NEOGI, Babu Hem Chandra Das Gupta and Babu Ananga Mohan Lahiri, Munsifs, under orders of transfer to Lalbagh, Kandi and Jangipur, respectively, in the district of Murshidabad, are appointed to be District Delegates under section 235A of Act X of 1865 and section 52 of Act V of 1881, within the local limits of their respective jurisdictions.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
ENGLISH DEPT. CIVIL. H. M. VEITCH.
The 4th October 1917. *Registrar.*

IN exercise of the powers delegated to the High Court by the Notification of the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department, No. 61J.D, dated the 30th April 1915, Babu Jyotish Chandra Neogi, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Lalbagh in the district of Murshidabad, is vested, under article 8 of the Second Schedule of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887 (IX of 1887), with powers to try, under the Small Cause Court procedure, suits not exceeding Rs. 50 in value for the recovery of rents of homestead lands situated within the jurisdiction of the thanas Shahanagar, Manullabazar and Asanpur of the Lalbagh Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
ENGLISH DEPT. CIVIL. H. M. VEITCH,
The 4th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHARAT CHANDRA DEY, Munsif, who has been appointed as Registrar of the Court of Small Causes at Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 20, within the local limits of the said Court.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU KUMUD KANTA SEN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barasat Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917 *Registrar.*

BABU JATINDRA NATH MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Gaibandha, in the district of Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Gaibandha Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

MAULVI SAIYIDUR RAHMAN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Chandpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HEM CHANDRA DAS GUPTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Kandi in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Kandi Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BEPIN BIHARI CHATARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Comilla in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Comilla Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU KSHIRODA RANJAN DHAR, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Thakurgaon Munsifi.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU PRAN KUMAR BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Satkania Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHISHIR KUMAR GHOSHAL, Munsif, under orders of transfer to North Raojan, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the North Raojan Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHASHI JIBAN SEN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Ulubaria, in the district of Hooghly, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Ulubaria Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HEM CHANDRA BASU (No. II), Munsif, under orders of transfer to Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Iswarganj Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU MANMOHAN BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NIRMAL CHANDRA MITRA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Brahmanbaria in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Brahmanbaria Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU REBATI MOHAN GOSWAMI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Khatra in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Khatra Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU TRAILOKYANATH RAY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917 *Registrar.*

BABU ATUL CHANDRA GANGULY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Rangpur.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU GOPAL CHANDRA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Manikganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Manikganj Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU GYAN CHANDRA BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Vishnupur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU KISHORI MOHAN BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NATA BIHARI GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Chandpur, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Chandpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU GOUR KRISHNA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Pirojpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NARAYAN CHANDRA GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is vested, under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Chittagong.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NARAYAN CHANDRA GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU PASHUPATI BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Pabna, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Pabna Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HEMENDRA LAL SINGH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Mymensingh.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BAMANDAS MUKERJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Madaripur in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Madaripur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SATISH CHANDRA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL. H. M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU THAKURDAS BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Vishnupur in the district of Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Vishnupur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU JATINDRA KUMAR BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Narail in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU ABANI PRASAD NEOGI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Nilphamari, in the district of Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Nilphamari Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HEM CHANDRA SANYAL, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Narayanganj Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU GAJANAN BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bogra, in the district of Pabna-Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Bogra Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU PHANINDRA NATH MITRA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Brahmanbaria Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NISHI KANTA BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Bhanga Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU AMRITA LAL BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Phatikchari, in the district of Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs 50, within the local limits of the Phatikchari Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU JAMINI KISHOR RAY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of the Nabinagar Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU JAMINI KANTA MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barasat Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BHUPENDRA NATH MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Chittagong.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU REBATI MOHAN THAKURTA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Khulna.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BHUPENDRA NATH MITRA, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bajitpur in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bajitpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU JYOTISH CHANDRA NEOGI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Lalbagh, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Lalbagh Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU RAMESH CHANDRA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Lakhmipur, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Lakhmipur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court.
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU ANANGA MOHAN LAHIRI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jangipur in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Jangipur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H M. VEITCH.
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU RASIK MOHAN BHATTACHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Tangail in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Tangail Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU RAS BEHARI BARMAN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Satkhira Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SURENDRA NATH SEN (No. 1), Munsif, under orders of transfer to Sandip, in the district of Noakhali, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sandip Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL, H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SHIB CHARAN SIL, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Burdwan.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SURJYAMANI DE, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Barisal Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NARENDRA NATH NEOGY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jangipur, in the district of Murshidabad, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Jangipur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court.
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU NARANATH MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Bogra, in the district of Pabna-Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Bogra Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU MANMATHA NATH CHAWDHURY, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Comilla, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Comilla Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU KUNJA BIHARI GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Jessore.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 5th October 1917. *Registrar.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী ফিরিদ করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা
সরিফ।

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act IX of 1887, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the months of November and December 1917, sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Munshiganj Small Cause Court—From 26th November to the 30th November and from the 17th December to the 21st December 1917.

Dacca Small Cause Court—During the rest of the days of these months Sundays and holidays excepted

R. C. SEN, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 27th September 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 2nd October1 917.

No. 93P.—Babu Kasi Bhusan Sen, Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division (officiating in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed substantively on probation for one year to be an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Burdwan Division, *vice* Maulvi Matloob Ahmed Khan Choudhury, transferred, and substantively in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service in the resulting vacancy consequent on the retirement of Babu Rakhal Das Chakravarti. He will, however, continue to act as an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Presidency Division, *vice* Maulvi Alfazuddin Ahmad, transferred.

No. 94P.—Babu Priya Nath Brahmochary, Deputy Inspector of Schools Murshidabad (class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), now Officiating Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, is appointed to act as an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Burdwan Division, *vice* Babu Kali Bhusan Sen, on deputation.

He is also appointed to act in the Provincial Educational Service in the vacancy resulting from the officiating appointment of Dr. Debendra Nath Mullick in the Indian Educational Service.

The 3rd October 1917.

No. 95P.—In modification of this office Notification No. 89P., dated the 25th September 1917, Maulvi Matloob Ahmed Khan Chowdhury, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Burdwan Division, under orders of transfer to the Presidency Division (class VI of the Provincial Educational Service), was absent on leave, under articles 272, 274 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 16th August 1917 to 1st September 1917, both days inclusive.

The 5th October 1917.

No. 96P.—Maulvi A. S. H. Hossain, an Assistant Inspector of Schools Burdwan Division, in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, medical leave for three months in continuation of the leave already granted to him under this office Notification No. 69P., dated the 16th July 1917.

The 6th October 1917.

No. 97P.—Babu Kumud Nath Chaudhuri, Demonstrator in Chemistry, Dacca College (class III of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor in that college and in the Provincial Educational Service with effect from the date on which he joined the appointment, *vice* Rai Bhupati Nath Das Bahadur, on deputation.

No. 981P.—Babu Panchanon Neogi, Professor of Chemistry, Rajshahi College (class V of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, in extension of the leave granted to him in terms of this office Notification No. 80P., dated 31st August 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 16 For.—The 1st October 1917.—Babu Paresh Nath Mukharji, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, in charge of the Muraghat Range, is attached to the Jalpaiguri Division with head-quarters at Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Offg. Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the following days during the Durga and Lakshmi Pujah holidays :—

19th, 20th and 26th October 1917.

N. BHAR, *Collector of Stamp Revenue.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 22nd September 1917.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4382G.—Babu Rebati Raman Barua, Sub-Deputy Magistrate and Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Chittagong, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Chittagong Hill Tracts.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 5th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the Rules made under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the following date is fixed for holding the general election of members of the Sadar Local Board, in the district of Midnapore :—

District—Midnapore.
Local Board—Sadar.
Thanas—Midnapore, Khargpur, Salbani, Naraingarh, Dantun, Gopiballavpur, Jhargram, Binpur, Garhbeta, Keshpur, Debra, Sabong.
Date fixed for holding the election—The 26th of November 1917.

W. A. MARR, *District Magistrate.*

MIDNAPORE MAGISTRACY, *the 6th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Romesh Chandra Goswami is appointed to be a member of the Hooghly District Board, *vice* Babu Rajendra Lal Goswami, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under section 19 (1) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, Babu Bhola Nath Mozumdar has been duly elected by the members of the Sadar Local Board of Birbhum to be a member of the Birbhum District Board, *vice* Lala Mrityunjoy Lal, removed under section 18 (*c*) of the said Act.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 49L.S.-G.—The 4th October 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Chatra Charitable Dispensary, in the Basirhat subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Basirhat ... *Ex-officio.*
2. Babu Surja Kanta Misra.
3. ,, Bishnupada Roy.
4. ,, Sib Chandra Misra.
5. ,, Mohini Mohon Misra.
6. Maulvi Mahammed Abbas Ali.
7. Munshi Nasiruddin Ahmed.
8. Babu Suniti Kumar Pal. M.A., B.L.
9. Munshi Amanatulla Tarafdar.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4338G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers under section 6, clause (*f*) of the Bengal Ferries Act I of 1885, delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated 1st December 1904, I hereby declare the discontinuance of the following public ferries in the district of Noakhali :—

(1) Char Baradhali Diara ferry over the river Little Feni, between char Baradhali and char Diara, in thana Bamni.
(2) Saotal char Macpherson ferry between Sandip and char Macpherson.
(3) Char Iswar char Bagula ferry over char Iswar Dona in thana Hatiya.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 3rd October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on me by rule 3 of the Rules for Managing Committees of Government High Schools, I appoint the gentlemen named below as members of the Managing Committee of the Dinajpur Government Zilla School :—

1. Babu Kshirod Chandra Sen, Senior Deputy Magistrate of Dinajpur, official member other than an educational officer, *vice* Babu Rajnarayan Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate, transferred from this district.

2. Maulvi Yaquinuddin Ahmed, B.L., Pleader, Dinajpur, representative of the parents and guardians of the Muhammadan pupils of the school, *vice* Maulvi Mahatabuddin Ahmed, District Deputy Inspector of Schools, transferred from this district.

A. G. HALLIFAX, *District Magistrate.*

DINAJPUR MAGISTRACY, *the 5th October 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

Plan of Proposed Public Street No. XXIV (Linton Street Area).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a Proposed Public Street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXIV (Linton Street Area).

The Plan provides for the laying out of several new roads of a width of 60 feet and is one of a series of alignments which will shortly be published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the Eastern Bengal Railway and linking up Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street No. III (Gobra Main Road).

The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following municipal holdings :—

Name of street		Number of municipal holdings.
Linton Street	...	14D, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 98, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 146, 150 and 151.
Gora Chand Road	...	46-1.

The Plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on weekdays between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the Plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 31st December 1917.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th September 1917.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 16th day of September 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th September 1917.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH TO THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1917 INCLUSIVE. Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	120,452	...	120,452	5,695	...	...	25,871
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	54,311	...	54,311	26,150	...	...	27,000
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	141,521	4,542	146,063	84,760	223,222	16,700	37,091
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	145,149	33,971	179,120	92,550	290,091	9,180	97,948
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Mussawah salt ...	119,810	...	119,810	66,700	...	...	69,170
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	581,243	38,513	619,756	275,855	423,313	25,880	257,680

Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	3,133
Abandoned and destroyed	2
In transit— Port Said salt	45,640
Aden salt	33,640

ERRATUM.

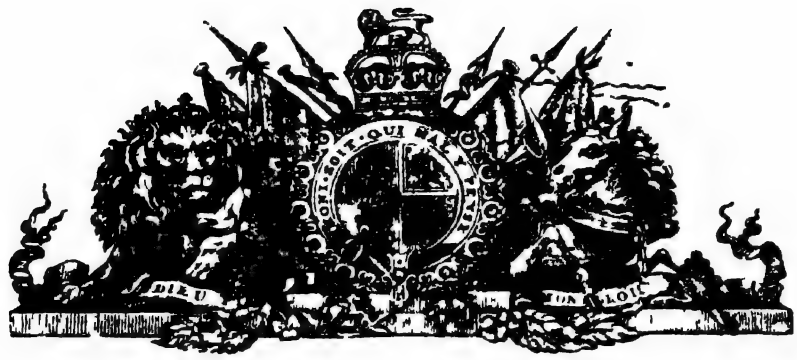
In the statement of salt for the half-month ending 31st August 1917—

For " in transit Port Said salt 28,180 maunds" please *read* " in transit Port Said salt 15,740 maunds.

A. E. MCKENNA,

Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 6th October 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 29th September 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

JUDICIAL.

Simla, the 25th September 1917.

No 962.—Mr. C. E. Grey, Barrister-at-Law, Administrator General and Official Trustee of Bengal, is granted privilege leave for 1 month and 19 days and in continuation furlough on medical certificate for 11 months and 11 days, with effect from the 1st October 1917 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 964.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Administrator General's Act, 1913 (III of 1913), and section 4 of the Official Trustees Act, 1913 (II of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. Kinney, Barrister-at-Law, Deputy Administrator General and Deputy Official Trustee, Bengal, on leave, to officiate as Administrator General and Official Trustee of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that office, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. E. Grey, Barrister-at-Law, or until further orders.

The 27th September 1917.

No. 978.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 58 of the Administrator General's Act, 1913 (III of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that as regards the Presidency of Bengal, excluding the territories specified in the Schedule annexed to the Home Department Notification No. 1823-C., dated the 13th March 1914, the powers and duties of the Government under the said Act shall, with effect from the 1st October 1917, be exercised and discharged by the Government of Bengal, and that the Official Gazette shall be the *Calcutta Gazette*.

No. 979.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 31 of the Official Trustees Act, 1913 (II of 1913), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that as regards the Presidency of Bengal, excluding the territories specified in the Schedule annexed to the Home Department Notification No. 1824-C., dated the 13th March 1914, the powers and duties of the Government under the said Act shall, with effect from the 1st October 1917, be exercised and discharged by the Government of Bengal, and that the Official Gazette shall be the *Calcutta Gazette*.

J. H. DU BOULAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 5th October 1917.

No. 34—The following Statute is published for general information :—

NAVAL DISCIPLINE ACT, 1917.

[7 & 8 GEO. 5, CH. 34.]

CHAPTER 34.

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 74-A. OF THE NAVAL DISCIPLINE ACT.

[2nd August 1917.]

BE IT enacted by the King's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :—

Amedment of s 74-A. of Naval Discipline Act

1. Section 74-A. of the Naval Discipline Act which relates to the suspension of sentence shall be amended as follows :—

(*1*) By the insertion in paragraph (*b*) thereof, after the words "committing authority," where they first occur, of the words "or an officer holding such command as the Admiralty may by regulation prescribe," and the insertion in the same paragraph after the words "committing authority" where they secondly and thirdly occur, of the words "or officer."

(*2*) By the insertion at the beginning of paragraph (*c*) of the words "Subject to regulations made by the Admiralty," and by the insertion in the same paragraph, after the words "committing authority," of the words "or an officer holding such command as the Admiralty may by regulation prescribe."

(*3*) By the substitution in paragraph (*b*) of the word "more" for the word "less."

(*4*) By the insertion at the end of the section of the following provisions—

"Where a person has been sentenced to penal servitude or imprisonment or detention and an order of committal has been issued, the Admiralty or the committing authority or an officer holding such command as the Admiralty may by regulation prescribe may order the sentence to be suspended, and in such case the person whose sentence is suspended shall be discharged and the currency of the sentence shall be suspended until he is again committed under the same sentence, and the foregoing paragraphs (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) of this section shall apply in like manner as in the case where a sentence has been suspended before an order of commital has been issued.

"Where a sentence is suspended under this section, whether before or after committal, the Admiralty or, subject to any regulation or direction which may be issued by the Admiralty, the committing authority or officer by whom the sentence is suspended may, notwithstanding anything in section fifty-three of this Act, direct that any penalty which is involved by the punishment of penal servitude or imprisonment or detention either shall be or shall not be remitted or suspended."

Printing and construction of Naval Discipline Act

2. (1) Every enactment and word which is directed by this Act to be substituted for or added to any portion of the Naval Discipline Act shall form part of that Act in the place assigned to it by this Act, and the Naval Discipline Act, and all Acts which refer thereto shall after the commencement of this Act be construed as if that enactment or word had been originally enacted in the Naval Discipline Act in the place so assigned, and, where it is substituted for another enactment or word, had been so enacted in lieu of that enactment or word, and the expression "this Act" in the Naval Discipline Act shall be construed accordingly.

(2) A copy of the Naval Discipline Act with every such enactment and word inserted in the place so assigned shall be prepared and certified by the Clerk of the Parliament and deposited with the rolls of Parliament, and His Majesty's printers shall print in accordance with the copy so certified all copies of the Naval Discipline Act which are printed after the commencement of this Act.

Short title

3. This Act may be cited as the Naval Discipline Act, 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 2nd October 1917.

No. 404.—The services of third grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Pashupati Basu are placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st July 1917.

J. H DU BOULAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 4th October 1917.

No. 1583G.—The date of Notification No. 1471-G., announcing the confirmation by His Majesty's Government of the provisional recognition of Mr. Jules Simon as Consul for Belgium at Calcutta, is hereby altered from the 19th September 1917 to the 27th August 1917.

DENYS BRAY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th October 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 6th October 1917.

No. 11984.—Mr. J. A. E. Burrup, I.S.O., an Assistant Collector of Customs at Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for twenty-three days, with effect from the 31st October 1917, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 6th October 1917.

No. 11976.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Delete the existing entries:—

"(B) Noils, silk."

"(B) Silk noils."

Add as new entries:—

"(B) Silk noils and wastes."

"(D) Silk and silk goods of all kinds including cocoons, but excluding silk noils and wastes."

MINES REGULATIONS.

The 6th October 1917.

No. 11917.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, as subsequently amended, namely:—

After Rule 11-D. of the said Rules, the following rule shall be added, namely:—

"11-E.(1) No owner of a mine shall without the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council transfer such mine or any interest therein to any person other than a British subject or to a foreign-controlled company.

For the purposes of this rule—

(*a*) the expression 'British subject' means a person who is a natural-born British subject within the meaning of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1914, and includes a subject of a State in India;

(*b*) the expression 'foreign-controlled company' includes any company, firm or association or body of individuals whether incorporated or not—

(*i*) which is not established in and subject to the laws of some part of His Majesty's dominions or of some British Protectorate, and has not its principal place of business therein, or

(*ii*) of which the majority of the directors or the partners or persons occupying the position of directors or partners by whatever name called are not British subjects, or

(*iii*) of which the majority of the voting power or the predominant interest is in the hands of persons who are not British subjects or of persons who exercise their voting power or hold their interest directly or indirectly on behalf of persons who are not British subjects, or

(*iv*) of which the control is by any other means whatever in the hands of persons who are not British subjects, or

(*v*) of which the managing body is a foreign-controlled company, or the majority of the managing body are appointed by a foreign-controlled company;

(*c*) the expression 'mine' includes a quarry and any mineral deposit or land known or believed to contain a mineral deposit of commercial value;

(*d*) the expression 'owner' includes a lessee or any person having a transferable interest or any agent of such owner, lessee or person.

(2) (*a*) Any person to whom a transfer of any mine has been made in contravention of this rule, and

(*b*) any agent entrusted with the charge, control or management of a mine by or on behalf of such transferee and having reason to believe that such a transfer has been made,

who works such mine or removes any produce or output thereof shall be deemed to have contravened these rules.

C. E. LOW.
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 6th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 5th October 1917.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1685.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

TO BE SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

Cavalry Branch.

Dated 1st October 1917.

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Henry George Blomfield.

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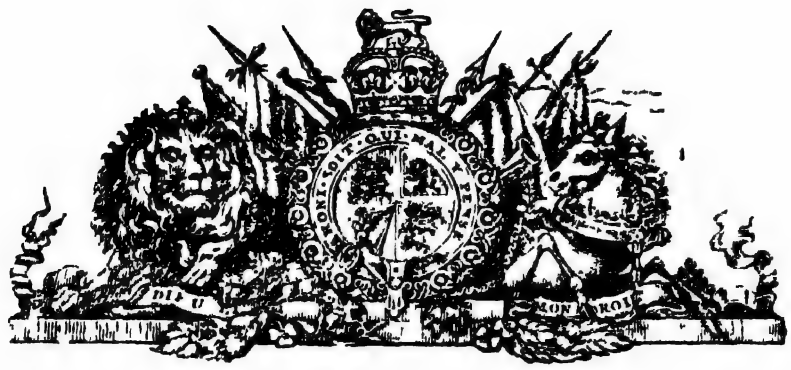
A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General.*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Faridpur. *No. 207T.-M.—The 3rd October 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86(*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Faridpur Municipality, in the district of Faridpur, made at a meeting, the Governor in Council sanctions the levy, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of a tax, under section 131 of the Act, on carriages, horses and other animals with effect from the 1st October 1917.

Calcutta. *No. 534T.M.—The 6th October 1917.*—Under section 11 (1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. S. W. Goode, I.C.S., Acting Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be Chairman of the Corporation, substantive *pro tempore*, with effect from the 8th August 1917.

Howrah. *No. 596T.-M.—The 1st October 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. Taylor to be a Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* Mr. J. Benson, resigned.

Howrah. *No. 598T.-M.—The 1st October 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. D. C. Steen to be a Commissioner of the Howrah Municipality, *vice* the Superintendent of Police, Howrah, *ex-officio*.

No. 600T.-M.—The 1st October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Gordon Low, to be a Commissioner of the Bhatpara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. D Brymer.

24-Parganas.

No. 522T—L.S.-G.—The 5th October 1917.—The following draft of a notification which the Governor in Council intends to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*t*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published, as required by section 143 of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th November 1917, and any objection or suggestion with respect thereto which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*t*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following rule shall be added to the existing rule 22 contained in Part VIII of the rules made under clauses (*i*) and (*t*) of section 138 of the said Act and published with Notification No. 2009T.—M., dated the 9th November 1901, at pages 217 to 273 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th December 1901 :—

" Donations which private persons give to the District Board for objects of legitimate expenditure on condition that they are to be placed in fixed deposit in a bank or invested in securities, may be so placed in deposit or invested by the District Board. '

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

RULES 2 (*c*), (9), (10), 14 and (18) of the Provident Fund Rules of the Corporation as amended and sanctioned by Government in their order No. 592T.—M., dated the 30th September 1917, are published below :—

2 (*c*). " Manager " shall include the firm of Chartered Accountants or such other person or persons as the General Committee may, from time to time, appoint, and in whom the management of the fund shall, subject to the general supervision and control of the Corporation, be vested. The necessary expenses of management shall be borne by *the Corporation out of the Municipal Funds.*

9. For and in respect of each complete year ending with 31st day of March the Corporation shall, on that date, contribute to the Fund a sum equal to the aggregate amount of the compulsory subscriptions for such year. and shall pay the same to the Manager.

10. The Manager shall, from time to time, pay into the Bank of Bengal at Calcutta or any other Bank at Calcutta sanctioned by the General Committee to the credit of an account to be styled " the Corporation of Calcutta Provident Fund Account " all moneys received by *him.* All moneys to the credit of such account shall be dealt with only in accordance with these rules and regulations, and all or any portion of such moneys shall be withdrawn from such account only by cheques bearing the signatures of two Trustees in addition to the signature of the Manager.

14. On the 31st day of March in each year the Manager shall credit the account of each subscriber contributing compulsory subscription with the

equivalent of his compulsory subscription for the year out of the Corporation contribution under Rule 9 and also his share of any moneys forfeited or lapsed to the Fund in proportion to the amount standing to his credit in respect of his compulsory subscription for the year and thereafter, the Manager having ascertained the amount available for division among the subscribers (compulsory and voluntary) *arising from the interest accrued on securities and on all other moneys, if any, that should properly be brought into account* shall provisionally credit the account of each subscriber contributing compulsory subscription with his share thereof in proportion to the amount standing to his credit without taking into account his share of the Corporation contribution for the year as also his share of any sum forfeited or lapsed for the year, and shall also credit the account of each subscriber contributing voluntary subscription with the share thereof in proportion to the amount standing to his credit in respect of his voluntary subscription: Provided that in the case of the cessation of the service or death of any subscriber at any time before the 31st March in any financial year it shall be lawful for the General Committee, if they think fit, to authorise the Manager to make the account of the said subscriber before the close of the year by crediting it with a sum equal to the aggregate amount of the compulsory subscription paid by him during the portion of the said year.

18. Any subscriber contributing voluntary subscription may withdraw the whole or part of the amount to his credit for and in respect of his voluntary subscription by written application to the Manager therefor and the Manager shall pay the same within a fortnight from the date of receiving such application.

S. W. GOODE,
Acting Chairman, Calcutta Corporation.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE,
The 9th October 1917.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th September 1917.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the two senior "Muhammadan Education Fund" scholarships of Rs. 90 per annum each are granted to the following students of the Dacca College :—

(1) Mujaffar Ali. | (2) Serajuddin Ahmed.

The scholarships are tenable for two years at the Dacca College with effect from 1st June 1917.

EVAN E. BISS,
Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

Statement of Candidates who have passed the Examination of Sanskrit Titles, held in February 1917, in accordance with the Government of Bengal, General Department Resolution, dated the 30th January 1878, together with the Titles and Rewards conferred on them.

(Approved by the Board of Sanskrit Examinations, Calcutta.)

(In order of merit.)

No.	Name of candidate and title conferred.	Reward.		Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward.	
		Government.	Private.			Government.	Private.
	Yayur Veda.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	Second Division.						
1	Bhabadeb Brahmacharya, Vedatirtha	...	...	Private	Ajodhya, Faizabad.		
2	Chandrasekhar Jha, Vedatirtha ...	...	...(a)	Pandit Biswanath Thakur.	Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
3	Jadugopal Varma, Vedatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Jadugopal Tatwaratna.	120, Kalighat Road, Calcutta.		
4	Durgadas Bhattacharyya, Vedatirtha	...	...	Pandit Iswarchandra Smrititirtha.	Malatinagar, Bogra.		
	Nyaya (ক) অনুমান খণ্ড।						
	First Division.						
1	Suryyanath Ray, Tarkatirtha ...	100	40 13(b)	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavauma.	Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	...	50(c)
	Amarendramohan Bhattacharyya, Tarkatirtha.	100	40 13(b)	Mahamahopadhyaya Kamakshyanath Tarkabagisa.	Navadwip, Nadia ...	...	45(d)
	Second Division						
2	Sivanath Bandyopadhyaya, Tarkatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Yaminikanta Tarkatirtha.	Daulatpur, Khulna.		
3	Basudev Chakravarti, Tarkatirtha ...	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Gurucharan Tarkadarsantirtha and Pandit Yamiuinath Tarkabagisa.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
	Nyaya খ) শব্দ খণ্ড।						
	Second Division.						
1	Upendranath Bhattacharyya, Tarkatirtha.	25	25(e)	Mahamahopadhyaya Kamakshyanath Tarkabagisa.	Navadwip, Nadia.		
2	Prangopal Goswami, Tarkatirtha ...	...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		
3	Nalinakshya Chaudhury, Tarkatirtha	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
	Prachin Nyaya (গ).						
	Second Division.						
1	Taranath Ray, Nyayatirtha ...	...	19(f)	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavauma.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	...	
2	Ramswarup Upadhyaya, Nyayatirtha	...	...	Pandit Ramkrishna Tarkasastri.	Sihara, Bijnour.	...	
3	Biswanath Atreya Nyayatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Harinath Sastri	Sonthgali, Benares.	...	
4	Saratkamal Bhattacharyya, Nyayatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Phanibhusan Tarkabagisa.	Darsan *tol*, Pabna ...	50	

(a) Rajarshi Gopal Chandra Acharyya Chaudhury Silver Medal.
(b) Burdwan Prize of Rs. 40, Darbhanga Stipend of Rs. 13 a month Hara Kumar Tagore Gold keyur, Biraj Mohini Devi Silver Medal and Rajarshi Gopal Chandra Acharyya Choudhury Silver Medal.
(c) Raj Krishna Roy Prize of Rs. 50.
(d) Hara Kumar Tagore Prize of Rs. 45.
(e) Hara Kumar Tagore Prize of Rs. 25
(f) Darbhanga Prize of Rs. 19.

No.	Name of candidate and title conferred.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.
	Jain Nyaya (c) Digambariya.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	First Division.						
1	Bansidhar, Nyayatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Gopaldas Nyayavachaspati.	Morena, Gowaliar.		
	Second Division.						
2	Jibandhar Jain, Nyayatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Ambadas Sastri	Sadhad Mahavidyalaya, Benares City.		
3	Omrab Singh, Nyayatirtha ...	...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		
	Vedanta.						
	Second Division.						
1	Amritalal Sarma, Vedantatirtha ...	25	5(a)	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	200	
2	Raghubar Mitulal Srivastavya, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Dr. Ganganath Jha, M.A., D.LITT.	George Town, Allahabad.		
3	Rakhahari Vyakarantirtha, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
4	Jagadis Sastri, Vedantatirtha ...	...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		
5	Taranath Bhattacharyya Saptatirtha, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Phanibhusan Tarkabagisa.	Darsan *tol*, Pabna.		
6	Tarasar Bhattacharyya, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
7	Harendranath Kavyatirtha, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Rameshchandra Sankhya Vedantatirtha.	Bijoy Chatuspathi, Burdwan.	...	45(b)
8	Keshabchandra Pati, Vedantatirtha	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
9	Ghanasyam Pati, Vedantatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Panchanan Tarkatirtha.	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.		
10	Benimadhab Bhattacharyya, Vedantatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Rameshchandra Sankhya Vedantatirtha.	Bijoy Chatuspathi, Burdwan.		
	Sankhya.						
	First Division.						
1	Manmathanath Bhattacharyya, Sankhyatirtha.	50	7(c)	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavauma.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.		
	Second Division.						
2	Upendranath Kavyatirtha, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Syamakanta Tarkapanchanan.	Sonarpura, Benares City		
3	Madhabdas Chakravarti, M.A., Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Akshyakumar Sastri.	6, Goabagan Street, Simla, Calcutta.		
4	Bhimacharyya Husarkar, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
5	Bipinbihari Chakravarti, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sitanath Vedantasastri.	Chinsura, Hooghly.		
	Gurucharan Bhattacharyya, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Ramram Nyayaratna.	Baburthama, Bilnia, Noakhali.		
6	Jugalkishore Misra, Sankhyatirtha	...	...	Pandit Raghubir Vedantatirtha.	Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
7	Madhabchandra Kavyatirtha, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kedarnath Sankhyatirtha and Pandit Surendranath S. V. M. Darsantirtha.	Pakur, Dumka.		
	Sitikantha Mazumdar, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkachudamani.	Benares City.		
8	Lakshmikanta Bhattacharyya, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Haranath Sastri	81, Raja Navakrishna Street, Calcutta.	100	
9	Upendranath Bhattacharyya, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Surryakumar Tarkasaraswati.	Silchar, Cachar.		
10	Navakanta Bhattacharyya, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Panchanan Tarkatirtha.	Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.		
11	Ramsankar Thakur Chakravarti, Sankhyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Haridas Siddhantabagisa.	Nakipur, Khulna.		

(a) Raja Haranath Roy Stipend of Rs. 5 a month. (b) Burdwan Prize Rs 45. (c) Dewan Krishnakanta Nandi Stipend of Rs. 7 a month.

No.	Name of candidate and title conferred.	Reward.		Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward.	
		Government.	Private.			Government.	Private.
		Rs.	Rs.			Rs	Rs.
	Navya Smriti (স)						
	First Division.						
1	Harendrachandra Vyakarantirtha, Smrititirtha.	25	6 35(*a*)	Pandit Kalikrishna Siddhantasastri	Atharabari, Mymensingh	50	
2	Sambhunath Bhattacharyya, Smrititirtha.	25	7(*b*)	Pandit Mrityunjay Smrititirtha.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24 Parganas.	...	50(*c*)
	Second Division.						
3	Devendrakishore Vyakarantirtha, Smrititirtha.	20	40(*d*)	Pandit Kalikrishna Siddhantasastri.	Atharabari, Mymensingh		
4	Dwijendranath Haldar, Smrititirtha	...	...	Pandit Devnath Smrititirtha	Daulatpur, Khulna.		
5	Khagendranath Bhattacharyya, Smrititirtha.	...	...	Pandit Mrityanjay Smrititirtha.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.		
6	Bhupatichran Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Smrititirtha.	...	...	Pandit Suryyanarayan Smritibhusana.	Patuabazar Midnapur.		
7	Nalinakshya Bhattacharyya, Smritirtha.	...	...	Pandit Yogindranath Smrititirtha.	Navadwip, Nadia.		
	Syamakanta Chakravarti, Smritirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sitanath Vedantasastri.	Chinsura, Hooghly.		
8	Kasikanta Chakravarti, Smrititirtha	...	...	Pandit Yogindranath Smrititirtha.	Navadwip, Nadia.		
9	Jogeshchandra Chakravarti, Smritirtha.	...	...	Pandit Upendrachandra Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Saraswat *tol*, Dacca.		
	Gopendrakumar Goswami, Smritirtha.	...	...	Pandit Basantakumar Vidyabhushan.	Kirnahar, Birbhum.		
10	Kalicharan Chakravarti, Smrititirtha	...	...	Pandit Upendrachandra Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Saraswat *tol*, Dacca.		
11	Devendranath Bhattcharyya, Smritirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Pramathanath Tarkabhusan.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta		
12	Kaminikumar Chakravarti, Smritirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kamalkrishna Smrititirtha.	Sonarpura, Benares City.		
13	Jatindranath Bhattacharyya, Smritirtha.	-	...	Pandit Anathbandhu Siddhantabagisa.	53, Hari Ghose Street, Simla, Calcutta.		
	Prachin Smriti. (ঘ)						
	Second Division.						
1	Tekanath Misra, Smrititirtha ...	...	...	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
2	Sambandutt Kavya Vyakarantirtha, Smrititirtha.	...	...	Pandit Krishna Charan Tarkalankar.	Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
	Utkaliya Navya Smriti (ঘ)						
	Second Division.						
1	Brajanarayan Misra, Smrititirtha ...	...	40(*e*)	Mahamahopadhyaya Lakshman Sastri.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
	Puran.						
	Second Division.						
1	Debendranath Pahari, Purantirtha...	...	(*f*)	Pandit Baradakanta Kavyatirtha.	Mugberia, Midnapore ...		
	Jyotish.						
	First Division.						
1	Muralidhar Thakur, Jyotishtirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Genalal Chaudhury.	Habibhour, Bahera, Darbhanga.		

(*a*) Raja Lokenath Roy Stipend of Rs. 6 a month, Parvati Devi Prize of Rs. 35, Rajarshi Gopalchandra Acharyya Chowdhury Silver Medal and Lord Charmichael Gold Medal.
(*b*) Prasannakumar Tagore Stipend of Rs. 7 a month.
(*c*) Kshetramany Devi Prize of Rs. 50.
(*d*) Darbhanga Prize of Rs. 40.
(*e*) Gouriayam Prize of Rs. 40 to be paid by the Magistrate of Cuttack.
(*f*) Mahendra Nath Goswami Gold Medal.

No.	Name of candidate and title conferred.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.
	Jyotish—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	SECOND DIVISION.						
2	Mukunda Mahapatra Sarma, Jyotishtirtha.	...	...	Pandit Ramyatna Jyotishtirtha.	Hindu College, Benares		
3	Ajak Lal Jha, Jyotishtirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Baladev Jha ...	Jamua Kursakanta, Purnea.		
4	Balaram Ghatak, Jyotishtirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Radhaballabh Jyotishtirtha.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta		
5	Kudan Misra Jyotishtirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Anuplal Sarma...	Pupri, Janakpur Road, Muzaffarpur.		
6	Kuseswar Jha, Jyotishtirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Chaturbhuj Misra	Sibgunj, Darbhanga ...		
7	Umakanta Misra, Jyotistirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Upadhyaya Jha	Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
	Kavya,						
	FIRST DIVISION.						
1	Priyanath Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha	50	4(*a*)	Pandit Lalit Mohan Smrititirtha.	Rukminikanta *tol*, Naogaon, Rajshahi.	100	
2	Gobinda Chandra Bandyopadhyaya, Kavyatirtha.	25	35(*b*)	Pandit Madhusudan Kavyasankhyatirtha.	18, Srinath Ray Lane, Calcutta.	...	50(*c*)
3	Mohinikumar Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	20	...	Pandit Lalit Mohan Smrititirtha.	Rukminikanta *tol*, Naogaon, Rajshahi.		
4	Sureshchandra Chaudhury, Kavyatirtha.	20	...	Pandit Haripada Smrititirtha.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.		
	SECOND DIVISION.						
5	Kalipada Ghose, Kavyatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Sasibhusan Smrititirtha.	Panchthupi, Murshidabad.		
6	Prafulla Chandra Sen Gupta, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sasibhusan Vidyabinode.	Chapuria, Dulla, Mymensingh.		
7	Gayeswar Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	..	Pandit Pratap Chandra Kavya Vyakaran Smrititirtha.	6, Syampukur Street, Calcutta.		
8	Jogesh Chandra Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Asutosh Kavyatirtha.	Khalisakota, Barisal.		
9	Harendra Chandra Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sasikumar Tarkatirtha.	Kavindra College, Gaila, Barisal.		
10	Mrityunjay Chakravarti, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Haripada Smritirtha.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.		
11	Brajabhusan Misra, Kavyatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Chandrikadatta Misra.	87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.		
12	Surendranath Chakravarti, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Pravash Chandra Kavya Vyakarantirtha.	115, Debnathpura, Benares City.		
13	Anathnath Vyakarantirtha, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dwarkanath Vidyabinode.	Champlani, Baidyabati, Hooghly.		
14	Janhabi Charan Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Lalitmohan Smrititirtha.	Rukminikanta *tol*, Naogaon, Rajshahi.		
15	Harakanta Vyakarantirtha, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dwarkanath Nyayasastri.	6-22, Kebalkrishna Sur Street, Hatkhola, Calcutta.		
	Sureshchandra Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Rajanikanta Vedantabagisa.	Dacca.		
16	Jaydev Jha, Kavyatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Upadhyaya Jha	14-2, Raja Brajendranarayan Street, Barabazar, Calcutta.		
17	Jnanendranath Chakravarti, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Lalitmohan Smrititirtha.	Rukminikanta *tol*, Naogaon, Rajshahi.		
	Rameswar Panda, Kavyatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Taraprasad Nayaratna.	Naskarpur, Basudebpur, Midnapur.		
18	Dasarathi Misra, Kavyatirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha.	Balageria, Basudebpur, Midnapur.		
	Bidhubhusan Chakravarti, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Mahamahopodhyaya Madhabchandra Tarkachudamani.	Sutrapur, Dacca.		
19	Debendranath Bhattacharyya, Kavyatirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sasibhusan Vidyabenode.	Chapuria, Dulla, Mymensingh		

(*a*) Raja Krishna Nath Roy Stipend of Rs. 4 a month. | (*b*) Jagannmohan Mukerjee Prize of Rs. 35. | (*c*) Raj Krishna Roy Prize of Rs. 50.

No	Name of candidate and title conferred.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.
		Rs.	Rs.			Rs	Rs.
	Kavya—*contd.*						
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7	Kshirodechandra Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Umacharan Tarkaratna.	Kalisahar, Chittagong.		
8	Durgapuri Devi, Vyakarantirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Bhabaneswar Vidyalankar	97-3, Syambazar Street, Calcutta.		
9	Dineshchandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Upendrachandra Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Banglabazar, Dacca		
10	Sasadhar Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Tarinicharan Chakravarti.	Uddhar, Mudaffargunge, Tippera		
11	Chandrakanta Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Bangachandra Vyakarantirtha.	Fultali, Jafargung, Tippera.		
12	Jogeswar Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Suryyakumar Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Comilla, Tippera.		
13	Narayanchandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		
14	Narendrachandra Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.		
15	Jitendranath Das Gupta, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sriprasanna Das Gupta.	Gaila, Barisal.		
16	Taranath Acharyya, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Birajanath Tarkapanchanan.	Jalsuka, Sylhet.		
17	Jogeshchandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkachudamani.	Iswar Pathsala, Benares.		
18	Satischandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Anandakishore Nyayalankar.	Katihali, Kaitail, Mymensingh.		
19	Jogeshchandra Acharyya Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Ramchandra Smrititirtha.	Sultanpur, Raujan, Chittagong		
20	Upendrakumar Das Gupta, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Priyanath Tarkatirtha	Kasipur, Baranagar, 24-Parganas.		
21	Durgacharan Chakravarti Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Baikunthanath Vidyabhusana.	Nabinagar, Tippera.		
22	Chandramohan Datta, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Kailashchandra Vidyabhusana.	Amtali, Tangibari, Dacca.		
23	Haricharan Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Baikunthanath Vidyabhusana	Nabinagar, Tippera.		
24	Satikanta Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kasinath Vidyaratna.	Chandsi, Barisal.		
	Gurudas Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sitanath Vyakarantirtha, Pandit Anandanath Vidyaratna and Pandit Kailashchandra Tarkaratna.	Boaliabari, Tippera.		
25	Sachindrachandra Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Anandakishore, Nyayalankar	Katihali, Kaitail, Mymensingh.		
26	Bibhutibhusan Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Gurucharan Smritiratna.	Ditto		
27	Nandalal Goswami, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkachudamani.	Iswar Pathsala, Benares City.		
	Mahimchandra Chackravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Haranath Sastri	81, Raja Navakrishna Street, Calcutta.		
	Jatindranath Gangopadhyaya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Srinath Vidyabhusana.	Fursail, Malkanagar, Dacca.		
28	Bimalakanta Sen Gupta, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sriprasanna Das Gupta.	Gaila, Barisal.		
	Maheshchandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Syamacharan Siddhantabagisa, and Pandit Syamacharan Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Bajapti, Tippera.		
29	Ramanimohanguru Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Purnachandra Kavya Tarkatirtha.	Dnair, Abdullabad, Faridpur.		
	Niradacharan Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sarodacharan Vidyaratna.	Sonachaka, Khilpara, Noakhali.		
30	Sureshchandra Sarma, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Annadacharan Tarkachudamani.	Iswar Pathsala, Benares City.		
	Girindrachandra, Bhusan, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Gangacharan Vidyanidhi.	Mymensingh.		
31	Bhabanikinkar Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Suryyakumar Tarkasaraswati.	Silchar, Cachar.		
32	Susilkumar Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Jadabnath Kavyatirtha.	Tangail, Mymensingh.		

No.	Name of candidate and title conferred.	REWARD. Government.	REWARD. Private.	Name of teacher.	Place of tol.	REWARD. Government.	REWARD. Private.
	Kalapa Vyakarana—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	SECOND DIVISION—*concld.*						
33	Jitendrachandra Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kalichandra Vidyabhusana.	Murapara, Dacca.		
34	Bijayprasanna Das Gupta, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sriprasanna Das Gupta.	Gaila, Barisal.		
	Ramakshya Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kamininath Bhattacharyya.	Singur Fultala, Sylhet.		
	Jatindrachandra Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Sitanath Vyakarantirtha, Pandit Anandanath Vidyaratna, and Pandit Kailashchandra Tarkaratna	Boaliabari, Tippera.		
35	Hemantakumar Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kalikanta Seromani.	Unasia, Gachapara, Faridpur.		
36	Harendranath Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dwarkanath Nyayasastri.	6-22, Kebalkrishna Sur Street, Calcutta.		
37	Chandrakanta Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Madhabchandra Seromani, and Pandit Rajanikanta Vidyabhusana.	Dirghaldi, Boaliabari, Tippera.		
	Sankshiptasar Vyakarana.						
	FIRST DIVISION.						
1	Makhanchandra Kavyatirtha, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Rakhaldas Nyayatarkatirtha.	Bishnupur, Bankura		
	SECOND DIVISION.						
2	Bhabatosh Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Srishchandra Tarkatirtha.	Narajole, Midnapur.		
3	Lalbihari Bandyopadhyaya, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dwarkesh Tarkabhusana.	Searsole, Burdwan.		
4	Rameshchandra Kavya Smrititirtha, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Divakar Vedantapanchanan.	Contai, Midnapur.		
5	Sivanarayan Kavyatirtha, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dakshina Charan Smrititirtha.	11, Nyayaratna Lane, Calcutta.		
6	Girish Chandra Kavyatirtha, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Gobinda Chandra Bhagabatbhusana.	Tarat, Amarshi, Midnapur.		
7	Biswamohan Goswami, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dwigendra Mohan Goswami.	Kanaidanga, Kaichar, Burdwan.		
	Supadma Vyakarana.						
	SECOND DIVISION.						
1	Kunjabehari Chattopadhyaya Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Bireshnath Kavyatirtha.	Mulajore, Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.		
	Mugdhabodha.						
	SECOND DIVISION.						
1	Ananda Gopal Goswami, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Brajaraj Goswami	Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwip, Nadia.		
2	Panchugopal Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Manmathanath Vidyaratna.	50, Raja Rajballabh Street, Calcutta.		
3	Nanigopal Das Gupta, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Ramtaran Kavya Smrititirtha.	Berhampur, Khagra, Murshidabad.		
4	Nagendranath Bhattacharyya, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Abinash Chandra Nyayaratna.	Navadwip, Nadia.		
5	Panchanan Chakravarti. Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Dasarathi Smriti Vyakarantirtha.	Darhatta, Hooghly.		
6	Ramanuj Neogi, Vyakarantirtha ...	...	....	Pandit Rampada Vedantatirtha.	Kamardihi, Ukhra, Burdwan.		
7	Bishnupada Panda, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Manmathanath Vidyaratna.	50, Raja Rajballabh Street, Calcutta.		
8	Mrityunjay Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Radhaballabh Smriti Vyakaran Jyotishtirtha.	Sanskrit College, Calcutta.		
9	Jyotish Chandra Ghose, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Iswar Chandra Smrititirtha.	Malatinagar, Bogra.		

No.	Name of candidate and the title conferred.	Reward. Government	Reward. Private.	Name of teacher.	Place of *tol*.	Reward. Government.	Reward. Private.
	Saraswat Vyakarana.	Rs.	Rs.			Rs.	Rs.
	First Division.						
1	Jagadish Chandra Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	20	...	Pandit Iswar Chandra Smrititirtha.	Malatinagar, Bogra.		
	Second Division.						
2	Tukanath Sarma, Vyakarantirtha ...	...	...	Private	Jalalpur, Patna.		
3	Ramsiromoni Tripathi, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Gangaram Tripathi.	Katni, Jubbalpur.		
	Rakhal Chandra Kumar, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Kantalal Chaudhury	Karnagar, Bhagalpur.		
4	Ramballabh Kavyatirtha, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Raghubir Vedantatirtha	Visudhayananda, Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
5	Gayaprasad Misra, Vyakarantirtha...	...	...	Pandit Mahabir Jha, Vyakarantirtha.	Kamalpur, Sitapur ...		
6	Muktinath Jha, Vyakarantirtha ...	...	...	Pandit Raghubir Vedantatirtha	Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.		
7	Krishna Chandra Satpathi, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Radhikaprasad Tarkatirtha.	Gopalpur, Burdwan.		
8	Trilochan Chakravarti, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Baidyanath Vidyaratna.	Garbasudebpur Midnapore.		
9	Badrinath Malaviya, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Dabatadin Sarma	Sultanpur Sultanpur.		
	Prayogratnamala.						
	Second Division.						
1	Anantadev Goswami, Vyakarantirtha	...	...	Pandit Trilochan Nyyabagisa.	Gouripur Goalpara, Assam.		
2	Homeswar Deb Misra, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Mahadev Deb Goswami Smriti, Vyakarantirtha.	Naura, Baihata, Kamrup.		
3	Brahmadatta Dev Sarma, Vyakarantirtha.	...	...	Pandit Modenath Smritiratna.	Khagrabari, Cooch-Behar.		
	Pali Abhidharma Pitak.						
	Second Division.						
1	Sraman Agrabansa, Abhidharma Visarada.	..	...(a)	Pandit Usagar Mahasthabir.	Baijaintadham, Mayangul, Moulmein.		

(a) Anagarika Dharmapala Gold Medal.

CALCUTTA;
The 27th September 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE PRESIDENT AND THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SANSKRIT EXAMINATIONS, CALCUTTA.

IT is hereby notified that a centre for holding the Sanskrit Title Examination, under the auspices of the Prachya Dharma Parishad at the town of Silchar, in the Surma Valley, has been sanctioned by the Board of Sanskrit Examinations from the year 1918.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSHANA,
Principal, Sanskrit College, and
Secretary, Board of Sanskrit Examinations.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SANSKRIT EXAMINATIONS, CALCUTTA, *the 4th September 1917.*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

University Matriculation Examination, 1918.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who have not attended any recognized or unrecognized High English schools for at least one year previous to the examination. The term "private students" includes school-masters.

2. Private students must appear at the Test Examination to be held on Monday, the 3rd December 1917, and the following days at the Hooghly Collegiate School.

Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 6, which should be remitted to the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, along with his application for admission to the Test Examination by the 9th November 1917, after which date a fine of Rs. 2 will have to be paid for each week's delay. *Under no circumstances will the admission fee be refunded.* No private student will be admitted to the Test Examination unless he is accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

3. Applications must be submitted through the head-master of the school in which the applicant last read. The head-master, in forwarding the application to this office, should note whether he recommends the application or not. If he does not, his reasons should be stated. The application of no candidate is to be forwarded who did not leave school from the first class, or who had not been declared fit for promotion to that class. The information to be given and the documents to be appended (in original) are the following :—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate by the head-master of the school in which he last read ; or

(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance Examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

(*d*) The age of the candidate is not required in cases (*b*) and (*c*). No candidate who has not completed the age of sixteen years on the first day of the Matriculation Examination is eligible.

(*e*) In the case of school-masters, a certificate of good conduct from the secretary or proprietor of the school in which the candidate is serving.

(*f*) A certificate from a respectable gentleman to the effect that the candidate has prosecuted a regular course of study and has been subject to proper discipline, and that he has not read in any school since the last Matriculation Examination held in July 1917. Detailed information is needed under this head. The person granting the certificate should state his social or professional position.

(*g*) The names of subjects in which the candidate wishes to be examined.

4 *The fee for the Matriculation Examination has NOT to be sent to this office.* It should be sent to the Registrar by the candidates themselves, together with the countersigned applications.

5. The address of each private student should be supplied to this office.

6. The Matriculation Examination in 1918 will be held on the 4th March 1918 and following days. Applications and fees for admission must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 19th January 1918.

W. E. GRIFFITH,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *The 27th September 1917.*

INTERMEDIATE AND B. A. EXAMINATIONS.

1. Deputy Inspectors of Schools, Sub-Inspectors of Schools and *bona fide* masters of English schools, who have served as such for the full period of three academical years preceding the examination, will be admitted to the abovementioned examinations.

2. Candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations must produce certificates of character and length of service from the secretaries of their respective schools. Candidates for the B. A. Examination must forward with their applications their F. A. certificates, and those for the Intermediate Examination their Entrance or Matriculation certificates. Those candidates who were admitted to a former examination must produce the Registrar's receipt in addition.

3. Under section 19 of the Indian Universities Act, candidates for the Intermediate and B. A. Examinations are informed that their applications for admission to these examinations will not be considered unless they enclose with their applications to this office the sanction of the Senate to appear at the said examinations. Candidates who have applied for or have obtained the special permission of the Senate for the purpose are required, under section 9, chapter XV of the Revised Regulations, dealing with the registration of University students, to apply at once to the Registrar for the registration of their names as University students. No person will be deemed a "University student" unless and until his name has been duly registered, and none but "University students" will be eligible for admission to any University examination other than the Matriculation.

4. The printed form of application should be carefully and correctly filled in and submitted to this office on or before the 12th January 1918, together with other papers, as mentioned in rules 2 and 3, after which no application will be received.

5. The Intermediate Examination of 1918 will be held on the 13th March 1918 and following days. The B. A. Examination of 1918 will be held on the 4th April 1918 and following days. The applications and fees for admission to the Intermediate Examination must reach the office of the Registrar on or before the 30th January 1918, and those for the B. A. Examination on or before the 21st February 1918.

W. E. GRIFFITH,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

CHINSURA, *The 27th September 1917.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

ON the results of the last I.A. and I.Sc. and B.A. and B.Sc. Examinations the following medals, scholarships and prizes have been awarded to the students mentioned against each :—

I.A. and I.Sc. Examinations, 1917.

Dwijendralal Ray Scholarship and Prize awarded to Kalinath Sinha, Metropolitan Institution.

B.A. Examination, 1917.

Quinlan Memorial Medal awarded to Bhanubhushan Dasgupta, Scottish Churches College.

B.Sc. Examination, 1917.

Mohinimohan Ray Memorial Medal awarded to Jitendranath Bandyopadhyay, Presidency College.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 2nd October 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination in Law held in August, 1917 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

1	Ghosh, Debaprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
2	Sinha, Binaykrishna	...	University Law College.
3	Bandyopadhyay, Hanseswar	...	Ditto.
4	Seraj-ul Islam	...	Ditto.
5	Majumdar, Ranajitkumar	...	Ditto.
6	Bandyopadhyay, Tulsidas	...	Ditto.
7	Maitra, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Kumarischandra	...	Ditto.
9	Dhar, Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
10	Das, Tarakchandra	...	Ditto.
11	Chaudhuri, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
12	Bandyopadhyay, Jatischandra	...	Ditto.
13	Basu, Manmathanath	...	Ditto
	Bhattacharyya, Amritalal	...	Ripon Law College.
15	Das, Jogendranath	...	University Law College.
	Sengupta, Niradbaran	...	Dacca Law College.

SECOND DIVISION.

(Arranged in alphabetical order.)

	Abdul Mannan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Abdur Rahim	...	University Law College.
	Abdus Sobhan	...	Ditto.
	Abu Zafar	...	Patna Law College.
	Acharyya, Chintamani	...	University Law College.
	A. H. Tafsiruddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Akhowri Bindhyeswari Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Ata Husain	...	Ditto.
	Awadh Narayan Das	...	University Law College.
10	Baksi, Murarimohan	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Amarendramohan		Ditto.
	,, Bijanbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Birajmohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Bishnumohan	...	University Law College.
	,, Brajendralal	...	Ditto.
	,, Chunilal	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Dhirendrakumar		University Law College.
	,, Girijanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
20	,, Jitendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Jogendramohan	...	University Law College.
	,, Kalidas	...	Ditto.
	,, Kalyankumar	...	RiponLaw College.
	,, Kisorimohan	...	University Law College.
	,, Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Prabodhchandra		Ditto.
	,, Pratulchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Salilkumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Satyendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
30	,, Taracharan	...	University Law College.
	,, Taranikanta	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N 6.
	Bansidhar	...	University Law College
	Barada Charan	..	Patna Law College.
	Baral, Nirmalchandra	..	University Law College.

	Baruya, Dharmaraj	...	Ripon Law College.
	Basu, Bijaygopal	...	Ditto.
	„ Hrishikes	...	University Law College.
	„ Jyotiprasad	...	Ditto.
	„ Murarimohan	...	Ditto.
40	„ Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nripendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Praphullakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyakinkar	...	Ditto.
	Basuchaudhuri, Nitischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	Bhaduri, Amarendrakrishna	...	University Law College.
	Bhagwan Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Bhar, Anathnath	...	University Law College.
50	Bhattacharyya, Becharam	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendramohan	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N 7.
	„ Durganath	...	University Law College.
	„ Haricharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Haripada	..	Ditto.
	„ Manindranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Manmathanath	...	University Law College.
	„ Mohitkrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Naliniranjan	...	University Law College.
	„ Nilalohita	...	Ditto.
60	„ Nirendrabijay	...	Ditto.
	„ Nityahari	...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Bindhyachal Prasad	...	University Law College.
	Bindhyeswari Prasad Sinha	..	Ditto.
	Brajeswar Sahay	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Anathbandhu	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Hemchandra	...	University Law College.
70	„ Kshetramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Mahimchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudebsundar	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 2.
	„ Syamapada	...	University Law College.
	Chandra, Manimohan	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Atulkrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Bireswar	...	University Law College.
	„ Debendranath	...	Ditto.
80	„ Debipada	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 3.
	„ Kesablal, I	...	University Law College.
	„ Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
	„ Phanindralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyakinkar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Tarakuath	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Chintaharan	...	Dacca Law College.
90	„ Gajendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 21.
	„ Mahananda	...	University Law College.
	„ Manindralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Manomohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Nagendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Radhasyam	...	Ditto.

	Chaudhuri, Sudhasindhu	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendramohan	...	Ditto.
100	Cranenburgh, E. L.	...	Ditto.
	Daliluddin Ahmed	...	Dacca Law College.
	Damodar Jha	...	University Law College.
	Das, Akhilchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Asutosh	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Balaichandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Bamanchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Gaurangabihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Haladhar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Lalji	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
110	„ Pareschandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Rakesranjan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Samuel	...	University Law College.
	„ Sarojmohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Bhupatimohan	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N 8.
	„ Hemendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Himansukumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Hirankumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
120	„ Jatindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jayantakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nisikanta	...	Dacca Law College.
	Datta, Dhirendranath, I	...	University Law College.
	„ Dhirendranath, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Harendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyagopal	...	Ditto.
130	„ Saurabhendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	Dattapurkayastha, Manmathanath		Dacca Law College.
	De, Brajendralal	...	University Law College.
	„ Gopendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
140	„ Sasibhushan	..	Ditto.
	Deb, Kshirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	Dhar, Goshthabihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Francis, Lewis A.	...	University Law College.
	Gangopadhyay, Herambakumar	...	Patna Law College.
	„ Jitendramohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Gautam, Gobindachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ghatak, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
150	Ghosh, Abinashchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutiranjan	...	Patna Law College.
	„ Bimalkanti	...	University Law College.
	„ Bimalkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Bipinchandra	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	„ Dakshinaranjan	...	University Law College.
	„ Jagatbandhu	...	Ditto.
	„ Jugalkisor	...	Ditto.
	„ Krishnaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Mrinalbhushan	...	Patna Law College.
160	„ Nabadwipchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Praphullakumar, II	...	University Law College.
	„ Praphullakumar, III	...	Ditto.
	Girijapati Sahay	...	Patna Law College.

	Girja Prosad	...	Patna Law College.
	Goswami, Ambikaprasad	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Guha, Praphullasankar	...	Ditto.
	„ Radhikaranjan	...	University Law College.
	Gupta, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinikanta, II	...	Ditto.
170	„ Rashbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Sitalakanta	...	Patna College.
	„ Taranath	...	University College.
	„ Utpalkumar	...	Ditto.
	Habibur Rahman	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Kanwar, Rameschandra	...	University Law College.
	Kar, Matilal	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	Khan, Daksharaj	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogendranath	...	University Law College.
180	„ Susilchandra	...	Ditto.
	Kundu, Bijaychandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mafzalar Rahman Choudhury	...	University Law College.
	Mahanta, Gobindachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mahanti, Ramanath	...	University Law College.
	Maitra, Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurendranath	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Abanimoban	...	Ditto.
	„ Chittaharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Girijaprasanna	...	Ditto.
190	„ Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Haridas	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Mallik, Bhagyadhar	...	University Law College.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Jagannath	...	Ditto.
	„ Manilal	...	Ditto.
	„ Niradbihari	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 10.
	„ Prabodhchandra, I	...	University Law College.
200	„ Prabodhchandra, II	...	Ditto.
	Mandal, Bankubihari	...	Ditto.
	Maulik, Nabagopal	...	Ditto.
	Md. Islam Uddin	...	Ditto.
	„ Tayabullah	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	Midya, Sambhunath	...	University Law College.
	Mitra, Abanikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Amulyakrishna	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Basantakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Chandicharan ...	...	Ditto.
210	„ Debendranath ...	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemantakumar ..	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan ...	...	Patna Law College.
	„ Kalipada ...	...	University Law College.
	„ Narendranath, I	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath ...	...	Ditto.
	„ Nripendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramrup ...	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra, I ...	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra, II	...	Ditto.
220	„ Sudhendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Mohammad Abdul Shakoor	...	Ditto.
	Muhamad Yakub ...	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Baidyanath, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Bankubihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Bholanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutibhushan		Ripon Law College.
	„ Bijaychandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Binaybhushan	...	Patna Law College.

230	Mukhopadhyay, Birendranath ...	University Law College.
	,, Janardan ...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan ...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Khagendrachandra	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nagendranath, II	University Law College.
	,, Nalinikumar ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Nimaichandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Rabindramohan ...	Ditto.
	,, Sisirkumar, I ...	Ditto.
240	,, Sisirkumar, II ...	Ditto.
	,, Sudhansubhushan	Ripon Law College.
	,, Sudhirgopal ...	University Law College.
	Mukhoti, Surendranath ...	Ditto.
	Mustaphi, Nirmalchandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Satyendragati ...	Ditto.
	Nag, Sajanikanta ...	Ditto.
	Najmul Huda ...	Ripon Law College.
	Nandi, Apurbachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	Nath, Chandrakumar ...	Ditto.
250	Nayak, Chandicharan ...	Ripon Law College.
	Niyogi, Nalinidhar ...	University Law College.
	Pal, Bishnupada ...	Ditto.
	,, Jadabchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Jaykumar ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Panchanan ...	University Law College.
	,, Surendrabijay ...	Ditto.
	,, Surendranarayan ...	Ditto.
	Ramcharan Singh ...	Patna Law College.
	Rath, Bhubaneswar ...	University Law College.
260	Ray, Abinaschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Apurbasankar ...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	,, Bhabataran ...	University Law College.
	,, Charuchandra, II ...	Ditto.
	,, Gaurchandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Gokulkrishna ...	Ditto.
	,, Mahimchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Jogeschandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Manmathanath, I ...	Ditto.
	,, Manmathanath, II ...	Ditto.
270	,, Nagendranath, I ...	Ditto.
	,, Nalinikanta ...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Sachindrachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Satischandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Sibkisor ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Surendranarayan ...	University Law College.
	Raychaudhuri, Dineschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Jaladhar ...	Ditto
	,, Kalinath ...	Ditto.
280	,, Manindranath ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Mukundalal ...	University Law College.
	,, Sailendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	Rudra, Bipinbihari ...	Ditto.
	Saha, Kanailal ...	Ditto.
	,, Kshetramohan ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nisikanta ...	University Law College.
	,, Rebatimohan, I ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Rupchandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Surendramohan ...	University Law College.
290	Santra, Annadaprasad ...	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Herambalal ...	Ditto.
	,, Makhanlal ...	Ditto.
	Sarangi, Sureschandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	Sarkar, Bansidhar ...	University Law College.
	,, Bimalakanta ...	Ditto.
	,, Birendrachandra ...	Ditto.

	Sarkar, Chintaharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Muralidhar	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath	...	Non-Collegiate student, Roll Cal. N 12.
300	Sen, Amalendu	...	University Law College.
	„ Jnanendrachandra	..	Ditto.
	„ Kalidas	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshirodmohan	...	Earle Law College, Gauhati.
	„ Nirmalkumar	..	University Law College.
	„ Nitaichandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Nityananda	...	University Law College.
	„ Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansukumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhirranjan	...	Ditto.
310	„ Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Hemendramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jadulal	...	University Law College
	„ Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Matilal	...	Ditto.
	„ Nripendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Pareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Saileswar	...	Ditto.
	Seyed Hassan Khan	...	Patna Law College.
	Shreekanta Jha	...	University Law College.
320	Shrikant Pati Tewary	...	Patna Law College.
	Si, Nikunjabihari	...	Ripon Law College.
	Sil, Narendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Bijaymadhab	...	Ditto.
	„ Gopeswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Jamunaprasad	...	Ditto.
	„ Samatulkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto
	Sur, Nagendrakumar	...	Ditto.
330	Surya Narayan	...	Patna Law College.
	Syam, Kshitischandra	...	University Law College.
	Syed Akbar Ali	...	Ditto.
	Syed Mahdi Hasan	...	Ditto.
	Tarini Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Taraphdar, Panchanan	...	University Law College.
	Tulal, Gobindachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ukil, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Prakaschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
339	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 6th October 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final B. L. Examination held in August 1917:—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

Serial No.	Order of merit.		
1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Pramathanath	... University Law College.
2	2	Baksi, Rajendrabhushan	... Ditto.
3	3	Sen, Susilchandra	... Ditto.
4	4	Mohamed Ali	... Ripon Law College.
5	5	Bhattacharyya, Manilal	... University Law College.
6	6	Ray, Nareschandra	... Ditto.

Serial No	Order of merit.			
7	7	Bandyopadhyay, Sambhunath	...	Ripon Law College.
8		Dasgupta, Pramodranjan	...	University Law College.
9	8	Chattopadhyay, Rashbihari	...	Ditto.
10	9	Datta, Sudhirchandra	...	Ditto.
11	10	Bandyopadhyay, Bholanath	...	Ditto.
12	11	Bhaumik, Haripada	...	Ditto.
13	12	Das, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
14	13	,, Panchanan	...	Ripon Law College.
15		Ghosh, Binaykumar	...	University Law College.
16	14	Chaudhuri, Jatindramohan	...	Earle Law College.
17		Ghosh, Pankajkumar	...	University Law College.
18	15	Bagchi, Upendralal	...	Ditto.
19		Kar, Syamalsundar	..	Dacca Law College.
20		Sarkar, Arunkumar	...	University Law College.
21	16	Gobardhan Lall	...	Patna Law College
22	17	Basu Prasad	...	University Law College.
23		Guha, Girijasankar	...	Ditto.
24		,, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
25		Sengupta, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
26	18	Bandyopadhyay, Anantakumar	...	Ditto.
27		Bhattacharyya, Jogendrachandra	...	Ditto.
28		,, Kamalapati	...	Ditto.
29		Chattopadhyya, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto
30		Mukhopadhyya, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
31		Ranth, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In order of merit.)

	1	Majumdar, Jajneswar	...	Ripon Law College.
		,, Jugalkisor	...	University Law College.
	2	Bandyopadhyay, Rabindranath	...	Ditto
		Basu, Durgaprasanna	...	Ditto.
		Datta, Suryyakamal	...	Ditto.
		Haldar, Mathuranath	...	Ripon Law College.
		Kamaleshwari Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
		Nur Ahmed	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 8.
		Sengupta, Phanibhushan	...	University Law College.
10		,, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	3	Misra, Lakshminath	...	Ditto.
		Nawalkishore Prasad, I	...	Ditto.
		Sengupta, Apurbakumar	...	Ditto.
	4	Bandyopadhyay, Haripada	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Pratulkumar	...	Ditto.
		Dasgupta, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto
		Mukhopadhyay, Pulinbihari	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 6.
	5	Boral, Chaitanyacharan	...	University Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
20		Mukhopadhyay, Atulchandra	...	Ditto.
	6	Bandyopadhyay, Satyendranath, I		Ditto.
		Ray, Harendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	7	Bagchi, Praneschandra	...	Ditto.
		Das, Jatindramohan	...	Ditto.
		Mitra, Jyotishchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
		Mukhopadhyay, Jatindrakumar	...	University Law College.
		Sinha, Kiranchandra	...	Ripon Law College.
		Thakur, Gokulkrishna	...	University Law College.
30	8	Bandyopadhyay, Durgagati	...	Ditto.
		Basu, Susilkumar	..	Ditto
		Sengupta, Jnanranjan	...	Ditto.
	9	Das, Nisamani	...	Ditto.
	10	Chattopadhyay, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
		Chaudhuri, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Prasaddas	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Niradbandhu	...	Ditto.

Serial No.	Order of merit.		
	11	Bandyopadhyay, Murarimohan ...	University Law College.
		Ghosh, Kedarnath	Ditto.
		Chakrabarti, Haripada	Ditto.
40		,, Surendranath ...	Ditto.
	12	Ghosh, Jitendranath	Ditto.
		Mitra, Goshthabihari	Ditto.
		Sengupta, Nirodbaran	Dacca Law College.
		Bandyopadhyay, Nitaichandra ...	University Law College.
		Basu, Praphulladhan	Ditto.
	13	Gupta, Dwijendranath	Ditto.
		Mallik, Girindranath	Ditto.
		Sen, Bhabeschandra	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Gopendrakrishna	Ditto.
50	14	,, Hanseswar ...	Ditto.
		M. A. Mannan	Ripon Law College.
	15	Pal, Dharaniranjan	University Law College.
		Sen, Susilkumar	Ditto.
		Chakrabarti, Dineschandra, I ..	Ditto.
	16	Datta, Jnanadaranjan	Ditto.
		Mitra, Satischandra, I	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Nagendranath ...	Ditto.
	17	Chattopadhyay, Ardhendusekhar ...	Ditto.
		Lahiri, Prabodhkumar ...	Earle Law College.
60		Majumdar, Bibhutibhushan ...	University Law College.
		Datta, Kshetramohan	Ditto.
	18	Ghosh, Manmathanath ...	Ditto.
		Mahanti, Kulamani	Ditto.
		Pal, Gopijanaballabha	Ditto.
	19	Bandyopadhyay, Dhwajadhari ...	Ditto.
		Dasgupta, Manadasankar ...	Ditto.
		Sen, Pankajkumar	Ditto.
	20	Sengupta, Sureschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
		Ray, Gaurendranath	University Law College.
70		Biswas, Upendranath	Ditto.
	21	Chakrabarti, Dineschandra, II ...	Ditto.
		Datta, Hemendranath	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Amulyacharan ...	Ditto.
		Das, Dhirendralal	Ditto.
	22	Majumdar, Birendralal ...	Ditto.
		Pait, Bhubanmohan	Ditto.
		Sen, Hemchandra	Ditto.
		Sinha, Premananda	Ripon Law College.
		Bandyopadhyay, Asutosh ...	University Law College.
80		Basu, Pramathanath ...	Ditto.
	23	Dasgupta, Jnanadasankar ...	Ditto.
		Majumdar, Haralal ...	Ditto.
		Mukhopadhyay, Jogendrakumar	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Taradas ...	Ditto.
		Dasgupta, Gopalchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	24	Ghosh, Nirmalratna ...	University Law College.
		Mitra, Prakaschandra ...	Ditto.
		Tamizuddin Ahamed ...	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Sibcharan ...	Ditto.
90		Chattopadhyay, Prahladchandra	Ditto.
	25	Mahanti, Binodbihari ...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Subodchandra ...	Ditto.
		Das, Nabachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
		Datta, Satischandra ...	University Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Susilsundar ...	Ditto.
	26	De, Jagadischandra ...	Ditto.
		Maitra, Anukulchandra ...	Ditto.
		Aich, Manmathanath ..	Ditto.
	27	Basu, Kartikchandra ...	Ditto.
100		Datta, Jatindramohan ...	Ditto.
		Mukhopadhyay, Kunjabihari ...	Ditto.
	28	Chakrabarti, Saradacharan ...	Ditto.

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		Deb, Dhirendranath ...	University Law College.
		Kundu, Bamacharan ...	Ditto.
		Mahammed Daud ...	Ditto.
	28	Mahapatra, Ganesprasad ...	Ditto.
		Sen, Dhrubajyoti ...	Ditto.
		Sen, Pareschandra ...	Ditto.
	29	Ray, Srikumar ...	Ditto.
110		Bandyopadhyay, Ramanimohan ...	Ditto.
		Bhattacharyya, Durgadas ...	Ditto.
	30	Deb, Durgakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
		Goswami, Brajabihari ...	Ditto.
		Mohammad Jamil ...	University Law College.
		Dasgupta, Dhirendranath ...	Ditto.
		,, Hiralal ...	Patna Law College.
	31	Mukhopadhyay, Syamapada ...	University Law College.
		Varma, Mukutdhary Prasad ...	Ditto.
		Bhaduri, Rameschandra ...	Earle Law College.
120		Das, Chandrabhushan ...	University Law College.
	32	Ghosh, Manindramohan ...	Ripon Law College.
		Guha, Harendrakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
		Mukhopadhyay, Nalinikumar ...	Ripon Law College.
		Pal, Bijaykrishna ...	University Law College.
		Biswas, Rajaniranjan ...	Ditto.
		Chakrabarti, Basantakumar ...	Ditto.
		Ray, Himadribhushan ...	Ditto.
	33	,, Mahitosh ...	Ditto.
		Sadhya, Nagendranath ...	Ditto.
130		Sengupta, Dhirendranath ...	Ditto.
		Abul Quasem ...	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Arabindabandhu	Ditto.
		Basu, Hemendrakumar ...	Ditto.
	34	Datta, Dwijendrakrishna ...	Ditto.
		,, Nabakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
		Ghosh, Nibaranchandra ...	University Law College.
		Gupta, Kishenlal ...	Ditto.
		Abdul Aziz ...	Ripon Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Abhayapada ...	University Law College.
140		Chattopadhyay, Haridhan ...	Ditto.
	35	Das, Suryyakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
		Ghosh, Binodilal ...	University Law College.
		, Umapada ...	Ditto.
		Kumar, Hrishikes ...	Ditto.
		Mahomed abidul Haq ...	Ditto.
		Bandyopadhyay, Satyendranath, II	Ditto.
		Basu, Pasupati ...	Ditto.
		Bhattacharyya, Manabendranath ...	Ditto.
	36	Das, Haliram ..	Earle Law College.
150		Jay Narayan Prasad ...	University Law College.
		Niyogi, Kuladacharan ...	Ditto.
		Syed, Abdul Ghani ...	Ditto.
		Bhattacharyya, Lalitmohan ...	Ditto.
		Chaudhuri, Rohinimohan ...	Ditto.
	37	Ghosh, Rameschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
		,, Rebatiranjan ...	University Law College.
		Das, Jnanendranath ...	Ditto.
		Datta, Chandrakanta ...	Earle Law College.
	38	Mukhopadhyay, Manomohan, II ...	University Law College.
160		Saraswati, Krishnakumud ...	Ditto.
		Sarma, Kamaleswar ...	Earle Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Jagadishchandra ...	University Law College.
		Chattopadhyay, Tinkari ...	Ditto.
	39	Mitra, Satyacharan ..	Ditto.
		Raychaudhuri, Jogeschandra ...	Ditto.
		Satyadeva Sahay ...	Patna Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Birendrakumar ...	Dacca Law College.
	40	Chandra, Purnachandra ...	University Law College.
		De, Satyendralal ...	Ditto.

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170	40	Guhathakurta, Hrishikes	...	Dacca Law College.
		Majumdar, Hridaynath	...	Ripon Law College.
	41	Chaudhuri, Jyotishchandra	...	University Law College.
		Das, Prabodhchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Jagdam Sahay	...	Patna Law College.
		Sen, Birendranath	...	University Law College.
	42	Baldeo Narayan Sinha	...	Patna Law College.
		Chattopadhyay, Sasadhar	...	University Law College.
		Ghoshal, Basantakumar	...	Ditto.
		Majumdar, Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
180		Sengupta, Nripendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	43	Bindhyeswari Prasad Sinha	...	Patna Law College.
		Mohin Uddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	44	Chaudhuri, Gopaldas	...	University Law College.
		Gangopadhyay, Sitalakanta	...	Ditto.
		Guha, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
		Muh-bub-ul Huq	...	Ditto.
		Mallik, Nirodbihari	...	Non-collegiate student, Roll Cal. N. 14.
	45	Bandopadhyay, Tarunanganath	...	University Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Suryyakumar	...	Ditto.
190		Gupta, Srischandra	...	Patna Law College.
		Mitra, Haridas	...	University Law College.
		Nag, Dhaneschandra	...	Ditto.
	46	Abdul Aziz	...	Dacca Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Debendramohan	...	University Law College.
		Chakrabarti, Bholanath	...	Ditto.
		Mukhopadhyay, Biswanath	...	Ditto.
		Nandi, Jogendranohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	47	Das, Harichaitanya	...	Ditto.
		Harbans Sahay	...	Patna Law College.
200		Kar, Sailendranath	...	University Law College.
		Sanyal, Jaminiranjan	...	Ditto.
	48	Ghosh, Jnanendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
		Maitra, Jitendranarayan	...	Ditto.
		Mitra, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
		Mukhopadhyay, Baidyanath	...	Ditto.
		Nag, Ganendranath	...	Ditto.
	49	Avadh Kishore Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
		Baksi, Mahimaranjan	...	University Law College.
		Ghosh, Satyaprasanna	...	Dacca Law College.
210		Guharay, Priyakumar	...	University Law College.
	50	Bandyopadhyay, Umapada	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
		Mohammed Rashid Uddin	...	Patna Law College.
		Ray, Jogendrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Set, Atulkrishna	..	University Law College.
	51	Chowdhary, Sonelal	...	Ripon Law College.
		Datta, Ajitkumar	...	University Law College.
		Nayak, Ramhari	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Sachindrachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
220		Bandyopadhyay, Krishnapada	...	University Law College.
		,, Sureschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	52	Datta, Kalipada	...	University Law College.
		Kundu, Hridaykrishna	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Bholanath	...	Ditto.
		,, Sripaticharan	..	Ripon Law College.
		Sengupta, Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	53	Ghosh, Jnanendrachandra	...	Ditto.
		,, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
		Mitra, Akshaykumar	...	Ditto.
230		,, Dargacharan	...	Ditto.
		Sarkar, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	54	Das, Kshetranath	...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Krishnadhan	...	Ditto.
		Karak, Saurindranath	...	Ditto.
		Palit, Indramohan	...	Ditto

Serial No.	Order of merit.			
	54	Ray, Hiralal	...	University Law College.
	55	Dasgupta, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto
		Mukhopadhyay, Jugaldas	...	Ditto.
		Mustaphi, Nirmalchandra	...	Earle Law College.
240	56	Dasgupta, Prabodhkamal	...	University Law College
		Dhar, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
		Maitra, Makhanlal	...	Ripon Law College.
		Pain, Rameschandra	...	University Law College.
	57	Bandyopadhyay, Kanailal	...	Ditto
		Basu, Prabhatchandra	...	Ditto.
		Chattopadhyay, Anandagopal	...	Ditto.
		Ray, Binaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	58	Chakrabarti, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
		,, Tarinimohan	...	Ditto.
250		Das, Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
		Majumdar, Bireswar	...	Ditto.
		Pal, Upendranath	...	Ditto.
		Saha, Bhubanmohan	..	Ditto.
	59	Basu, Dinabandhu	...	Ripon Law College.
	60	Basak, Bipinbihari	..	Dacca Law College.
		Basu, Jyotiprasad	...	University Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Kalidas	...	Ditto.
		Biswas, Ramanimohan	...	Dacca Law College.
		Ghosh, Amarendranath	...	University Law College.
260		Pal, Matilal	...	Dacca Law College.
		Raychaudhuri, Saratchandra	...	University Law College.
	61	Aminuddin Khan	...	Ditto.
		Chaudhuri, Ahinbhushan	...	Ditto.
		Jamuna Prasad Sinha	...	Patna Law College.
		Mukhopadhyay, Raneschandra	...	University Law College.
	62	Abu Ahmad	...	University Law College.
		Bindhyachal Prasad	...	Ditto.
		Gupta, Satyendrachandra	...	Ditto.
		Mohammad Abul Fazl	...	Ditto.
270		Ray, Abinaschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
		Varma, Kailaschandra	...	University Law College.
	63	Aziz Ahmad	...	Patna Law College.
		Basak, Syambandhu	...	Dacca Law College.
		Basu, Amarkrishna	..	University Law College.
		Bhattacharyya, Anathnath	...	Ditto.
		,, Birendrachandra		Dacca Law College.
		,, Srinath	...	Ditto.
		Chakrabarti, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
		Chanda, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
280		Chattopadhyay, Bijalibhushan	...	University Law College.
		,, Rabindranath	...	Ditto.
		Chaudhuri, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
		,, Rebatinath	...	Ditto.
		Das, Bimalchandra	...	Ditto.
		,, Dwarkanath	...	Ditto.
		,, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
		Datta, Kalibar	...	Ditto.
		,, Nalinbijay	...	Patna Law College.
		,, Niharchandra	...	University Law College.
290		Dattaray, Dhirendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
		De, Jogendrakumar	...	University Law College.
		Dhara, Nakulchandra	...	Ditto.
		Ghatak, Prabhatnath	...	Ditto.
		Ghosh, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
		,, Srinath	...	Ditto.
		Goswami, Sudhirkumar	...	Ditto.
		Habibar Rahman	...	Ditto.
		Hajra, Radhanath	...	Ditto.
		Kar Sibaprasad	...	Ditto.
300		Mafizuddin Bhuiyan	...	Dacca Law College.
		Mahanta, Birendranath	...	Earle Law College.
		Majumdar, Harendrakrishna	...	Dacca Law College.

Serial No.	Order of merit.			
		Md. Islam Uddin	...	University Law College.
		Mohd. Wahid	...	Patna Law College.
		Mukhopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	...	University Law College.
		,, Dhirendratnah	...	Ditto.
		,, Satyanarayan	...	Ditto.
		Nag, Rasikchandra	...	Ditto.
		Nand Kishore Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
310		Poddar, Matilal	...	Dacca Law College.
		Rakshit, Santoshkumar	...	University Law College.
		Ray, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	63	,, Haribansa	...	Ditto.
		Raychaudhuri, Hirendrakumar	...	Ditto.
		,, Mahitoshkumar	...	Ditto.
		Samajdar, Ramakanta	...	Ditto.
		Sanyal, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
		,, Phanindrabandhu	...	Ditto.
		Sarkar, Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
320		Set, Ramchandra	...	Ditto.
		Syed Izhar Husain	...	Ditto.
		,, Muhammad	...	Ditto.
		Uma Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
324		Uma Shankar Sahay	...	Ditto.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar*,

SENATE HOUSE, *the 6th October, 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Preliminary Examination in Law, held in August 1917 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial No.	Order of merit.			
1	1	Chaudhuri, Gopabandhu	...	University Law College.
2	2	Chakrabarti, Haripada	...	Ditto.
3	3	Dattagupta, Amulyakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
4	4	Chaudhuri, Charuchandra	...	University Law College.
5		Misra, Lingara	...	Ditto.
6	5	Chattopadhyay, Bireswar	...	Ditto.
7	6	Bhattacharyya, Nandalal	...	Ditto.
8		Das, Jatindralal	...	Ditto.
9		Syed Nausher Ali	...	Ditto.
10	7	Pal, Matilal	...	Dacca Law College.
11		Raychaudhuri, Sudhiranjan	...	University Law College.
12	8	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra, I	...	Ditto.
13		Mitra, Pannalal	...	Ditto.
14		Satya Narayan Misra	...	Patna Law College.
15		Sen, Kshitischandra	...	University Law College.
16		Talapatra, Narendrachandra	...	Ditto.
17	9	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra, II	...	Ditto.
18		Chattopadhyay, Kumarischandra	...	Ditto.
19		Kundu, Sibatosh	...	Ditto.
20	10	Agasti, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
21		Chattopadhyay, Paresnath	...	Ditto.
22	11	Kar, Birupaksha	...	Ditto.
23		Maitra, Sudarsanchandra	...	Ditto.
24	12	Bandyopadhyay, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
25		,, Ramgopal	...	Ditto.

Serial No.	Order of merit.			
26	13	Bandyopadhyay, Satyakisor	...	University Law College.
27		Datta, Birendrachandra	...	Ditto.
28	14	Bandyopadhyay, Haridas	..	Ditto.
29		Chattopadhyay, Amirtalal	...	Ditto.
30		Siramoni, Brajendralal	...	Ditto.
31		Syed Muzharey Towheed	...	Ditto.
32	15	Bandyopadhyay, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
33		Jugal Kishore Narayan	...	Patna Law College.
34	16	Chakrabarti, Jatindrakumar	...	Ripon Law College
35		Majumdar, Chunilal	...	University Law College.
36		Set, Jyotishchandra	...	Ditto.
37	17	Ray, Jaminipati	...	Ditto.
38		Sheonandan Sahaya	...	Patna Law College.
39	18	Chaudhuri, Nirmalchandra	...	University Law College.
40		Das, Bipracharan	...	Ditto.
41		De, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
42		Rukunoddin Ahmad	...	Earle Law College.
43		Sarkar, Kalibar	...	University Law College.
44		Maulik, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
45	19	Ray, Damodar	...	Ditto.
46	20	Basuray, Susthirchandra	...	Ditto.
47		Bhattacharyya, Nalininath	...	Ditto.
48		Ray, Binaycharan	...	Ditto.
49		Sengupta, Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
50	21	Mukhopadhyay, Dineschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
51		Sen, Dineschandra	...	University Law College.
52	22	Chattopadhyay, Tapanmohan	...	Ditto.
53		Mitra, Chunilal	...	Ditto.
54		Ray, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
55	23	Akhileshwar Prasad	...	Ditto.
56		Bandyopadhyay, Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
57		Basu, Amulyanath	...	Ditto.
58		Chattopadhyay, Patitpaban	...	Ditto.
59		Debi Persad	...	Patna Law College.
60		Gangopadhyay, Paresnath	...	University Law College.
61		Ghosh, Hemendranath, I	...	Ditto.
62		Guha, Jagadischandra	...	Ditto
63		Mukhopadhyay, Arunnarayan	...	Ditto.
64		Sen, Ajitananda	...	Ditto.
65		Sen, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
66	24	Talukdar, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

	Abdul Gafur	...	University Law College.
	Abdul Ghani Khan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Abdul Hamid	...	University Law College.
	Abdul Jabbar	...	Patna Law College.
	Abdul Karim Khan	...	Dacca Law College.
	Abdul Khaleque	...	University Law College.
	Abdus Samad	...	Ditto.
	A. B. M. Bedar Bakht	...	Ditto.
	Abul Quasem	...	Ditto.
10	Abu Usman Khalid	...	Ditto.
	Acharyya, Nalinikumar	...	Ditto
	A. F. Syed Mohammad	...	Patna Law College
	Ahmed Ali Khan	...	Ripon Law College.
	Adak, Debendranath	...	University Law College.
	Agarwala, Gadadhar	...	Ditto.
	Ahmed Jonas	...	Ditto.
	Akhoury Heramba Narain Sinha		Patna Law College.
	Avadhesh Kumar Verma	..	Ditto.
	Babanjee Lall	...	Ditto.

20	Bagchi, Abinaschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	Balgobind Sahay ..	Patna Law College.
	Bandyopadhyay, Abanimohan ...	University Law College.
	,, Basantakumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Birendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Dineschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Durgapada ...	Ditto.
	,, Dukari ...	Ditto.
	,, Girijabhushan .	Ditto.
	,, Girischandra ...	Ditto.
30	,, Harendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Hiralal ...	Ditto.
	,, Jagatbandhu ...	Ditto.
	,, Jatindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Kasipati ...	Ditto.
	,, Lalitkumar ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Lalitmohan ...	University Law College.
	,, Naliniranjan ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Nirmalchandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Paresnath ...	Ditto.
40	,, Praphullanath ...	Ditto.
	,, Pratapchandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Pulinbihari ...	University Law College.
	,, Rampada ...	Ditto.
	,, Sachinath ...	Ditto.
	,, Saralkumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Shorashikrishna	Ditto.
	,, Sudhansusekhar	Ditto.
	,, Upendranath ...	Ditto.
50	Bansi Prasad ...	Ditto.
	Barah, Ramchandra ...	Earle Law College.
	Barui, Goshthabihari ...	University Law College.
	Baruya, Balindrakumar ...	Earle Law College.
	,, Herambaprasad ...	Ditto.
	,, Kaliprasad ...	Ditto.
	,, Laksheswar ...	Ditto.
	,, Rajendranath ...	University Law College.
	Basak, Rameschandra ...	Ditto.
	Basu, Amulyacharan ...	Ditto.
60	,, Anilgopal ...	Ditto.
	,, Bankimchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Harendranath ...	University Law College.
	,, Kshitischandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Manindranath ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Narendrakrishna ...	University Law College.
	,, Pramathanath, I ...	Ditto.
	,, Pramathanath, II ...	Ditto.
	,, Prafullakanta ...	Ditto.
	,, Purnachandra ...	Ditto.
70	,, Rabindranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Rameschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Ranjitkumar ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Saurendranath ...	University Law College
	,, Srisbchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Subodhkumar ...	University Law College.
	,, Sukhendrachandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Tarakdas ...	Ditto.
	Basuchauduri, Harisadhan ...	Ditto.
	Basumallik, Makhanlal ...	Ditto
80	Bera, Bhupendranarayan ...	Ditto.
	Bezbaruya, Jagatchandra ...	Earle Law College.
	,, Upendranath ...	University Law College.
	Bhadra, Pranbandhu ...	Ditto.
	Bhaduri, Priyabhushan ...	Ripon Law College.
	Bhagwati Prasada Sinha ...	Patna Law College.
	Bhatika, Gangaprasad ...	University Law College.

	Bhatta, Debendranath ...	University Law College.
	Bhattacharyya, Bankimbihari ...	Ditto.
	,, Brajendrakumar ...	Ditto.
90	,, Charuchandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Guruprasad ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Hemendranarayan	University Law College.
	,, Jitendranath ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Kamalakinkar ..	University Law College.
	,, Kumudkumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Pasupati ...	Ditto.
	,, Phanindralal ...	Ditto.
	,, Prafhathanath ...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullakumar ..	Ditto.
100	,, Ramaprasad ...	Ditto.
	,, Rameschandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Sureschandra ...	University Law College.
	,, Umapada ...	Ditto.
	Bhaumik, Jagadischandra ..	Ditto.
	,, Jogendrachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Kshitischandra ...	University Law College.
	Bindheswari Prasad Singha ...	Patna Law College.
	Biswas, Debiprasanna ...	University Law College.
	,, Gangacharan ...	Ditto.
110	,, Indrachandra ...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 29.
	,, Jitendranath ...	University Law College.
	,, Krishnabihari ...	Ditto.
	,, Narendragopal ...	Ditto
	,, Satischandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Satyendraprasad ..	Ditto.
	,, Upendranath ...	Ditto.
	Biswanath Sahay ...	Ditto.
	Bora, Ambikanath ...	Ditto.
	,, Kusaram ...	Ditto.
120	Brahmadeva Narain Singh Verma	Patna Law College.
	Brahmadeva Narayan Sinha ...	University Law College.
	Brahma, Surendranath ...	Ditto.
	Braja Bihari Sinha ...	Patna Law College.
	Braj Behari Sahay ...	Ditto.
	Brijnandan Prosad . .	Ditto.
	Brijanandan Sahai, I ...	Ditto.
	Brij Nandan Sahaya, II ...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Abalabandhu ...	University Law College.
	,, Abhayacharan ...	Dacca Law College.
130	,, Basantikumar ...	University Law College.
	,, Bhabatosh ...	Ditto.
	,, Binodlal ...	Ditto.
	,, Bisnupada ...	Ripon Law College
	,, Brajendrakumar ...	University Law College.
	,, Chittaranjan ...	Ditto.
	,, Dhirendrachandra ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Indubaran ...	University Law College.
	,, Jatindranath ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Jitendrakisor ...	University Law College.
140	,, Jitendranath ...	Ditto.
	,, Jnanendrakisor ...	Ditto.
	,, Jogeschandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Kshitischandra ...	Ditto.
	,, Mohitkumar ...	Ditto.
	,, Niradmohan ...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Rameschandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Renupada ...	Ditto.
	,, Sasisekhar ...	Ditto.
	, Satischandra ...	University Law College.
150	,, Satischandra ...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Upendranath ...	University Law College.
	Chaliha, Padmadhar ...	Earle Law College.

	Chanda, Bhabanicharan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Sisirkumar	...	University Law College.
	Chandradip Sinha	...	Patna Law College.
	Chattopadhyay, Aditikumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Bankimchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Chamelikumar	...	Ditto.
160	„ Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Durgaprasad	...	Ditto
	„ Dwijendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Gauripada	...	Ditto.
	„ Indrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Induprakas	...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindranath, II	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jnanendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Kalicharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Kalikrishna	...	Ditto.
170	„ Mahendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nityananda	...	Ditto.
	„ Nutbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Pulinbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Purnendu	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendranath	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Durgamohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Girindranath	...	University Law College.
180	„ Hemendramohan	...	Dacca Law College
	„ Hemendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jnanendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jyotiprasad	...	Ditto.
	„ Lakshmikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinaksha	...	Ditto.
	„ Nilkantha	...	Ditto.
	„ Pasupati	..	Ditto.
190	„ Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullanan	...	Ditto.
	„ Rishibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sanjibkumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Subalchandra	...	University Law College.
	Dam, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	Das, Advaitacharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Biswanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Charuchandra	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 3.
	„ Dharmeswar	...	Dacca Law College.
200	„ Gobardhan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Hiralal	...	University Law College.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jitendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Jogendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Krishnakisor	...	University Law College.
	„ Lalanchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Mahendralal	...	Earle Law College.
	„ Manindramohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Nagendrakumar	...	Ditto.
210	„ Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
	„ Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Panchanan	...	Ditto.
	„ Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rakeschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	..	Dacca Law College.
	„ Siddheswar	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.

	Dasgupta, Amiyakumar	...	University Law College.
220	„ Bhupeschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Bimalananda	...	University Law College.
	„ Girindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Lalitkumar	..	Ditto.
	„ Manomohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nakuleswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Priyaranjan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Ramanimohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
230	„ Satyabrata	...	Ditto.
	Daspurkayastha, Nripeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Baidyanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Girindrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Kiranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindrakumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Nagendrakumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
240	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Satischandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sukhamay	...	Ditto.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Susantaram	...	University Law College.
	„ Taradas	...	Ditto.
	Dattaray, Brajagopal	...	Ditto.
250	„ Sudhirendrakisor	...	Ditto.
	De, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindracharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jibandhan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhansuranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendrakumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	Deb, Kumar Lalitnarayan	...	University Law College.
	„ Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
260	Dechaki, Jogendranath	...	Dacca Law College.
	Dhanindranath Verma	...	Patna Law College.
	Dharamnath Sahay	...	Ditto.
	Dhar, Praphullaranjan	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendralal	...	Dacca Law College.
	Dineshchandra Verma	...	Patna Law College.
	Ebrahim Khan	...	University Law College.
	Ershad Hassain	...	Ditto.
	Gadakar Jha	...	Patna Law College.
	Gadepally Surya Prakasam	...	University Law College.
270	Gaind Dhari Prasad Singh	...	Patna Law College.
	Ganga Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Atulkrishna	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 7.
	„ Jibankrishna	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 30.
	„ Mukundalal	...	University Law College.
	„ Munindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Pulinbihari	...	Ditto.
	„ Renupada	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 9.
	„ Sailendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Sripati	...	Ditto.
280	„ Tarapada	. .	Dacca Law College.
	Gholam Mohammad	...	Patna Law College.
	Ghosh, Ambikacharan	...	University Law College.

	Ghosh, Arabinda	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Bijoykrishna	..	Ripon Law College.
	„ Bimalacharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Binaykumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Binodlal	...	Ditto.
	„ Chandicharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Charukumar	...	Ditto.
290	„ Dasarathi	...	Ditto.
	„ Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Harisadhan	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemendranath, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Indrabhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Indubhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Jitendrakisor	..	Ditto.
	„ Jyotirmay	...	Patna Law College.
300	„ Kirankumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Krishnadas	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Kshirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Lalitmohan	...	University Law College.
	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nareschandra	..	Ditto.
	„ Nirmalkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Rabindramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pramodkumar	...	Ditto.
310	„ Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Rajaniranjan	..	Ditto.
	„ Ramdulal	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyamay	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Satyendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Sridhar	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhendumohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhirkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Sukharanjan	...	Ripon Law College.
320	„ Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Susilkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Upendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ghoshal, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nanimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Non-collegiate Student. Roll Cal., N. 13.
	Girijanandan Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Gohain, Jogendranath	...	Earle Law College.
	Goswami, Jaminikanta	...	University Law College.
330	„ Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nrityagopal	...	Ditto.
	„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
	Gouri Ram	...	Ditto.
	Guha, Chiranjib	...	Ditto.
	„ Saradaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendramohan	...	Ditto.
	Guharay, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
	Gupta, Chandidas	...	Ditto.
	„ Chattunlal	...	Ditto.
340	„ Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Girijaprasanna	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Niranjan	...	Ditto
	„ Nirmalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhatnath	...	Ditto.
	„ Saileschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Pratapchandra	...	University Law College.

	Gupta, Sudhirkumar	...	University Law College.
350	Haldar, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
	Hanuman Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Horeshwor Prasad Sinha	...	University Law College.
	Hla Tun Pru	...	Ditto.
	Jadunath Prosad	...	Patna Law College.
	Jalgovind Singha	...	Ditto.
	Janki Saran Varma	...	Ditto.
	Jasu, Hemchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Meghnath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Jhan, Maheschandra	...	University Law College.
360	Jugalkisore Saran	..	Patna Law College.
	Kabiraj, Chinmay	...	University Law College.
	Kabiruddin Ahmad	...	Patna Law College.
	Kamla Kanta Sahay	...	Ditto.
	Kanhjee Sahai	...	University Law College.
	Kanungo, Brajendralal	...	Ditto.
	Karmakar, Atankabhanjan	...	Ditto.
	Kazi Ajahar Ali	...	Ripon Law College.
	Khondkar Matheral Islam	...	University Law College.
	Khondkar Abul Hasnat	...	Ripon Law College.
370	Kishore Narain	...	Patna Law College.
	Krishna Chandra	...	University Law College.
	Kumar, Kesabcharan	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 16.
	Kundu, Banabihari	...	University Law College.
	„ Bhushanchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Dharanidhar	...	Ditto.
	Lahiri, Satyendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sisirchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	Lakshmidhar Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
380	Lala, Chandrabinod	...	Ripon Law College.
	Laskar, Sajaniranjan	...	University Law College.
	Louis, T. Magain	...	Ditto.
	Lutfar Rahman Tarafdar	...	Ditto.
	Madhab Prasad Sahu	...	Patna Law College.
	Mahammad Tafazzal Hossain	...	University Law College.
	Mahanti, Gurucharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jonathan	...	Ditto.
	„ Radhanath	...	Ditto.
	Mahapatra, Banchhanidhi	...	Ditto.
390	Maiti, Praphullakumar	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Birendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Haridas	...	Ditto.
	„ Suresnath	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Harabilas	...	Ditto.
	„ Mohinimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath, I	...	Ditto.
	„ Nripatinath	...	Ditto.
400	„ Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Pranabakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurindralal	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhenduchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Surendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
	Mal, Pasupati	...	Ditto.
410	Mandal, Harabhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
	Maniruddin Akhand	...	Ripon Law College.
	Manlik, Akhileswar	...	Dacca Law College.

	Maung Tin Maung	...	Rangoon College.
	Md. Abdul Azim Khan	...	Patna Law College.
	Md. Abdul Bari	...	Ditto.
	Md. Abdullah	...	University Law College.
	Md. Abdur Rauf	...	Patna Law College.
420	Md. Abu Sayid	...	University Law College.
	„ Fazlullah	...	Ditto.
	„ Khalil	...	Patna Law College.
	„ Shamsul Hoda	...	Ditto.
	„ Siddeeque	...	Ditto.
	Meer Bukhsh	...	University Law College.
	Mg. Kin U.	...	Rangoon College.
	Mitra, Bhupendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
430	„ Manmathanath, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Nareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Pasupatikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra, I	...	Ditto.
	„ Prabodhchandra, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Sudhirchandra	...	Ditto.
440	Mofazzelur Rahman	...	Ditto.
	Mohamad Zainul Abdeen	...	Patna Law College.
	Mohammad Rashid-ul-Huq	...	University Law College.
	Muhammad Kabiruddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	„ Somed Ali	...	Dacca Law College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Achintyakrishna		University Law College.
	„ Asitkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Asutosh	...	Ditto.
	„ Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Bholanath	...	Ditto.
450	„ Bhupatinath	...	Ditto.
	„ Bhutnath	...	Ditto.
	„ Dibendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Jogendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Kalikinkar	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshitiprasanna	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 20.
	„ Lambodar	...	University Law College.
	„ Malinkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindramohan		Ditto.
460	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinaksha	...	Ditto.
	„ Narendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Nripendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Panchanan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pankajkumar	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N. 21.
	„ Ramchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Satyabhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendramohan		Ditto.
	„ Sridhar	...	Ditto.
470	„ Sukumarchandra		Ditto.
	Mustaphi, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
	Nag, Atrikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Birendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
	Nandi, Bhubankrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Binaykrishna	...	University Law College.
	„ Kanailal	...	Ditto.
	„ Pareschandra	...	Ditto.

480	Nandi, Pasupatinath	...	University Law College.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Nath, Debakinandan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindramohan	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Ramakrishna	...	University Law College.
	Nayak, Bhupendranath	..	Ripon Law College.
	„ Baikunthanath	...	University Law College.
	Niyogi, Jatindranarayan	...	Ditto.
	„ Muktidabandhu	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Sisirkumar	...	University Law College.
490	Pal, Abhaschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Bipinbihari	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Brajendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Hemendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Jnananjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Kshetramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Lalitkumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Pranballabh	...	Ditto.
	„ Rebatikumar	...	Ripon Law College.
500	„ Surendranath	...	University Law College.
	Palat Lal	...	Patna Law College.
	Palit, Pramathanath	...	University Law College.
	Panday Ram Chandra Sahay	...	Ditto.
	Pande, Bholanath	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal,. N. 22.
	Pathak, Satischandra	...	Ripon Law College.
	Pattanayak, Bisweswar	...	University Law College.
	Phukan, Nagendranath	...	Earle Law College.
	Poddar, Kunjabihari	...	University Law College.
	Pradhan, Hariprasad	...	Ditto.
510	Purohit, Achyutananda	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal,. N. 24.
	P. V. Charry	...	University Law College.
	Raghunath Sahai	...	Ditto.
	Rai Pasupatinath Sahai	...	Patna Law College.
	Raja Ram Chandra Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Rajendra Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Rajkhowa, Ganeschandra	...	Earle Law College.
	Rakshit, Aswinikumar	...	University Law College.
	„ Jitendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Nalinibinod	...	Ripon Law College.
520	Ram Narayan Singh	...	Patna Law College.
	Ramdeo Narayan	...	Ditto.
	Rameshwar Prosad	...	University Law College.
	Rameshwari Dayal	...	Patna Law College.
	Rana, Satischandra	...	University Law College.
	Ranjit Narain Sinha	...	Patna Law College.
	Ratneshvar Prasad	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Abanikumar	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Ahibhushan	...	University Law College.
	„ Anantalal	...	Ditto.
530	„ Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Badanyakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Bhupatibhushan	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Bimalkrishna	...	University Law College.
	„ Birinchipada	...	Ditto.
	„ Debendraprasad	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendramohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Dineschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Dwijendrakumar	...	University Law College.
540	„ Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Hanseswar	...	Ditto.
	„ Hemchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Hemendranath	...	University Law College.
	„ Jaminikanta	...	Ripon Law College.

	Ray, Jatindramohan	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Kamakhyakanta	...	University Law College.
	,, Kshirodlal, II	...	Ditto.
	,, Madhusudan	...	Ditto.
	,, Manindrachandra	...	Ripon Law College.
550	,, Nagendranarayan	...	University Law College.
	, Nagendranath, I	...	Ditto.
	,, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Naliniranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Nikunjabihari	...	Non-collegiate Student, Roll Cal., N 26.
	,, Paresnath	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Prabhaschandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Rajendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	,, Sailajaranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Satischandra	...	Dacca Law College.
560	,, Satyakinkar	...	University Law College.
	,, Satyendranarayan	..	Ditto.
	,, Satyendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Sisirkumar	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Surendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	,, Swarnakamal	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Tarapada	...	University Law College.
	Raychaudhuri, Anilchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Arunendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Bhubaneswar	...	Dacca Law College.
570	,, Bibhutibhushan, I		University Law College.
	,, Hemantakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Hemchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kirtichandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Krishnabihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Kumudranjan	...	Ditto.
	,, Manindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	,, Nalinimohan, I	...	Ditto.
	,, Narendramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Satindranath	...	Ditto.
580	,, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Triguneswar	...	Ditto.
	, Upendranarayan	...	Ditto.
	Rommanuddin Ahmed	...	Dacca Law College.
	Saha, Basantakumar	...	Earle Law College.
	,, Brajagopal	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Gaurhari	...	University Law College.
	,, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kshetramohan	...	Ditto.
	,, Matilal	...	Ditto.
590	,, Nripendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Ramcharan	...	Ditto.
	Saligram Prasad	.	Patna Law College.
	Santra, Rakhalchandra	...	University Law College.
	Sanyal, Hariprasad	...	Ditto.
	,, Jogischandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Kamakhyaprasad	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Nilmani	...	University Law College.
	,, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
	,, Praphullamohan	...	Ditto.
600	,, Ramaprasanna	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Tarapada	...	University Law College.
	Surju Prasad, I	...	Patna Law College.
	Surju Prasad, II	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Asitkumar	...	University Law College.
	,, Banbihari	...	Ditto.
	,, Bhabanicharan	...	Ripon Law College.
	,, Byomkes	...	University Law College.
	,, Charuchandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	,, Girijabhushan	..	University Law College.
610	,, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.

	Srakar, Krishnacharan	...	University Law College.
	„ Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Nareschandra	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Nibaranchandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Rajanikanta	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sailendranath	..	University Law College.
	„ Sudharkrishna	...	Ditto.
620	„ Sudhirchandra, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Tarakchandra	...	Ditto.
	Sarma, Gopinath	...	Earle Law College.
	Sayidur Rohman	...	University Law College.
	Sein Tun Aung	...	Rangoon College.
	Sen, Atulkrishna	...	University Law College.
	„ Gaurikanta	...	Ditto.
	„ Harimohan	...	Ditto.
	„ Jatindrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
630	„ Kumudkumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Maheschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Manindralal	...	Dacca Law College.
	„ Nirmalkrishna	...	University Law College.
	„ Nityaranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Pratulchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Rameschandra	...	Dacca Law College
	„ Sachindrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyanjan	...	University Law College.
640	„ Satyendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Satyendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Saurendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Taraknath	...	Ripon Law College.
	„ Upendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Sengupta, Birendranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Chintaharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Dhirendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Nripaticharan	...	Ditto.
	„ Praphullachandra	...	Dacca Law College.
650	„ Rameschandra	...	University Law College.
	„ Ramranjan	...	Ditto.
	„ Srischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendrachandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Surendranath	...	Ripon Law College.
	Set, Dharmadas	...	University Law College.
	Shilwant Sahay	...	Patna Law College.
	Sikdar, Jatimohan	...	University Law College.
	Sil, Ganeschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sisirkumar	...	Ditto.
660	Singh, Alfred	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Asutosh, II	...	Ditto.
	„ Bholanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Kripanath	...	Ditto.
	„ Rajkrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
	„ Sasankabhushan	...	Ditto.
	Sinharay, Brindaban	...	Ditto.
	Sirajuddin Chaudhry	...	Ditto.
	S. M. Imtayaz Karim	...	Patna Law College.
670	Som, Indranarayan	...	University Law College.
	Sonbarman, Harendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sur, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Suryya Narayan Prasad	...	Patna Law College.
	Syam, Nagendrachandra	...	University Law College.
	Syed Abdur Rouf	...	Ripon Law College.
	Syed Abdus Sattar	...	University Law College.
	Syed Ahmad	...	Patna Law College.

	Syed Hassan	...	Patna Law College.
	Syed Ishaque	...	University Law College.
680	Syed Mahomed Ghazial Haque	...	Ditto.
	Syed Md. Ishaque	...	Patna Law College.
	Syed Tasadduq Hossain	...	University Law College.
	Syed Zaffar Emam	...	Patna Law College.
	Taran, Nanigopal	...	University Law College.
	Tara Prasad Singh	...	Patna Law College.
	Tayeb Ali	...	University Law College.
	Tayibuddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
	Thakur, Jadabendranath	...	Ditto.
	Tripathi, Bhagirathi	...	Ditto.
	Ujir, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
	Udai Kumar	...	Patna Law College.
692	Zafar Husain	...	University Law College.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 6th October 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1917.

THE undermentioned candidates are awarded post-graduate scholarships of Rs. 100 a month each for one year with effect from 1st July 1917. The scholarships will be drawn from the date on which the scholars actually undertake their research work :—

Serial No.	Names of scholars.	Subject of researches.	Place of work.
1	Babu Subimal Chandra Dutt, M A.	Indian History; Maurya Empire.	Calcutta University Library.
2	,, Biraja Sankar Guha M.A. ...	Indian Sociology ...	Imperial Library.

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EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the three special Law Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each provided for Muhammadans and members of backward classes in Eastern Bengal are awarded to the following students for two years with effect from 1st June 1917 :—

1. Kshetra Nath Dalal.
2. Rai Mohan Majumdar.
3. Sakhawat Hossain Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca Law College.

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CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th October 1917.

THE current year's (1917) graduate scholarships are awarded to the following students on the combined results of the last B A. and B. Sc. Degree Examinations of the Calcutta University :—

(The scholarships take effect from 1st June 1917.)

Serial No.	Name of scholars.	College from which graduated.	Where tenable.
	4 Scholarships of Rs. 30 a month each tenable for 2 years.		
1	Ramsasi Karmakar ...	Wesleyan College ...	University Post graduate classes.
2	Surendranath Bhattacharyya.	Rajshahi „ ...	Ditto.
3	Alinbihari Bhattacharyya.	Serampore „ ...	Ditto.
4	Sureshchandra Mazumdar.	Dacca „ ...	Ditto.
	1 Scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Sachindranath Sen ..	Sanskrit College ...	University Post graduate classes.
	2 Scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for 2 years.		
1	Shafeeuddin Ahmed Choudhury.	Presidency College ...	Presidency College
2	Mohammad Fazle Rab	Ditto ...	.....
	1 Mohsin Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Khalilur Rahaman Md. Nurul Islam.	Chittagong College ...	University Post-graduate classes.
	1 Scholarship of Rs. 40 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Rakhalchandra Sen Gupta.	Rajshahi College ...	Daeca College.
	1 Special Scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Muhammad Sadiq Khan.	Dacca College ...	Dacca College.
	1 Burdwan Scholarship of Rs. 50 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Kshitisprasad Chattopadhyay.	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
	1 Bird Scholarship of Rs. 40 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Phanilal Mallik ...	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
	1 Hindu College Foundation Scholarship of Rs. 40 a month tenable for 2 years.		
1	Nalinikanta Basu ...	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.

Serial No.	Name of scholars.	College from which graduated.	Where tenable.
Gopi Mohan Tagore Scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years.			
1	Hirendrachandra Sen	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
2 Hindu College Foundation Scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for 2 years.			
1	Umeschandra Sen Gupta.	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
2	Manujnath Ghatak ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
1 Durga Charan Laha Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for 2 years.			
1	Ramratan Bhatta-charyya.	Hooghly College ...	University Post-graduate classes.
1 Durga Charan Laha Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for one year.			
1	Sudhendukumar Das...	Scottish Churches College.	University Post-graduate classes.
1 Hara Kumar Tagore Sanskrit Scholarship of Rs. 20 a month tenable for one year.			
1	Ganapati Bhatta-charyya.	Metropolitan Institution.	University Post-graduate classes.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fusli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2025.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 0 0	·17	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917

H. K. GHOSE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway station Basudebpur, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 27th November 1917, corresponding with the 11th Agrahayan 1324 B.S., at Nator, Rajshahi

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Rajshahi	Digha Bipra Belghoria.	27½ and 28	East side of the Railway line leading from Nator to Basudebpur station (E. B. Ry.)	.....	24·318	.....	.....	No. 1 ...	*North*—By jot land of Hara Kumar, Nafar Sardar, Babu Lal Sardar, Gobinda Sardar, Pachai Karigar Nabu Narasundar, Banga Das, Sashi Pandit, Pachai Mandal, Bidu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Raj Sundari Debya, and Kedar Lahiri. *East*—By jot land of Kedar Lahiri, Gora Masumdar, Mini Mandal, Atap Sardar Nabu Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Kedar Lahiri, Bidu Mandal, Nabu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Mini Mandal, Govinda Talukdar, Pattu Narasundar and Gohalatta. *South*—By jot land of Govinda Talukdar, Joy Sundari Debya, Nabi Mandal, Joy Sundari Debya Jogeswar Chaudhuri, Nafar Sardar, Ishan Chaudhuri, Nafar Sardar, Haradhan Sardar Kedar Lahiri, Ishan Chaudhuri and Kanta Chakraborty. *West*—By jot lands of Mohini Chakraborty, Purna Narasundar, Kanta Chakraborty, Naba Mandal, Bidu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Banga Das, Naba Narasundar and Hara Kumar, as per Government declaration No. 78R., dated the 4th September 1911, and No. 37R., dated 19th March 1917.

Rajshahi, the 2nd October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th September 1917.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	2½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Indian War Loan—5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.		
Balance of 15th September 1917.	27 99,700	93,92,700	4,15,14,500	1,45,88,700	64,40,800	21,08,800	7,40,45,500	2,500	47,000	.....	7,68,94,700
ADD—											
Amount of loan certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th September 1917.		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,300	2,300
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between and 191 .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27 99,700	93,92,700	4,15,14,500	1,45,88,700	64,40,800	21,08,800	7,40,45,500	2,500	47,000	2,300	7,68,97,000
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	.....	1,60,000	.....	.....	1,03,000	2,63,000	.....	45,000	.....	3,08,000
Balance on 30th September 1917.	27,99,700	93,92,700	4,13,54,500	1,45,88,700	64,40,800	20,05,800	7,37,82,500	2,500	2,000	2,300	7,65,89,000

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st July 1917—Enfaced from India, 12,410 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,985 lakhs.

" 1st August 1917 to 15th August " " " " " 3 "

" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " " " —

" 1st September " to 15th September " " " " " " " 2 lakhs.

" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " " " 3 "

12,410 lakhs — 12,993 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 4th October 1917.*

P. A. SELFE, *Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 2nd October 1917.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,17,50,000 0 0				
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0		1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 39,77,750 8 1				
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 4,45,56,633 7 8		5,89,34,383	15	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		26,35,81,142	10	8
Bank Post Bills, etc		21,28,038	10	10
Sundries		16,24,815	4	8
		38,30,19,280	9	1

ASSETS.

		Rs	A	P.
Government Securities		6,40,16,663	0	0
Other authorised Investments		1,32,01,349	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		5,40,44,076	11	9
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		4,72,07,110	6	7
Bills discounted and purchased		2,08,80,510	15	2
Balances with other Banks		44,92,800	10	10
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		29,08,195	7	4
Stamps		11,825	8	0
Sundries		3,74,469	5	1
		20,68,86,992	0	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 10,84,52,593 5 2				
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 6,77,29,695 8 2		17,61,82,288	8	4
		38,30,19,280	9	1

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 5,77,992 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 9,44,902 8 0
Rs 15,22,895 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent
Percentage, 51·62

By order of the Directors

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 4th October 1917.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer

(2656—)

Sheriff's Postponed Sale.

PROCLAMATION.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to an order of the Calcutta High Court and bearing date the 15th day of February 1916 and made in suit No. 72 of 1912 (wherein Krishna Behary Sen is the plaintiff and Bepin Behary Sen is the defendant) and in execution of a decree made in the said suit and dated the 23rd day of January 1914 by the Sheriff of Calcutta by public auction in his sale-room in the said Court, on Friday, the 30th day of November 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property of the defendant abovenamed :—

All that piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 6 cottahs be the same a little more or less with the two-storied brick-built house standing on part thereof being No. 9, Baikunta Nath Sen's Lane in Sootanuti in the north division of the town of Calcutta, and bounded on the north by No. 8, Baikunta Nath Sen's Lane, belonging to Kristo Lall Mullick, on the east by Baikunta Nath Sen's Lane, on the south by No. 10, Baikunta Nath Sen's Lane, belonging to Kristo Behary Sen, and on the west by Joy Gopal Lane.

From a search of the records of the Registrar and Sub-Registrar of Assurance, Calcutta, it appears that no encumbrances or charge have been created by the said defendant on the said premises.

The sum for the recovery of which the sale has been ordered is Rs. 1,488-12 being the amount of the taxed costs of the said suit payable by the said defendant to the said plaintiff under the said decree, together with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 9th December 1914 being the date of taxation until realization, as also the costs of and incidental to the orders of the 11th June 1912 and the 17th June 1915, to wit Rs. 93 and Rs. 71-6, and to the execution proceedings. The conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Sheriff of Calcutta on any day before the sale.

HARIRAM GOENKA, Sheriff.

B. N. Basu & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Sheriff's Office, the 1st day of October 1917. (2547—1—2533)

In the Court of the Subordinate Judge of the First Court of Mymensingh.

SALE PROCLAMATION.

EXECUTION CASE No. 117 OF 1916.

The Hon'ble Brojendra Kishore Roy Choudhury, decree-holder, of Gouripur, district Mymensingh, *versus* (1) Srimati Bhabatarini Debi Choudhurani, Executrix to the estate of Girija Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, deceased, (2) Promada Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, (3) Ramani Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, (4) Tarani Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, (5) Nalini Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, sons of Girija Kanta Lahiri Choudhuri, deceased, judgment-debtors.

THE properties mentioned below belonging to the judgment-debtors will be sold by public auction under the provisions of the Civil Procedure Code at the monthly sale commencing at 12 noon on the 20th day of November 1917 :—

Lot No. 1.—An undivided six annas share of zamindari No. 5253 of the Mymensingh Collectorate situate within the jurisdictions of the Sub-Registrars of Sadar, Netrakona, Kendua, Iswarganj, Fulpur and Jamalpur and police-stations Sadar, Iswarganj, Netrakona, Kendua, Barhatta, Fulpur and Jamalpur, district Mymensingh, also within the jurisdiction of the Sub-Registrar of Sariakandi, police-station Sariakandi, district Bogra. This zamindari No. 5253 consists of one *anna* six gandas two karas two krantis share of pargana Mymensingh and Jafarshahi.

Government revenue of zamindari No. 5253 is Rs. 10,781-11. (Government revenue of lot No. 1 is Rs. 4,043-2-1½.)

1. Total number of acreage within zamindari No. 5253, 31531·34 equal to 95,393 bighas and 12 cottahs.

2. Sthit of estate No. 5253, Rs. 83,000.

3. Nazar per year, Rs. 7,440.

4. Total number of mauzas in the said zamindari rents whereof have been settled by 105 cases under Bengal Tenancy Act, 60 mauzas.

5. Number of mauzas rent whereof have not been settled by 105 cases, 237 mauzas.

6. Value of zamindari No. 5253 fixed by the Court to be sixteen lakhs of rupees.

Value of lot No. 1, six lakhs of rupees.

Lot No 2.—Undivided ten annas share (excluding the six annas share stated in lot No 1) of the same estate No. 5253. (Government revenue of this share is Rs. 6,73⅓-8-10½.)

Value of lot No 2, ten lakhs of rupees.

SARAT CH. BASU, Sub-Judge, 1st Court.

Mymensingh, the 3rd October 1917. (2573—1)

In the First Court of the Sub-Judge, 24-Parganas.

EXECUTION CASE No. 134 OF 1917.

Giribala Dasi, decree-holder, *versus* Nabakishore Mandal and others, judgment-debtors.

PRESENT :

Babu Siddheswar Chackrabatti, Sub-Judge.

TO be peremptorily sold at public auction in the Court sale-room at 12 noon on 19th November 1917, the following properties belonging to the judgment-debtors :—

1. Estate No. 338-2 of the tauzi of the 24-Parganas, Collectorate in pargana Balia, thana Budge-Budge, being Debi Mayapore and others for which the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 798-0-6. Approximate value Rs. 100.

2. Undivided eight-annas share in estate No. 338-3 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which estate the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 672-4-1. Approximate value Rs. 150.

3. Estate No. 335-2 of the same Collectorate tauzi being Debi Raipore and others for which the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 264-11-1½ gandas. Approximate value Rs. 150

4. Undivided eight-annas share in estate No. 335-3 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which estate the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 222-15-1½ gandas. Approximate value Rs. 200.

5. Estate No. 389-2 of the same Collectorate tauzi being Debi Santoshpore and others for which the Government Revenue annually payable is Rs. 904-2-4½ gandas. Approximate value Rs. 100.

6. Undivided half share in estate No. 389-4 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which estate the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs 761-10-4. Approximate value Rs. 200.

7. Estate No. 58-4 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 147-2-4. Approximate value Rs. 150.

8. Estate No 97-1 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 111-7-1. Approximate value Rs. 200.

9. Undivided half-share in estate No. 97-4 of the same Collectorate tauzi for which estate the annual Government Revenue payable is Rs. 149-10. Approximate value Rs. 200.

SIDDHESWAR CHACKRABATTI, Sub-Judge

Alipur, the 27th August 1917. (2247—1—2565

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Additional District Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 49 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 22nd May 1917, made by Jugal Kissore Sen, son of late Behari Lal Sen, of 12, Jagadananda Mukharjee Lane, thana Balliganj, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 27th day of August 1917.

H. P. DUVAL, 1st Addl. District Judge.

(2410—1—2490)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 253 OF 1917.

Dhir Kristo Sarkar, of Sukchar, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Drugapati Chatterjee, of Agorepara, Kamarhati Post Office, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 18th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2528—1—2566)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 257 OF 1917.

Santiram Mandal, of Jadurhati, thana Baduria, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Akhay Kumar Kabashi, of Jadurhati, thana Baduria, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2529—1—2567)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 258 OF 1917.

Poromanando Shaw, of Maniktala Jorapara, 2, Madhu Sudan Chatterjee Lane, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ram Krishna Rakshit, of 181, Darmahatta Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 21st day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2530—1—2568)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Subordinate Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 259 OF 1917.

Muhammad Umar, of Adpur Coolie line, post office Jagadal, district 24-Parganas.

To Sadek Mia, of Ghosaibabu Bazar, post office Jagadal, and others, creditors.

ON the 13th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2531—1—2569)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 261 OF 1917.

Grish Chandra Pal, of Radhakantapur, thana Baz-Baz, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Rameswar Pal, of Pir Sorange, thana Sakhrail, district Howrah, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2532—1—2570)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 262 OF 1917.

Dhananjoy Halder, of Doulatpur, pargana Pechakuly, thana Falta, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Bejoy Kumar Auddy, of Chetla, thana Alipore, and others, creditors

ON the 14th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2533—1—2571)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 263 OF 1917.

Mukhan Lal Sen, of Damdama, thana Damdama, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Srish Chandra Laha, of 10, Gour Laha Street Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 14th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917. (2534—1—2572)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 267 AND 269 OF 1917.

Kshirode Chandra Ghose and Hem Chandra Ghose, of 42, Canal West Road, Ultadingi, applicants.

To Nachmi Chand Ananda Ray, of 61, Darmahatta Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November and that the said applicants do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 26th September 1917.

(2535—1—2573)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Upendra Nath Dass, son of late Haradhon Dass, of Shahapur, at present of Bankura, thana and district Bankura, has been admitted by this Court as No. 8 of 1917 and 1st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Bankura, the 1st October 1917. (2545—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Upendra Lal Roy, son of Jitu Roy, of Sainthia, thana Sainthia, district Birbhum, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 21st September 1917.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Suri, the 4th October 1917. (2564—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 45 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12, clause (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Lakhmi Narayan Sou Mandal, of Ballavpur, thana Raniganj, chouki Asansole, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 26th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 26th September 1917.

(2536—1—2489)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtors Mulchand Marwari and Baija Nath Marwari, of Raniganj, chouki Asansole, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 11th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 3rd October 1917. (2548—1—2531)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Behari Lal Karmakar, of Palla, thana Satgachia, district Burdwan has been admitted, and that the 11th October 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. ROY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 3rd October 1917. (2549—1—2530)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 61 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Golam Rabbani Mallik, of Chakhanjadi, thana Jamalpore, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 20th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 3rd October 1917. (2550—1—2532)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1917

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Bhuban Chandra Sou Mandal, of Ballavpur, police-station Raniganj, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 28th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 4th October 1917. (2561—1—2575)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Radha Nath Dey, of Brahmandihi, thana Ausgram, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that the 11th October 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 4th October 1917. (2562—1—2574)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 50 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 28th August 1917, filed by Bansi Badan Nath, son of Ram Gati Nath, of Bansbaria, thana Sitakund, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 4th day of October 1917.

G. P. HOGG, Offg. District Judge.

(2575—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 62 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Ram Dhan Choudhuri and Barun Chandra Choudhuri and three other partners carrying on business in co-partnership at Terry Bazar in the thana Kotwali, Chittagong, under the name, style and firm of Ram Kumar Ram Dhan Sadagar have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 3rd October 1917, for adjudication of (1) Surjya Mani Basak, (2) Ram Chandra Basak, (3) Dina Bandhu Basak and (4) Anath Bandhu Basak, sons of aforesaid Surjya Mani Basak, of Lala Nagar, thana Rangunia, debtors, as insolvents under section 5 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1917, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 30th of November 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtors.

G. P. HOGG, Offg. District Judge.

Chittagong, the 5th October 1917. (2574—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 26 OF 1916.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 5th April 1916, filed by debtor Sheik Kandooni, son of late Shabhoo Khan, of Tilli, police-station Manikganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 27th day of September 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2551—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 56 OF 1917.

KHETASU SARKAR, son of Bati Saha, deceased, resident of Angarpara, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 15th day of September 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 4th October 1917. (2557—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1917

AFI MAHAMAD, son of Polku Sarkar, deceased, resident of Parajpur, police-station Kotwali, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 27th day of September 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 6th October 1917. (2572—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ahammad Mallik, of Haspukur, thana Haripal, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 138 of 1917 and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1917. (2523—1—2578)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Mani Lal Maji, son of late Kailash Chandra Maji, of Hanidhara, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 137 of 1917, and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge

Chinsura, the 25th September 1917. (2524—1—2577)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to their creditors that the insolvency petition of Naran Chandra Bera, Hari Das Bera and Girish Chandra Bera, sons of late Sita Nath Bera, of Pursura, thana Arambag, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 139 of 1917 and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1917. (2525—1—2579)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 71 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hakee Chandra Halder, son of late Haladhar Halder, of Gopinathpore, thana Haripal, district Hooghly, was, on the 7th September 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 12th October 1917 has been fixed for framing a scnedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 18th September 1917. (2457—1—2582)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sheik Esmile, son of late Sheik Bramdy, of Salikha, Atabagan Haslee Lane, thana Golabaty, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 136 of 1917 and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 17th September 1917. (2459—1—2581)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Nilmoni Dass, son of late Mukta Ram Dass, of Rishra, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 140 of 1917 and that the 12th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th September 1917. (2526—1—2580)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 82 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Dulal Chandra Laha and Hari Prosanna Laha, sons of late Jadu Nath Laha, of Rasidpur, thana Jangipara, district Hooghly, was, on the 13th September 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 20th November 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura the 25th September 1917. (2527—1—2576)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Kali Das Mandal, of Madhurpuskarni, police-station Beldanga, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 26th September 1917.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 4th October 1917. (2558—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 11th July 1917, made by Mahananda Karmakar, son of Sarup Chandra Karmakar, of Bathuajani, thana Tangail, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 26th September 1917. (2552—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Paran Chandra Saha, son of Ramnarain Saha, of Amtala, police-station Netrakona, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and the 22nd November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 2nd October 1917. (2576—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

(Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.)

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 77 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Sulai Pramanik, son of late Ananda Pramanik, of Chargudhibari, police-station Sahazadpur, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 22nd September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 30th day of November 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Mahim Chandra Lahiri.	Gudibari...	Jamirta ...	Pabna ...	100
2. Sarat Chandra Lahiri	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	31
3. Jagannath Karmakar	Disto ...	Ditto ...	Do ...	95
4. Prannath Sutradhar...	Kaijuri ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	80
5. Jogesh Chandra Ghose	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	175
6. Hara Gobinda Saha ...	Porjona ...	Porjona ...	Do. ...	100
7. Bharat Chandra Saha	Kirtikhola	Barsdhul	Do. ...	90
8. Muchu Sarkar ...	Chargudhibari.	Jamirta ...	Do. ...	80

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 4th October 1917. (2568—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 78 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Banshibadan Saha, son of late Gopi Nath Saha of Bantiar police-station Sahzadpur, district Pabna has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, to be declared insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Banamali Mahendra Kumar Saha.	Banagram	Bera ...	Pabna ...	675
2. Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	675
3. Biswambar. Palu Chandra Saha.	Debra ...	Balkuchi	Do. ...	750
4. Nikunja Behari Saha	Khorjan ...	Sonatola	Do. ...	300
5. Khetra Nath Saha ...	Raipur ...	Sirajganj	Do. ...	325
6. Gopal Chandra, Baikunta Nath Chatterjee.	Banagram	Berg ...	Do. ...	25

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 4th October 1917. (2569—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 80 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Hoshan Molla, son of late Jarip Molla, of Ankutia, police-station Chatmohar, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Abinash Chandra Chakrabarty.	Bangabaria	Malanchi	Pabna ...	80
2. Trailokaiya Nath Karmakar.	Chatmohar	Chatmohar	Do. ...	500
3. Jagat Chandra Saha, Srish Chandra Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	80
4. Manfruddin Pramanik	Chatmohar	Ditto ...	Do. ...	16
5. Sridhar Chandra Dutta.	Baluchar, Chatmohar	Ditto ...	Do. ...	7
6. Jagat Tara Debya ...	Suail ...	Haripur ...	Do. ...	177
7. Jamini Sarkar ...	Bangalia...	Chatmohar	Do. ...	300
8. Nidan Pramanik ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100
9. Talu Molla ...	Ankutia ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	15

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 4th October 1917. (2570—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 81 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Eraj Molla, son of late Jarip Molla, of Ankutia, police-station Chatmohar, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, to be declared insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs.
1	Abinash Chandra Chakrabartty.	Bangabaria	Malanchi	Pabna ...	80
2.	Trailokshya Nath Karmakar.	Chatmohar	Chatmohar	Do. ...	500
3.	Jagat Chandra Saha, Srish Chandra Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	80
4.	Mahiruddin Pramanik	Baluchar...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	16
5.	Sridhar Chandra Dutta	Chatmohar	Ditto ...	Do. ...	7
6.	Jagat Tara Debya ...	Svail ...	Haripur ...	Do. ...	177
7.	Jamini Sarkar ...	Bangalia...	Chatmohar	Do. ...	300
8.	Nidan Pramanik ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100
9.	Talu Molla ...	Ankutia ..	Ditto ...	Do. ...	15

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 4th October 1917. (2571—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1917.

Petitioner, Upini Mandal.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Upini Mandal, of Shahebnagar, police-station Ranaghat, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court as No. 41 of 1917, and that 13th October 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

R. E. JACK, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 5th October 1917. (2560—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 114 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Naya Khan, son of late Karna Khan, of Pathanpara, police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 1st October 1917. (2553—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

CHAND MAMUD KORANI, son of late Khosh Mamud Paikar, of Khalisha Khutamara, police-station Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 1st October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 3rd October 1917. (2566—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 95 OF 1917

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ASROB SHEIK, son of late Arij Akando of Dharmadas, police-station Pirgaunj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 1st October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 3rd October 1917. (2567—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*].

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 41 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th March 1917, made by Budhan Shaha, son of late Nim Chand Shaha, of 73-6-1, Charakdanga Road, Beliaghata, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 14th day of September 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2444—1—2491)

ORDER OF DISCHARGE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 134 OF 1914.

Bibhuti Bhusan Mukherjee, son of late Ram Lal Mukherjee, of Belgharia, thana Barahanagore, 24-Parganas, insolvent.

ON the application of Bibhuti Bhusan Mukherjee, adjudged insolvent on the 7th day of September 1914, and after giving notice to the creditors and as there is no opposition, it is ordered that the insolvent be discharged forthwith.

Dated this 18th day of August 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2475—1—2492)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1917.

Radhika Prosad Roy, of 16, Gopalnagore Road, Chetlah, Alipore, applicant.

To Bhaba Sindhu Laskar and others, creditors.

ON the 18th day of September 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 19th day of November 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 20th September 1917. (2479—1—2493)

Wanted.

AN Amin Peshkar for the Falakata Tahsil, in the district of Jalpaiguri, on a salary of Rs. 30 per month

Candidates having knowledge of surveying with Plane Table and Theodolite only need apply. The applicants should state their age and educational qualification in their applications.

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 10th October 1917.

F. W. STRONG, Deputy Commissioner.

Jalpaiguri, the 20th September 1917.

WANTED a clerk and typist for the office of the Indigo Research Chemist at Pusa (Bihar), pay Rs 50 per month. The post is temporary for a period of five years. Applications with copies of testimonials should reach the undersigned by the 15th October 1917. None need apply who has not passed the Matriculation Examination and is not well up in the office routine. Preference will be given to one who has experience of work in a Government office and who is a fast typist.

W. A. DAVIS,
Indigo Research Chemist
Pusa, Bihar, the 2nd October 1917.

Notice.

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for the District Board of Birbhum on a salary of Rs. 30 and consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. Candidates are required to submit their applications in their own handwriting with copies of testimonials (which will not be returned) on or before the 2nd November 1917. None need apply who is not qualified under rule 4a as published in the Government notification No 2330L.S.-G., dated 20th August 1916.

SARADINDU ROY, B.A., B.E., District Engineer, Birbhum.
Suri, the 2nd October 1917. (2565—2)

Medical Store Department.

NOTICE.

SEALED Tenders, in duplicate, will be received by the Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 1st November 1917 for the supply of local medical stores to the Medical Store Department, Calcutta, from 1st April 1918 to 31st March 1919.

2. Tenders will only be received on printed forms, which can be obtained up to 26th October 1917 on payment of one rupee from this office. Tenders must have the address and signature of the tenderers in full in English. List of the stores will be supplied along with the Tender Form.

3. The Medical Store-keeper to Government reserves the right, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, to accept the whole or part of any tender or to reject the whole without assigning any reason.

4. Tenders must be accompanied by a Bank receipt or Government Promissory Note for 2 per cent. of their total value as earnest money, which will be returned if the tender should be rejected; but in case of the Medical Store-keeper to Government accepting, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, part of any tender only and the tenderer failing to take up the contract, the whole earnest money deposit will be confiscated.

5. Tenders received after the time fixed or not complying with these conditions will be rejected.

6. Rates are required for delivery at the Government Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, but in the case of tenderers from a distance sending their supplies by rail and having no agents at Calcutta, the Medical Store-keeper to Government will take delivery at the Railway station.

A. G. BROWN, LT., I.S.M.D., in charge Government Medical Store Depôt.
Calcutta, the 28th September 1917.

Corporation of Calcutta.

NOTIFICATION.

Repayment of 5 per cent. Municipal Debenture Loan of 1887-88.

THE 5 per cent. Municipal Debenture Loan of 1st January 1888 for Rs. 15,50,000 is repayable on the 1st January 1918, from which date all interest on it will cease. Holders of debentures of this loan should tender their debentures at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, at least two weeks before the due date of repayment with the following endorsement on the back of each Debenture :—

'Received payment in full of all demands for principal and interest hereon."

.....

Signature of Holder.

C. C. CHATTERJEE,
Secretary to the Corporation.
Central Municipal Office, the 2nd October 1917.
(2546—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 8393, dated 28th June 1917 and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Allotment Letters. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities.

Allot. Letter No	Loan	Amount	Holder's name.
250200 F 1 to 3	5½ per cent., 1920	Rs 3,500	Gocouldass Hunsraj

Name of the proprietor—Gocouldass Hunsraj.

Residence—No. 5, Aga Kerbella Mohamed Street, Calcutta. (2563—1—2563)

NOTICE.

Bennett & Company, Limited (in liquidation).

NOTICE is given, under section 217 (1) of the Indian Companies' Act, that a general meeting of the Company will be held at my office at No. 29, Hastings Street, on the 6th November 1917, at 5 P.M.

JNANAPRIYA MITRA, Liquidator.
Calcutta, the 24th September 1917. (2542—1—2564)

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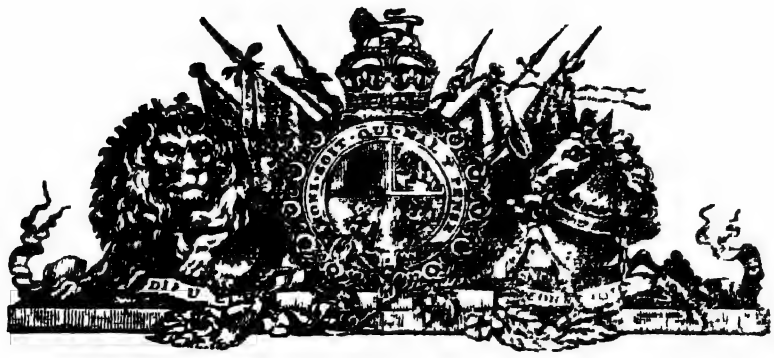

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House, Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 4th September, 1917, at 11 A.M.

Present :

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble LAWRENCE JOHN LUMLEY DUNDAS, EARL OF RONALDSHAY, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble MR. N. D. BEATSON BELL, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA, KT.

The Hon'ble SURGEON-GENERAL W. R. EDWARDS, C.B., C.M.G

The Hon'ble MR. B. C. MITRA.

The Hon'ble MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble MR. J. H. KERR, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. J. DONALD.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. A. COWLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. W. W. HORNELL.

The Hon'ble MR. C. H. BOMPAS.

The Hon'bleMR. S. W. GOODE.

The Hon'ble MR. E. B. H. PANTON.

The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble IHTISHAM-UL-MULK RAIS-UD-DAULA AMIR-UL-OMRAH NAWAB SIR ASIF QADR SAIYID WASIF 'ALI MIRZA KHAN BAHADUR MAHABAT JANG, K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.

The Hon'ble SIR RAJENDRA NATH MOOKERJEE, K.C.I.E.

The Hon'ble DR. NILRATAN SARKAR.

The Hon'ble MR. J. MACKENZIE.

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. ARDEN WOOD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN.

The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. R. GLEN.

The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.

The Hon'ble SIR BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajdhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble MR. ARUN CHANDRA SINGHA.

The Hon'ble DR. DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDRA CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. CARTER, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble SIR A. BIRKMYRE, KT.

The Hon'ble MR. E. B. EDEN.

The Hon'ble MR. H. R. A. IRWIN.

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM.

The Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDDURI.

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI.

The Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

Questions and Answers.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 1.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

STARRED QUESTIONS.

By the Hon'ble the MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN :—

Ancient tombs and mausoleums in the Sundarbans

*1. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what ancient tombs or mausoleums have been found in the Sunderbans and whether any of them have been protected under the provisions of the Preservation of Ancient Monuments Act, 1904 (VII of 1904)?

(*b*) If the answer to clause (*a*) of the question be in the negative, will the Government be pleased to say whether they are aware of any historic importance being attached to the tombs of Khan Jehan Ali and Mohamed Tahir, and, if so, whether it is in their contemplation to protect these two monuments of the Sunderbans under the provisions of the said Act?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) A statement is laid on the table showing the ancient tombs or mausoleums in the Sundarbans as entered in the List of Ancient Monuments in Bengal. Of these, Nos. 1 and 2 have been declared protected monuments under the provisions of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act (VII of 1904).

(*b*) The question does not arise."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *in his Answer to Question No. 1 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, at the Council Meeting of 4th September, 1917, showing ancient tombs and mausoleums known to exist in the Sunderbans.*

No.	District.	Locality.	Name of monument.
1	Khulna ...	Bagerhat ...	Tomb of Khanjehan Ali.
2	Do. ...	Ditto	Tomb of Mohamed Tahir.
3	Do. ..	Amadi	Tombs of Bura Khan and Fateh Khan.
4	Do. ...	Isvaripur ...	Three tombs said to have been built by Man Singh.
5	Do. ...	Ditto	Tomb of 12 sepoys.

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

Appointment of Europeans and Anglo-Indians in the offices of the Deputy Inspector-General of Police

*2. Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the advertisements published in the " Statesman " of the 24th July asking for applications from Europeans or Anglo-Indians for thirty-six appointments under the Special Assistant to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police—pay ranging from Rs. 125 to Rs 200 per month and eight other appointments to be applied for to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Dacca Range?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Yes; but the 36 appointments include the eight appointments referred to in the latter part of the question. The men are required to work as confidential clerks in certain police offices in the mufassal."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

Appointments to the Public Service.

* 3. Is it a fact that appointments in the Public Service are given according to race, qualifications or according to merit of individual persons?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Ordinarily appointments in the Public Service are open to any one possessing the prescribed qualifications, irrespective of race or religion, but it is occasionally necessary to employ members of a particular community on special work."

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

Attempts on the lives of Police officers by anarchists.

*4. Will the Government be pleased to state separately the number of—

(1) Anglo-Indians, and

(2) Indian officers

of the Police on whose lives attempts have been made by the anarchists during the last five years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" During the last five years attempts have been made on the lives of 30 Indian officers of the Bengal Police by members of the revolutionary party. No such attempts have been made on the lives of Anglo-Indian members of the force. Anglo-Indians are not as a rule concerned in the investigation of revolutionary crime."

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

Number of European and Anglo-Indian Police officers removed from the service.

*5. Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Anglo-Indian or European officers of the Calcutta Police who have been removed from the public service or degraded during the last two years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Three Anglo-Indian or European officers of the Calcutta Police were dismissed in 1915 and three in 1916; one such officer was degraded in each of these years. In addition, 30 such officers were discharged in 1915 and 29 in 1916. Of these 59 officers, 44 were Anglo-Indian Sergeants who were recruited temporarily after the outbreak of the war to take the place of European Sergeants who reverted to military duty, and the other 15 were on probation."

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY :—

Alleged adulteration of " ghee."

*6. (*a*) Are the Government aware that " ghee, " which is at present sold in Calcutta, is in most cases highly adulterated with animal fat and ground-nut oil, and in some cases entirely with vegetable fat?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that besides being an article of diet, ghee " is used by Hindus for religious ceremonies?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that this alleged widespread adulteration is causing a feeling of consternation among the Hindu community and generally amongst all classes of people in Calcutta?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the question of the prevention of adulteration of food and drugs was discussed at a meeting of the Calcutta Corporation about a year ago and that the Government were asked to pass an Act for the prevention of adulteration of food and drugs?

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY—*concld.*

(*e*) Is it also a fact that the Government at that time considered that the matter could be better dealt with when the amendment of the Calcutta Municipal Act came before the Legislative Council?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state what steps they intend to take to prevent such adulteration?

(*g*) Are they considering the desirability of introducing a Bill as early as may be practicable on the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD:—

"(*a*) From the report of the Corporation on the Municipal Administration of Calcutta for the year 1916-17, it will be seen that out of 457 samples of "ghee" that were analysed, 114 were found to be adulterated, and that out of 282 samples of "ghee" extracted from sweetmeats 121 were found to be adulterated.

Of the 114 samples of adulterated "ghee"—

35 or 30·7 per cent. showed 10 to 25 per cent. of adulteration.

55 or 42·2 per cent. showed 26 to 50 per cent. of adulteration.

24 or 21 per cent. showed over 50 per cent. of adulteration.

Of the 121 samples of "ghee" extracted from sweetmeats and found adulterated—

46 or 38 per cent. showed 10 to 25 per cent. of adulteration.

45 or 37·2 per cent. showed 26 to 50 per cent. of adulteration.

30 or 24·8 per cent. showed over 50 per cent. of adulteration.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Government are aware that the matter has given rise to comment.

(*d*) In their review of the Administration Report for the year 1914-15, the Calcutta Corporation stated that, in their opinion, the amendment of the sections of the Calcutta Municipal Act relating to food and drugs should be taken up at once.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) and (*g*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Bill which is being introduced at this meeting of Council."

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDRA CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR:—

Closing of a certain portion of the Lower Circular Road to the public

*7. (*a*) Is it a fact that the section of the Lower Circular Road in the town of Calcutta, between the Kidderpore Bridge point and the Zeerut Bridge point, is maintained by the Public Works Department for the use of the public and has been so used for more than a century?

(*b*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the action of the Calcutta Police in closing this section of the road against the general public, except to members of the Calcutta Turf Club, on racing days, at the end of July last?

(*c*) Are the Government aware of the feeling which this action has created in the mind of the public?

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble RAI DEBENDRA CHANDRA GHOSE BAHADUR—*concld.*

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state who the officer was who was primarily responsible for this order?

(*e*) Are the Government considering the desirability of taking such steps as will prevent the repetition of orders of a similar character by the Calcutta Police?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) By an order of this Government dated the 31st March, 1864, the executive charge of all roads in the Maidan, including the section of road now in question, was vested in the Public Works Department of this Government subject to the general charge and control over the Maidan vested in the Commissioner of Police. By virtue of this order, the Public Works Department assumed executive charge of these roads with effect from the 1st May, 1864. Both before and after that date, the public have used those roads subject to the control of the Commissioner of Police.

(*b*) It is not a fact that this section of the road has been closed against the general public, except to members of the Calcutta Turf Club, on any racing day. It was notified in December, 1916 that on the occasion of race meetings the conveyances of members of the Turf Club only would be permitted to approach the Turf Club gates along Lower Circular Road from west to east. This regulation was made to facilitate the general police control of the traffic, and to obviate the confusion which ensued when conveyances approached the public entrances to the racecourse from two opposite directions. The regulation is enforced only at times when the traffic approaching the racecourse is heavy.

(*c*) A few anonymous letters have appeared in the Press, but Government are not aware that the regulation has caused any serious inconvenience or dissatisfaction to the public.

(*d*) The Commissioner of Police issued the order under section 10 A (*l*) (*m*) of the Calcutta Police Act.

(*e*) No."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Expenditure by the District Boards of the Dacca Division on roads, khals, canals, etc.

*8. Will the Government be pleased to state what amounts the District Boards of the Dacca Division have expended during the last ten years on—

(*i*) the construction and maintenance of roads; and

(*ii*) the opening out and maintenance of khals, canals and other waterways in each of these districts.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*i*) A statement is laid on the table showing the expenditure by each District Board in each year of the decade on communications (original works and repairs).

(*ii*) Statistics showing the amounts spent on khals, canals and other waterways are not available."

Questions and Answers.

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *in his Answer to Question No. 8 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the expenditure incurred by each District Board in the Dacca Division on communications during the last ten years.*

NAME OF DISTRICT BOARD.	1906-07.		1907-08.		1908-09.		1909-10.		1910-11.	
	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original work.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dacca	51,077	64,096	71,388	64,667	93,448	57,596	53,472	56,802	38,628	71,597
Mymensingh ...	1,24,522	86,917	1,15,689	86,961	1,04,658	95,848	1,17,016	1,22,090	1 08,295	1 26,841
Faridpur ...	7,735	28,003	21,349	25,009	21,376	24,473	21,421	26,922	23,096	21,991
Baka-ganj ...	1,16,569	89,055	85,162	1,01,942	1,05,215	1,02,369	94,113	84,520	55,850	80,221
Total ...	2,99,903	2,67,071	2,93,598	2,88,579	3,24,694	2,90,306	2,56,022	2 99,404	2,35,881	3,10,650

NAME OF DISTRICT BOARD	1911-12.		1912-13		1913-14		1914-15		1915-16.	
	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs.	Original works.	Repairs
	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Dacca	35,671	53,486	19,813	62,830	71 093	56,378	60 034	69,937	40,904	90,562
Mymensingh ...	1,10,187	1,21,924	1,14,947	1,38,005	1,38,909	1,47,410	2,35,015	1,96,390	2,57,224	2,38,717
Faridpur ...	38,574	28,749	24,702	32,290	54 946	37,371	53,426	37,120	54,988	41,477
Bakarganj ...	66,840	95,966	60 652	1,14,613	2,36,268	1,21,347	2,60,241	95,089	1,37,061	1,34,268
Total ...	2,50,272	2,99,525	2,19,944	3,46,788	4,91,236	3,62,406	6, 7,716	3,98,536	4,90,077	4,96,024

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Status and prospects of Professors in the Provincial and Indian Educational Services.

*9. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the duties and responsibilities of the Professors of the Provincial Educational Service as well as of the Indian Educational Service are alike and that the existing distinction between the two classes of officers in rank, pay and prospects has caused considerable dissatisfaction among the former?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of moving the Government of India to organise an amalgamated service for officers of both these classes, with provision for an oversea allowance for the European officers?

(*c*) If not, will the Government be pleased to state what other scheme they have under consideration?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) and (*c*) Certain representations have been received from time to time. The whole question has recently been considered by the Public Services Commission and the proposals of that Commission are now under the consideration of Government.

(*b*) No."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Lecturers in the Subordinate Educational Service.

*10. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of Lecturers in the Subordinate Educational Service?

(*b*) How many of these have been engaged in teaching up to the B A. Pass and Honours, for over five years?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) 51 including demonstrators.

(*b*) The information is not available."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Class of work of Lecturers in the Provincial Educational Services.

*11. (*a*) Are the Government aware that in some of the Government Colleges the B.A. Pass and Honours classes are being run mainly by Lecturers in such subjects as English, Philosophy, Sanskrit, etc. ?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Professors belonging to the Indian Educational Service have, as a rule, to do any work of a higher nature ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) Inquiries will be made

(*b*) Yes."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Professors and the Provincial Educational Service.

*12. (*a*) Is it a fact that in addition to a very large contingent of B.A.s and third and second class M.A.s employed as additional or Assistant Inspectors and Head Masters, the Provincial Educational Service contains at least nearly or over 30 Professors who are either B.A.s or B.A.B.T.s or third or second class M.A.s ?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the exact number of Professors who are—

(*i*) B.A.s and B.A. B.T.s,

(*ii*) third class M.A.s, and

(*iii*) second class M.A.s ?

(*c*) How many of the second class M.A.s were taken into the Provincial Educational Service within a year or two of their obtaining their M.A. degree ?

(*d*) Is it a fact that a large number of the Lecturers in the Subordinate Educational Service hold either higher degrees or stood higher in the University than most of the Professors referred to above in clause (*b*) ?

(*e*) Is it a fact that some of these Lecturers have distinguished themselves by their scholarship and original researches in different branches of learning and have obtained necessary recognition from the University and other learned bodies ?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state what action they have taken and are taking with a view to recognising the meritorious work of these officers ?

(*g*) Are the Government aware that the existing disparity in pay and prospects between Professors and Lecturers has caused a great dissatisfaction among the Lecturers ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) (*i*) The number of Professors in the Provincial Educational Service who are B.A.s and B A.B.T.s is 7, including 2 Oxford B.A.s.

(*b*) (*ii*) The number of third class M.A.s among the Provincial Educational Service Professors is 2.

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL—*concld.*

(*b*) (*iii*) The number of second class M.A.s among the Provincial Educational Service Professors is 23.

(*c*) The number of second class M.A.s taken into the Provincial Educational Service within a year or two of their obtaining the M.A. degree is 12.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) A small number may be said to have distinguished themselves in the manner suggested.

(*f*) Government do not propose to take any special action, but the question of the organisation of the collegiate staff employed by the Education Department is under consideration.

(*g*) Government are aware that some Lecturers feel aggrieved because they are not Professors."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Distinction between Professors and Lecturers.

*13. (*a*) Is it a fact that some years ago representations were submitted to the Government by a large number of Lecturers, individually, praying for the abolition of the existing distinction between them and Professors?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what action has been or is being taken up on those representations?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Assam Government have already removed the said distinction between Professors and Lecturers to a great extent?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The representations are being considered in connexion with the recommendations of the Public Services Commission about the collegiate branch of the proposed Indian Educational Service

(*c*) Government have no information."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Promotion of Lecturers to the Provincial Educational Service.

*14. Are the Government considering the desirability of promoting Lecturers, who have been engaged in teaching up to B.A. Pass and Honours, to the Provincial Educational Service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" No."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Improvement in the prospects of Lecturers.

*15. With reference to the reply given to my starred question No. 11 (*e*) on the 3rd July, 1917, will the Government be pleased to state how they propose to improve the prospects of Lecturers in the scheme under consideration?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" The scheme is still under consideration and the information desired cannot therefore be supplied at present."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Members of the Provincial Educational Service to act in the Indian Educational Service.

*16. (*a*) With reference to the reply to my starred question No. 21 of the 5th March, 1917, will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that a Professor of a College (No. 11 in Class IV of the Provincial Educational Service) is officiating in an Indian Educational Service post made vacant by the deputation of an Inspector of Schools in the Indian Educational Service to military duty, although the Professor has not been appointed to the post of Inspector of Schools?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of allowing deserving Provincial Educational Service officers to officiate in the Indian Educational Service in the vacancies now existing in the Indian Educational Service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) A Professor of a College is acting in the vacancy in the post of a Professor in the Indian Educational Service which was caused by the transfer of its incumbent to fill the vacancy consequent on the deputation of an Inspector of Schools of the Indian Educational Service to military service.

(*b*) Thirteen officers of the Provincial Educational Service are already acting in vacancies in the Indian Educational Service."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Number of cases of supersession in the Provincial Executive Service.

*17. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of cases of supersession in the Provincial Executive Service during the last five years?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether in those cases any explanation had been taken from officers superseded?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that such supersession has caused great dissatisfaction in the service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Since the 1st of April, 1912, 26 officers of the Provincial Executive Service have been superseded for promotion, but of these, 17 officers were subsequently promoted.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative. Officers are passed over after a careful consideration of the reports on their work and they are informed of the reasons for their supersession.

(*c*) Representations against supersession for promotion have been received from time to time from individual officers, but Government are not aware that such supersession has caused great dissatisfaction in the service as a whole."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Grant of extensions of service to members of the Provincial Executive Service.

* 18. Are the Government aware that the grant of repeated extensions of service to officers of the Provincial Executive Service has caused much hardship and dissatisfaction among the junior members of the service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" It is the policy of Government to scrutinise very closely all applications for extensions, and to grant extensions of service only for special reasons. Extensions, of course, prejudice the promotion of juniors, who consequently do not favour the grant of them."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Recent floods of Damodar.

* 19. Will the Government be pleased to state what steps have been taken by them to mitigate the effect of the recent floods of the Damodar?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"Owing to a flood in the Damodar the left embankment was breached on the 4th of August, 1917, at Fatehpur in mile 83 of the embankment. This breach was closed by 1 P.M. on the 6th August.

About 12 square miles were flooded and paddy seedlings suffered. Much retransplantation has since taken place. The Commissioner is dealing with an application for agricultural loans which has been received from one village.

The Damodar right embankment was breached in the 5th mile on the 6th of August, 1917. This breach has not been closed, and it is not intended to close it in the future, as the area affected by this breach is ordinarily flooded with water from the spill on the right bank, and this was also the case this year.

As regards the remedial measures which are now being undertaken in order to assist the more rapid flow off of spill water from the inundated area, the following measures have been started :—

(*i*) The Ghesapaty khal has been excavated to a depth of 5 feet below ground-level.

(*ii*) Land in connection with the retirement of the Buxi khal embankment has been acquired and some earthwork executed. The work will be resumed after the rains.

The full sum budgetted for expenditure during the year on remedial measures will be expended."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Government embankments in the South-Western Circle.

* 20. Will the Government be pleased to state in a tabular form the amount actually spent by them, year by year, on each of the embankments maintained by Government in the South-Western Circle, Bengal, during the last 15 years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"A statement showing the expenditure is laid on the table. The expenditure cannot be given embankment by embankment without entailing labour incommensurate with the results. The expenditure has been therefore collected in the shape in which it is compiled in the accounts of the Department."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *in his Answer to Question No. 20 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the expenditure on D Schedule Embankments on Hooghly District for 15 years*, i.e., *from 1902-03 to 1916-17.*

COSSYE DIVISION.

NAME OF WORKS.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.
HOOGHLY DISTRICT.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Rupnarayan Left Embankment in No. 5 Subdivision.	1,764	14,678	14,880	16,633	6 494	9,473	5,613	13,814	11,078	4,184	16,735	7,540	13,494	12,088	17,407
Damodar Embankment D Schedule Embankment	4 797	2,764	4,723	12,622	14,161	6,562	4,864	3,976	5,766	5,096	4,582	1,483	6,515	4,804	5,633
Hooghly District in No. 2 Subdivision.	10,822	3,462	(3,917	4,807	9,224	11,788	21,747	7,650	10,955	10,121	7,633	8,729	19,680	9,837	21,842
Total Hooghly District ...	26,763	20,894	23,489	33,664	29,879	27,823	31,734	25,940	27,809	17,383	28,900	17,352	39,089	26,869	44,882

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Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *in his Answer to Question No. 20 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the expenditure on D Schedule Embankment in Midnapore District for 15 years, i.e., from 1902-03 to 1916-17.*

COSSYE DIVISION.

NAME OF WORKS.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17
D SCHEDULE EMBANKMENTS.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
MIDNAPORE DISTRICT.															
Rupnarayan Right Embankment in No. 5 Subdivision.	5,034	6,843	13,248	15,206	5,709	5,426	6,142	3,404	12,980	7,954	13,422	13,232	9,343	7,324	6,398
D Schedule Embankment in No. 2 Subdivision.	51,708	56,302	31,584	32,386	34,978	73,989	1,41,842	98,315	1,89,459	1,06,983	56,619	56,018	85,853	45,093	31,351
D Schedule Embankment in No. 3 Subdivision.	6,879	9,243	4,351	6,464	3,513	9,405	3,978	978	1,974	2,221	5,385	531	2,301	2,898	1,193
D Schedule Embankment in No. 4 Subdivision	942	563	956	1,425	325	29	6,419	3,925	2,399	1,433	922	1,170	...	...	..
D Schedule Embankment in No. 6 Subdivision.	These embankments were under Balasore Division during this time, i.e., 1902-03 to 1911-12										22,094	29,574	33,625	21,627	20 798
D Schedule Embankment in No. 7 Subdivision.											22,582	39,194	46,390	36,539	31,396
Total Midnapore district	64,563	52,956	50,039	57,483	44,525	88,791	1,58,381	96,622	2,06,812	1,18,591	1,22,824	1,39,719	1,77,210	1,23,481	91,427

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *in his Answer to Question No. 20 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the expenditure on Takavi under contract in Midnapore District for 15 years from 1902-03 to 1916-17.**

COSSYE DIVISION.

	1902-03.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	Embankment No.
Takavi Embankment.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Hoodah No. 1 ...	6,826	14,094	6,928	10,587	8,037	15,789	5,385	10,077	8,638	4,924	16,701	5,506	1,617	1
Ditto 2 ...	3,021	12,045	7,536	2,114	2,032	6,336	4,372	20,600	9,790	4,933	6,308	7,168	3,101	2, 3, 4
Ditto 3 ...	1,188	2,548	1,749	1,649	2,499	1,853	1,303	1,605	1,296	1,573	1,788	1,604	1,653	4, 7, 8, 9, 10
Ditto 4 ...	159	1,247	754	244	1,396	1,197	416	479	1,170	2,310	1,348	576	763	5, 6
Ditto 5 ...	650	1,381	1,020	553	778	1,661	1,856	1,157	502	815	971	1,624	1,340	16, 17
Ditto 6 ...	853	1,232	1,847	1,201	1,712	2,987	673	688	1,267	1,363	480	843	786	18, 19
Ditto 7 ...	1,060	2,926	1,454	1,095	616	596	242	664	1,048	560	469	208	1,279	20, 22, 23
Ditto 8 ...	775	551	1 344	548	792	1,556	941	1,379	428	2,915	2,753	2,736	2,208	21, 24
Ditto 10 ...	318	542	501	351	439	492	1,424	2,633	1,792	1,389	944	1,418	5,662	26, 26, 29
Ditto 11 ...	348	168	111	28	137	178	535	268	102	765	1,375	1,399	924	27, 29
Ditto 12 ...	304	28	50	99	41	134	221	49	207	963	854	567	298	29
Ditto 13 ...	325	179	327	234	588	439	593	350	77	235	246	115	480	28
Ditto 14 ...	1,918	2,144	2,879	630	659	2,896	602	1,091	1,751	1,807	1,837	2,490	1,380	16, 30, 33
Ditto 15 ...	6,667	2,981	3,092	1,277	1,452	2,756	2,026	1,343	991	3,380	3,443	1,499	2,838	11, 12, 15
Ditto 15A ...	208	673	550	239	270	150	370	220	569	300	356	120	404	11, 14
Ditto 15B ...	385	20	230	119	...	100	...	..	309	...	221	66	313	13
Ditto 16 ...	515	237	596	286	134	910	282	382	561	237	494	4,061	2,926	30
Ditto 17 ...	950	13,174	7,319	2,898	5,761	7,802	6,855	1,123	7,585	15,665	14,530	17,033	13,377	31

* Figures for 1903-04 and 1916-17 not yet compiled.

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *in his Answer to Question No. 20 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MOHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the expenditure for maintaining the embankments in Northern Drainage and Embankment Division from 1902—1917.*

Name of embankments.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	Remarks.
Maintenance and repairs, 24-Parganas Embankment, Seijberiah.	Rs. 10,300	Rs. 15,844	Rs. 6,167	Rs. 9,240	Rs. 1,588	Rs. 4,400	Rs. 17,823	Rs. 9,064	Rs. 10,113	Rs. 20,889	Rs. 35,662	Rs. 20,974	Rs. 13,121	Rs. 16,363	Rs. 18,025	Consists of D Schedule— Miles. Feet. No. 58 5 4,500 " 59 0 2,780 " 59A 0 1,290 " 60 0 1,100 " 61 19 1,320 " 62 2 1,320 " 63 2 1,860 " 64 11 2,780 Total ... 42 1,110
Maintenance and repairs Damodar and Buxi Khal Embankment.	3,684	4,033	8,441	3,411	3,875	12,724	20,919	9,746	6,702	5,871	19,050	11,582	12,884	8,428	9,217	Consists of D Schedule— Miles. Feet. No. 8 6 4,330 " 32 25 1,320 " 37 4 2,640 Total ... 36 3,010
Maintenance and repairs, Damodar Embankment, Hooghly.	1,828	1,758	1,834	1,781	2,108	1,917	556	745	1,310	1,737	1,668	66,177	16,376	44,718	10,658	Consists of D Schedule— Miles. No. 32 ... 17 " 36 ... 14 Total ... 31
Maintenance and repairs, Damodar Embankment, Burdwan.	62,396	47,610	31,892	50,551	29,292	17,762	26,217	19,162	21,810	16,636	21,595	1,14,928	1,23,814	1,85,872	21,036	Consists of D Schedule— Miles. No. 32 ... 46 " 36 ... 4 Total ... 50
Maintenance and repairs, 24-Parganas Embankment, Surjeepur.	65,627	54,408	25,760	58,263	58,132	38,007	56,347	42,310	44,379	65,694	33,941	46,832	1,36,577	74,677	76,524	Consists of Schedule Nos. 65 to 93, total length 174 miles 202 feet

Name of embankments.	1902-03.	1903-04.	1904-05.	1905-06.	1906-07.	1907-08.	1908-09.	1909-10.	1910-11.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	REMARKS.
	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Maintenance and repairs to Ajai right embankment, Burdwan.	5,555	4,585	4,362	4,318	3,049	2,792	2 225	2,072	4,784	11,504	6,530	32,508	40.136	6,187	36,605	Consists of Schedule Nos. 27 to 29, length 22 miles—3,980 feet.
Maintenance and repairs to Ajai left embankment, Birbhum	697	566	433	693	464	585	247	772	709	501	757	584	576	398	631	Consists of Schedule No. 30, length 3 miles
Expenditure on tal ari embankment.																
HOOGHLY DISTRICT.																
Madaria Khal left embankment (12 miles long).	139	730	566	2.390	5.411	9,690	9,521	3 614	2,152	20.296	1,860	557	1.776	5.838	7,554	
24-PARGANAS DISTRICT.																
Tolly's nulla embankment, 2 miles	57	87	111	595	151	146	507	375	1,295	457	518	84	522	119	1,032	
Pealli left embankment, 7 miles.	...	...	49,819	3,311	357	1.514	788	176	1 457	72	...	1,331	1,015	1.167	790	
Panchannagram embankment, 2 miles.	...	...	...	16	16	...	...	622	5,012	5,364	969	...	...	...	...	

Note.—Accounts are not kept of each D Schedule embankment separately, but in groups as noted in the remarks columns.

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Zamindars of Amta.

* 21. Will the Government be pleased to mention the names and addresses of the principal Zamindars of the Amta drainage basin in the district of Howrah?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"A statement giving the names and addresses of all the principal Zamindars of the Amta drainage basin in the district of Howrah is laid upon the table."

Statement referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to Question No. 21 (starred), asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917*

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE PRINCIPAL ZAMINDARS OF THE AMTA DRAINAGE SCHEME.

1.	Rai Lalit Mohan Singha Roy Bahadur	... Chakdighi.
2.	Babu Kasiswar Mukerjee	... Utterpara.
3.	Srimati Sarba Sona Dassi	... Basantapur.
4.	Saiyid Zahiral Haque	... Narendrapur.
5.	Babu Keshab Lal Mukerjee	... Janai.
6.	Raja Jyot Kumar Mukerjee Bahadur ...	... Utterpara.
7.	Raja Peari Mohan Mukerjee	... Utterpara.
8.	Babu Girija Nath Ray Chaudhuri ...	... Satkhira.
9.	Kumar Sarat Kumar Roy	... Dighapatia.
10.	Babu Prabal Chandra Mukerjee ...	... Utterpara.
11.	Babu Monmohan Singha Roy	... Makhalpur.
12.	Babu Govinda Chandra Bose	... Amta.
13.	Babu Gopi Mohan Singha Roy ...	... Sibpur (Hooghly).
14.	Babu Monohar Chandra Sirkar ...	... Kulakash.
15.	Babu Moti Lal Pal	... Dingalbati.

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Yield of crops in Amta.

*22. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement containing the average annual yield of crops of *kadua math* in the Amta basin during the last 10 years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The annual outturn of winter rice in the *kadua math* during the last 10 years is estimated as follows :—

Three years, a full crop.
Two years, a quarter crop.
Two years, a one-eighth crop.
Three years, no crop.

In two of the three years in which there was no winter rice there was a crop of *boro* rice."

By the Hon'ble DR. NILRATAN SARKAR :—

Namasudra class and University degrees.

*23. (*a*) Is it a fact that a considerable number of young men belonging to the Namasudra and other backward communities qualify themselves for University degrees in this Presidency?

(*b*) Do the Government offer these persons any special facilities for obtaining service under Government?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of gazetted appointments held by members of the Namasudra and similar other communities in Bengal?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) It is not possible to state the number of persons belonging to the Namasudra and other backward communities who qualify for degrees, as no record is kept of the castes of candidates appearing at the University examinations.

(*b*) Applications from suitably qualified persons belonging to these communities are carefully considered both by local officers and by Government, but no special privileges are given either to them or to members of other castes.

(*c*) One Deputy Collector and one Sub-Deputy Collector are Namasudras."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

The Director of Public Instruction.

*24. (*a*) What were the special considerations that led to the appointment of the present Director of Public Instruction in supersession of the claims of senior members of the Indian Educational Service?

(*b*) When will the term of office of the present Director of Public Instruction expire?

(*c*) Is it a fact that one of the considerations that led to the appointment of the present Director of Public Instruction was his special experience on matters of primary and secondary education in England?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state how far they have been able to utilise the special qualifications gained by the Director of Public Instruction while in England prior to his present appointment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the *communiqué* issued by the Government of India at the time of Mr. Hornell's appointment.

(*b*) On 11th May, 1918.

(*d*) The value of Mr. Hornell's experience and knowledge of modern developments in education has been demonstrated in his administration of the Education Department."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Chandpur Municipality and European Commissioners.

*25. (*a*) Is it a fact that the European Commissioners of the Chandpur Municipality tendered their resignation in a body; and have subsequently withdrawn their resignation?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to make a statement regarding the circumstances of the case?

(*c*) Had these resignations anything to do with the election of a non-official Indian as Chairman?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" Government have no information."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Rise in the prices of *dhotis*, etc.

*26. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the abnormal rise in the prices of *dhotis* and other kinds of cloth?

(*b*) If so, are the Government considering the advisability of making an inquiry into the circumstances that have led to this abnormal rise in prices?

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(*c*) Is it a fact that the present stock of cloth in Calcutta is sufficient to supply the demand in Bengal for at least two years?

(*d*) Is there any provision in any of the Ordinances or other war measures, under which Government can intervene in such cases and regulate the prices when they appear to be unreasonably high?

(*e*) Are the Government considering the desirability of taking any steps in the present matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD:—

"The Local Government are aware that, as is unfortunately the case with other articles, the prices of *dhotis* and cloth have risen recently. No special enquiry into the circumstances leading to this result is contemplated, as the main facts relative to the effects of the war on manufacture and freight are known, and it is to these effects in general that the rise may be attributed. Government is not aware of the precise stocks of cloth at the moment available in Calcutta. while the legislation to which the Hon'ble Member presumably refers is contained in Ordinance IX of 1914. As at present advised the Local Government do not consider that there is a case for action under that Ordinance in the matter of imported cloth, which is apparently the course which the Hon'ble Member has in mind."

By the Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY:—

Ladies under the Court of Wards.

* 27. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of minors under the Court of Wards who are married?

(*b*) What is the total number of unmarried sisters of the Wards?

(*c*) Is there any provision for the education and training of the wives and unmarried sisters of the Wards befitting their position in life?

(*d*) Does the Lady Assistant to the Court of Wards submit any periodical report on the subject of the health, comfort and education of the above-mentioned ladies?

(*e*) If the answer to clause (*d*) is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the last report submitted by her?

(*f*) Are the Government considering the desirability of appointing more than one Lady Assistant to look after the ladies of the Wards' Zenanas in Bengal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"(*a*) Three.

(*b*) Three.

(*c*) It is one of the principal duties of the Lady Adviser to frame proposals for, and give special care to, the education of all the ladies and children of the zenanas.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) It is a confidential report.

(*f*) The appointment of an Assistant to the Lady Adviser is under consideration."

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UNSTARRED QUESTIONS.

(*Answers to which were laid on the table.*)

By the Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY :—

Places reserved for Muhammadan students in Government and Government Aided Arts and Professional Colleges in Calcutta and suburbs.

I.—Will the Government be pleased to state the number of places, if any, reserved for Muhammadan students in the various Government and Government Aided Arts and Professional Colleges in Calcutta and its suburbs?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" Orders have been issued that 25 per cent. of the places in Government colleges shall be reserved for Muhammadan students. A copy of Bengal Government letter No. 1078, dated the 29th August, 1917, to the Director of Public Instruction with regard to the reservation of places for Muhammadan students in aided colleges is laid on the table. No such orders have been issued in regard to professional colleges."

Letter referred to by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL *in his Answer to Question No. I (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY, *at the Council meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

No. 1078, dated Calcutta, the 29th July, 1917.

From—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal,
To—The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

IN reply to your letter No. $\frac{234}{40\text{-}17\text{G}}$., dated the 1st June, 1917, I am directed to say that Government approve of your proposal that the authorities of aided colleges in Bengal should be required to reserve every year 25 per cent. of the vacancies in each class of a college for Moslem students on the following conditions :—

(1) If applications from Moslems for all the reserved vacancies have not been received by the Principal by a fixed date, the remaining vacancies shall be open to students of other communities.

(2) If the number of Moslem candidates who have passed the Matriculation examination in the first division is not sufficient to fill the reserved vacancies, then the remaining vacancies shall be open to first division non-Moslem candidates in preference to second division Moslems.

(3) Second division Moslem candidates will be given preference over second division non-Moslem candidates for the reserved vacancies.

(4) In order to systematise the arrangements in connection with the admission of students to colleges, a register of all applicants for admission should be kept in each college.

2. The Principals of aided colleges should be requested to make arrangements for the reservation of vacancies for Moslem students in this manner with effect from the beginning of the next session. No grant-in-aid should continue to be paid and no fresh grant sanctioned to any college of which the authorities do not agree to make these arrangements.

By the Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY :—

Muhammadan students on the rolls of Government and Government Aided Arts and Professional Colleges in Calcutta and suburbs.

II.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the following particulars :—

(*i*) the number of students on the rolls of Government and Government Aided Arts and Professional Colleges in Calcutta and its suburbs;

(*ii*) the number of Muhammadan students on the rolls of such Colleges;

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(*iii*) the number of Muhammadan applicants for admission into these Colleges during the current sessions; and

(*iv*) the number of Muhammadan students whose applications for admission were rejected and the grounds for such rejection?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"A statement is laid on the table giving the information asked for under heads (*i*), (*ii*), (*iii*). It is impossible, except in the case of the Medical College, to give the reasons for the rejection of applications in individual cases."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL *in his Answer to Question No. II (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the number of Muhammadans in Calcutta colleges and of Muhammadan applicants for admission to these colleges.*

Serial No.	Name of college.	Total number of students on the rolls.	Number of Muhammadan students on the rolls.	Number of Muhammadan applicants for admission.	Number of Muhammadans whose applications have been rejected.
	GOVERNMENT ARTS COLLEGES.				
1	Presidency College ...	873	111	109	45
2	Sanskrit College ...	238	Nil	Nil	Nil
3	Bethune College ...	78	Nil	Nil	Nil
	AIDED ARTS COLLEGES.				
4	St. Paul's C. M. S. College.	207	2	2	Nil
5	St. Xavier's College ...	598	77	...*	...*
6	Scottish Churches College.	1,139	2	4	2
7	Diocesan College ...	50	1	Nil	Nil
	GOVERNMENT PROFESSIONAL COLLEGES.				
8	David Hare Training College.	27	6	6	Nil.
9	Civil Engineering College	284	6	1	Nil.
10	Government School of Art	282	11	2	2
11	Government Commercial Institute.	135	8	8	Nil.
12	Medical College ...	1,040	45	16	5†
	AIDED PROFESSIONAL COLLEGES.				
13	L. M. S. Training College	7	3	5	Nil.
14	Diocesan Training College.	7	Nil	Nil	Nil.

* Figures are not available. The only applicants rejected are reported to be those who failed to comply with the University regulations.

† Of the applicants rejected four failed to pass the I. A and I. Sc. examinations of the Calcutta University and one passed the F. A. Examination of the Bombay University which is not accepted as equivalent to the Calcutta I. A. and I. Sc. examination. Three other applicants failed to join the College.

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By the Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY :—

Sub-Registrars who have passed the Arabic Department of a recognised Madrassah.

III.—Will the Government be pleased to state the number of Sub-Registrars in the Registration Department appointed since the 1st July, 1914, who fulfil the condition of having passed the higher standard of the final examination of the Arabic Department of a recognised Madrassah?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Four."

By the Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY :—

Qualifying examination for the Calcutta Medical College.

IV.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Matriculation Examination is the qualifying examination for admission into the Medical College, Calcutta?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to revised rules 2 and 5 of the Rules for the guidance of students seeking admission to the Medical College, a copy of which is placed on the table."

Rules referred to by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *in his Answer to Question No. IV (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, for the guidance of students seeking admission in the Medical College of Bengal.*

1. Three classes of students are admitted for study in the College—

(*a*) "Regular," or those who enter for the full University course.

(*b*) "Casual," or those who enter for selected or isolated subjects.

(*c*) "Military class" (only students of European or Eurasian parentage are admitted to this class). (*See* separate Prospectus for Military students.)

The admission to this class is regulated by the Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

2. The minimum preliminary qualification for admission to the—

(*a*) "Regular class" is the Matriculation pass certificate of the Calcutta University, provided that when there are candidates available who have passed the I.Sc. or I.A. Examination, matriculates other than the six scholarship-holders nominated by the Government of Bihar and Orissa shall not be admitted without the sanction of the Surgeon-General.

(*b*), (*c*) "Casual"—Matriculation or Entrance pass certificate of the Calcutta or other Indian Universities, or the pass certificate of an examination equivalent to the Matriculation or Entrance Examination.

3. The session commences on the 15th June.

4. All new students must apply for admission to the Principal, Medical College, Calcutta, in the prescribed form available in his office before the 25th May, except in the case of Biharis, Uriyas, Chota Nagpuris and Assamese students, who should apply to the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals of their respective Provinces for admission within such date as the latter may prescribe.

Selected candidates must pay the following fees on or before the 10th June, failing which their names will be struck off the selected list :—

	Rs.
Admission fee	15
Fees for summer term	48
Athletic Club fee	1
Total ...	64

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5. The number of regular students to be admitted each year is generally 120, but the Principal may, at his discretion, increase or decrease this number. Preference for admission will usually be given to candidates who have superior qualifications, but the final selection lies entirely with the Principal.

Of the total number to be admitted, twelve candidates will be nominated by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals of Bihar and Orissa and six candidates by the Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Assam. These candidates must have passed the I.Sc. or I.A. Examination. In addition, the Bihar and Orissa Government will nominate six scholars who may be matriculates. These nominations must reach the Principal, Medical College, Calcutta, before the 10th June, failing which the Principal will fill up vacancies with local candidates.

5A. Failed students must apply for admission and pay fees before the 15th May, otherwise their prior claim lapses.

6. (*a*) All regular students must pay, in addition to the fees noted below [(*b*) to (*i*)], an annual fee of Rs. 96 in two instalments, viz., Rs. 48 on the 15th June and Rs. 48 on the 1st November. Fees once paid cannot be refunded.

(*b*) All regular students have to pay an annual fee of Re. 1 to the Medical College Athletic Club along with the fees for the summer term.

(*c*) The fee for each course of Dissection is Rs. 6, payable with the winter session fee of second and third-year classes.

(*d*) The fee for each course of Practical Chemistry is Rs. 6, payable with the winter session fee of the first-year class.

(*e*) The fee for each course of Practical Histology (Normal) is Rs. 20, payable with the summer term fees of the third-year class.

(*f*) The fee for each course of Practical Physiology is Rs. 10, payable with the summer term fees of the third-year class.

(*g*) The fee for each course of Physiological Chemistry is Rs. 15, payable with the summer term fees of the third-year class.

(*h*) The fee for each course of Practical Morbid Histology is Rs. 15, payable with the summer term fees of the fifth-year class.

(*i*) The fee for each course of Practical Bacteriology is Rs. 15, payable with the winter term fees of the fifth-year class.

7. Muhammadan students are required to pay the entrance fee of Rs. 15 and half the annual College fee (in two instalments), the remaining half fees being charged to the Mohsin Fund. They have, however, to pay in full the fees noted above in clauses (*b*) to (*i*).

8. The fees for each term are to be paid in one instalment. Except in the case of new students, the fees for summer term are due on the 15th June, and those for the winter term on the 1st November, and must be paid on those dates or before such dates as the Principal may direct, after which a daily fine of annas four will be levied along with the fee in each case of default.

9. No fees are payable by female students.

10. The fees for the casual students are as follows :—

For a single course of lectures or practical class, Rs. 40.

For hospital attendance for each period of three months, Rs. 30.

The following are the curricula of the College :—

REGULAR STUDENTS.

First-year class.

Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology and Practical classes in all these subjects, to be followed by the Preliminary Scientific M.B. Examination of the Calcutta University and the Scholarship Examination of the College.

Second-year class.

Anatomy, Physiology, Materia Medica, Practical Pharmacy and Dissections, to be followed by College test examinations for promotion to the third-year class and for award of College scholarships.

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Third-year class.

Anatomy, Physiology, Materia Medica, Organic Chemistry, Dissections, and Practical classes in Physiology and Organic Chemistry, to be followed by Honour Examination of the College in the above subjects for scholarships and medals of the College and by the First M.B. Examination of the Calcutta University.

Fourth-year class.

Medicine, Surgery, Midwifery, Pathology, Medical Jurisprudence, Hygiene, Dental Surgery, Hospital Practice (12 months), Clinical methods and 20 Demonstrations, Practical Surgery and Bandaging and 30 Demonstrations, to be followed by College test examination for promotion to the fifth-year class.

Fifth-year class.

Medicine, Surgery, Midwifery, Hygiene, Ophthalmic Surgery, Operative Surgery, Mental Disease, Practical Pathology and Bacteriology, Practical Midwifery and 20 Demonstrations, Hospital Practice (12 months), to be followed by Honour Examinations of the College in all the subjects.

Sixth-year class.

Hospital Practice (12 months), to be followed by the Second M.B. Examination.

11. Female students must be over 17 years of age, and are to reside in the Surnomoyee Hostel attached to the Medical College. Only under exceptional circumstances will they be permitted to reside with friends or relatives outside the College.

12. The following are the rewards obtainable by students:—

(*a*) Free tuition, *i.e.*, refund of fees of the first year awarded to ten students of the first year.

(*b*) Government stipendiary junior scholarships of Rs. 8 each, together with free tuition, awarded at the end of the first and second years to ten students of each year.

(*c*) Government stipendiary senior scholarships of Rs. 12 each, with free tuition, awarded to ten students at the end of their third, fourth and fifth years.

(*d*) Special scholarships.

(*e*) Government prizes.

(*f*) Medals and certificates of honour.

(*g*) Government scholarships to all female students of the Regular class who do not get the Dufferin Fund scholarships.

Special scholarships for Bihari and Uriya students.

Six scholarships of Rs. 12 each to six students from Bihar and Orissa tenable for six years from the date on which the students enter the College.

J. T. CALVERT, M.B., M.R.C.P., LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Principal, Medical College.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st May, 1915.

By the Hon'ble MR. ALTAF ALI:—

Pay of District Engineers of first class districts.

V.—(*a*) Are the Government aware of the fact that the pay of the District Engineers of first class districts in Bihar and Orissa has been increased to Rs. 800—50—1,000.

(*b*) Do the Government know that a representation was made by the District Engineers of first class districts of Bengal for a similar increment of their pay?

(*c*) If so, what steps, if any, have been taken to give effect to this?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) It is understood that the pay has been increased to Rs. 800—40—1,000.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) A copy of the Bengal Government's letters Nos. 8723-73 L.S.-G. and 874 L.S.G., dated 8th March, 1916, has been supplied to the Hon'ble Member and another copy is placed on the Library table."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

VI.—Is it a fact that the pay of the lowest clerk in the Collectorate or in a Judge's Court is Rs. 30 a month ?

Lowest pay of clerks in a Collectorate or Judge's Court

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The lowest pay of a clerk in the Revenue and Civil Courts in Western Bengal is Rs. 25 and in Eastern Bengal Rs. 30 per mensem."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

VII.—(*a*) Is it a fact that there is a large number of school masters and clerks who draw only Rs. 15 a month ?

Lowest pay of schoolmasters and clerks.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of taking steps to raise the minimum pay of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service to at least Rs. 30 a month ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the Gradation List of the Lower Subordinate Educational Service, a copy of which has been sent to him : another copy is placed on the Library table.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

VIII.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of taking steps to raise the maximum of the higher grades of the Subordinate Educational Service ?

Raising of the maximum of the higher grades of the Subordinate Educational Service.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

IX.—(*a*) Are the Government aware that the appointment of Lecturers, at different initial salaries, has created great discontent among those who have been superseded ?

Fixing of a definite initial salary for Lecturers.

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of fixing a definite initial salary for all Lecturers ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) Government are aware that certain anomalies have been caused by the fact that Lecturers in Eastern Bengal and Assam were appointed on an initial salary of Rs. 100 a month, whereas those under the Government of Bengal were appointed on an initial salary of Rs. 125.

(*b*) Endeavours are being made to adjust the anomalies created by the two different systems and to fix the initial salary of Lecturers on appointment at a uniform rate."

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By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Increase in fee-rates in certain colleges.

X.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for increasing the fee-rate of the Rajshahi, Chittagong and Krishnagar Colleges?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the receipts from endowments for the different Government Colleges in this province?

(*c*) Will the Government supply separately the percentages which receipts from fees and endowments bear to the total expenditure incurred by Government on account of the Rajshahi, Chittagong and Krishnagar Colleges?

(*d*) If the percentage of receipts in the Rajshahi College be much higher than those of Krishnagar and Chittagong, are the Government considering the desirability of reconsidering the case of the Rajshahi College and of reducing the fee-rate to what it originally was?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state what corresponding benefit the Rajshahi College will immediately get in the way of further developments?

(*f*) Are the Government aware that the fee-rate of the Rajshahi College was raised from Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 only a few years ago?

(*g*) Are the Government aware that in connection with the scheme for M.A. and B.L. classes in the Rajshahi College, the Rajshahi Association undertook the full financial responsibility, both initial and recurring, the initial expenditure being more than a lakh? Was the schem rejected?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) A copy of letter No. 394 T.—Edn., dated the 16th June, 1917, to the Director of Public Instruction, containing orders for the increase of the fee-rate in the Rajshahi, Chittagong and Krishnagar Colleges is laid on the table

(*b*) The returns received show the following receipts from endowments for the maintenance of Government colleges :—

		Rs.
1.	Rajshahi College	10,228
2.	Chittagong „	70
3.	Krishnagar „	2,723

(*c*) The percentage is as follows—

1.	Rajshahi College	54·6 per cent.
2.	Chittagong „	29·7 „
3.	Krishnagar „	31·0 „

(*d*) The answer is in the negative.

(*e*) The fee-rates were raised because they were too low, and not in view of any immediate corresponding benefit.

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) The answer is in the negative. The proposals involved the diversion of a grant of Rs. 30,000 already made for the construction of hostels towards the initial cost of these classes. The recurring expenditure was to be met for the greater part by Government out of the fees. The scheme was rejected"

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Letter referred to by the Hon'ble Mr. Hornell in his reply to Question No. X (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.

No. 394 T.-Edn., dated Darjeeling, the 16th June 1917.

From—L. S. S. O'MALLEY, ESQ., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

GOVERNMENT have recently had under consideration the question of revising the scale of fees paid by students at Government Colleges. There is, as shown in the margin, considerable variety in the fee rates, which appear in some cases to have been fixed without reference to any particular standard. After careful consideration Government have decided that, except in the Presidency College where the existing fees are already Rs. 12, and in the Bethune College for girls, the circumstances of which are special, there should be a uniform rate of Rs. 6 a month, which should be paid by all students other than the sons of *bonâ fide* pandits at the Sanskrit College, who should continue to pay the existing reduced fees.

College	Fee rates Rs.
Presidency ...	12
Hooghly	6
Dacca	6
Sanskrit	5*
Krishnagar ...	5
Rajshahi	4
Chittagong ...	4
Bethune	3

* Reduced fees, viz., Rs. 2 a month, are paid by the sons of bonâ fide pandits.

2. In coming to this decision Government have been influenced by the consideration that the fees should not be too high for the students who desire to receive collegiate education, and that at the same time an unduly large proportion of the cost of these colleges should not fall on provincial revenues. The annual expenditure on Government Colleges, according to the returns for 1915-16, is Rs. 8,64,534, of which Rs. 5,62.712 is paid from public funds, Rs. 2,85,078 is made by fee receipts, and Rs. 16,944 is derived from endowments and other private funds. In the colleges in which the fee-rates are now below Rs. 6, Government incurs an expenditure of Rs. 1,53,970, while the fee receipts amount to Rs. 81,305 only.

3. The effect of these orders will be that the rate of fees in the Krishnagar and Sanskrit Colleges will be raised by Re. 1 per mensem (with the exception referred to above of the sons of *bonâ fide* pandits), and in the Rajshahi and Chittagong Colleges by Rs. 2 per mensem. I am to request that the Principals of these four colleges may be instructed to realize the enhanced fees with effect from the beginning of next Session.

Memo. No. 395 T.-Edn., dated Darjeeling, the 16th June, 1917.

COPY forwarded to the Financial Department of this Government for information.

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Case of one Bhutnath Ghose, whose dead body was found under a railway culvert.

XI.—(*a*) Is it a fact that the dead body of one Bhutnath Ghose of village Amra, thana Memari, district Burdwan, was found under a railway culvert between Bûrdwan and Saktigar?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the Railway Police who held the inquest reported the case as one of suicide?

(*c*) Is it a fact that a Magistrate held a local inquiry and declared that it was a clear case of murder?

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(*d*) Is it a fact that the police did not record all the evidence produced by the relatives of the accused, and disposed of the case in a summary manner?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the murderer or murderers escaped punishment?

(*f*) Are the Government considering the desirability of ordering an inquiry in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No. The body when found was in a highly decomposed state and was sent by the Railway Police to the Civil Surgeon for *post-mortem* examination. The Civil Surgeon was unable to express any definite opinion as to the cause of death, but reported that, as death was not due to hanging and as no poison was detected in the viscera, there was no reason to suspect that the deceased had committed suicide.

(*c*) No. A copy of the Magistrate's order is laid on the table.

(*d*) It is not a fact that the police did not record all the evidence produced by the relatives of the accused or that they disposed of the case in a summary manner. The investigation was held by the Railway Police, with the help and co-operation of the District Police, and was supervised by the Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, and the circle Inspectors of both the Railway and the District Police; every opportunity was given to the parties to produce witnesses.

(*e*) It is uncertain whether murder was committed; if murder was committed the person or persons committing it have escaped punishment.

(*f*) The answer is in the negative."

Copy of Magistrate's Order dated the 29th July, 1917, referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No. XI (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* MAULVI ABUL KASEM *at the Council meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

Report regarding Burdwan G. R. P. Unnatural death Case No. 8—17.

" I held a local inquiry on the spot and examined a lot of witnesses there as well as in court, also consulted the post-mortem examination report and Police diaries.

There is absolutely on ground for concluding that the man Bhut Nath Ghosh committed suicide. There is nothing to show that he was not murdered. On the other hand, the evidence of the witnesses examined does not furnish a sufficient clue to the murder. Some witnesses say that one Satish Datta called him away from home, in the afternoon of the day on which the man disappeared. Others say when the dead body was recovered Satish Datta tried to make that it was not the body of Bhut Nath. One of the sisters, Tulsi Dassi. says that before the recovery of the body Satish Datta continued to put her on a false scent by saying that Bhut Nath must have joined the Jatra party. Another man says on the same evening he saw Satish Datta, Satish Kumar, Bhut Nath and another going towards Saktighar. They were followed by a black fellow with a bottle in one hand and a lathi in another. These witnesses were examined long after the disappearance of Bhut and after Bhut Nath's mother had brought an assault case against

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Rajen Kamar, Satish Kamar and Narayan Ghosh ; it would be unsafe to conclude that they had anything to do with the murder of Bhut Nath. I do not find the evidence sufficient to bring home the charge of murder to the persons named by Satya Dassi in her petition."

G. C. SEN,
Deputy Magistrate.

The 29th July, 1917.

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

XII.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing— Appointment of Munsifs.

(*i*) the number of Munsifs appointed during the last five years;
(*ii*) the Bars from which they were recruited; and
(*iii*) the districts to which they belong?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *in his Answer to Question No. XII (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

YEAR	Number appointed.	District and number from each.		Bar and number from each.		REMARKS.
1913 ...	20	Calcutta ...	2	High Court ...	2	
		Nadia ...	4	24-Parganas ...	6	
		Jessore ...	1	Murshidabad ...	1	
		Khulna ...	1	Burdwan ...	1	
		Burdwan ...	1	Ghatal (Midnapore)	1	
		Birbhum ...	1	Hooghly ...	1	
		Hooghly ...	1	Dinajpur ...	1	
		Howrah ...	1	Jalpaiguri ...	1	
		Midnapore ...	1	Dacca ...	2	One appointed from Government service.
		Dacca ...	3	Bakarganj ...	1	
		Bakarganj ...	2	Chittagong ...	1	
		Chittagong ...	1	Lakhmipur (Noakhali).	1	
		Tippera ...	1			
			20		19	
1914 ...	15			High Court ...	1	
		Calcutta ...	2	24-Parganas ...	3	
		Nadia ...	1	Sealdah (24-Parganas).	1	
		Jessore ...	3	Midnapore ...	1	
		Hooghly ...	1	Dacca ...	2	
		Midnapore ...	1	Faridpur ...	2	
		Dacca ...	3	Bakarganj ...	1	
		Faridpur ...	1	Mymensingh ...	2	
		Bakarganj ...	1	Gaya ...	1	
		Mymensingh ...	2	Muzaffarpur ...	1	
			15		15	

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YEAR.	Number appointed.	District and number from each.			Bar and number from each.			REMARKS.
1915 ...	21	Calcutta	...	3	High Court	...	7	
		24-Parganas	...	1	24-Parganas	...	6	
		Nadia	...	2	Howrah	...	1	
		Jessore	...	1	Bogra	...	1	
		Bankura	...	2	Darjeeling	...	1	
		Hooghly	...	2	Dacca	...	1	
		Howrah	...	2	Mymensingh	...	1	
		Pabna	...	1	Tippera	...	1	
		Rangpur	...	1	Sylhet	...	1	
		Dacca	...	3	Purulia (Manbhum).		1	
							21	
		Bakarganj	...	1				
		Mymensingh	...	1				
		Sylhet	...	1				
				21				
1916 ...	7	Calcutta	...	1	High Court	...	1	
		24-Parganas	...	2	24-Parganas	...	3	
		Nadia	...	2	Nadia	...	2	
		Murshidabad	...	1	Faridpur	...	1	
		Dacca	...	1				
				7			7	
1917 ...	6	Calcutta	...	2	High Court	...	2	
		Hooghly	...	1	24-Parganas	...	1	
		Dinajpur	...	1	Dinajpur	...	1	
		Dacca	...	1	Dacca	...	1	
		Faridpur	...	1	Bakarganj	...	1	
				6			6	

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Reversal of capital sentences passed by Sessions Judges.

XIII.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of cases in which capital sentences passed by the Sessions Judges were set aside and replaced by orders of acquittal by the Hon'ble High Court in Bengal during the last ten years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Government have no information beyond that contained in the annual reports of the High Court on the administration of Criminal Justice, to which the Hon'ble Member is referred."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Reversal of sentences of transportation for life passed by Sessions Judges.

XIV.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of cases in which sentences of transportation for life passed by the Sessions Judges were set aside and replaced by orders of acquittal by the Hon'ble High Court in Bengal during the last ten years?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Government have no information beyond that contained in the annual reports of the High Court on the administration of Criminal Justice, to which the Hon'ble Member is referred."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

XV.—Will the Government be pleased to state—

Statistics relating to resolutions moved in the Bengal Legislative Council.

(*i*) how many resolutions, including the resolutions moved during the Budget discussion, have been moved in the Bengal Legislative Council by the non-official members since the right of moving resolutions has been conferred upon them;

(*ii*) how many of the said resolutions have been accepted and how many opposed by the Government;

(*iii*) how many of the said resolutions have been carried in spite of Government opposition; and

(*iv*) how many of the resolutions thus carried have been given effect to?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*i*) and (*ii*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the published proceedings of the Council.

(*iii*) and (*iv*) Two resolutions were carried against the vote of the Government, namely :—

(*a*) This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a committee be appointed, consisting of official and non-official members of the Council, for the purpose of assisting the Government in the application of all moneys allotted for the purposes of sanitation in this Presidency.

(*b*) This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the system of trial by jury be extended to all those districts in Bengal in which it is not at present in force.

Both resolutions are still under consideration. In the second case the Hon'ble High Court are being addressed."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

XVI.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a comparative statement of the pay of the different grades of European constables, Indian head constables and Indian constables attached to the—

Pay of the different grades of European and Indian constables.

(*i*) Calcutta Police; and

(*ii*) District Police?

(*b*) Is any exchange compensation allowance paid to European constables?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) A comparative statement of the pay of the different grades of Indian head constables and constables in the Calcutta and Bengal Police is laid on the table. There are no European constables."

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Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *in his Answer to Question No. XVI (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

	Indian Head-Constables			Indian Constables
	1st grade.	2nd grade.	3rd grade.	
	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	
Bengal Police ...	22 8	20	17 8 ...	(10, 11, 12 & 13 unarmed branch). (11, 12, 13 & 14 armed branch).
Calcutta do. ...	26 0	21	18 8 ...	11, 12, 13 & 14.

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Criminal Investigation Department.

XVII.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state how much has been spent, year by year, during the last five years in Bengal—

(*i*) towards the pay of the Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors and Head Constables attached to the Criminal Investigation Department; and

(*ii*) toward the various sorts of allowances paid to the said officers?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state what is the total amount of money which has been spent, year by year, during the last five years in Bengal on account of all sorts of allowances paid to the various branches of the Police, over and above their travelling allowance?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state when the Criminal Investigation Department was first brought into existence?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

(*a*) & (*b*) The figures are given in the annexed statement.

(*c*) The Criminal Investigation Department in its present form was first brought into existence in 1905 on the recommendation of the Indian Police Commission of 1903."

Statement referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No. XVII (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the pay, etc., of Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors and Head Constables of the Criminal Investigation Department.*

	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	REMARKS.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
XVII (*a*) (*i*).—Pay of Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors and Head Constables.	99,610	1,05,669	1,21,701	1,34,633	1,42,822	These include the Crime and Intelligence Branches.
XVII (*a*) (*ii*).—Total allowance paid to Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors, Head Constables and constables also (including travelling allowance).	80,153	1,43,034	1,73,448	1,90,715	2,29,185	These include the Crime and Intelligence Branches The figures include allowances for constables, which can not be eliminated.

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	1912-13.		1913-14.		1914-15.		1915-16.		1916-17.		REMARKS.
	Travelling allowance, including conveyance allowance.	Other allowance.	Travelling allowance, including conveyance allowance.	Other allowance.	Travelling allowance, including conveyance allowance.	Other allowance.	Travelling allowance, including conveyance allowance.	Other allowance.	Travelling allowance, including conveyance allowance.	Other allowance.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
XVII (b).—The amount of expenditure for all sorts of allowances incurred for the various branches of the police.	5,63,176	2,07,560	6,31,777	3,57,699	7,56,311	4,01,764	8,62,806	4,60,694	8,81,416	4,68,666	These figures exclude charges for the East Indian Railway.

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

XVIII.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state, year by year, the total amounts expended during the last five years, in maintaining the Criminal Investigation Department in Bengal?

(*b*) What amount has been passed by the Government under this head for 1917-18?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) & (*b*) The figures were as follows :—

1912-13, Rs. 4,06,163; 1913-14, Rs. 4,78,209; 1914-15, Rs. 5,39,973; 1915-16, Rs. 5,97,591; 1916-17 (Revised), Rs. 6,75,000; 1917-18 (Budget), Rs. 7,90,000.

These include the expenditure on both the Crimes and Intelligence Branches."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Offences relating to female modesty, etc.

XIX.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing for the last ten years, district by district, the number of instances, as were reported to the police, of—

(*i*) rape;

(*ii*) abduction of females; and

(*iii*) outraging of female modesty?

(*b*) How many of these cases occurred in connection with religious festivals, *mêlas* and fairs and at pilgrims centres?

(*c*) How many of these cases resulted in the detection of the offenders and their punishment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) and (*c*) A statement giving the information required is laid on the table.

(*b*) Statistics are not available, and could not be obtained without an amount of labour disproportionate to their value."

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Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. KERR, *in his Answer to Question No. XIX (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAI CHAUDHURI *at the Council meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the number of cases of rape, abduction of females and outraging of female modesty reported to the Police during the last ten years (1907-16).*

NAMES OF DISTRICTS	RAPE.		ABDUCTION OF FEMALES		OUTRAGING OF FEMALE MODESTY.	
	Number of cases reported to the police during 1907-16.	Cases resulting in the detection of the offenders and their punishment.	Number of cases reported to the police during 1907-16.	Cases resulting in the detection of the offenders and their punishment.	Number of cases reported to the police during 1907-16.	Cases resulting in the detection of the offenders and their punishment.
Dacca	177	33	249	31	387	92
Mymensingh ...	178	22	641	42	547	164
Tippera ...	55	4	45	2	129	17
Bakarganj ...	194	40	386	41	86	12
Faridpur ...	37	10	150	29	84	21
Chittagong ...	36	5	74	10	79	21
Noakhali ...	12	2	36	6	48	5
Rangpur ...	63	6	332	47	255	71
Dinajpur ...	58	8	139	29	223	68
Rajshahi ...	71	11	315	59	66	13
Pabna ...	60	8	48	1	259	37
Bogra ...	9	1	27	14	31	15
Malda	11	6	21	8	88	33
Darjeeling ...	21	7	4	1	51	13
Jalpaiguri ...	25	4	38	2	92	12
E. B. Ry., Saidpur	5	...	4	1	21	6
Nadia	43	5	86	16	395	108
E. B. Ry., Sealdah	3	...	3	2	23	10
24-Parganas ...	51	16	66	16	135	40
Jessore ...	36	8	44	7	129	45
Murshidabad ...	35	12	16	3	56	17
Khulna ...	43	9	60	9	64	16
Howrah ...	23	4	77	18	73	27
Hooghly ...	56	6	25	6	115	22
Burdwan ...	29	7	18	3	65	29
Bankura ...	3	...	12	9	20	9
Birbhum ...	40	7	39	5	64	18
Midnapur ...	31	7	153	28	108	12
E. I. Ry., Howrah	1	...	6	1	23	10
Total ...	1,406	248	3,114	446	3,716	963

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

The Dacca-Aricha road.

XX.—(*a*) What is the total length of the Dacca Aricha Road and what portion of it is fit for vehicular traffic?

(*b*) What amount has the District Board spent for its upkeep or improvement during each of the last five years, and what permanent improvements, if any, have been effected thereby?

(*c*) Was there any proposal at any time during the last five years for making over the Dacca-Aricha road to the Public Works Department and metalling it gradually with a view ultimately to making it fit for motor traffic?

(*d*) If so, will the Government be pleased to make a statement giving the details of this proposal? Has there been any attempt to carry out the proposal during these years?

(*e*) What is the total estimated cost that would be entailed by such a scheme? Was any part of it ever sanctioned by Government? If so, how has the same been expended?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) The total length of the Dacca-Aricha Road is 45¾ miles, of which 42¾ miles are under the District Board and 3 miles under the Dacca Municipality. The first 8 miles from Dacca to Mirpur and the miles from 31 to 43 are fit for wheeled traffic.

(*b*) The following sums have been spent by the District Board on the maintenance of the miles in its charge during each of the last five years :—

	Rs.
1912-13	5,184
1913-14	4,312
1914-15	4,521
1915-16	7,865
1916-17	4,981

No permanent improvements have been carried out under the expenditure on maintenance.

The lengths of the road which are fit for wheeled traffic are in fair order.

(*c*) and (*d*) The question of provincializing the road was considered by the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam. In 1909 and 1912 the Commissioner of the Dacca Division recommended that the road should be taken over by the Public Works Department and maintained from Provincial Revenues. A survey and estimate was prepared by the Public Works Department in 1914 for bridging and embanking those miles of the road which have not at present been embanked, and for improving and constructing permanent bridges on those portions which are already embanked and partially bridged and drained. No provision was made in this estimate for metalling the road so as to render it suitable for motor traffic. The project has been transferred to the District Board for disposal. No improvements have been carried out under this project.

(*e*) The estimated cost of the project referred to above was Rs. 4,65,400 for original works and an annual recurring charge of Rs. 14,875 for subsequent maintenance. The sanction of Government was not accorded to the project, as, after consulting the Sanitary Advisers to Government, it was considered that the embanking of that portion of the road which lies close to and parallel to the Dhalleshwari river, between Fulbaria and Baira, would be likely to prove injurious to the adjoining areas of the district from an agricultural and sanitary point of view. The estimated cost of the original work in this section alone amounted to Rs. 3,39,026."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Primary education in Bengal.

XXI.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the Report of the Conference of Educational officers, held in 1915, on the question of the reorganisation of primary education in Bengal and state what action has been taken upon the said report?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" The Hon'ble Member appears to be under a misapprehension, as no report was prepared by the Conference."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Non-recognised high schools.

XXII.—Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing, district by district, the number of high schools in the Presidency which are not recognised by the University?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to the departmental list of high schools and colleges in Bengal up to 31st December, 1916. One copy has been forwarded to him and another copy is laid on the Library table. Schools which are not recognised or are provisionally recognised are shown by distinctive marks."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Education of children of the backward classes.

XXIII.—(*a*) What amount has been spent, during the years 1913-14 to 1915-16, for the education of the children of—

(*i*) Hindu artisans; and

(*ii*) backward classes and castes of Hindus

in the Presidency?

(*b*) Are the Government aware of the efforts of the Society for the improvement of the backward classes in Bengal and Assam and for the spread of elementary education among the masses?

(*c*) Are the Government aware of the experience of the Society as stated in their Annual Report for 1916, that " with Rs. 2 a month, fifty boys can be helped to receive elementary education " and that " 10 schools started this year (1916) are working satisfactorily with a monthly grant of Rs. 2 each from this Society?

(*d*) What is the monthly minimum cost entailed by a recognised primary school, of the lowest standard, with 50 boys?

(*e*) What, if any, grant has been made, during the years 1913-14 to 1915-16, for the education of the children of backward classes to—

(*i*) religious bodies such as Christian Missions, and

(*ii*) philanthropic institutions such as the Society for the improvement of the backward classes referred to above?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" Government regret that they are unable to furnish the information asked for, as separate statistics are not compiled either for artisans or backward classes according to religion.

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Government have not received the report of the Society for 1916

(*c*) An estimate of minimum cost cannot be made without reference to local conditions. The average cost of a boys' lower primary school of 34 boys is Rs. 8-8 per mensem.

(*i*) 1913-14—Rs. 10,300.
1914-15—Rs. 10,300
1915-16—Rs 12,000.

(*ii*) Nil."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Quality of quinine supplied through post offices.

XXIV.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there has been any deterioration lately in the quality of quinine supplied through Post Offices?

(*b*) Are the Government aware of any suspicion in the public mind regarding the quality of quinine thus supplied?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" A reply will be given at the next meeting of the Council."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXV.—(*a*) Is it a fact that Mr. Birley, some time Magistrate of Dacca, in his Report on the sanitary condition of Manikganj, pointed out that the sources of water-supply in the Manikganj Sub-division are far inferior to those in the other parts of the district? Water supply in Manikganj Sub-division.

(*b*) What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to improve the water-supply in the Manikganj Sub-division?

(*c*) What are the facts which prove that the District Board of Dacca have kept this fact in view in their efforts for the improvement of the water-supply in the district?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the report of which a copy was placed on the Library table in reply to question No. 24 asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 3rd July, 1917.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to his question No. LVII asked at the meeting of the 7th August, 1917.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the statements showing the number of tanks and wells excavated or re-excavated during the years 1915-16 and 1916-17, which were laid on the table in reply to question No. 15, asked at a meeting of Council held on the 13th March, 1917, and question No. I, asked at the meeting of Council on the 7th August, 1917. As stated in reply to question No. LVII asked at the meeting of Council on the 7th August, 1917, further inquiries are being made."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXVI.—(*a*) Is it the intention of the Government to reserve the post of confidential clerks in the offices of the District Superintendents of Police for Europeans and Anglo-Indians only? Appointment of confidential clerks in Police offices.

(*b*) Are the Government aware that Superintendents of Police of certain districts have publicly advertised for Europeans and Eurasians for confidential clerks under them?

(*c*) Has it ever been the practice to employ, in such position, Sub-Inspectors of Police specially trained for the purpose?

(*d*) Is there any such officer, so employed, in any district at present?

(*e*) If the answer to clause (*c*) is in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to say why this practice has been departed from in the instances referred to above?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) No such general restriction is intended. For certain temporary posts which have recently been created for special work, European and Anglo-Indian clerks were invited by advertisement to apply.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) This question does not arise."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXVII.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing, district by district, for each of the last five years— Cases of dacoity.

(*i*) the number of cases of dacoity; and

(*ii*) the number of cases that ended in the conviction of culprits?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" A statement is laid on the table."

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Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No. XXVII (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAI CHAUDHURI, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

NAME OF DISTRICT.	1912.		1913.		1914.		1915.		1916.	
	True cases of dacoity.	Cases ending in conviction.	True cases of dacoity.	Cases ending in conviction.	True cases of dacoity.	Cases ending in conviction.	True cases of dacoity.	Cases ending in conviction.	True cases of dacoity.	Cases ending in conviction.
Bakarganj	12	3	33	8	34	5	173	49	37	9
Bankura	4	...	12	1	7	...	55	13	21	5
Birbhum	1	1	4	2	3	...	18	1	25	5
Bogra	5	...	8	2	11	3	20	2	21	1
Burdwan	22	1	23	2	10	...	28	3	35	5
Chittagong	2	...	1	...	2	...	6	...	2	...
Dacca	16	...	8	...	16	2	19	2	22	6
Darjeeling	...	...	3	...	4	...	2	...	2	...
Dinajpur	5	...	12	1	20	1	20	4	13	...
Faridpur	10	...	27	2	28	5	11	...	26	10
Hooghly	12	2	9	2	13	1	38	5	53	8
Howrah	2	1	10	2	8	...	5	...	17	...
Jalpaiguri	4	1	10	...	18	5	25	4	15	1
Jessore	11	...	2	2	3	1	7	3	3	...
Khulna	3	...	6	3	7	1	9	1	31	7
Malda	1	...	2	..	6	1	5	1	1	...
Midnapur	22	3	36	7	24	5	81	11	69	8
Murshidabad	2	1	1	1	5	3	5	1	10	2
Mymensingh	4	1	17	4	7	...	25	2	21	4
Nadia	4	2	2	1	14	2	21	7	20	3
Noakhali	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...
Pabna	8	2	10	...	14	2	21	2	14	2
Rajshahi	9	3	10	...	14	...	16	...	24	4
Rangpur	10	...	3	...	12	1	24	5	10	...
Tippera	5	1	7	1	8	...	22	1	33	3
24-Parganas	28	5	20	1	21	1	70	5	39	5
E. B. Ry., Sealdah ...	...	...	..	...	1	...	1	1	...	..
E B. Ry., Saidpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	...	...
E. I. Ry., Howrah ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Total ...	203	27	276	42	310	39	730	117	567	88

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Education of the children of Educational officers

XXVIII.—(*a*) Is it a fact that under the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Educational officers, with pay not exceeding Rs. 100 a month, could get their children educated in Government Institutions without payment of school fees?

(*b*) Has this concession been withdrawn?

(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for such withdrawal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"(*a*) A copy of Eastern Bengal and Assam Government letter No. 2463 E., dated 29th September, 1908, is laid on the table.

(*b*) & (*c*) Under the present rules for the award of free studentships, teachers in Government schools drawing salaries not exceeding Rs. 50 a month have the privilege of educating one son without payment of fees and one son on payment of half the usual rate of fees in the school in which they are employed. This rule was previously in force in West Bengal, and was extended to Eastern Bengal so that there might be uniformity of system in both parts of the Presidency."

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Copy of letter referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL *to Question No. XXVIII (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

No. 2463 E., dated Shillong, the 29th September, 1908.

From—The Chief Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam,

To—The Director of Public Instruction, Eastern Bengal and Assam.

WITH reference to your letters No. 1033, dated the 21st November, 1907, and No. 529, dated the 16th July, 1908, I am directed to say that articles 212 and 213 of the Assam School Manual and Rules 4 and 5, Chapter XXXIV, page 192 of the Rules and Orders of the Bengal Education Department, which deal with the grant of free-studentships to the children of the officers of the Education Department, should not be generally modified so as to alter the limits of the present concessions.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor, however, authorises you to extend the privileges conferred by these rules and to grant free-studentships, at your discretion, to the sons of teachers in Government schools drawing salaries not exceeding Rs. 100 per mensem, who apply to you for the concession through the Divisional Inspector. The same privilege may also be extended to the children and orphans of retired teachers whose pensions do not exceed Rs. 50 per month, and to the orphans of teachers who died in the service of the Education Department while in receipt of pay not exceeding Rs. 100 per mensem. The free-studentships will be tenable in the school in which the teacher is serving or in the home district of the pensioner or of the deceased teacher. The Lieutenant-Governor desires that you should use your discretion in refusing, modifying or withdrawing these concessions, whenever you consider that the teacher is or has been inefficient, or where his influence has not been exercised in favour of the maintenance of good discipline in and out of school, and of a healthy moral tone among the pupils of the school or schools in which he is or has been employed.

No. 2464 E., dated Shillong, the 29th September, 1908.

Memo. by—The Under-Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

COPY of letter No. 2463E., dated the 29th September, 1908, to the Director of Public Instruction, forwarded to the Financial Department of this Government, for information and favour of communication to the Accountant-General, Eastern Bengal and Assam.

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI:—

XXIX.—Will the Government be pleased to state when the proposed partition of the district of Bakarganj is to be taken in hand? **Partition of Bakarganj district.**

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"The partition of Bakarganj has been held in abeyance for the present, and it is impossible to say when it will be taken up."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI:—

XXX.—(*a*) Is it a fact that a circular has been issued prohibiting all Educational officers from writing or publishing any text-books for schools? **Educational officers and the publication of text-books.**

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the above circular?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the negative.

(*b*) A copy of Circular No. $\frac{228}{ST-868 \text{ of } 1915}$, dated 17th November, 1915, issued by the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, to which the Hon'ble Member presumably refers, is laid on the table."

Circular No. $\frac{228}{ST-868 \text{ of } 1915}$, *dated Calcutta, the 17th November, 1915, referred to by the Hon'ble* MR. HORNELL *in his Answer to Question No. XXX (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble Babu* BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *at the Council meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

From—THE HON'BLE MR. W. W. HORNELL, M.A. (OXON.), Director of Public Instruction, Bengal,

To—All Inspectors of Schools, including the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal (with spare copies for Additional, Assistant, Deputy, Additional Deputy, Sub and Assistant Sub-Inspectors of Schools and Head-Masters of Government High and Training Schools under them); to all Principals of Government Arts Colleges, including the Lady Principal of the Bethune College, the Principal of the Calcutta Madrassa and the Superintendents of the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Madrassas (with spare copies for the Members of their staff and Head Masters of Collegiate Schools under them); the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur; the Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions; the Head Master of the Dacca School of Engineering; the Principal of the Government School of Art; the Principal of the David Hare Training College (with spare copies for the Head Master of the First Grade Vernacular Training School, Calcutta); the Principal of the Dacca Training College; the Principal of the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore; the Officer-in-Charge of the Government Commercial Classes; the Inspectresses of Schools (with spare copies for Assistant Inspectresses and the Lady Principals of the School for Female Teachers, Calcutta, and the Eden High School for Girls, Dacca); the Librarian of the Bengal Library, and the Members of the Office Staff of all Educational officers.

I AM directed to communicate to you the following orders of Government on the subject of the acceptance by educational officers of literary work on behalf of public or private employers and of the production of text-books for use in schools and colleges.

2. Under rule 14 of the Government Servants'-Conduct Rules, a Government servant may undertake occasional work of a literary or artistic character, provided that his public duties do not suffer thereby, but Government reserves to itself the right to forbid him to undertake, or to require him to abandon, any employment which, in its opinion, is undesirable. The rate of fees which may be accepted in the case of work undertaken on behalf of a private person or a private body is subject to the provisions of article 74 of the Civil Service Regulations.

3. There are at present no general rules defining the conditions to be observed by educational officers in the matter of the production by them of books specifically designed for use in educational institutions situated within the Presidency. In individual cases which have, from time to time, come under the cognizance of the Department, it has been considered necessary to rule that the author should cease to retain a pecuniary interest in the sale of his books, the officers concerned being instructed to dispose of their interests in the productions to the publishers outright.

4. The question of laying down a general policy in this regard has been exercising the attention of Government as neither the Government Servants' Conduct Rules nor the Civil Service Regulations deal adequately with the

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matter. The question is one of great importance, and it is felt that the absence of clearly defined rules on the subject leave the present position exposed to grave misrepresentation and the employment of unscrupulous practices.

5. With a view, therefore, of placing the matter on a sound basis it has been decided to adopt the following rules for general guidance :—

(*a*) In the case of literary work undertaken for a private person or body, the officer whose services have been commissioned shall, before undertaking the work, obtain the permission of the Head of the Department.

(*b*) The acceptance of fees for such work will be subject to the provisions of article 74 of the Civil Service Regulations.

(*c*) In cases in which the book or treatise so commissioned is intended for use as a text-book for schools, and is approved by competent authority as such, the permission if granted will be subject to the condition that the writer shall not retain any pecuniary interest in the sale of the book, but shall dispose of it outright to the publishers. In other words, he will not be permitted to receive payment of royalty on the sale of the book as a text-book for schools in the Presidency.

(*d*) Similarly in the case of books written by educational officers on their own initiative, specifically for use as text-books in schools in the Presidency, and approved by competent authority for the purpose, the authors shall be required to dispose of their pecuniary interest in the books written by them in the manner described in (*c*) above.

(*e*) The principle enunciated above as to the retention of pecuniary interest in books written by officers of the Education Department will not, however, be held to apply to works which are works of scholarship first and text-books afterwards, *e.g.*, books of general academic interest, library books, books of reference, books designed for teachers and for higher education, etc.

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXXI.—Will the Government be pleased to state how the proposal of a railway line between Barisal and Khulna stands at present? Proposed railway line between Barisal and Khulna.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The Project Report and Estimates of the proposed Khulna-Barisal-Faridpur Railway were submitted by the Eastern Bengal Railway authorities to the Railway Board in 1914.

The project is under the consideration of the Government of India in the Railway Department."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXXII.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement giving the names of newspapers that have been warned during the last three years, stating in each instance— Number of newspapers warned under the Press Act.

(*i*) the number of warnings given; and

(*ii*) the reasons therefor?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Formal warnings have been issued to seven newspapers during the last three years. Informally attention has been drawn to objectionable articles on other occasions. Government do not consider that it would be in the public interest to publish the names of the newspapers concerned or the reasons for the warnings."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Appointments in the Secretariat.

XXXIII.—With reference to the tabular statement made in answer to question No. XXXI (unstarred) of 3rd July last, with reference to appointments in the upper and lower grades of the Secretariat establishment, are the Government considering any amendment of the rules of appointment?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" The reply is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Silting up of rivers in Eastern Bengal.

XXXIV.—With reference to the speech made by His Excellency the Governor at Dacca on the 5th July last, regarding the silting up of rivers, has any definite scheme been drawn up or any proposal made for dredging a channel from the deep bed of the Jumna down the Dhaleswari?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" No definite scheme has yet been prepared, but the Governor in Council hopes to place an Executive Engineer, who is now on leave, on special duty in connection with this work in the coming cold weather."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Statistics relating to the number of children being educated in schools in Bengal.

XXXV.—Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing for each of the last 10 years, division by division—

(*i*) the number of children actually at school;
(*ii*) the number of children of school-going age; and
(*iii*) the number of square miles served by each primary school?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" A statement is laid on the table giving the information required for the last six years. Figures for the years previous to 1911-12 are not available."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL *in his Answer to Question No. XXXV (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

DIVISIONS.	Number of children actually at school.						Number of children of school-going age.*					Number of square miles served by each primary school.†					
	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.
Burdwan	406,137	395,675	368,986	359,227	371,290	385,405	1,270,097	The same figure as in 1911-12.				1·4	1·4	1·6	1·8	1·4	1·4
Presidency	383,864	381,241	396,722	404,172	405,679	416,138	1,416,798					2·9	3·0	3·0	3·0	2·8	2·8
Dacca	408,561	426,623	440,200	464,110	479,438	502,416	1,805,647					1·6	1·7	1·7	1·6	1·5	1·5
Chittagong	243,861	252,285	267,308	287,994	290,830	296,544	809,173					2·6	2·5	2·4	2·3	2·2	2·1
Rajshahi	248,340	253,712	262,938	274,312	286,987	297,342	1,320,745					2·5	2·2	2·1	2·0	2·0	2·0

* The number of children of school-going age taken as equal to 10 per cent. of the population as recorded at the census of 1911.
† The number of square miles served by each primary school is calculated by dividing the total area by the number of schools.

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By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

XXXVI.—(*a*) Are the Government aware of the grievances of the travelling public in Eastern Bengal due to the absence of sheds and waiting-rooms of any sort in most of the steamer stations in Eastern Bengal?

Absence of sheds and waiting-rooms at the steamer stations in Eastern Bengal, screened accommodation for 3rd class female passengers, etc.

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of requesting the Steam Navigation Companies in Bengal to provide screened accommodation for 3rd class female passengers on board the steam-vessels?

(*c*) Are the Government also considering the desirability of asking the Steamer Companies to provide latrine arrangements in the screened accommodation for inter-class female passengers?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) Government are aware that the absence of sheds and waiting-rooms at most of the steamer stations in Eastern Bengal is a source of inconvenience to the travelling public. The matter has for some time past been under the consideration of the Steamer Companies, and in the Bakarganj district the Steamer Companies in communication with the District Board have decided on the stations where accommodation is most required, and also on the size and type of accommodation to be provided. The war has raised the cost of necessary materials to a prohibitive rate, but it is expected that the matter will be taken in hand as soon as circumstances permit.

(*b*) The Companies have expressed their willingness to provide such accommodation and will take steps accordingly.

(*c*) It is difficult to arrange latrine accommodation in the inter-class space. The Companies have undertaken to consider the question and to arrange self-contained accommodation where such is possible. In designs for new steamers such accommodation has been provided."

By the Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER :—

XXXVII.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what progress, if any, has been made in the carrying out of Dr. Bentley's schemes of flooding selected areas at Jangipur and Burdwan?

Scheme of flooding selected areas in Burdwan and Murshidabad.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the Sanitary Department or the Public Works Department is in charge of the execution of these schemes?

(*c*) Are any difficulties being met in the working of these schemes?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) The Jangipur scheme is now working. The scheme at Burdwan is being given effect to in part only this season. For the development of the scheme regulating works to regulate the level of the water in the flooded area are required, and observations are being taken to ascertain what works are necessary. The scheme cannot be given full effect to until these regulators have been built.

(*b*) The Department of the Sanitary Engineer is in charge of the execution of the Jangipur scheme. The Public Works Department is in charge of the execution of the Burdwan scheme.

(*c*) No difficulties have yet been experienced in the working of these schemes."

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Suicide of *détenus*

XXXVIII.—(*a*) Is it a fact that a young man, who was interned in the village of Puthia in the district of Rajshahi, has recently committed suicide?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state his name, father's name, age and native place and other particulars?

(*c*) Was any allowance granted to him? If so, what was the amount thereof, with effect from what date and from what date was he actually in receipt of the same?

(*d*) Was any representation made by him to any officer at any time; if so, to whom, when and on what allegations, and what action was taken thereon?

(*e*) Was he visited by the police, or did he report himself to the police, at stated intervals? If so, on what dates during the fortnight preceding his suicide?

(*f*) Is it a fact that he left a diary or some such written record which may explain the reason for his suicide?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative, except that the *détenu* was domiciled at Baraipara, in the thana of Puthia, Rajshahi.

(*b*) His name was Hari Das Das *alias* Hari Charan Das, son of Arjun Das, of Sahalampur, thana Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Parganas. He was aged 25 and married; and at the time of his arrest was second master of the Malda School.

He arrived at Rajshahi on the 12th June, where he reported himself to the Superintendent of Police, and on the 14th June he arrived at his domicile in Baraipara. He committed suicide on the night of the 18th-19th July, by which date he had been interned for five weeks only.

(*c*) Hari Das Das received an advance of Rs. 10 from the Superintendent of Police on his arrival at Rajshahi and was directed to file a petition for an allowance. Up to the time of his suicide, however, no such petition was received by the local officers. He also received another Rs. 5 from the second Sub-Inspector of Puthia thana. In addition he lived free in the Puthia guest house for six days, and he got medicine and a servant free.

(*d*) After reaching the Rajshahi district, he submitted a petition to the Superintendent of Police asking to be allowed to join the Bengali Double Company. This petition was rejected. After his return from the local inquiry into the matter of the suicide the Superintendent of Police received four petitions from the deceased, one dated the 8th July, the other three dated the 14th July. These comprised :—

(1) A petition to the Additional Secretary, saying that the petitioner has had fever and asking to be transferred to another place or to the Alipore Central Jail.

(2) A petition to the Superintendent of Police asking him to forward the petition to the Additional Secretary.

(3) A petition to the Superintendent of Police, mentioning the fever and asking for an advance of money.

(4) A further petition to the Superintendent of Police asking for a transfer either to the Alipore Central Jail or to Darjeeling or to his home.

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(*e*) He was visited by the police on the following occasions:—

By the Superintendent of Police from 12th to 14th June

By the Puthia police between 15th and 16th June when he was residing in the Puthia thana.

On the 17th by a Sub-Inspector.

On the 18th, 20th, 21st and 23rd by a Head Constable.

On the 24th and 26th by a Sub-Inspector.

On the 28th by a Head Constable.

On the 29th by a Sub-Inspector.

On July 2nd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th by a Head Constable.

On July 9th by a Sub-Inspector.

On July 10th by a Head Constable.

On July 11th by a Sub-Inspector.

On July 17th by a Head Constable.

On July 18th by a Sub-Inspector.

On July 18th-19th, the night of his death, after midnight by a Sub-Inspector.

He was also visited by an Inspector of Police on the 18th June, 6th, 7th and 8th July.

On the 6th July the *détenu* went to the Puthia thana, a mile distant from his place of domicile, and reported that as he had fever he desired to go to hospital. The Inspector of Police had already requested a local practitioner to attend to the *détenu*; this practitioner had found him suffering from simple malarial fever with no complications. On the *détenu's* arrival at the thana the Inspector put him into the guest house close to the police-station and deputed a constable to attend to him and to nurse him, and the Sub-Inspector of Police arranged for his food. After he recovered from the fever, five days before his decease, he was sent back from the guest house to his place of domicile. Government are satisfied that the local police officers showed every consideration for his welfare.

(*f*) Government have no knowledge of any written records left by the *détenu* to account for his suicide The District Magistrate who made the inquiry found no notes or diary left behind by the *détenu*. In the opinion of the District Magistrate the house and surroundings were comfortable; and there was no reason for the officers in charge to believe that the man intended to take his life.

The District Magistrate's finding was that the suicide was probably the result of the depression after fever."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY: —

XXXIX.—Will the Government be pleased to make a detailed statement in connection with every case of suicide among *détenus*, giving the names, fathers' names, permanent place of residence, age, date and place of arrest, places in which they were interned, allowances received and the dates from which they were actually received, general state of health, date of suicide, particular method in which suicide was committed, probable reason for committing suicide, whether and when information was sent about their suicide to their parents and guardians, whether there was medical examination and certificate in each case; how their remains were cremated and with whose help? Suicide of *detenus*.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"The details asked for are furnished in the statement annexed."

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Statement referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR, *to unstarred Question No. XXXIX, asked by the* Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing certain statistics relating to détenus who have committed suicide.*

NAME.	Father's name.	Residence.	Age.	Date and place of arrest.	Places of internment.	Allowances with dates.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Surendra Nath Kar.	Keshab Chandra Kar, a money-lender.	Vishnupur, Bankura.	19 in July, 1916.	27th July, 1916, Eden Hindu Hostel	Kagdwip village, thana 24-Parganas.	Rupees 30 sanctioned from date of internment. (His family are, according to their own petitions, wealthy and provided him with a cook from his own home.) The allowance was sanctioned on 1st November, in compliance with recommendations, dated the 13th October.
Hari Das Das	Arjun Das ...	Sahalampur, Diamond Harbour.	28	16th May, 1917, at Mala, near Falta, 24-Parganas.	Baraipara, thana Puthia, in the district of Rajshahi.	None sanctioned, but two advances had been given.

General state of health.	Date of suicide.	Method of suicide.	Reason for suicide.	Information to parents.	Medical examination.	Method of cremation.
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Good health according to both District Magistrate and the Superintendent of Police (who saw him when they were on tour) except for occasional attacks of fever. The Superintendent of Police had visited him the day previous to his death, when the détenu was quite recovered from fever and had not had any attacks for a month.	Night of 9th / 10th December, 1916.	Hanging	Unknown. The détenu's brother was with the détenu on the evening just previous to the suicide up to 11 P.M.	By Inspector of Police, Diamond Harbour, by wire on the 10th December, 1916.	Assistant Surgeon, Diamond Harbour. At the request of the détenu's brother no *post-mortem* internal examination was held.	Jatindra Nath Kar his brother, was allowed to take the body away for cremation.
He had been treated for fever.	Night of 18th / 19th July, 1917.	Do. ...	Probably depression after fever.	A letter on the part of Government was sent on the 4th August.	By Civil Surgeon on the 20th July, 1917	Consigned to the Ganges as his castemen were not willing to cremate the body.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Borrowing of money, etc., by *détenus*.

XL.—(*a*) Are the Government aware of any instances in which *détenus* had to borrow money or were obliged for want of funds to get articles of food or other necessaries on credit?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to explain the circumstances of each such case?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

(*a*) and (*b*) Several cases have occurred in which *détenus* have obtained articles of food on credit or have borrowed money. Allowances, however, are sanctioned when necessary on application, and Superintendents of Police have funds from which to give advances pending the sanction of

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allowances. If no such advance has been received, and the *détenu*, when he arrives at his place of domicile is in want of funds, it is nearly always the Sub-Inspector of the police-station who lends him money and provides him with food.

It is not considered necessary to give details of all individual cases."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLI.—(*a*) How many applications were received by Government from *détenus* (or their guardians) for permission to go up for the last University examinations; and in how many cases was permission granted? *Détenus* and University examinations

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons for refusal of such permission in each case in which the application was not granted?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) No statistics on this point have been maintained.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to the Question XLII asked by him at the meeting of the 3rd July "

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLII.—With reference to the answer to unstarred question No. XI of the meeting of the 7th August, 1917, will the Government be pleased to make a detailed statement with regard to each case of alleged torture, giving, among other particulars, the name of the *détenu*, his place of confinement, the nature of the charge, the nature of the inquiry, the agency by which it was conducted and the result thereof? Alleged torture of *détenus*.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Government have already stated that the four cases in question were found to be entirely false and groundless; and do not consider it necessary to give any further details regarding these baseless accusations."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLIII.—With reference to the answer to unstarred question No. XV of the meting of the 7th August, 1917, is there any body of non-official visitors for Dullunda House? Non-official visitors for Dullunda House.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLIV.—Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing, district by district, the different classes of aboriginal inhabitants and their respective numerical strength? Number of aborigines in different districts.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The Hon'ble Member is referred to Table XIII of the Bengal Census Report for 1911 (Part II, Tables)."

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Department of Fisheries.

XLV.—(*a*) Is it a fact that the Department of Fisheries has been lately constituted into a separate Department with Mr. Southwell as Director?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to make a statement as to the considerations that led to this measure?

(*c*) To what extent is the expenditure estimated to increase thereby, and how is it proposed to meet any such increase?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Deputy Director of Fisheries was formerly under the Director of Agriculture. As the Director of Agriculture is now a farming expert and not a general administrator it was decided, with the approval of the Secretary of State, that the Officer in Charge of Fisheries should be directly under Government.

(*c*) The immediate extra cost to this Government is Rs. 125 per month. This was provided for in the current budget."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Comments on the Fisheries Department.

XLVI.—(*a*) Has the attention of Government been drawn to a " Note on the Fisheries of the Inle Lake " (Southern Shan States) and the comments made therein by Dr. Annandale on the methods of the Bengal Fisheries Department?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to place on the table such extracts therefrom as relate to Bengal, with any observations that they may have to make thereon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A full copy of the note is placed on the Library table. This Government do not feel called on to make any observations."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Biological inquiries and the Fisheries Department.

XLVII.—How much of the activities of the Bengal Fisheries Department are directed to biological inquiries?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Biological inquiries are conducted by the Fisheries Department from February to October in each year, and during the cold weather biological work is carried on in the Indian Museum.

Out of 20 publications issued by the Department, 10 relate to biological inquiries, and four more biological papers are under preparation."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Number of boys of school-going age.

XLVIII.—(*a*) What is approximately the total number of boys of school-going age in—

(*i*) municipal, and

(*ii*) non-municipal

areas in each Division of Bengal; and what proportions of such boys in either of these areas are actually at school in each Division?

(*b*) How have these numbers varied since April, 1912?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble Mr. Hornell in his reply to Question No. XLVIII (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray at the meeting of the Council held on the 4th September 1917.

NAMES OF DIVISIONS.	BOYS OF SCHOOL-GOING AGE.		PROPORTION OF BOYS AT SCHOOL TO THOSE OF SCHOOL-GOING AGE.			
			Municipal area.		Non-Municipal area.	
	Municipal area.	Non-Municipal area.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1915-16.	1916-17.
Burdwan Division	52,100	587,188	55·3	57·1	46·1	47·6
Presidency Division (including Calcutta).	157,658	594,580	63·2	64·9	36·2	36·7
Dacca Division	30,220	890,343	79·0	80·9	38·0	40·4
Chittagong Division ...	8,954	395,223	56·0	59·0	52·5	53·0
Rajshahi Division ...	15,895	772,623	61·7	67·7	28·5	30·2

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XLIX—What would be approximately the minimum recurring and non-recurring costs of providing in municipal areas for the elementary education of boys of school-going age who are not actually at school?

Approximate cost for the elementary education of boys of school-going age.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL *in his Answer to Question No. XLIX (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September 1917.*

DIVISION.	NUMBER OF BOYS OF SCHOOL-GOING AGE ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.*		PROPORTION OF BOYS OF SCHOOL-GOING AGE ACTUALLY AT SCHOOL TO TOTAL NUMBER OF SCHOOL-GOING AGE.†			
			Municipal areas.		Non-Municipal areas.	
	Municipal areas.	Non-Municipal areas.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1915-16.	1916-17.
Burdwan	52,100	587,188	55·3	57·1	46·1	47·6
Presidency (including Calcutta).	157,658	594,580	63·2	64·9	36·2	36·7
Dacca ...	30,220	890,343	79·0	80·9	38·0	40·4
Chittagong ...	8,954	395,223	56·0	59·0	52·5	53·0
Rajshahi ...	15,895	772,623	61·7	67·7	28·5	30·2

* The number of boys of school-going age is taken to be 15 per cent. of the male population.
† Figures are not available for the years previous to 1915-16.

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Government grants to Municipalities.

L.—(*a*) Is it a fact that the amount of Government grants and contributions to Municipalities, and the proportion of such grants to the total income of Municipalities, is much less in Bengal than in most other provinces in India?

(*b*) Are any permanent recurring grants made by Government to Municipalities? If so, for what purposes, and what are the respective amounts thereof?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) Government are not in possession of full information as regards grants to Municipalities in other provinces.

(*b*) A permanent assignment of Rs. 45,248 has been made for the enhancement of the pay of teachers in aided primary schools and *maktabs* in municipal and other areas outside the jurisdiction of District Boards. The distribution of this amount, as between Municipalities and other non-Board areas, rests with the Director of Public Instruction. Other special grants of a permanent or quasi-permanent nature are made to various Municipalities for educational, medical and sanitary purposes, but it would not be possible, without examining the terms of each of the grants, to state the amount which should be classed as permanent or quasi-permanent."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Educational grants to Municipalities.

LI.—(*a*) With regard to the grants made to Municipalities for educational purposes, will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing how the amounts thereof have varied during the last five years; and what proportion thereof has been spent on primary education?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the circumstances that generally determine the amounts of Government grant to each individual Municipality for education?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to column 43 of Form II and Appendix E of the Resolutions reviewing the reports on the working of Municipalities for the last five years, copies of which have been supplied to him.

(*b*) The amounts of the grants are generally determined by the requirements and financial resources of the Municipalities."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Equilibrium grant to District Boards.

LII.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state when and for what purposes the equilibrium grant to the District Boards was first initiated?

(*b*) What has been the average annual receipt of each District Board on this account during the five years preceding its resumption in 1913?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) On the formation of District Boards in Bengal under Act III (B.C.) of 1885, the administration of cattle pounds, of certain public ferries and also of certain charitable dispensaries in the districts, which had formerly been controlled by Government, was transferred to those bodies In addition, the Boards were entrusted with the management and control of middle and primary education. To enable the Boards to meet the cost of the services transferred, receipts from ferries and pounds, as well as from schools

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and hospitals placed under their management, were assigned to them. Expenditure which devolved on the Boards in excess of the receipts thus assigned was met by the grant of subventions from Government, which were calculated so as to establish equilibrium between the receipts and charges transferred. Along with the control over middle and primary education were also transferred the services of the Sub-Inspectors of Schools employed by Government, and the salary and travelling allowances of these officers formed a part of the charges with reference to which the Boards' equilibrium grants were fixed. The services of the Sub-Inspectors of Schools having been provincialized (in West Bengal in 1905-06, and in Eastern Bengal in 1908-09), the District Boards were relieved of charges on this account, and the equilibrium grants were reduced correspondingly.

(*b*) A statement is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to Question No. LII (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917, showing the annual equilibrium grant for the five years ending on the 31st March, 1913.*

District Board.	Average annual grant for the five years ending on the 31st March, 1913.
	Rs.
Burdwan	30,439
Birbhum	14,676
Bankura	30,217
Midnapore	34,197
Hooghly	27,413
Howrah	13,251
24-Parganas	24,854
Nadia	3,405
Murshidabad	4,045
Jessore	9,636
Khulna	24,141
Dacca	28,711
Mymensingh	22,908
Faridpur	24,339
Bakarganj	28,116
Chittagong	9,345
Tippera	33,296
Noakhali	14,306
Rajshahi	7,624
Dinajpur	11,028
Jalpaiguri	2,245
Rangpur	12,067
Bogra	3,191
Pabna	10,831
Malda*	...

* No equilibrium grant was made during this period to the Malda District Board as orders were passed in the year 1901 transferring to the District Board certain ferries, the average proceeds of which corresponded to the amount previously granted by Government for the purpose of equalising the receipts and expenditure of the Board.

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY:—

LIII.—(*a*) Has there been any systematic inquiry with the help of experts into the condition of waterways in the five divisions of Bengal? Condition of waterways in Bengal.

(*b*) If so, in what areas and with reference to what waterways?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) Yes.

(*i*) Along the main and branch steamer routes in the Presidency and Dacca Divisions.

(*ii*) Along the inner and outer boat routes in the Presidency and Dacca Divisions.

(*iii*) Throughout the Nadia rivers in the Presidency Division.

(*iv*) Along the Ganges in the Rajshahi, Presidency and Dacca Divisions.

A map showing the areas and the waterways referred to is laid on the Library table. The waterways are coloured with red wash."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Improvement of waterways in Bengal.

LIV.—(*a*) Is there any comprehensive scheme for an effective improvement of the waterways in Bengal?

(*b*) How much is any such project likely to cost?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) Yes, in certain areas

(*i*) Non-canalised portion of the Grand Trunk Canal— estimated cost, Rs 15,00,000.

(*ii*) Madaripur Bhil route, now approaching completion—estimated cost, Rs. 44,19,561.

Improvement not yet sanctioned but proposed—estimated cost, Rs. 14,18,550.

(*iii*) Bharani Khal—estimated cost, Rs. 9,08,663.

(*iv*) Angeria Creek, work completed—expenditure during the past four years = Rs. 3,33,590."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

Provision for defence of undefended persons

LV.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any circular order, or any directions of any other kind, requiring District Magistrates to arrange for the defence of persons accused of an offence under section 302 of the Indian Penal Code who are too poor to arrange for their defence themselves?

(*b*) If the answer to the above question be in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to lay a copy of the order or directions on the table?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) & (*b*) Copies of Bengal Government Circular No. 657 J.D., dated the 21st May, 1910, and Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Circular No. 577 J., dated the 8th March, 1910, are laid on the table."

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Circulars referred to in the Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR *to Question No. LV (unstarred), asked by the Hon'ble* MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ, *at the Council Meeting of the 4th September, 1917.*

Nos. 657-59 J.—D., dated Darjeeling, the 21st May, 1910.

From—W. R. GOURLAY, ESQ., I.C.S., Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial Department,

To—(1) All Commissioners of Divisions; (2) all District and Sessions Judges and the Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpur; and (3) the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

I AM directed to inform you that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has, after consultation with the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court, decided that the defence of persons without pecuniary means who are charged with murder should, in certain cases, be undertaken at the expense of Government.

2. The concession should be applied only to cases in which (*i*) the nature of the defence as disclosed, is such that in the interests of justice the prisoner should have legal aid to make his defence to the charge of murder clear; and (*ii*) the prisoner's means are not sufficient to enable him to obtain efficient legal aid. If the committing Magistrate considers a case to be of this character he should without delay report it to the District Magistrate, with a recommendation that assistance should be rendered to the accused. The District Magistrate may thereupon, if he agrees with the committing Magistrate, engage a counsel or a pleader to conduct the defence at the Sessions trial, and arrange for such facilities as will enable the accused to instruct the counsel or pleader engaged. The pleader selected should be of sufficient standing and ability to render substantial assistance. The fee allowed should ordinarily be a fee for the whole case, and not a daily fee. The arrangement made will in each case require the sanction of the Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs.

3. If upon the receipt of a committal proceeding from a Magistrate, a Sessions Judge is of opinion that the case is one in which for the reasons indicated in paragraph 2, the accused should receive assistance, he should immediately bring the case to the notice of the District Magistrate, who may thereupon take action accordingly.

4 By the words "a defence disclosed" is meant not only a defence stated at the end of the hearing, but a defence disclosed in any manner such as, for instance, during the police investigation or in cross-examination, or by remarks interposed in the course of the enquiry before the committing Magistrate.

5. Accused persons without pecuniary means charged with murder should be informed of the assistance which Government is willing to render, and should be encouraged to disclose in time the nature of their defence.

6. The Accountant-General, Bengal, has been informed.

Nos. 577-81 J., dated Shillong, the 8th March, 1910.

From—THE HON'BLE Mr. H. LEMESURIER, C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam,

To—All Commissioners of Divisions.

IN continuation of Mr. Hughes-Buller's letter No. 1291-1311 J., dated the 8th April, 1909, on the subject of a scheme recently introduced, with the approval of the Government of India, in the Central Provinces for the employment of counsel or pleaders at Government expense for the defence of paupers under trial on a charge of murder, I am directed to say that the Lieutenant-

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Governor is pleased to direct introduction of the system into this Province subject to the conditions specified below :—

The application for the services of counsel or of a pleader should be made through the Superintendent of Jail to the District Magistrate in the interval between the committal and the trial. The application should be granted only if the accused reveals the line of his defence before the Sessions trial and if the District Magistrate is satisfied first that he has reasonably good defence to make and secondly that he is too poor to pay for his defence. It will be the duty of the officers in charge of jails to ascertain, at least one week before the commencement of the Sessions, whether any undertrial prisoners confined in his jail who have been committed to the Sessions on a charge of murder have not arranged for their defence and should there be any such, he should report the case to the District Magistrate. This report will be treated by the District Magistrate as an application for the grant of the concession of defence at the expense of Government and should be dealt with in the manner indicated above.

2. It should be distinctly understood that the discretion will lie with the District Magistrate and not with the Committing Magistrate as to the grant of this concession, though naturally the District Magistrate would take steps to ascertain whether the applicant was defended in the lower court. Ordinarily, the fee for defence should Rs. 16 per diem, but a higher fee may be granted in cases of exceptional difficulty and importance, if recommended by the Sessions Judge.

3. The expenditure for the purpose should be debited to the head "Fees to pleaders in pauper suits—Mufassal Establishment—Law officers" under "19A—Law and Justice." I am to add that His Honour is satisfied that applications for the grant of the concession now sanctioned will not be numerous and does not, therefore, as at present advised, consider it necessary to augment the grant under the head specified above.

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

A Barisal case.

LVI.—Is it a fact—

(*a*) that one Messerali Sikdar, accused of an offence under section 302, Indian Penal Code, applied to the Magistrate of Bakarganj for an order directing his defence to be taken up by the Crown, on the ground that he was too poor to arrange for his own defence properly;

(*b*) that the application was made by Messerali's brother, Dhalu, on the 18th August, and the case was fixed for hearing at the Sessions on the 20th;

(*c*) that the application was summarily rejected, without any inquiries having been made as to the truth or otherwise of the statements made in the application;

(*d*) that the brother of the accused thereupon collected a paltry sum by actual begging and had to appeal to several leading gentlemen of Barisal for help before he could induce two pleaders to undertake the defence?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) & (*b*) The brother of the accused applied to the Additional Magistrate for the engagement of the Government Pleader to defend Messerali Sikdar who was charged with murder under section 302, Indian Penal Code

(*c*) Both the Government Pleaders being engaged in other cases on behalf of the Crown, neither of them could be engaged for the defence of this accused. The petition was therefore rejected.

(*d*) Two leading pleaders of the Barisal Bar were engaged for the defence by the brother of the accused. There is no reason to believe that the accused's brother begged for help from any gentleman of Barisal. The brother of the accused stated before the Judge, in cross-examination, that the accused was not a poor man."

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SUPPLEMENTARY QUESTIONS.

The Hon'ble MR. FAZL-UL-HAQ asked the following supplementary questions :—

Was the application made for engaging the Government Pleader or some pleader remunerated by the Crown ?

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"The application was made for the services of the Government Pleader."

The Hon'ble MAULVI FAZL-UL-HAQ asked :—

With reference to clause (*c*) of this question, which has not been answered, I would ask Government please to say whether inquiries were made by the Magistrate before the application was actually rejected.

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"We have no information on the point."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

LVII.—What is the average pay of a teacher in a high school?

Average pay of a teacher in a high school.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. HORNELL :—

"The average pay of a teacher in a Government high school is estimated approximately at Rs. 57-8 a month. Government have no information as to the average pay of teachers in aided and unaided high schools."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ :—

LVIII.—(*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of clerks who were transferred to the Bengal Secretariat and connected offices on the break-up of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Secretariat and connected offices?

Number of clerks transferred from Eastern Bengal and Assam Secretariat to Bengal Secretariat and number of subsequent appointments filled up by East and North Bengal men.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state how many additional appointments have been made of East and North Bengal men between March, 1912 and March, 1916 and the total number of appointments in the Bengal Secretariat and connected offices during the same period?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) 127.

(*b*) 207 appointments were made in the Bengal Secretariat and connected offices between the 1st April, 1912 and the 1st March, 1916. Of these 71 were given to men from Northern and Eastern Bengal.

By the Hon'ble MR PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER :—

LIX.—Will the Government be pleased to state what legislation, if any, is proposed to be taken up in the remaining portion of the current official year?

Forecast of legislation

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Yes. His Excellency the President will make a statement to-day."

By the Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER :—

LX.—(*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the following statement made by the Public Services Commission at page 34 (paragraph 49) of the Report :—"In not a few departments, the scales of remuneration had only just been revised when they were submitted for our consideration?

Scales of remuneration in Government departments

(*b*) Does that statement refer, amongst others, to the Provincial Judicial Service under the Government of Bengal?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) No."

By the Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER :—

Pay of Munsifs.

LXI.—(*a*) Are the Government aware that at page 225 of the Report of the Public Services Commission the total number of the Munsifs on the permanent staff shown under the head " Present scale " exceeds the actual total by ten and that the number of officers shown in each of the grades from Rs. 250 to Rs. 500 under the same head is also in excess of the existing number in these grades, whilst the lowest grade has been shown to be on Rs. 250 and not on Rs. 200 as is at present the case?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state what the total cost would be if the " Present scale " as ascertained from the last Civil List be changed in favour of the " Present scale " as set out at page 225 of the Report of the Public Services Commission?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Yes. The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to the question put on this subject by the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta at the meeting of this Council held on the 7th August.

(*b*) The cost of the actual present scale of the Provincial Judicial Service, excluding officiating Munsifs, is Rs. 1,10,800 as compared with Rs. 1,19,900 shown in the Commission's report."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 1A.

The Honble Mr. Kerr laid the following statement on the table showing the amount of fines realised after conviction in cases under the Calcutta Police Act and Calcutta Suburban Police Act during the last five years. The information was called for by the Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI *in Question No. XI(e) (unstarred) asked at the meeting of the Council held on the 7th August, 1917.*

Presidency Magistrates' Courts.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1912	... ...	63,699	12	0			
1913	... ...	81,713	7	0			
1914	... ...	80,805	6	0			
1915	... ...	67,654	4	9			
1916	... ...	80,132	1	3			
					3,74,004	15	0

Suburban Magistrates' Courts

		Rs.	A.	P.			
1912	... ...	16,580	0	0			
1913	... ...	18,770	13	0			
1914	... ...	20,402	10	0			
1915	... ...	22,845	7	6			
1916	... ...	19,599	10	0			
					98,198	8	6
	GRAND TOTAL			...	4,72,203	7	6

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM NO. 1B.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS.

THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

The President said :—

"Hon'ble Members are aware that a supplementary agenda paper has been issued for the meeting in Council this morning and it will probably be for their convenience if I make a short statement with regard to the attitude of Government towards the amendment of the Calcutta Municipal Act. The Bill which we propose to introduce this morning for the amendment of that Act is brought forward as an emergency measure. It is brought forward to meet the situation which has been created by the exposure which has recently been made with regard to the adulteration of *ghee*. The Bill is in no sense a general measure dealing with the adulteration of food. It is designed solely for the purpose of strengthening the hands of the authorities in dealing with this particular form of food adulteration. We are introducing it at this short notice in response to a widespread and a strong demand on the part of the public. The strength and the widespread nature of that demand was impressed upon me by a large and weighty deputation, representative of many interests, which waited upon me on Friday last ; and I undertook in response to the representations which they made to me, to do all that lay in my power to meet their wishes. It is under these circumstances that the Bill is introduced this morning and it is under these circumstances that I am going to suggest that we should adopt a somewhat unusual procedure in dealing with the Bill. The procedure which I am going to suggest for your consideration is that we should pass the Bill through all its stages to-day. That is certainly an exceptional method of dealing with a Bill and I wish to make it quite clear that I am only suggesting it with regard to this Bill, because this Bill is introduced in response to the desire,—so far as I have been able to ascertain, the unanimous desire—of the members of this Council. It is in no sense a case of the Government trying to force unpalatable legislation through the Council ; very much the reverse. It is a case of the Government trying to do what it can to meet what it believes to be the universal desire of the Council. Nevertheless, it is possible that though Hon'ble Members may all be anxious to see this Bill become law, there may be some of them who think that they ought to be given some little time to consider the actual clauses of the Bill. Well, so far as that is concerned, Government are prepared to place themselves in the hands of the Council and if any strong objection is raised to the proposal of the Government to pass the Bill through all its stages to-day, I am prepared to suggest an alternative procedure. In that case, I am prepared to suggest that the Bill should be referred to a Select Committee to-day with instructions to report to the Council on the 13th of this month with a view to passing the Bill through its remaining stages on that day. I now propose to ask the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill to ask for leave to introduce it. After leave has been given to introduce the Bill, I propose to suspend the Rules of Business and I then propose to ask the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill to move that "the Bill be now taken into consideration" and it is upon that motion that any Hon'ble Member who desires to raise any objection to the passage of the Bill to-day will have an opportunity of doing so. Should I find that there is an appreciable desire expressed when that motion is under discussion that the Bill should be referred to a Select Committee instead of being taken in Committee of the whole Council, I shall then be prepared to ask the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill to withdraw that motion and to move in its place a motion that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee. But I would remind Hon'ble Members that there is good reason for passing this Bill expeditiously. I would remind them again that before this Bill can become law, even after it has passed all its stages in this Council, it must be submitted to the Viceroy for his assent, and they

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will themselves realise that if we have a delay of 10 days in passing this Bill through this Council, that must necessarily involve a delay of 10 days in submitting the measure for the assent of the Viceroy. With these few words, Gentlemen, having explained the position and having indicated the two alternative methods of procedure which are open to us, having pointed out that the Government place themselves in the hands of the Council and will be prepared to adopt whichever method of procedure the Council desire, I will now ask the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill to move for leave for its introduction.

The Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha then moved for leave to introduce the Bill.

He said :—

"My Lord, it is not necessary, after what has fallen from Your Excellency for me to say more than a few words in asking for leave to introduce this Bill. Before explaining its provisions, it would perhaps be well that I should state what the existing law is on the subject. Now, there is one law of general application, *namely*, two sections in the Indian Penal Code, sections 272 and 273, which penalise the adulteration of any article of food or drink so as to make such articles noxious as food or drink and also the sale of such noxious articles. Outside municipalities this is the only penal law against the adulteration of food or drink. Besides the Penal Code, we have the Bengal Municipal Act of 1884, which by section 251 penalises the sale, to the prejudice of the purchaser, of any article of food which is not of the nature, substance or quality of the article demanded by such purchaser. Another section—section 251D, provides for the compulsory purchase of any article of food for the purpose of analysis. Section 251 is the only provision for dealing with the vendor if the analysis proves that the article is adulterated. As Hon'ble Members will observe, the section is directed more to the punishment of fraud than to the prevention of adulteration, because under the section if a man says "what I am selling to you is not pure *ghee*," there is no question of his committing any breach of the law, but if he perpetrates a fraud by giving impure *ghee* when he is asked for pure *ghee*, then and then only does he become amenable to the provisions of the law. This is as regards mufassal municipalities.

As regards Calcutta there is a section in the present Municipal Act, viz., section 495, which has the same provision as section 251 of the Bengal Municipal Act, *i.e.*, punishment for fraud. You have also sections 504 and 505 which provide for the destruction of adulterated articles and there is section 507 which provides for the compulsory purchase of articles for the purpose of analysis. The result of all this legislation that exists now is that in the mufassal the sale of adulterated *ghee* is not punishable unless it can be proved that the purchaser demanded pure *ghee* expressly and the vendor supplied adulterated *ghee*. In Calcutta though adulterated *ghee* can be seized and destroyed, the dealer cannot be punished in any other manner. Under existing conditions, if a vendor in Calcutta declares that he sells only adulterated *ghee*, he will go scot-free though the article he sells may be ever so much adulterated. These provisions such as they are have in practice failed to check the evils of adulteration and so far as *ghee* is concerned, the Government are informed that the evil has assumed enormous and even alarming proportions. Hon'ble Members will remember the answer to a question which was given this morning (Starred question No. 6) giving the percentage of adulteration with regard to samples of adulterated *ghee* in tins as well as samples of *ghee* extracted from sweetmeats, and judging from the figures given in that answer there can be no doubt that the evil has assumed very alarming proportions. The Bill which I am now asking for leave to introduce proposes to deal with the evil so far only as Calcutta is concerned, and the reason why we are obliged to confine ourselves to Calcutta is this: we have submitted

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to the Government of India a comprehensive Bill dealing with the whole law relating to the Corporation of Calcutta, that is the Calcutta Municipal Bill. In that Bill we provided remedies with regard to the adulteration of all articles of food and drink and drugs also, and including therefore the particular commodity we are now concerned with, that is, *ghee*. So far as the penal clauses are concerned, we have already received the sanction of the Government of India. Without that sanction it would not be legal for this Council to enact any penal clauses. We have also practically ready, for submission to the Government of India, a large Bill with regard to the adulteration of articles of food and drink and drugs so far as the mufassal is concerned, but this has not yet been submitted to the Government of India and therefore the penal clauses in that Bill have not yet received the sanction of the Government of India. It is therefore impossible for us to introduce a measure which would include not only Calcutta but also the mufassal, and if we are to wait for such a Bill to go up to the Government of India, we certainly could not expect to introduce that Bill and much less to pass it until at any rate the ensuing cold weather. Having regard to the representations made to His Excellency, by the influential deputation that waited upon him for the purpose of representing the grave evil which exists, he thought that it was in the public interest that even though we could not introduce the larger measure, we should do all we could and as expeditiously as possible to check and restrain the evil so far at any rate as Calcutta is concerned. It is for that purpose and with that view and in response to that request that this Bill is being introduced to-day. It only remains for me to explain the nature of the provisions of this Bill as shortly as possible. To begin with, we have introduced a definition of what is meant by adulteration, a definition which does not exist in the present Calcutta Municipal Act. At this stage I will only mention what is the general sense of that definition, *viz.*, that *ghee* must not consist of any article not extracted from milk. That is, I presume satisfactory, so far as that goes and the rest of the Bill deals with the question of the sale, manufacture and storing for the purpose of sale of all adulterated *ghee*. We provide that for the first offence there is a penalty in most cases of Rs. 200 and it authorises for subsequent offences fines from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,000. This is rather an important clause and Hon'ble Members will be pleased to bear in mind that it provides for fine and not imprisonment. It was suggested to us that imprisonment would be a more proper remedy and would be more effective for the purpose of checking the evil. We have not been able to accede to that suggestion. The cardinal principle, if I may so call it, of the Bill is this. I call it a cardinal principle because if that is to be departed from in any way, the Bill will be absolutely futile and it will be of no use passing the Bill at all. That principle is this. It would be no defence on the part of the vendor of *ghee* to say if it is in fact adulterated that he was ignorant of the nature of the *ghee* that he was selling. Ordinarily, *i.e.*, under the ordinary provisions of the criminal law, if a person is accused of committing a particular offence, it would be necessary to prove a certain degree of knowledge. In this case, if you insert any provisions of that kind, then I say the Bill will be absolutely a dead letter. After all what is it that it obliges the vendor to do. He must satisfy himself before he buys the article, that it is pure *ghee*, either by reason of the confidence which he reposes in the big dealer or manufacturer from whom he buys, or by reason of being satisfied by an analysis made, that it is pure *ghee*, but he must satisfy himself, and the onus is upon him to do so—that the *ghee* which he sells to an inoffensive and unsuspecting public is real *ghee* and not an article composed of animal fat or any other objectionable substance. That is the cardinal principle of the Bill and the penal clauses which I have already mentioned are to the effect that punishment varying from a fine of Rs. 200 to Rs. 1,000 can be inflicted

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with regard to different offences of selling, storing and manufacturing, etc. The Bill consists only of 11 clauses and the principal clauses are those that I have mentioned and I would venture to submit to the Council that there is no particular reason why we should not be able to get through the Bill at this sitting.

With regard to that, His Excellency has already said that Government place themselves entirely in the hands of the Council. With these few words, I ask for leave to introduce the Bill."

The Hon'ble MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN said :—

"My Lord, having headed the deputation that waited on Your Excellency on Friday last, I once more desire to declare publicly in this Council our grateful thanks to Your Excellency and Your Excellency's Government for the promptitude with which Your Excellency has introduced this Bill in the Council to-day. I was inclined, reading the provisions of the Bill, to think that in the penal clauses, provision for imprisonment should be made, but after what the Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Sinha has explained, I cannot very well press that point, for I think he has explained very clearly what the object is of these penal clauses, and if by the introduction of clauses of imprisonment, there is a likelihood of loop-holes, I would rather not have them at all. Your Excellency has been pleased to say that the Government propose to adopt one of the two procedures which you, Sir, have explained in your opening remarks. I am for passing the Bill to-day. I would not have pressed this point."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"Perhaps I should point out that there will be two motions before the Council. The ordinary procedure of this Council is to take the motion to introduce the Bill as a formal motion and to have no discussion on that motion. But in view of the fact that it is possible that to-day we shall not have a motion to refer the Bill to a Select Committee,—we may or may not—I am prepared to allow a discussion of the principles of the Bill upon this motion—the motion for leave to introduce it. But the proper place in which to express your views upon the question of procedure will be the second motion which will be moved, *viz.*, the motion to take the Bill into consideration. Any expression of opinion with regard to procedure is now out of order."

The Hon'ble MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN said :—

"I bow to the ruling of the chair and I shall confine my remarks to the introduction of the Bill, and I welcome the measure, and regarding the remarks that I have to offer on the Bill being either referred to a Select Committee or being passed by the House to-day, I shall reserve them till the second motion is before the Council."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, it seems to me that the measure which the Hon'ble Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha has brought forward to-day has been overdue for a long time. The evil to which he refers is a long standing one and times without number have the public complained that there ought to be some protest against the dirty practice of adulterating articles of food, *ghee* in particular. Better late than never is an axiom which I believe ought to be followed even in this House, and I most heartily welcome the measure which has just been introduced. I think we ought to be grateful to Government that a Bill of this kind has at last been introduced into the Council, and I hope it will receive the most favourable consideration from the members of this Council."

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The Hon'ble DR. NILRATAN SARKAR said :—

"My Lord, I believe that on grounds of health a Bill of this nature should be introduced and become the law of the land. In fact, so far as the people of the medical profession are concerned, they have all along felt the necessity of a stringent measure of this kind. It does not go far enough, I confess, but at the same time I welcome it most heartily, even as it is at present. Although it affects only one article of diet, which I believe is taken by almost all the people of the Indian community in this country, this measure will be welcomed by most of our countrymen here. I know of many families and many people in this country amongst our community who have abstained from taking *ghee* since the 'horrifying exposure' such as described by the Muhammadan Association the other day, and they are suffering very great hardship. Apart from the very great inconvenience there is also a very strong religious feeling in this connection. I think that the Bill has come in time and the general public will welcome it most cordially."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, whatever I have got to say has reference to the second motion that is coming up for consideration, that is to say, whether the Bill is to be passed to-day or after a short postponement. For the present, my Lord, so far as the introduction of the Bill is concerned, I give it my hearty support."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, as has been pointed out by the Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sarkar the Bill is welcomed by the public at large. The only thing I have to say is that if it is not passed to-day, all this adulterated *ghee* in Calcutta will be sent to the mufassal and we, the people of the mufassal, will have to take adulterated *ghee*. In the interests of the people living outside Calcutta, I submit that the Bill should be passed to-day."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"The Hon'ble Member can raise that point on the next motion."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I come from the mufassal so I welcome this Bill. What weighs in my mind is, when will the provisions of such a Bill be extended to the mufassal? My Lord, since 1886 the subject was discussed by Government and it was left aside. In 1912, the same subject was again discussed and then it was considered that the provisions of the Calcutta Municipal Act as well as the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act were not sufficient. But matters stood there and no steps were taken to remedy the growing evil. My Lord, it is a wonder to me why this law was left as it was, and it is a matter of satisfaction to me that at any rate some step has been taken by Government to check this growing evil. As an administrator in a metropolitan municipality I found that all the prosecutions which I started were ineffectual, but to-day I see the anxious desire of Your Excellency to put a stop to this evil, and as I say, I congratulate the Government on this matter. But my Lord, at the same time I say to this Council and to Your Excellency and to the Member in charge that effective steps should be taken for the protection of the people in the mufassal. The law has its own course, legislation has its own course too, but I submit that the question which is at issue to-day is a part of a large problem and who knows that the very measure which has been explained so lucidly by the Member in charge will not take much time to go through. That is weighing in my mind and although I

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welcome this measure at the same time I wish to impress upon the Council the necessity of giving effect to the expected legislation in the interior part of the country as soon as possible. With these words, my Lord, I do support the motion ; I pray that it be passed into law."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

" My Lord, I join with the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan in thanking Your Excellency most heartily for the readiness with which you have responded to the appeal from the Hindu community My Lord, at the same time I must say that this evil is an evil which we have been enduring for the last 40 years, and not only enduring, but have been appealing times without number to Government for some remedy. In 1886, a similar panic took place in Calcutta and it will be seen on a reference to the proceedings of the Legislative Council that a deputation of some of the leading citizens mostly Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta, in an informal manner, waited upon the then Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Rivers Thomson. It was during his visit to Calcutta in July and August that he had interviews with several gentlemen of the native community who represented that discoveries had been made of the adulteration of *ghee* which is very commonly consumed among them. He had also an interview with Sir Henry Harrison, the Chairman of the Corporation, who affirmed that statement and it became a point for consideration whether the Government should interfere in the matter. Then, my Lord, His Honour asked the learned Advocate-General to take up the matter. Sir Charles Paul took up the question with all the energy and promptitude for which he was much applauded in Council and introduced a short Bill. The Bill was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on 17th September, 1886. In the Council, although the principle of the Bill was supported, a loud demand was made by the non-official members for enlarging the scope of the Bill. The Hon'ble Rai Jai Prokash Law observed :—' I am afraid the Bill before the Council will not satisfy the requirements of the grave crisis in which the people now find themselves,' and then, my Lord, Raja (then Lalla) Bun Behari Kapur stated in the course of his observations :—' As *ghee* forms the most essential element in sacrificial and propitiatory *homa* this panic of *ghee* adulteration has caused a dead-lock in all important religious and purificatory ceremonies of the Hindus—a people that are more sensitive on points of religion than on any other point of vital importance. So the evil on account of its magnitude and emergency calls for immediate legislation on the part of the Imperial Council, and I respectfully ask your Honour to move it to take prompt steps towards the introduction of such a Bill.'

A reference to the debate would show that the non-official members did not think the remedy proposed would strike at the root of the evil. We are exactly in the same position to day.

My Lord, some 31 years have passed away. I am not sure whether any legislation has been undertaken to control the evil at its very root, that is to say, to control the manufacturers who are mostly outside Calcutta but still, my Lord, we welcome this Bill for this reason that to a certain extent it will help to minimise the evil which at present prevails in Calcutta. As I said the Hon'ble Raja Bun Behari Kapur, on behalf of the people of Bengal, asked far a wider legislation. We are on the same footing in the present instance, that is to say, we also respectfully ask for a wider-all-India legislation to control manufacturers who are spread over different parts of India without which the evil could not be grappled with. However we are very thankful for what has been undertaken by Your Excellency. But there are one or two points which I would like to mention. While accepting the cardinal principle of the Bill and thoroughly associating myself with the object, I should like to point out that there ought to be some provision regulating importation. There is no definition of *ghee* in the Bill.

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The Corporation of Calcutta should make regulations prescribing a certain standard specifying the component parts of *ghee*. If any *ghee* falls below that standard then any person who does business with such *ghee* can be proceeded against. Otherwise it would be difficult to make out whether any material has been added to or abstracted from *ghee*. In this connection, I should like to make a reference to the regulation under the English Act on the lines of which some standard may be laid down. Then there is another matter which has struck me from the very beginning. I am speaking on behalf of a very large number of poor people who are retail traders in this city. There are some thousands of them, they are called *moodies* in ordinary parlance. There should be some provision to protect these people. I do not suggest to give them any loophole, but at the same time as we know from our own experience these *moodies* buy one or two tins from the wholesale dealers and keep them in their shops and sell it in small quantities to poor people who live on 4 annas to 6 annas a day. I think that something might be done to protect these people from unnecessary harassment and even, I may say, unnecessary oppression at the hands of unscrupulous officers. These people cannot pay the cost of analysis of every tin of *ghee*, (which is not less than Rs. 16). It strikes me that there should be some facilities for the analysis of *ghee* in Calcutta, that is to say, wholesale dealers should not be permitted to sell any *ghee* which is not analysed and pronounced free from any adulteration, and on the production of a warranty they shall only be allowed to sell *ghee* in Calcutta. If the retail dealers produce a satisfactory warranty that they had purchased from these people, I do not think that they should be put to any trouble. These poor people buy *ghee* at, say, Rs. 55—60 a maund and sell it at Rs. 62 or Rs. 63 a maund. Two or three rupees on a maund is all they make. They have not got a laboratory and they cannot analyse it, and they will be put to all sorts of inconveniance although they have the best of intention to sell pure *ghee*. I think that these matters at least require consideration or discussion with the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill. Whether it is possible or not, having regard to the cardinal principle of the Bill being maintained intact, to insert some provision which will also protect them from any possible harassment or oppression at the hands of unscrupulous officers, I should like some discussion. With these few words, my Lord, I beg to support the introduction of the Bill."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I represent the Corporation of Calcutta, and while associating myself with the observations of the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan and the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur. in the expression of thankfulness to Your Excellency for having so promptly taken up the cause of the suffering Indian public in the matter of adulteration of *ghee*. I will say this, that this evil is a very long standing one, and it is only the temperament of the people to suffer, which accounts for their not having so long raised a clamour on account of this evil, as we have witnessed lately in Calcutta. The Corporation of Calcutta is a heavy body, but it has still found time to take some action in this matter—action for the amendment of the defective law as it stands. The Corporation actually took the trouble of drafting a Food and Drugs Bill and sent it up to the Government with a prayer that a separate Food and Drugs Bill should be passed independently of the Calcutta Municipal Act which was then understood to be under consideration for amendment, but the Government did not see their way to do it, and I can only account for this dilatoriness by the fact that while the Corporation is a heavy body, the Government is a heavier body, and it is more difficult to move it. You have not come a day too soon for tackling this evil, and from what has fallen from the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill, the proposed

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legislation is not a hasty one, it has been well considered in connection with previous efforts in this direction, that is to say, in connection with a Bill for the amendment of the whole Act relating to the Calcutta Municipality, and also in connection with the clauses in the mufassal Municipal Act. Therefore I do not take it as a panic legislation and there can be no question that the principle of the Bill is quite sound. When Chapter XXXV of the existing Calcutta Municipal Act was enacted, it seems that the draftsmanship was at fault. The makers of the law intended no doubt to prevent the sale of adulterated food articles, but they did not use apt words to express that intention and hence some years ago when the matter had to be considered by the Corporation of Calcutta, they found that their prosecutions failed. They sent up the case to the Advocate-General who gave it as his opinion that if a man sells adulterated articles and puts up a signboard to that effect, he could not be punished for what he was doing. That showed the ineffective way in which the Act was drafted in 1899. I, therefore, welcome the present measure and I am sure there will be no obstruction on the part of any of my fellow members in the passing of this Bill."

The Hon'ble Dr. DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"My Lord, as one of those who had asked for permission to wait on Your Excellency in deputation and one of those who was a member of that body I desire to give this Bill very strong support. After the way in which almost every member has whole-heartedly and without reservation welcomed the introduction of this measure, I should not have thought it necessary to add any words of mine in support of the Bill. But having regard to what the Hon'ble Rai RadhaCharan Pal Bahadur has said in regard to one of the cardinal principles affecting the Bill, I think the position ought to be made quite clear. I entirely agree with the Hon'ble Member in charge that the essential point round which this Bill centres is that contained in sub-clause (*3*) of clause 4. The moment you try, to introduce safeguards of the kind claimed by the Hon'ble Rai Bahadur, the whole object of the Bill will be gone. We absolutely sympathise with small dealers who in their ignorance are made mere tools than active agents in the hands of nefarious persons poisoning even essential food-stuffs with which Calcutta and in fact the whole of the country has been infested for some years past. At the same time we must recognise that these safeguards are not safeguards either to them or to the public. For a time it may be that those small dealers who do not know the situation well will have to suffer, but they will not suffer more than the patient public has so long been suffering. If any attempt is made to touch the elemental principle of the Bill, the Bill might as well be withdrawn. My Lord, whether Calcutta should be furnished with more than one laboratory by way of safeguards such as the Municipal authorities or representatives of the public may think it necessary, is a matter which need not trouble this Council. If what my Hon'ble friend is urging were to be accepted, I think from a certain point of view, which may well be respected and considered, it might be urged that the Government should fix the price of pure *ghee*, because the time will come when the supply of pure *ghee* will be small and dealers will be fixing fabulous prices which will practically make *ghee* unobtainable by the ordinary consumer. Is that a situation which the Government are likely to countenance? If a vendor who could not be proved to have known that he was dealing with an adulterated article, could go scot-free, the Bill would be absolutely nugatory; or if he were to be permitted to raise super-scientific questions about standardisation of *ghee*, about which the practical scientist has yet no doubt, there is hardly a perpetrator of adulteration who with proper, or shall I say improper, legal or scientific aid could not be got off. The necessity of undertaking this legislation has existed for

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many years and we have for many years been thinking hard as to how to put matters right. Successive legislation has failed because of defects now brought to light, and let us profit by them when strong public agitation has once more brought the question to the fore. Where the Bengali failed the *Marwari* has triumphed which need not be a matter of surprise or regret. On the question of principle absolute adherence must be given to what is embodied in the Bill, otherwise the Bill will be infructuous. I speak, my Lord, not only from the religious point of view of the Hindu, for we can go further—many other communities, like Jains, Buddhists and Muhammadans have serious scruples. And communities that are not affected by such scruples can hardly consent that foreign articles, such as snake's lard, should be permitted to come into the composition of this highly necessary food-stuff. The question therefore affects all communities and the pressure that has been brought to bear on the situation emanates from all sections of the community. As has been truly observed, it is not a panic legislation at all that we are considering though undoubtedly it is an emergency legislation. The matter has been engaging public attention from all points of view for a long time, and there is hardly a clause in this Bill that in substance has not been considered almost threadbare from time to time by all concerned. Apart from the religious point of view we have very seriously to consider the hygienic Deities and demons fought of yore round sacred fires in this classic land for pure *ghee* for even the demon dreaded the adulterated stuff. Shall we be permitted to fare worse than they? I speak specially on behalf of the section of the community that is obliged to depend unfortunately much more upon this adulterated stuff than is usually known. I do not know when Your Excellency will be troubled with a deputation or a request for emergent legislation with regard to the servant question. That question is much more acute than is generally known and is a great element of uncertainty and anxiety in our household arrangements—much more than it was before. But hardly anywhere is it more acute than in our hostels and messes where our young men, literally in thousands, have to live. I notice this not by way of idle forewarning but all who know anything of the situation, know that our hostels and messes are at the mercy of hirelings, who absent themselves for days together some time and many of our students for many days in the week have to depend upon poisons called sweetmeats from the bazar made of this adulterated stuff not only for their minor meals but for their principal meals as well. That is telling very prejudicially upon the health of our student community. The evil is spreading fast among householders whose women-folk are not proof against the servant trouble for there also the same difficulties prevail. Some householders of the more old fashioned type are for the time being better off for they do not always depend upon servants in these matters; their ladies when necessary will yet cook for them very acceptable meals when the hireling is rebellious. That however is not the fate of our more luckless householders or of our students and I appeal to Your Excellency on their behalf. A strong deputation of mere men waited on Your Excellency. I see, my Lord, a large and a more influential deputation facing Your Excellency in our visitors gallery—young ladies who are very much interested in the best way of managing our households, and in providing the wherewithal for the daily struggles of their sons, fathers, brothers and husbands. From all points of view, I think, the time has long come when this matter has to be taken up in right earnest and unmindful of vested interest, and if this tangle of safeguards is to be countenanced, we shall never get the proper legislation."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha moved His Excellency the President to suspend the rules of business to admit of the Bill being taken into consideration.

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THE PRESIDENT: "I suspend the Rules of Business."

The Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha then moved that the Bill be taken into consideration.

The Hon'ble the MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN said:—

"My Lord, I have not got very much to say excepting that I think that we would be failing in our duty as Councillors if we delay the passing of the Bill in this Council. There may be some who would like to have more time to consider the clauses of the Bill but as the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem has pointed out that by the time clauses are considered the mufassal will be flooded with this impure and adulterated stuff sent out by the Calcutta dealers. I therefore appeal to the Hon'ble Members of this Council not to be carried away by any idea of appointing a Select Committee for discussing or considering these clauses. I sincerely hope that the Bill will be passed to-day."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said:—

"My Lord, when I entered the Council I was under the impression that there was not much of a necessity for departing from the ordinary procedure in dealing with this measure; but it now seems to me that having introduced the Bill it would be inexpedient to defer its consideration and that we ought not to postpone it even for a single day. If the Bill had not been introduced the matter might have stood on a different footing. But having introduced it you have given notice to the dealers in *ghee* to make the utmost of their dirty business. If you postpone it even for a week I am afraid these shrewd men will take the utmost advantage of even this seven days' time. They will export all their adulterated stuff at once to the mufassal so as to escape the penalty of the law which you propose to pass seven days after. Nor do I think it would be of much use in delaying this matter. My Hon'ble friend Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur has spoken on behalf of retail dealers. He thinks they are neither scientists nor experts and they are a perfectly innocent people. But I confess that I do not possess the same amount of sympathy for them as my Hon'ble friend does. They are participators in the same crime and they have been committing this crime for the last 40 years. My conviction is that 'mercy but murders pardoning those that guilt.' They have been committing this offence for a long time past and I do think it is nothing short of committing slow but sure murder. If a man touches my shoulder with his stick, he is liable to punishment even with imprisonment; but what an irony that the person who poisons my body, slowly deteriorates my health, visibly shortens my life, and endangers the happiness and prosperity of my family has gone on with impunity from generation to generation! I think it is high time that without any consideration of hardship or favour this remorseless enemy of society should be dealt with with the hardest hand. I think if we postpone this measure only to consider the case of the *moodie* for whom my friend is so keen, we might be doing another injury. A certain class of these vendors may be pardonable to some extent; but if you once open a loop-hole for one class of dealers you certainly open it to the other classes also, and I do think that it would be most unwise to keep any loop-hole for any of the dealers to defeat the very object of this salutary measure. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof, and I think that it is high time that this measure should be passed. It is not a contentious measure at all. We all agree that *ghee*, a most important article of food, is adulterated with the most obnoxious substances. The high mortality and the number of incurable diseases which prevail in this country may be easily traced to adulterated articles of food. We, Indians, do not take so much of meat as Europeans do and I think the quantity of fish that we take is also very limited. And if the simple food

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taken by Hindus and Muhammadans alike in this province is allowed to be adulterated we put a very short premium. if not an absolute discount, upon human life.

I think the provisions of the Indian Penal Code are not sufficient for the protection of the human body in this respect, and it becomes a simple mockery to make elaborate provisions in that Code touching even the ordinary offences affecting the human body so long as we cannot protect that body from adulterated articles of food. I do not know what we shall gain by referring this Bill to a Select Committee, unless it be to devise some means to make it futile in its operation.

For a time no doubt there was a question raised in various cases whether the provisions of the Mufassal Municipal Act or the Calcutta Municipal Act were or were not sufficient for this protection. It has been found repeatedly that they are not sufficient, and things have come to such a pass that a person is now audacious enough to expose for sale what he defiantly and openly advertises as being an adulterated article. This is a challenge to the authorities and an open defiance to the legislature. This is the sort of thing we have been tolerating for many years. We find now in this measure that not only the seller but whoever stores the adulterated article is also liable to penalty. I do not see what we gain by prolonging this period for passing this Bill. The only use or rather misuse of this delay would be to make certain exceptions in favour of this man or that man; but I am decidedly of opinion that no favour should be shown to anyone who deals in adulterated articles of food, particularly *ghee* and oil which are so difficult of detection, whether it is the retail dealer or the wholesale dealer—and the retail dealer is as obnoxious to us as the wholesale dealer. For these considerations I think it is not only prudent but it is imperatively necessary that the Bill should be passed offhand without giving any time to these persons who have large stocks on hand to dispose of them outside, or without giving them sufficient opportunity of making considerable use of them within this city. We ought to pass the Bill at once."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

" My Lord, in spite of the rather impassioned eloquence of the venerable Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, I would suggest that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee with instructions to report within a week. My Lord, it is not an unusual procedure that I am suggesting. In the first place, if we look back to the history of this legislation some 30 years back, we find that the same panic and the same pressure was put upon the Government and the same emergency legislation took place. The Bill was introduced into the Legislative Council on the 13th September and it was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to report within a week and it was passed on the 24th September. Comparing that time with the present one. it may be seen that on the last occasion it was urged that the *Durga Puja* was coming on and therefore the Bill should be passed before that ensuing *Durga Puja*. On this occasion the same thing has been urged in the representation to your Excellency. But the Durga Puja takes place this year on the 22nd October next and if the Bill is passed on the 13th September and receives the assent of the Governor-General 10 or 12 days after, there will still be a month before the Durga Puja begins. It will therefore be seen that nothing will be lost by referring this Bill to a Select Committee for a limited period. We received this Bill only this morning—some of us received it in the Council Chamber just now—and we had scarcely time to snatch a breakfast and scarcely had time to read even its provisions. We are all animated by the same desire to see that the Bill is passed with this difference—whether it should be passed at this meeting without allowing us an opportunity of examining the several clauses of the Bill, or whether it

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should be passsd at the next meeting of Council, say, next Tuesday. There may be difference on some of the clauses : it is not to be assumed that we Indians are unanimous on every point. I do not wish to refer to the burning topic of the day, but even in that matter there is great divergence and it is no wonder that notwithstanding the impassioned eloquence of the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar, some of us are not in a position to agree that we, the responsible members of this Council, should give our final consent to this Bill becoming the law of the land before sunset to-day without even reading its contents.

The amendments which may be deemed necessary require some discussion in the Select Committee and with the Hon'ble Member in charge. I see no harm in allowing a week's time in discussing them with the Hon'ble Member in charge. I submit that in reply to the deputation. Your Excellency very considerately stated that the Bill would be referred to a Select Committee and that it would be passed next week and the deputation very thankfully accepted that assurance. I was one of these deputationists. This unusual hurry will also deprive the public and others interested in this legislation the opportunity to submit their criticisms, which may be helpful to this Council. It has been said that this postponement will afford the dealers some time to dispose of their bad stuff and to flood the mufassal with them. If this is so, it may be flooded to-morrow or ten days after. There is nothing to prevent the dealers doing so. I do not see any reason why this Bill should not be referred to the Select Committee with definite instructions to report in time so as to enable the Bill being passed next week."

The Hon'ble DR. NILRATAN SARKAR said :—

" My Lord, I am for having the measure passed at once as an emergency measure. I do not call it a panic legislation ; it is an emergency legislation and there is no question about that. It has been said, my Lord, by my friend the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur that the matter should be referred to a Select Committee for consideration and he has asked this Council what do we lose by that step. We do not refer Bills to Select Committee in order to determine what we lose, but what we gain ; that is the main point. I know what we lose at this critical moment. I also know that thousands of my countrymen lose in money—good hard cash—and I know also what they lose—which is not apparent to the view of the public but to the eye of the medical men—in good sound health which is so much affected by taking this noxious stuff in Calcutta. I am surprised to find that the Hon'ble Member is determined to see this consumable poisonous stuff consumed by the people of Bengal, if not of Calcutta. I do not expect this from one who is a member of the Municipal Government of this city. There might have been omissions in the past, but if all our commissions and omissions in the Municipal Corporation be placed before us for putting off a salutary measure like this which seeks to do good to the whole of the people of Bengal, I do not know where we should be.

Another question has been raised by my Hon'ble friend, that *ghee* has not been standardised. Well. I think the standards have been very wisely kept out of the sections. Those who do the thing, those who are actually engaged in the work of analysis know their own standard and I purposely referred the matter to my friend Dr. Chuni Lal Bose, Professor of Chemistry in the Calcutta Medical College, and he wrote to me in reply to say that we could, by referring to a standard, not only differentiate between good and bad *ghee*, but we could also differentiate between cow's *ghee* and buffalo *ghee*. and the cow's *ghee* has been so far standardised that the standard has been introduced into standard works on food analysis. In the case of buffalo *ghee* we have to refer to our best experience, Sir, and that is the experience of the best experts of the Municipality and of the Government gained during

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the last 30 years, and I think we can thoroughly rely upon that experience, and I have no doubt that those standards regarding the minimum standardisation of buffalo *ghee* will be introduced in the standard works in a short time, so my friend the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur need not be very anxious about anything untoward happening in connection with the examination or analysis of *ghee*. Then, my Lord, the analysis of these experts has never been disputed by any authority inside or outside India. It has been accepted by those who understand and know the subject and I do not see why questions should be raised in this connection. I believe the standards have been very wisely left out of the sections. True it is that in many Food and Drugs Acts these are specified and it is laid down that particular samples of milk must contain so much percentage, sugar, fat and casein, but I do not think this is necessary in the case of *ghee* at all, considering that the analysis will be conducted at least for the purposes of this Bill by very good experts in a laboratory against which the Hon'ble Member can say nothing, because he is one of the Municipal Commissioners of this city. Then, my Lord, in this connection I have to say only one or two words more. I believe that in order to protect the poor vendor we should not lose time nor should we give them any long rope, but what we ought to do is this; we should facilitate the analysis of *ghee* at the time of purchase so that if we want a particular sample, they can have it analysed at once at a small cost. I believe the Municipality will take this matter into consideration, and I hope that the distinguished members of the Corporation will not stand in the way of the Corporation appointing a larger number of analysts on the score of economy. I also believe that in order to make this law effective the administration will have to be looked to very carefully, and I do not think that a staff of eight inspectors will be enough for this purpose. I believe the municipality will take up the matter in right earnest and thus try to prevent the scandal that is prevailing in this city and has spoiled our health for so long a time. With these words I beg to state that I think the Bill should be passed at this stage without waiting one moment more."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, when I came to the Council Chamber this morning, I came prepared to oppose this proposal of passing the Bill at once. I am not sure, my Lord, if I still adhere to that opinion, but if I withhold my opposition at the present moment, I hope I will not be accused of inconstancy like the man of easy faith in the story, who could go to bed a Roman Catholic and get up a Protestant the next morning. There have been several reasons, my Lord, which have led me to reconsider my first decision. In the first place, I find that the rank of opponents to this measure being passed into law to-day, is gradually being thinned. We had an informal conference last night, and I thought that the sense of the meeting then was that we should oppose—not legislation, but this emergency legislation—and that we should propose instead a short reference to a Select Committee. I find that, except the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, there has been a conspiracy of silence among the other gentlemen who were present there and I do not know if they have gone over to the other side. The result of an opposition will be that both myself and my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, will be left in a very hopeless minority, and if it is the sense of the House that the Bill should be passed outright, I do not see any merit in being singular and persisting in an attitude of opposition when it has received the assent of so many Hon'ble Members in this House. There are, however, two or three points about which I wish to say something. I would like to take this opportunity of asking the Hon'ble Member in charge to consider the provisions of the Bill from the point of view of these objections. I hope he will kindly make

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a statement so as to remove my apprehensions on these points, and I can assure Your Excellency that if my apprehensions are set at rest, I will be the very first to support this Bill. Before I point out these matters, I may just make a passing reference to the apprehensions of my friend, the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem, and endorsed by the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan. that the postponement of the Bill to-day might lead to the passing of the adulterated stuff now in Calcutta into the mufassal. I think, my Lord, my friend can make himself easy on that point. If the *ghee* dealers have not been foolish enough, they must have done that sort of thing long ago. After the discussions that have been going on in this Council they will know that from to-morrow, stringent measures will be in force to prevent the adulterated *ghee* being stored or sold anywhere in Calcutta and they are bound to take the alarm and shape their conduct accordingly. The apprehensions of my friend remind me of a certain man who was passing a ricketty bridge at a time when there was a mad man at the other end. Mad men always act under sudden impulses, but this particular mad man was sitting quietly, apparently quiet and innocent. The man who was passing over the bridge in order to make his passage secure by giving a word of caution to the mad man, shouted out 'Hullo, don't shake the bridge.' The result was that the mad man gave the bridge such a shake that the man tumbled into the river. Similarly the apprehensions that have been mentioned by Hon'ble Members will really remind the *ghee* dealers that something is going to happen with regard to all the *ghee* that is now stored in Calcutta, and they will do all they can to remove their *ghee* from the danger zone. I say all this because I do not think that these apprehensions that have been mentioned do not, in my opinion, constitute in themselves a reason why the Bill should be passed into law to-day.

The real points on which my difficulty arises are about one or two matters to which references has already been made by my friend, the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur. So far as the Bill is concerned, the first question that I would put to the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill is this, are we not spreading the net far too wide to exclude the possibility that the innocent will be enmeshed equally with the guilty? The law no doubt cannot mark out fine lines of distinction between the guilty and the innocent in all cases, but the legislature must always take care, in framing laws, to protect the innocent while punishing the guilty. Take for instance the case of exported *ghee* to which reference has already been made. We are dealing with *ghee* manufactured and stored in Calcutta. but what about bad *ghee* manufactured outside Calcutta and exported to Calcutta, which the tradesman receives quite innocently. buys honestly, and then when it turns out to be adulterated pays the penalty for the guilt of somebody else. Will the Hon'ble Member consider if the present Bill, as drafted, protects that class of persons? It is just possible that a contigency like that will arise. Secondly, my Lord, although the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar could not see his way to make a distinction between retail and wholesale dealers, that is also a point that ought to be borne in mind. It is just possible that a wholesale dealer may conceal his guilt cleverly, but the retail dealer who buys from him may nevertheless come within the meshes of the law. If possible, some provision should be made to protect this class of innocent dealers. Then, my Lord, as regards the analysts about whom. my friend, the Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sarkar, has spoken. It is urged that a large number of analysts will be required and that the Corporation should not grudge the additional expenditure that might be necessary; but will the employment of a large number of analysts in itself exclude the possibility of innocent men being prosecuted under the present law? These are the few points that struck me as what ought to be considered before the Bill is passed into law. I am speaking, my Lord, as if before a Select Committee. and I venture to be permitted to point out what appears

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to me something like obvious defects. If I withdraw my opposition to the passing of the Bill I do so with an easy conscience, because I comfort myself with the thought that the Bill has been drafted by one of the most skilful and erudite lawyers that we could get in India. I therefore appeal to him to consider if, while passing this Bill, he has not taken into consideration the various contingencies that may possibly arise whether he has not made sufficient provisions in the Bill to safeguard the innocent while punishing the guilty. If he is satisfied, I can rely safely on his judgment, and in that view of the matter, I withdraw my opposition to the passing of the Bill to-day."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"I have already said what I wanted to say about this Bill. I only want to see this Bill passed to-day."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I support the Hon'ble Member in charge in his endeavour to pass this Bill at this day's sitting and my reasons are these. The law to prevent the adulteration of foodstuff and the punishment to sell adulterated *ghee* is not a thing new to the country. At least there was a law in the year 1888 passed by the Bengal Council, and from that time to this there has been this law. Another Act, the Act of 1899, is being amended now and therefore it cannot be said that this matter has not had much consideration. Having discovered that the law is faulty in that it cannot punish the man who proposes to sell adulterated articles it is incumbent on us to give effect to the intention of the legislature of past days in framing the clauses relating to foods and drugs in the Municipal Act. If any Hon'ble Member has anything better to suggest then I am sure he will agree with us all in desiring that this Act should be amended in such a manner that the sale of adulterated *ghee* should not be permitted. If that be the intention then there is nothing to be gained by a delay. On the contrary. the result of the delay will be that this poisonous stuff in this city would be exported by the retail dealer for whom my Hon'ble friend has so much sympathy. One is glad to find that even the retail dealer has some one to speak for him, but considering the balance of convenience I think that much is to be gained by having the law passed at this day's sitting than having it postponed for a week. I know of a case where a Bill having been referred to a Select Committee so many questions arose that the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill had to say that the Bill could not be passed and that it must again go to the Government of India for their sanction over something or other. That is the case which happened in the case of the Hackney Carriage Bill last year. I am not saying that that will be the case with this Bill if it be referred to a Select Committee—it is a mere possibility—but we cannot say what time will be taken over this Bill. I therefore support the motion of the Hon'ble Member in charge."

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY said :—

"My Lord, like the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq when I came here this morning, I was for requesting the house to refer the Bill to a Select Committee and the reason for this was a matter of principle with me. I do consider that it is a bad principle to give assent to a Bill about which we knew nothing even 15 hours ago and on the details of which we have had no opportunity of taking the sense of our constituency. But after what has fallen from my friend the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem I am of opinion that the Bill should be passed to-day. Otherwise there is every chance of all the Calcutta stock being sent over to the mufassal. It will be a dangerous thing

to have the mufassal markets flooded with cheap adulterated *ghee* just before the *Pujas*. I therefore beg to support the motion."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, I think the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur mentioned one or two matters in regard to which I should like to say a few words. The Hon'ble Member desires that the question of the standardisation of *ghee* might be considered in Select Committee. That is one of the reasons why he would like a reference to a Select Committee. Now that arises with reference to the question of definition. Perhaps the Hon'ble Member has failed to notice that what we have defined is not *ghee* but adulterated *ghee*, *i.e.*, what constitutes adulteration. *Ghee* is supposed to be an ordinary well-known article of commerce with regard to which there is a standard already. We could not define that in our Bill nor have we attempted to define a standard of *ghee*, and as the Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sarkar has said, we may assume that the analyst when he analyzes any sample that is sent to him to find out whether it is adulterated or not, will have in mind the well-known article of commerce and food known as *ghee;* therefore, I do not think that any apprehension need be entertained with regard to this matter. There is another matter with regard to which both the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur and the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, seemed to lay some stress, *viz.*, the question of a possibly innocent retail dealer selling bad *ghee* without knowing that it is bad. As I said when asking for leave to introduce the Bill a cardinal point of the Bill is that you must make it penal to sell or store for sale *ghee* which is bad, irrespective of the question of knowledge. Without that, the Bill would be futile and we might just as well not have a Bill at all. But it is not as if we were legislating for the express purpose of making innocent vendors guilty. The effect of this legislation will be to require all vendors to take every precaution possible for the purpose of obtaining the pure article which he must proceed to sell the moment the Bill is passed into law. He can satisfy himself before he purchases his *ghee* by asking that the *ghee* which is going to be delivered to him should be submitted to analysis or the wholesale dealer who sells the *ghee* must, along with every tin that he sells, produce a certificate from an analyst without which the retail trader will refuse to accept the *ghee*. In other words, as I have endeavoured to explain, the Bill casts upon retail traders, quite as much as wholesale traders, the duty of satisfying themselves by every possible precaution that what they are dealing with and what they are going to sell to the public is not bad *ghee*. In this connection I would venture to remind Hon'ble Members of the provision in the Bill which lays down that a report sent by an analyst certified by the Chairman and employed by the Corporation for the purpose of analyzing *ghee*, shall be sufficient evidence of the result of such analysis, so that if the retail trader can produce a certificate to that effect which he either gets himself or gets his wholesale dealer to get from the analyst, he is perfectly safe. I know that it may be in some cases a hardship, but the hardship on the public is much greater, and in order to save a possible case where a man may, by reason of his own negligence, have bought adulterated *ghee* without knowledge, are we to expose the public to a practice which seems to be universally condemned? That is all I can say with regard to the assurance which my Hon'ble friend urges me to give for protecting innocent retail vendors. If the retail trader has been negligent, if he has not insisted upon such proof of the *ghee* being pure, as he ought to have insisted upon, he would come within the meshes of the law. My point is that without such a provision, the Bill will be absolutely useless. I will also remind Hon'ble Members that there are facilities for analysis in Calcutta to a very much larger extent than is supposed by some Hon'ble Members. There is not only one laboratory, the Municipal laboratory, there are also others which go in for analysis of such

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materials and are open to the public, and if there is a large number of analyses required, I daresay both the municipal laboratory and private laboratories like that of Smith Stanistreet & Co. will charge such reasonable fees as to put it within the reach of everybody. The man who wants pure *ghee* will have to pay the price of the article *plus* an additional charge for the analyst's fee, in order that they may have pure *ghee*. One other matter and that is this. Hon'ble Members will remember that in almost the very near future, by November next, we hope to introduce the larger Calcutta Municipal Bill. These provisions will again appear in that Bill and if in the practical working of these provisions during the next few months, Hon'ble Members find that it presses hard on any section of the public, it will be open to them to move for the purpose of amending these sections by the light of practical experience. Under these circumstances I again venture to put it to the Hon'ble Members as to whether it is worth while to refer this Bill to a Select Committee."

The motion was then put and agreed to.

Preamble.

The President then moved that the preamble form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 1.

The President moved that clause 1 form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 2.

The President moved that clause 2 form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 3.

The President moved that clause 3 form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 4.

The President moved that clause 4 form part of the Bill.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I wish to know with reference to this clause whether any retail shop-keeper or grocer who sells *ghee* along with cocoanut oil, mustard oil, etc., under this clause, if he has other food-stuffs in his shop, he will be deemed to have such a thing in possession which is capable of being adultered with *ghee*. What I mean is this, my Lord, that the *moodie* or retail shop-keeper who has purchased two tins of *ghee* and one or two tins of mustard oil or cocoanut oil and other food-stuffs is he to be deemed to have kept these articles in his shop for the purpose of mixing with *ghee*? In order to avoid the difficulty in such cases, would it be possible to provide in the Bill that the wholesale dealer shall be bound when selling *ghee* to retail dealers, to affix to every tin that he sells, a certificate or an indelible stamp from a recognised analyst, preferably from the analyst of the Corporation, that the *ghee* is of such proper stuff that it is pure *ghee*, whether some provision cannot be inserted in the Bill in order to safeguard the public as well as to provide as far as possible the innocent people who are simply earning some livelihood from this business in Calcutta. Notwithstanding all that has been said, I may observe that I still hold that with due regard to the principles of the Bill that this matter may be considered. It is not now possible to refer it to the Select Committee, but if any such provision can be inserted in the Bill, I hope the Hon'ble Member will do so."

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The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, I am not sure that I have followed my Hon'ble friend in regard to what he asks for. I understand that his proposal is that he would like us to insert a section or a clause which requires the wholesale dealer as opposed to the retail dealer to affix a certificate from an analyst spoken of in clause 10, sub-clause (*5*) of the Bill. I do not know that this has been suggested by anyone except my Hon'ble friend that we must have a certificate attached to it. After all he may not sell it in tins, he may sell it in some other kind of receptacle, he may sell it by the seer or by the maund without selling it in any particular kind of receptacle. How is he to affix the certificate in that case? The precaution should be taken by those who buy from these dealers and they must insist upon a certificate which relates to the *ghee* they are buying. It must be left to the good sense of the people to secure such guarantee and I do not think it is possible to amend this section, so as to prevent all possible cases of hardship."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"May I speak?"

The PRESIDENT said :—

"It is open to any Hon'ble Member to move an amendment to a clause if he wishes to do so."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Hon'ble friend, Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur, has referred to the unfortunate position of the *moodie*, who, of necessity, has to keep a stock of mustard oil and cocoanut oil with *ghee* and other articles in his shop for his customers. His is a shop and not a factory. But if there is an ill-judged prosecution based on a supposed presumption that those oils were kept for mixing with *ghee*, then the presumption can be rebutted if the *moodie* can prove that his business is not simply to sell *ghee*, but also mustard oil, cocoanut oil, etc., and that therefore he is bound to store those things. Certainly the Magistrate will exonerate him from the charge."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, what strikes me with regard to certificates of analyses is this. As regards clause 10, sub-clause (*5*), I think the idea is that the wholesale dealer shall have a certificate attached to vessels containing the *ghee*. Supposing, my Lord, the wholesale dealer has got 50 jars full of *ghee* and the analyst gives him a certificate for all the *ghee*. Supposing two of these jars are sold out and he substitutes them with two jars of adulterated *ghee*, what would happen in that case? The certificate will remain attached to the vessel, while the *ghee* inside may be as bad as any at the present day."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, he must prove, I take it, that the certificate relates to the *ghee* that he sells. It is a matter of evidence. It is not enough to produce some kind of certificate. The certificate must relate to the *ghee* which he sells."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"This is a matter of detail. There is a jar bearing a certificate stating that the *ghee* in the jar is good *ghee*. Supposing the contents of the jar are sold out and immediately the dealer puts in adulterated stuff and attaches the certificate. The certificate will show that the *ghee* inside the jar is good *ghee*. What would prevent him from doing this?"

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The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"The certificate presumes that when the analysis was made of the *ghee*, there was no foreign substance in it. If something has come in subsequently, some one must be responsible for putting it in and we must hold the seller responsible."

The PRESIDENT (addressing the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur) said :—

"Does the Hon'ble Member wish to move an amendment to this clause ?"

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"No, I do not wish to move an amendment ; I simply wish to draw the attention of the Hon'ble Member to the difficulty."

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 5.

The President moved that clause 5 form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 6.

The President moved that clause 6 form part of the Bill.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Clause 7.

The President moved that clause 7 form part of the Bill.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I would ask whether the provisions of sections 502 and 503 can apply to any *ghee* in the course of transit *to* Calcutta. The Bill refers only to *ghee* in course of transit *in* Calcutta."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"I pointed out to my Hon'ble friend that this was intentionally done, as we were not legislating for limits outside Calcutta. It was only meant to apply to *ghee* when it is in Calcutta itself. *Ghee*, when it is in course of transit *to* Calcutta, say over the Howrah Bridge, cannot be touched."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"I am confronted with this difficulty—am I to understand that if there is a consignment of a waggon load at Howrah station of bad *ghee*, nothing can be inserted in the Bill, without the sanction of the Government of India, to prevent that consignment coming to Calcutta."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"With regard to Howrah, I may point out that this Bill when passed may be extended to Howrah by notification. Until that is done, even a waggon load in Howrah cannot be seized.

The Hon'ble MR. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"Does that include any private person bringing in adulterated *ghee* for his own consumption ? Will he be prosecuted under section 502 ?"

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"It is intended to apply to *ghee* for sale only. As a matter of fact section 503 does refer only to articles exposed or hawked about for sale or deposited in or brought to any place for the purpose of sale or for the preparation of such articles as aforesaid."

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his name to the list ; and in order to present the usual balance of party, I would, at the same time, add the name of the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming. He has personal experience of the district of Midnapore, and will be a most useful Member of the Committee.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY said :—

" My Lord, the Bill before us is not quite so innocent or innocuous, as it has been sought to be made out. In fact it is perhaps one of the most contentious measures that have ever been brought up for discussion in this House. In the first place, it is a direct attack upon the dwindling privileges of the landholding classes. In the second place, it reserves to the executive the right to extend its provisions to any class or community, which I take it, may or may not be aboriginal in origin, but may be deemed to be so for the purposes of the Bill. The Hon'ble Member in charge has stated that these simple aboriginal folks, unless they are protected against themselves, are in great danger of losing their ancestral lands. That may be so. But I think that in protecting the aboriginal raiyat against himself, care should also be taken that the rights of the zamindars are not lightly interfered with. As a matter of fact, I find that wherever the provisions of the Bill will be extended, there will be almost an utter negation of the rights of the landlords. And in this view the proposed legistation will be in complete contravention of the provisions of the Permanent Settlement. Section 49J seeks to take away the landlord's absolute right of re-settlement upon surrender or abandonment of tenancies, and invests the Collector with the same. Section 49H seeks to arm the Collector with powers to set aside all improper settlements or transfers. All over the Bill, it is the Collector who has been clothed in summary authority ; and the only important privilege that will be left to the landlords seems to be that of paying Government revenue.

As for the humanitarian aspect of the Bill, I find it impossible to ascertain the class or community in whose interest it is being undertaken, and cannot therefore make out how far it is a necessary measure. The framers of the Bill have, in their wisdom, left the determination of this question quietly in the hands of the executive. They are not prepared to define the word 'aboriginal.' because, perhaps they have not confidence enough in their draftsmanship to think that they can so define it, as to leave no scope for litigation with regard to its meaning. The device adopted may be very convenient, but it cannot have our approval. We want to know the widest possible extent to which the executive may stretch the term 'aboriginal.' It may be that it is not at present proposed to give all the aboriginal classes the benefit of this legislation. But a quixotic member of the executive may in some future time take it into his head to extend the provisions of the Bill, to such people who cannot be included within the term 'aboriginal' by any stretch of imagination. Although the term 'aboriginal' may have a sense of reproach about it, the Bill makes it abundantly clear in section 49A, that any body of persons to whom the provisions of the Bill are declared to be applicable will be deemed to be aboriginal, only for the purposes of the special protection and indulgence which the proposed legislation seeks to afford, but need not be aboriginal in fact. This being so, it will make even the " Koolin " Brahmin aspire to be declared an 'aboriginal,' and thus get the better of the landlord. And in certain cases, a declaration like this will be quite as highly prized as a 'Jagir.' My Lord, I am prepared to bet that we have got a humourist, may be an unconscious humourist, in the Legislative Department. How else can one account for such a Pickwickian provision in the present Bill ? My Lord, in view of the fact that this Bill, if passed into law, will lead to a serious encroachment upon the status and powers of the landlord, we desire that it may be postponed pending an

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inquiry by a mixed committee of officials and non-officials as to the area where and the particular people to whom any such protective measure should apply. We expect to know definitely from such an inquiry, if the situation justifies any such legislative interference, and to what extent, if at all, the zamindar should be called upon to surrender his rights. An opportunity should also be given to the various representative associations and landholders to express their views upon the subject. I am sorry I cannot agree to the Bill being referred to a Select Committee in its present shape."

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY said :—

"My Lord, candidly speaking I am not much in favour of any patchwork legislation of the kind now before the Council. The present Tenancy Act is full of omissions, inequities and defects which require even more prompt consideration than the matter which the present Bill has under contemplation. In fact what is now really wanted is that we should enter fully into the grievances of the zamindars and the raiyats and take up a legislation which will meet, in a satisfactory manner, the present day requirements of all concerned. However the present Bill is a move in the right direction, and as such it has my hearty support, but there are a few points connected with it, which, I think, I should bring to the notice of the Council at this stage. First of all, I am sorry to say, there is an extreme vagueness about a very important matter of the Bill. It is about the definition of the word 'aboriginal.' In fact the administration of the whole Act will depend on this, consequently it is imperative that a clear and comprehensive definition of the word should be embodied in the Bill. This is also necessary to enable the zamindars to use their discretion in granting leases to their new tenants.

The next thing which strikes me as an innovation in this Bill is the introduction of revenue officers to discharge the functions of a Civil Court. The Bengal Tenancy Act is mainly administered by the Civil Courts under the guidance of the Honourable High Court. Under the circumstances, the proposed innovation, I am afraid, is sure to be objectionable to many. In the provinces where there is a system of periodical settlement of land revenue, it is perhaps necessary that the revenue officers should be in close touch with the affairs of land, but in Bengal this is quite unnecessary, and I hope that particular attention will be given to this aspect of the Bill.

My Lord, this Bill offers a splendid opportunity of bringing the zamindar into a closer touch with his tenants and also of utilising his services to the advantage of every one concerned. The Bill provides that an aboriginal raiyat under certain circumstances may mortgage his holding with a non-aboriginal with the permission of the Collector : instead of sending the raiyat to him at the first instance if he is made to take his zamindar's permission, I think his case would receive a much more careful consideration at the hands of his zamindar than at those of an unknown sub-deputy collector who is likely to act for the Collector in these matters. It, however, might be provided that if the raiyat is not satisfied with the decision of the zamindar he may refer the matter to the Court. I think this consideration on the part of the Government will not only foster a sense of responsibility in the zamindars but will also serve the purpose of the legislation more satisfactorily.

My Lord, there is another serious question which is involved in this Bill : it is that of the encroachment on the rights and privileges enjoyed by the zamindars from time immemorial. The zamindars have all along exercised their free will in making settlement of abandoned holdings in their zamindaries, but there is a provision in this Bill which necessitates a previous sanction of the Collector before the zamindar can resettle a

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holding abandoned by an aboriginal raiyat. This is not only an unnecessary encroachment on our rights, but if given effect to, will cause undue delay in making settlement of abandoned holdings and will thus involve a considerable loss of money.

My Lord, in this connection I should, in fairness to the zamindars, protest against some unhappy remarks regarding them in the notes on this provision of the Bill. I beg to refer to paragraph 8 of the notes. It runs as follows :—'This is new, but experience shows that provisions regarding the prohibition or restriction of transfer are defeated by so-called surrenders or abandonments. Provision is therefore made for making the resettlement of such lands by the landlord subject to the approval of the Collector.' It is evidently presumed here that in order to frustrate the good and benevolent intention of the Government the zamindar will stoop so low as to conspire with his raiyats. It is suggested that after a consideration money has been received by the aboriginal he will make a so-called surrender of his holding to the landlord who in return will perhaps receive some fees and resettle it with the person who has paid the consideration money. My Lord, this is a very low and mistaken estimation of the character of the zamindars of Bengal. It is a pity that this sentiment should find a place in an official statement before the Council. I should further say that it is an ill-advised policy to rely on experiences gained in other parts of India. Bengal zamindars are very different from the class of people who are known as zamindars in those parts. Here in Bengal we have a permanent interest in the land as well as in our raiyats. To us the welfare of our raiyats is a matter of vital importance and we safeguard their interests with a much greater care than it can ever be expected to be done by a junior Sub-Deputy Collector set up over our heads. My Lord, in whatever shape the Bill is finally brought up before the House, I trust that due consideration will be shown for the dignity and prestige of the zamindars of Bengal."

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

" My Lord, I am sorry to complain that the members of this Council have not been favoured with any papers justifying the introduction of this Bill in Council. Surely there are official papers on this subject, and we find in paragraph 3 of the Statement of Objects and Reasons that the present Bill is mainly the outcome of an inquiry instituted by Government into the condition of these tribes, particularly in the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, and to a certain extent based on the information derived during the settlement proceedings. The result leaves no room for doubt that special legislation to protect backward tribes against their own countrymen is ultimately necessary. I appreciate the motive and I agree that the Government should come forward and do something for the backward classes. Well, I am not wanting in sympathy with the zamindars, and do not think that they should lose their rights, but the paramount power has some duty towards these people who are called 'aboriginal'—a term of contempt,—who none the less require some special protection from Government. Before any legislative measure is launched and the consent of the members of Council is asked for, I think they are entitled to know the exact facts which necessitated the introduction of this measure in this Council. I think that is a very fair demand, as these facts are not official secrets which ought to be kept back from the public. That is the difficulty in considering this matter at this stage.

Then, Sir, there is the expression 'aboriginal' in this Bill which requires some light. To my mind, the word 'aboriginal' would denote persons who are semi-civilised, and who have not as fully developed as their neighbours and who are dominated probably by the others. There may be

some vague description of the word 'aboriginal,' but there is no reason why the Bill should not embody a proper and accurate description of the word. Otherwise, after this Bill is passed into law, at some future date the revenue authorities might think of extending the operations of this Act to a tract which really does not call for it. It would be a great hardship probably to these people, too, if this Act is applied to them, and there would be no opportunity for them to ventilate their grievances, and it is right that the public should have their rights and the limitations thereof defined in the Legislative Council before a proposed enactment is passed into law. I am aware that there are precedents for the course to be adopted, that is, an extension of a legislative measure by an order of the Governor, by rules framed by the Government. They are very common ; none the less they are dangerous to the rights of the people. I think that we are nearing the time when everybody's rights should be defined by enactment of the legislature, and not left to the judgment of the executive Government. I have nothing further to say, my Lord, on the present occasion."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My Lord, as a representative of the landlords' interest, I think it my duty to make a few observations with regard to some of the provisions of the Bill which, in my judgment require consideration. The first point about which I wish to make a few observations is the omission to define the word 'aboriginal'. I fully appreciate the difficulty which perhaps stands in the way of the Hon'ble Mr. Beatson Bell, but I may suggest this to my friend that omission to define the word does not get rid of the difficulty. If there is no definition the question may be argued and argued very strongly for hours and hours together that a certain notification of this Government is *ultra vires* because it may be contended that, according to the dictionary meaning of the word 'aboriginal,' certain 'Sonthals', for example, whom this notification may seek to include, are not included, at any rate in many districts. According to the dictionary meaning of the word 'aboriginal' it means people found in the country at the time of the earliest settlement. According to that, my Lord, with the exception perhaps of my friend the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan, every Indian member of this Council present here is an aboriginal, but the Sonthal in a particular district is not an aboriginal. It is of the utmost importance that in framing our Bills, we should frame them in such a way that they may be open to as little contention as possible. Now, there is another aspect of the case as regards the opening portion of the Bill, and it is this. I have no doubt that the object of my friend is to protect those whom according to our clear general notion we know to be aboriginals, but we know also that Sonthals, for example from Chota Nagpur and Sonthal Parganas, have migrated to the different districts ; they first of all come as labourers and then acquire land, and we should like to know whether the object of the Bill is to include these Sonthals who have settled in other places subsequently. It may be those that hereafter by notification different tribes mentioned in the Census report may be included. There, again, the question would perhaps come up for consideration of Courts as to whether the Act would apply to these tribes wherever they may be in this Presidency of Bengal. These are considerations which I ask my hon'ble friend to consider, not in any spirit of hostility, but because, although I am a representative of landholders, I consider that it is the duty of all landlords to be just to their tenants, and it is their further duty with regard to those tenants who cannot protect their own interests, but at the same time it is desirable that every possibility of litigation should be avoided as much as possible. Then, my Lord, there is another aspect of the Bill to which I should make a reference, and that is with regard to section 49 (J). Under that provision is it suggested that the right of settling

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or otherwise dealing with a tenancy shall be deemed to be vested in the landlord subject to the approval of the Collector? Under the law as it at present stands, the right of settlement is with the landlord. If the landlord oppresses or does anything wrong which calls for interference, no doubt such interference would be perfectly legitimate. But is it right that the ordinary rights of the landlord should be taken away when it has not been proved that he is in the wrong? My suggestion is that there should be a provision in the Bill by which the Collector should have the power to interfere when necessity arises, but not that the landlord should have to go to the Collector in every instance. It will mean increase of correspondence and also interference of petty officers both of the zamindars and the Collector, and it will not tend to harmonious relations between the tenant and the landlord on the one hand, and the landlord and the Collector on the other. Then, my Lord, there is another general but important remark which I have to make, and that is about taking away the jurisdiction of the Civil Court. It may be necessary to protect the interest of these backward classes, but that protection may be afforded if a provision like this be made that in all cases of sales of lands of aboriginals, the decree-holder will be bound to give notice to the Collector, then the Collector will make an enquiry, and in such cases the Collector will always proceed in the ordinary way by employing his own men so that the rights of these classes are protected. Although the object of the Bill may be good, it is often dangerous to interfere with the ordinary law of the country. These are remarks which I have made not in a spirit of hostility to the Bill, but in a spirit that the Bill may not lead to contentions and defeat its own object by unhappy drafting."

The Hon'ble MR. BEATSON BELL said :—

"My Lord, I have little to say at this stage regarding the various criticisms to which we have listened. The points which have been urged are all points which may very suitably be placed before the Select Committee, in particular the discussions as to the true meaning of the word 'aboriginal.' If any workable suggestion is made, I am sure the Committee will be glad to consider it. I can say at once that there is not the slightest intention on the part of Government (either the present Government or any future Government) to declare that the *bhadralok* castes or the Muhammadan community are 'aboriginals.' The aboriginal is practically synonymous with non-Aryan. The Bill, as the critics are well aware, is intended for non-Aryan tribes and for them alone. As regards other criticisms they all amount to this, that the Collector has been given too much power and the landlords too little. The answer is simple. If the landlords in the past had carried out their moral duties and had seen that the aboriginals were retained in their ancestral fields, there would have been no occasion for this Bill. It is because it has been demonstrated by evidence that far too many landlords (some of them absentees) have done nothing to prevent the alienation of aboriginal holdings, that we have finally decided that it is our duty to protect these poor people by setting up a machinery which will be effective. The Select Committee will examine each part of the machinery and will improve it where improvement is required. I have nothing further to add at this stage."

The motion was then put in the following form and agreed to—

"that the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1917, be referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Beatson Bell, the Hon'ble Mr. Stevenson-Moore, the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming, the Hon'ble Mr. Bompas, the Hon'ble Mr. Panton, the Hon'ble Raja Hrishikesh Laha, the Hon'ble the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of

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Burdwan, the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem, the Hon'ble Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri and the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur, with instructions to circulate their report in time for its presentation in Council at a meeting to be held in November next."

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 3.

RESOLUTION.

The following resolution stood in the name of the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that shorthand writers be appointed, as early as practicable, in all Sessions Courts, to take down the charge as delivered by the Sessions Judge to the Jury."

He said :—

"My Lord, this resolution, perhaps your Excellency will remember it, was postponed at the July meeting of the Legislative Council to await the opinion of the High Court. This opinion has, I understand, been received by your Excellency's Government. I am not quite prepared to go on with this resolution at this stage. I should like to have a talk with the Hon'ble Member in charge regarding this resolution. I pray that it may be postponed to the next meeting of the Council."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"The Hon'ble Member asks for postponement of this resolution on the ground that the subject-matter of it has been a matter of discussion between the Government and the High Court. I understand that a communication has recently been received from the High Court on the subject and that that communication requires consideration. In these circumstances, I am prepared to grant the postponement to the next meeting of the Council."

The resolution was accordingly postponed.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM NO. 4.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY moved the following resolution :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a board, consisting of official and non-official members, be formed for the purpose of advising Government in matters connected with primary and secondary education in the Presidency."

He said :—

"My Lord, in April 1913 in my speech in this Council on the budget estimates for 1913-14 I suggested the advisability of establishing an Education Board and a Sanitary Board consisting of official and non-official members for the purpose of advising Government not only on educational and sanitary problems but also on the proper expenditure of the Provincial and Imperial grants on education and sanitation. I then said that with the large grants, both from the Provincial revenue and from the Government of India

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for sanitation and education, with the larger responsibility thrown upon the Provincial Governments, it was necessary that there should be an advisory board to help Government in the proper expenditure thereof. At present the Director of Public Instruction is practically the sole and final advisor of Government in all matters relating to education. He is responsible not only for the management of Government schools and colleges but also for the distribution of the Government grants to all institutions and their inspection, and is responsible in working out all schemes for the encouragement and management of education in the Presidency. He is practically the adviser of the Government as regards the study of subjects for the primary and secondary schools except for the Matriculation standard. A single man, however able and energetic he may be, cannot be expected to do everything, and a great part of the duty with regard to primary and secondary education has devolved upon subordinate officers from the Divisional Inspectors of schools to the Inspecting pundit. I think it proper to place certain facts and figures relating to the state of primary and secondary education of this Presidency in order to show the necessity for the proposed board. From the quinquennial review of the progress of education in India for 1907—12 it appears that only 21·5 per cent. of the boys of school-going age throughout India are in the primary schools, while one in 56 boys of school-going age is in the secondary stage of an English school, while for Bengal (Western Bengal and Bihar) the figures are 25·5 for boys in primary schools and one for boys in secondary schools. For Eastern Bengal and Assam the figures are 25·3 for boys in primary schools and 1 in 41 for boys in secondary schools. A comparison of the figures for Madras and Bombay show that 27·1 and 30 per cent., respectively, of the boys of school-going age are in primary schools, while even in distant Coorg 27·2 per cent. of the boys are in primary schools. As regards secondary education 1 in 24 of the boys of school-going age is in the secondary stage of an English school in Bombay. From the report of the Director of Public Instruction for the year 1913-14 for Bengal, it appears that 28 per cent. of the boys of school-going age were receiving primary instruction, and although the figures for the Bengal Presidency exclude the low figures for the Chota Nagpur, Assam and other backward tracts, the figures for which used to be included in the old Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam figures, the percentage of students receiving primary instructions is less than that of Bombay, which includes Sindh. This shows that the advance of education in Bengal is not so great as one generally supposes.

True it is that in the figures for 1915-16, the latest figures available, the percentage of students to the total number of population of school-going age in primary schools is 30 per cent., which shows a decided improvement over the figures for the quinquennial period 1907-08, but a detailed examination of the statistics shows that this has been due not to the efforts of Government but to those of the managers of private schools: Let me quote here some figures from the report of the Director of Public Instruction for the years 1913-14 and 1915-16 :—

	Under Government.		Under Local Bodies.		Private schools in receipt of aid from Government or Local bodies.		Unaided private schools.	
	1913-14.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1915-16.	1913-14.	1915-16
Primary schools—								
Number of schools	181	191	2,404	2,528	27,704	32,180	4,235	5,218
Number of students	7,496	7,600	112,725	131,471	859,486	1,034,274	105,868	131,077
Secondary schools—								
Number of schools . ..	55	56	92	92	1,413	1,506	880	934
Number of students	15,787	16,909	9,337	9,580	171,681	188,746	151,102	172 259

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It will be seen that while during the two years there has been an increase of ten primary schools and one secondary school under Government, there has been an increase of 5,480 primary schools and 117 secondary schools under private management.

During 1915-16 Government spent Rs. 12,51,166 on secondary schools, the local bodies Rs. 2,53,540, while Rs. 11,29,859 were met from private contributions and endowments out of a total expenditure of Rs. 80,13,685, that is, of the total amount spent on secondary education, Government contributed 15·5 per cent. and private funds 14 per cent., and the rest is schooling fees. As regards primary education it appears that Government spent Rs. 3,77,287, the local bodies Rs. 16,45,608. and Rs. 4,45,318 were contributed from private sources, out of a total expenditure of Rs. 43,02,970, that is, Government only met 8·7 per cent. of the cost of primary education, whereas private contribution supplied 10·4 per cent. of the cost. This is exclusive of schooling fees paid by boys.

My Lord, I am sorry to state that the general attitude of executive officers of the Educational Department, I mean inspectors and deputy inspectors and their subordinates, is far from what it should be in their encouragement of primary and secondary schools. The rules framed by Government also do not help the course of action. Numerous are the instances in which members, both of the Covenanted Civil Service and Provincial Civil Service, both executive and judicial, have taken warm interest in the cause of primary and secondary education in the mufassal, and have by their active interest been able to materially help the cause of such education. I am sorry I cannot say the same thing with reference to officers of the Education Department. They go to a mufassal school not with a view how best to help the school and the school authorities, but in a carping and fault-finding spirit. Instances are rare in which an Inspector or a Deputy inspector of schools has tried to co-operate with the public in raising money for a school starving for lack of funds, or which is not in a position to comply with the new University Regulations. Instances are rare in which an Inspector or a Deputy inspector of schools has exerted his influence with Government to help such institutions. They may be very good professors in colleges, they may be very honest and hard-working officers, but they are either weak enough or they are in lifferent to what seems to me their primary duty as an inspecting officer of the Education Department. It may be that they think that it is safer to show the Government a huge surplus in Government grants than to spend the same. They never try to get more schools established, their work is more destructive than constructive. They do not appear to have any great sympathy with the people. Far from taking the initiative in a matter conducive to the educational advancement of the people, they have even no proper appreciation of the difficulties which the authorities of the privately managed schools in the mufassal have to contend against. They fail to realise that the privately managed schools, whether aided or unaided, form the backbone of the educational system of the country, and the disappearance of an existing school for want of funds in a mufassal station affects not only the education of the people there, but is the cause of spreading discontent which it is the duty of Government to guard against. The progress of education at the present time depends on the bettering of the condition of the primary and secondary schools in the Presidency. It is useless to spend large sums of money on University education unless the primary and secondary education upon which the University education is founded be well and truly laid.

Then as regards the Government grant-in-aid rules. What are we to say of a rule which lays down that aided schools will not be able to admit more than 5 per cent. of Hindu boys and 8 per cent. of Muhammadan boys as free students in a school, though admission of a larger number of free students do not as a rule cost the Government or the school authorities a single

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additional pie and though such admission means education to a larger number of boys. Under the said rules of secondary schools in Bengal the annual maintenance grants shall not exceed one-half of the income guaranteed from private sources except in backward districts where the grant may be equal to two-thirds of the income from private sources, while for middle schools the rules allow an increased proportion of Government grant. In Bombay the rules ordinarily allow a grant not exceeding one-half of the local assets, or one-third of the total expenditure during previous official year, while provision is made for supplementary grant if the ordinary grant is not sufficient. In the United Provinces the rules lay down that the amount of the annual grant shall not exceed the income of the school from tuition fees and private sources, or one-half of the amount of the annual tuitional expenditure. In the Punjab the amount of aid depends on the number of pupils in average attendance in schools. It thus appears that in other provinces the rules allow a more liberal system of grants-in-aid than in Bengal. I have not with me the statistics to show whether the other local Governments are able to act according to their rules in the distribution of Government grants, but I have shown that your Lordship's Government have not been able to approach to anything near the limit imposed by the grant-in-aid rules in case of secondary schools, although during the four years, *i.e.*, from 1912-13 to 1915-16, the Government of India were able to allow Imperial grants of large amounts for purposes of education. But we have seen the disappearance of many secondary schools, as authorities of these schools were not able to find the sum required for the necessary improvements demanded by the University, and the Government did not come to their help. There is another important fact which ought to be pointed out. Though as I have said under the Government grant-in-aid rules for secondary schools in Bengal the annual maintenance grant shall not exceed one-half of the income guaranteed from private sources, that is, it should not exceed one-third of the total expenditure, yet the average actual grant by Government comes to about one-sixth of such expenditure. To the majority of the schools of this Presidency, the large grants from the Imperial Government or from the Local Governments in aid of primary and secondary education seem to be a mere delusion. In the Government schools the cost of educating a student of a secondary school is about Rs. 44 per annum, while in a primary school it is Rs. 12-9-8. In board primary schools the total cost of educating a student is about Rs. 4-5. In aided institutions, however, the cost of educating a student of secondary school is Rs. 21, and in primary schools it is Rs. 3-1. But even with regard to efficiency it should be noted that so far as regards education is concerned, the authorities of schools or colleges under private management can secure the same class of men as are in Government schools at a less cost. I think the evidence given before the Public Services Commission has shown that private authorities are at an advantage on this point. It would, therefore, be advisable for cheapness' sake to assist the existing schools which are under private management. We find the following important admission in the Report on Public Instruction in Bengal for 1915-16: "The general condition of secondary education is bad . . . Government schools which are supposed to be models are scarcely up to, in some cases below, the standard of the better aided schools".

I have stated the above facts to show what in my opinion are the defects in the existing system. These defects ought to be remedied. This can be done by a Board of Education which will inspire the confidence of the public and which will be able to appreciate the difficulties as well as properly estimate the views of the school authorities.

I have so far discussed the subject of primary and secondary education from the financial point of view as this is the most important of all. The courses of study or the different stages of the secondary and primary schools

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are matters which require careful handling. A few years ago, a Director of Public Instruction, although a great student of chemistry, but who had never had any experience of any mufassal school, by a single stroke of his pen changed the whole course for the classes of primary and secondary schools as he wanted to transform the students of Bengal into practical scientists and boys of 7 or 8 years of age were forced to commit to memory pages from science readers enforced in schools by his orders without understanding a word of them.

The selection of text-books for the schools is done by the Text-book Committee, and there is no doubt a most excellent set of rules to guide it. And the inspecting officers of the educational department are very careful in their scrutiny of books in use in schools and they have even recommended different sets of books for different districts. One will be surprised to hear but nevertheless it is a fact that a book which can be used as a text-book in Howrah might not be used as a text-book in Calcutta. Suspension of Government grant-in-aid is the result in case of breach of such rules."

The Hon'ble MR. BEATSON BELL (interrupting) said :—

" My Lord, is all this in order ?"

The PRESIDENT said :—

" I do not think the Hon'ble Member is out of order, though I will ask him to keep as closely to the motion as he can. I recognise that a certain measure of freedom must be allowed in discussing a question which raises such wide issues."

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRANATH RAY continued :—

" The entire curriculum of the lower secondary and primary classes as at present in vogue requires thorough overhauling, and the manner in which these things have been managed by Government during the last few years has not inspired the confidence of the public. A board adequately representing all the different interests concerned would be able to advise Government both in its educational policy and scholastic management in a manner that would not be possible by any other agency.

The Government of the United Provinces have recently established an Education Board, and I move your Lordship's Government to establish one in the Presidency.

By way of suggestion I can only say that in the proposed board the representatives of local bodies and also non-official gentlemen who have got experience of the management of private schools in the mufassal, both aided and unaided, ought to be represented.

My Lord, I must admit that even in England, as regards primary and secondary education, the State has only slowly stepped into its proper place, more slowly than in the case of any other of the leading European countries. Even in the beginning of the nineteenth century there was no system whatever of elementary education in England and Wales. It is said that many endowments had been created, various societies raised considerable sums annually for the purposes of instruction, the clergy and ministers in many parts of the country were zealously promoting schools according to their different ideals, but there was no relation between the different bodies, no test of their work and no control over them, if they failed in the performance of it. It was known that the elementary instruction given was very defective and that the foundations of many pious benefactors were in many cases badly administered. In 1816 Henry Brougham (afterwards Lord Brougham) moved for a Select Committee of the House of Commons to inquire into 'the education of the lower orders'. He introduced a Bill for the appointment of

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a Royal Commission to enquire into educational charities existing in England and Wales:

But the dealings of the State with education have in Scotland a much larger history than in England. National education in England is about 45 years old, it is more than two centuries old in Scotland, and even before the Statute of 1896 established a school in every Scottish parish, the education of the people had been the subject of discussion both in Council, in Parliament and in the Assembly of the Church.

The defects in the educational system are obvious and are largely due not only to want of funds, but I think to a not very proper distribution of the same. I do not say that a Board of Education is the panacea for all the defects complained of, but I have every reason to believe that the establishment of such a board will be productive of real good to the country. If this board proves to be a success I hope the Government will be pleased to make it a board for the administration of primary and secondary education in this Presidency. The questions of primary and secondary education of the country are the burning questions of the day in which the rich and the poor, specially the poor, are vitally interested. It is necessary that Government should take the people into their confidence and consult and act according to their wishes, whenever possible, in allotment of grants both by the Imperial Government and the Local Government. Grants-in-aid to primary and secondary schools, curriculum of studies in primary and secondary schools, text-books to be used in schools, female education, industrial education of the Presidency are important questions which require a permanent board for their consideration. The school authorities have got their grievances, and there is now no authority where such grievances can be properly weighed and considered. Unlike England here the path of the Government is clear. We have not here any ecclesiastical or nonconformist party, as in England, with whom there is any chance of coming into conflict. The educated community wants to co-operate with Government and to be largely associated in the government of the country. They want to be of real assistance in solving the educational problem. If there is one subject in which more than another the people expect the sympathy of the Government it is with regard to matters connected with education, and it will not be a great concession if the Government were to accede to their reasonable demand.

It is not a very satisfactory state of things that Government by contributing 8·7 per cent. of the entire cost of primary education and 15·5 per cent. of the entire cost of secondary education should have the monopoly of all power, while the people who contribute 91·3 per cent. of the cost of primary education and 84·5 per cent. of secondary education should be merely the idle spectators of the scene."

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY said:—

"My Lord, the very modest resolution which has been moved by my hon'ble friend Babu Surendranath Ray but faintly represents the deep-seated desire in the popular mind to associate non-official opinion with the more important branches of public administration. I am sure the hon'ble mover would have pitched his demand a little higher with alacrity, and sought for the transfer of the functions of the Department of Public Instruction *en bloc* to a Board of Education, if only it were possible to bring about the same without a fundamental change in the constitution of Government. What the public demand is nothing less than that the control of such departments of Government as Education, Sanitation and Local Self-Government must no longer be vested in individual officials, but should be exercised by a Board or Committee on which public opinion should be well represented. My Lord, we hope that we are within quite a measurable distance of very substantial reforms; but so long as we do not get them actually, it is our bounden duty to try and

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liberalise the departments of Government to such extent as may be possible under existing circumstances. By so doing, we will only be paving the way for larger reforms and making them appear less 'catastrophic' to the official vision.

As matters stand at present, there is next to nothing to temper the autocratic authority of the Director of Public Instruction; and it is a reproach on us that we have tolerated this state of things so long. The determined policy of Government for sometime seems to have been to relegate the Indian element in the Department of Education to a back seat, and allow a monopoly of control to the European officers. As an instance, I may refer to the fact that while the number of inspecting officers of the department has steadily gone up during the last few years, the proportion of Indians holding independent divisional charge has almost dwindled to nothing. Things were otherwise some time before, when a definite number of divisional inspectorships and other high offices were practically reserved for Indians. To-day while the chief of the department is a European—though, it may be, with great and varied experience—his lieutenants to whom he looks for advice cannot claim to represent Indian views. The department has thus been gradually divorced of the benefit of Indian thought and experience; and if the process goes on unchecked for some time, the Director of Public Instruction will have to glory in a complete isolation from all that is Indian.

My Lord, I shall not conceal from this Council the distrust and want of sympathy with which the public regard the Department of Education. It is an open charge against it that in the name of efficiency it has not allowed a legitimate expansion of primary and secondary education in the country. It is a patent fact at any rate that the expansion in this direction has not been commensurate with the increase in expenditure. What will your Lordship think of a famine-worker who adopts as his principle that it is better to let people famish than feed them with anything but the very best quality of rice? Our grievance against the Department of Education is that it does not realise the poverty of India and the extreme urgency of a wider diffusion of education. Costly and complicated standards have been set up which go against the very grain and spirit of the Indian nation. Buildings, equipment and inspection engage larger attention and absorb larger funds than commonsense can approve of, and any substantial increase in number, either of schools or of school population, is regarded as a thing almost verging on indecency. This is unfortunately the general impression in the country

My Lord, the department has in short grown too aristocratic, too expensive, too alien, too efficiency-maniac to suit us any more. I do not know how far a merely advisory board will be able to work a transformation. But the present resolution, though it does not go far enough, embodies the very least that ought to be immediately done by way of an instalment of a very necessary reform."

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN said :—

"My Lord, the facts and figures given by my hon'ble friend reveal a deplorable state of affairs in the sphere of education in this province. This is not the proper occasion, nor is it the proper place to assail the policy of the Government with regard to educational matters. The Local Governments have not the power nor have they the means at their disposal to strike out a new line of action independent of the views of the Imperial Government. The India Government has been devoting special attention to the cause of education, and we still hope that some steps will be taken which will uplift the people from a condition of sloth and ignorance that prevails in the country. But it does not follow that the Local Governments cannot or should not exercise greater energy and circumspection in order to raise

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the level and increase the sphere of education. The object of my hon'ble friend's resolution is to create a board to assist the Government in discharging their proper function in this matter. It is not a new idea. Nearly all civilised Governments have found it to be a necessary and indispensable element for the development of education. Official management is a good thing and serves a very useful purpose so long as the people themselves are not in a position to take any part in it. But the cause of education cannot flourish unless it becomes a matter of national concern. Government departments can and do work with all the best intentions in the world. They discharge their duties efficiently in accordance with the principles laid down for their guidance. But they still remain somehow impervious to new ideas, indifferent to the new aspirations of the people, and sometimes ignorant of their new requirements. It is in order to remedy this defect in the system that a leaven of public opinion and popular control is necessary. My hon'ble friend has hinted at a dark conspiracy amongst the inspectors and deputy inspectors of schools to impede the progress of education in this country. That I am sure is not the case These much-abused Government servants are as much the victims of a vicious system as we ourselves. We must, if we want a change in their attitude and behaviour, remove the poison from the source from which they derive their strength and inspiration. And for that purpose the people of the land must have a controlling voice in the application of the sums at the disposal of the Government for promoting public education. In Bengal such power of control does already exist, but to a degree and in a manner which probably is not quite effective and useful. My hon'ble friend has said that the 'part taken by Government in the education of the people is comparatively small and the public and the local bodies as well as private charities may reasonably claim to have taken a substantial share in fostering education in this country.' If that be so, then the official victim of my friend's non-official temper will probably wonder what was the reason of that tirade against him. He may even feel some disappointment for not having his share of credit for so admirable an achievement. I am not prepared to argue with my friend or his official victim on this point. The fact remains that in Bengal the people by their own exertions have fostered the growth of education. But Government grants and official supervision do play an important part in the educational effort of the province. And the grants and the power of supervision have that place in the scheme of education that the will of the Government and not the will of the people has become the more effective and important factor. It is for the purpose of strengthening, regulating or controlling the will of the Government, as the case may be, that the creation of a board has been thought to be desirable. Much depends on the nature and composition of such a Board; and on these I venture to offer some criticisms. In Bengal—I do not know of other provinces—the Muhammadans, on account of their backward condition, have been receiving a special treatment at the hands of the Government. Rightly or wrongly they insist on that. In fact, some time ago a Board was appointed for making recommendations in order to give effect to this policy of special treatment. I cannot imagine any possible arrangement except the one that at present prevails, by which either in the composition of the Board or by a rigid definition of its powers the interests of the Muhammadans as understood by them can be properly safeguarded. The Board would necessarily supersede the Director of Public Instruction and his staff in the control and management of the educational machine. It will be the real power that will direct. And if it has plenary powers for the disbursement of funds it will refuse to receive any orders from the Government. The Government can only impress their will on the Board

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by maintaining an official majority; but that is a condition that my hon'ble friend and his supporters will view with suspicion and alarm. If, on the other hand, there is a non-official majority, then the Government will be powerless. The Board again will not be responsible to the people as they will not control the selection and appointment of its members. In such an arrangement the Muhammadans will be at a disadvantage in pressing forward their sectarian claims. If this Board must come, and if at the same time Muhammadans must have special treatment, then a certain proportion of the funds must be earmarked for expenses for Muhammadan education. The Muhammadans will anxiously await Government's decision in this matter. But I should also tell my Muhammadan friends that the day is probably not very far off when free and compulsory primary education will have to be introduced in this country. If and when that day comes sectarian tendencies and sectarian interests will disappear and the common aspirations and common endeavour of the people will lead the two communities to grow up side by side and build up institutions worthy of a great people."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, as regards much of what I was going to say I have been forestalled by my hon'ble friend Mr. Aminur Rahman, and there now remains very little for me to add to what he has already said. If I interpose at this debate at all, I do so because I wish to emphasise the fact that it is the earnest desire of the Muhammadan members of this Council that the activities of the proposed board should not be allowed to interfere with the recommendations made by the Committee appointed some time ago to consider the problem of Muhammadan education in Bengal. It would be sufficient for our purpose if my hon'ble friend Babu Surendra Nath Ray will make that point clear and if the hon'ble Member in charge of that department will condescend to make a statement on that point. The resolution that has been moved does not say anything as regards the powers that are to be entrusted to the board. The words that have been used are vague, and if I may say so without disrespect, wide enough to include any amount of powers being entrusted to or withheld from the proposed board. In these circumstances, it will be much better, as I have suggested, if we can get some clear indication of the purpose for which this board is going to be constituted, in order that we may have no apprehension as regards the proposals that have been made. I have nothing further to say on the subject."

The Hon'ble Maulvi ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, I support the resolution that has been moved by the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray, and in doing so, I want to make my position clear. I do not say that we want the board because the Department of Education has failed to do its duty, but because we feel that it will be of great advantage to the Director of Public Instruction himself and his colleagues to receive definite opinions from non-official Indians about the subjects of instruction as well as various other matters connected with education. The Hon'ble the Director of Public Instruction receives suggestions now and then from various sources, and one suggestion is contradictory to another, and if a board is formed he will have an opportunity of knowing that it is a well-considered proposal and that it comes from the Indian people. A reference has been made to the Muhammadan Education Committee that sat a few years ago, and I think that the Muhammadans have reaped great advantage in the matter of education by the recommendations of that Committee, and I am sure that if another board is appointed to advise Government on general education, both the department and Government will derive great advantage from its recommendations. It will be open to the Government to refuse or accept these recommendations, but they will at any rate have the advantage

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of knowing what the people think. At this stage it will not be necessary for me to go into the details of the working of the board, and I think that the formation of such a board will receive both the approval of Your Excellency and the consent of the members of this Council."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I have full sympathy for the resolution. The request made by the hon'ble mover is a modest one. He suggests that an advisory board be formed for the purpose to which he has alluded so very lucidly and ably. I am not one of those who have come here to find fault with to-day. I have some experience of the way in which the Education Department works with regard to primary schools. It cannot be denied, Sir, that primary schools are neglected and their management is not satisfactory. The number of boys in the primary schools is daily increasing, but who looks after them? This is a problem which has to be solved. The occasional visits or inspections by the deputy inspector or inspectors are not sufficient for the purpose. There are no managing committees to guide them, and the *guru* who is the guide and really the chief man does his work in a very unsatisfactory manner. In such circumstances, when the question of primary education is before the Council, it demands serious consideration, because much depends upon the way in which Government educate the masses, much depends upon the way in which Government look after the education of the people who are in the lower strata. We have got a university that looks after the interests of the higher class, but there is no committee to look after the lower class, and the hard-worked Director of Public Instruction may be greatly relieved if a board is formed for the purpose. It may be formed in the first instance as an advisory board. I have no confidence in the work of advisory boards in the long run, but it would be some gain hereafter if we start by forming an advisory board to look after the education of boys and girls in primary schools. Now, so far as the way in which the question has been dealt with from time to time, no effective steps have been taken, and that, my Lord, is the complaint of the people of the Presidency. We are talking about primary education, we are discussing big matters, but what effective steps have been taken? So far as the statistics I have got with me are concerned. Your Excellency will see that education has not been spread as one wishes. Therefore it is high time for Your Excellency and Your Excellency's Government to consider this large question. It is a question which cannot be discussed within a very short time, and it is better that we should start with an advisory board and relieve the Director of Public Instruction from his onerous duties."

The Hon'ble MR. M ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, as regards the principles of the resolution I approve of it. No one can say that he is against it. As a representative of the Muhammadans, I would just like to mention here that our interests, the Muhammadan interests, should be safeguarded, that is all that I want to say. There was an Advisory Board for Muhammadan Education; they have made their recommendations to the Government. What will happen to their recommendations? This new board is not bound to take their recommendations: that means that so much labour is lost. There is vagueness about the composition of the advisory board. We have got here an Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education; we have got assistant inspectors especially for Muhammadan interests. If the advisory board have the control of the funds, they will have everything in their power. Supposing we want a school or a college where the Muhammadan population preponderates; is there an assurance that we shall have that school or college? I would ask my Hindu friends not to misunderstand me, but I am saying this

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because last year in this Council, when only Rs. 100 a month was wanted, my Hindu friends did not vote for it. We want to be sure of our own ground, and if we get an assurance, we will support the resolution."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, I regret that I am unable to accept this resolution on behalf of the Government, not because we do not want or that we are impatient of any advice that we can get from non-official gentlemen in educational matters, but because the method by which it is proposed to offer such advice is not likely to be of any practical benefit. On the contrary, I apprehend that it would lead to much friction and certainly great delay. Before I discuss the resolution itself, might I ask the House to bear with me for a moment when I remind them as to the existing condition of things. We have already in every district, except Darjeeling and the Chittagong Hill Tracts, an education committee, composed of officials and non-officials attached to every District Board, who are supposed to assist the board in the administration of primary and middle schools in the district. As regards high schools, both Government and aided, they are managed by inspectors with the assistance of managing committees in which non-officials are represented ; therefore throughout the country, in all the districts, you have primary, middle and high schools managed and supervised with the assistance of local committees consisting of officials and non-officials. When big general questions arise affecting matters of education and affecting the province as a whole, as for example the question of Madrassa reforms, the question of Sanskrit education, the question of the curriculum for the education of Hindu girls, affecting the province as a whole, or large communities, involving matters of principle, they are referred to special and temporary committees of persons who possess expert knowledge or are specially interested in such matters. Such committees, I venture to think, are far more competent to deal with the questions referred to them than any permanent advisory board can ever be. I have described, to begin with, the existing condition of things, in order to show that a large part is taken, and what a large part can be taken, by non-official members of the public in the solution of educational problems and also in the management of educational institutions. What it is that it is proposed to substitute in its place by my hon'ble friend ? A central permanent advisory board which he hopes in course of time will develop into an administrative board. I ask, is that a practical way of offering advice to begin with—I will deal with the administrative part later on,—of offering advice to those in the Government whose duty it is to supervise education ? This central board sitting in Calcutta will have to deal with thousands of schools, because hon'ble members will remember that in Bengal there are more schools, at least more high schools, than there are in all the other provinces taken together. There are more high schools in one subdivision in the division of Dacca than there are in the whole of the United Provinces, excluding the bigger towns. I mention this in order to show how large the question is, and what the number of schools is that has got to be dealt with. These are the schools which my hon'ble friend thinks can be administered or at any rate advised upon by a body sitting in Calcutta. My learned friend has not attempted to tackle what I feel is a very thorny question—the constitution of this board, and my friends the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq and the Hon'ble Mr. Aminur Rahaman and others who have spoken with regard to it have made it sufficiently clear to those who did not know it before, that the moment you begin to decide who the members of it are to be in the province where 52 per cent. of the population are Muhammadans, you are at once confronted with the difficulty as to what the proportion should be between Hindus and Muhammadans.

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"On the last occasion, when my friend gave notice of this resolution, amendments were proposed on behalf of Muhammadan members of Council, one of which asked that the proportion should be half and half, and another that there should be always a majority of Muhammadans on this board. The moment you begin the practical question of what the constitution of the board should be, you meet with difficulty, and that of course is a serious difficulty. You cannot ignore the Muhammadan influence in what is sometimes called a Muhammadan province. Apart from that—I do not desire to-day to lay great stress on that point, although it is important in all conscience—but apart from that, how many members are you going to have on this central board? You must have the mufassal represented. It follows therefore that, having regard to the large area, there must be a fairly large number of representatives on this permanent body. How often are they going to meet, how are we going to meet the expenses of their travelling to and fro? During what months are they to sit with a Government which is more or less peripatetic? Now, these are practical questions which my friend has not endeavoured to deal with at all. But the moment you come to ask for a board you are met with these difficulties. Therefore, as I say, it is far more beneficial to have committees *ad hoc* when any big questions arise. Committees appointed for the purpose of advice with regard to a particular question or questions are far more likely to be beneficial than this advisory body, which it will be difficult to convene and almost impossible to deal with, and it will certainly be extremely expensive, out of all proportion to the benefit which is likely to be derived. Are we going to have one joint board both for Hindus and Muhammadans? What will happen to the recommendations of the Board of Muhammadan Education with regard to matters on which they have already advised the Government? I feel therefore that it is bound to lead to friction.

"I have endeavoured to deal with the difficulties of the constitution of the board. Hon'ble members who have spoken before me have pointed out that the resolution is vague with regard to what the functions should be. With all respect to my hon'ble friend, I venture to go further and say that the resolution is absolutely silent on the question of the functions to be performed beyond the word 'advise.' Advise on what? Let us take the instances mentioned by my hon'ble friend. The question of curriculum. Is that fixed by the Director of Public Instruction? Certainly not. The text-books, are they fixed by the Director of Public Instruction? Certainly not. The distribution of funds, is that done by the Director of Public Instruction? Whom then are they to advise—this board that he proposes to constitute? It is not as if it is going to put the office of the Director of Public Instruction on commission as it were; it is going to advise the Government on definite points. Now, let us take these three points of curricula, text-books and distribution of funds. For the text-books, the curricula is laid down by the Government and with the advice not only of the Director of Public Instruction, but of all educational officers and on the recommendations of different local boards. With regard to the text-books, there is a Text-book Committee, and all that they can do is to recommend to the local bodies as to which of these books they will adopt, it being open to local bodies to adopt such text-books as they please, subject only to the supervision of the Collector of the district with regard to non-educational matters. So, it is the local bodies who have got the largest voice both in regard to the question of curricula and text-books. With regard to the distribution of grants, the argument seems to have proceeded on the basis as if the Government or their officers were sitting on a chest full of money and refusing to open the lid and bring the money out. Are these the facts? Is it not a fact that the Government are spending over and above what they get out of the allotment of the Government of India and out of Provincial revenues? How are the

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assignments made? With regard to primary schools the Director of Public Instruction does not make the assignment. It is ear-marked every year by the Government of India, so far as primary education is concerned, as to how much is to be spent for this purpose. We have to send up to the Government of India a detailed scheme as to what we propose to do,—as for instance we can spend a lakh of rupees in giving a rupee more a month to teachers in primary schools who are only getting Rs. 2-8 now. Even a rupee in that manner means a large sum of money, but unless we go up to the Government of India, and unless they sanction it, we cannot spend it. It is the Government of India who will have to sanction it. We are all anxious to obtain the advice both of members of this House and people outside. It is for them to come and tell us, 'Do not give the rupee to the teachers, but do something else,' but we have got to go up to the Government of India before we can spend a farthing out of the grant that may be made for the purpose of primary education. Now let us take the case of secondary schools. Whatever is given, either out of the Imperial grant or out of Provincial revenues, as grants-in-aid for secondary schools, is distributed not by the Director of Public Instruction but by the inspectors on the spot, and for that purpose they have got to find out the needs of different local schools entering into most delicate negotiations for the purpose of making the money in their hands go as far as it can, and taking care also that the whole of the money given to them for this purpose is spent and not a farthing remains. Therefore, when my hon'ble friend says 'they do not want to spend the money, they are unsympathetic,' one would think that the money went back into the Government coffers. Nothing of the sort, they are spending every farthing of what they have got and they are continually asking for more, and we have not got the money to give them. That is how the case stands with regard to secondary schools. Is the board sitting in Calcutta to determine as to what schools in Jhalakati or Noakhali or somewhere in the wilds of Chittagong are to get how much out of Imperial grants or Provincial revenue? Who is the best advisory body with regard to that? The inspector on the spot or the central body sitting in Calcutta? I think a statement of facts like this ought to be sufficient to show that practically it will not lead to any benefit, but it will cause much delay, and as between different communities, possibly lead to friction. It is for these reasons that I venture to think that it will be inadvisable to have a permanent standing committee or board for the purposes of advising Government.

"Let us follow oftener than now the practice of appointing special temporary committees to deal with particular questions which arise from time to time. As I mentioned, the committee for Hindu girls' education, the committee for Sanskrit educatien, the committee for Muhammadan education, all these committees have done useful work, and if we want advice on specific matters, that is the best way of getting it.

"One word I should like to say with regard to my hon'ble friend's hope of this advisory body developing later on into an administrative one. Is that a practical idea? Can administration be carried on by the kind of body that he contemplates? It is like asking Parliament to be an administrative body. Parliament legislates, but you cannot make Parliament an administrative body. You cannot expect a large body consisting of two or three hundred members coming from all parts of the country to administer the primary and secondary education of the province. May I also remind my friend of another fact, viz., that he is really proposing to go back now to what it was in the beginning—when education began to develop in this country? As my hon'ble friends know, the history is this. We began somewhere about 1823. There was a general committee of public instruction, consisting of Government officials residing in Calcutta. That is how it began—with a general committee of public instruction. Government had

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nothing to do with education then. In 1835 one or two non-official Indians were added. In 1842 educational institutions were for the first time brought under the direct control of Government; but still with a Council of Education with important advisory and administrative functions. It was not till 1854 that under a despatch of the Directors of the East India Company the Department of Public Instruction was constituted as a portion of the machinery of Government in the different provinces. So we began with an advisory body, and it has developed into a strong central department. I venture to think that the line of future development must be that which the Decentralisation Commission has laid down and which has been accepted by the Government of India—that the true line of development must be not in the multiplication of boards and committees at headquarters, but in the evolution of responsible local authorities working under the guidance of a strong Educational Department. That, I submit, is the proper line to follow, and in the meantime, I am sure both individually as members of the Government and collectively as the Government themselves, we shall at all times be willing to welcome and receive such advice as we receive from members of the public, both in this House and outside, official and non-official, in all matters of education. My experience is very short, but I can assure hon'ble members that during this short time that I have been in charge, I have been not only willing but anxious to receive suggestions as to all matters educational in which they desire to have their say.

"I cannot finish without rebutting on behalf of Government some of the unmerited strictures which the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray was pleased to pass in regard to inspecting officers in the mufassal. I think Mr. Aminur Rahaman has already dealt with them, but still as a member of Government I am bound to point out that they are unfounded. In the first place, the hon'ble mover disregards the fact that the majority of the inspecting staff are Indians. All district inspectors and sub-inspectors are Indians. It is only the divisional inspectors who are members of the Indian Educational Service. One of them only belongs to the Provincial Educational Service. And so far from it being the case that they are recommending schools to be abolished or funds to be withheld, the Government are flooded with recommendations by these gentlemen for the grant of more money to schools under their supervision. They have nothing to do with disaffiliation of schools. The University have no inspectors of their own and use these inspectors for the purpose, and they make their reports both as regards the staff and buildings, and if the University chooses to consider that they are not sufficient for the purpose of affiliation, I think it hardly fair that these inspectors should be blamed as being unsympathetic. Everybody is agreed that more should be done for the promotion of education of all descriptions, primary, secondary, collegiate and so on, but we have not got the money for it. The financial trouble is the great trouble. We hope that some time or other at any rate, when the financial stringency is over, there will be available more money, with which shall be able to put into operation some of the many schemes which Mr. Hornell has got ready.

The Hon'ble DR. DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"My Lord, as pointed and ungenerous reference has been made to the work of inspectors in connection with University inspections, I would be failing in duty if I were not to give willing testimony to the general excellence of the work. As the Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha has told the Council, the University has no inspectors of its own, and we have to deal with a very large number of schools. I think we could not possibly deal with them without the assistance we receive from Government inspectors. Their reports come before us and in that work we are assisted much by the Hon'ble Mr. Hornell. Sometimes inspectors are indiscreet and we have to check them.

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It has been said that, in rare instances, inspectors actively assist the schools. But my knowledge is to the contrary, and that many of the schools are ever so much better to-day than they were some years ago, is due to the whole-hearted co-operation of these inspectors. Reference has also been made to the interference with admission of free students by Inspectors on the supposed ground that they do not affect the situation at all. Under University rules indiscriminate freeships very much affect the situation, and if the number of these students exceeds a certain proportion, the finances of the school are much jeopardised for our number limit is strict. As regards supposed rapid disappearance of secondary schools, I thought so long that the charge against us was quite the other way and that we did not withdraw recognition from our secondary schools as often as some zealous inspectors desired. The whole idea of the University is to make the schools better with the available materials at the disposal of the University and the public and the Government to nurse them in short and to await better times and when inspectors attempt to start a contrary policy, they are not supported and will not be supported. As regards the merits of the resolution, I am, however, free to say that there is much in it that commends itself to me for obvious reasons, but after Sir S. P. Sinha's reply, I am not prepared to support it as it stands."

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"My Lord, I have only a few words to say with reference to this resolution in reply. First with reference to what my Muhammadan friends have said with reference to this resolution, I think if such a board were ever to be constituted, the interests of the Muhammadan community ought to be properly safeguarded, and if it is necessary for the education of the Hindu community, to spend money, I shall be the first person to support the Government in giving more money for the education of the Muhammadan community. Probably no man with any sense of responsibility will ever think of opposing Government if Government were to grant larger sums for the education of the Muhammadans. Nor is it my intention to interfere with the present arrangements by which the Muhammadans are getting a substantial amount of the Government grant. That was never my intention when I sent in my resolution for the proposed board. Then it has been said that I am not very definite as regards the questions to be considered by the proposed Board. Though Sir S. P. Sinha has said that they are vague, still he has met my argument and said that they were for the settlement of curricula and text-books, etc. These questions he has touched, and these are the questions which I want to be considered by the proposed Education Board. Then as regards the constitution of the board, if it is necessary that there should be an equal number of Hindu and Muhammadan members, I have no objection to that. Then the hon'ble member in charge has said that there are already education committees in every district attached to the District Board. What are their functions? A certain amount of money is allotted to the District Board by Government and they advise on that amount, but as a matter of fact large grants are made, both by the Imperial Government and the Provincial Government, and I want that the proposed Education Board should deal with these amounts. The District Boards have got no voice in the allotment of these grants. They do not know what the grants are, and how the amounts are spent. I know that Government spends every pice of what it gets from the Imperial Government. But how is the money spent? Not according to the advice of the public, but it is spent as the Government desires, or rather as the Director of Public Instruction wishes. Then as regards the administrative body, I have said that if this advisory body be found to be a successful body, it may hereafter become an administrative body. By administrative

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body I mean that the proposed board may have the same powers over secondary and primary education of the province as the Syndicate of the Calcutta University has over all the colleges attached to the Calcutta University. It is in no other sense that I have used it. These are, my Lord, all the remarks I wish to make."

A division was then taken with the following result :—

Ayes 7.

The Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sarkar.
" Dr. Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E.
" Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.
" Maulvi Abul Kasem.
" Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.
" Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.
" Babu Surendra Nath Ray.

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The Hon'ble Mr. N. D. Beatson Bell, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
" Sir S. P. Sinha.
" Surgeon-General W. R. Edwards, C.B., C.M.G.
" Mr. B. C. Mitra.
" " C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
" " J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " J. Donald.
" " F. A. A. Cowley.
" " C. H. Bompas.
" " W. W. Hornell.
" " S. W. Goode.
" " E. B. H. Panton.
" Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
" Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E.
" Mr. J. Mackenzie.
" " W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.
" " Aminur Rahman.
" Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
" Mr. R. Glen.
" " F. W. Carter, C.I.E.
" Sir A. Birkmyre KT.
" Mr. E. B. Eden.
" " H. R. A. Irwin.
" " M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri
" " Altaf Ali.
" Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.
" Mr. K. B. Dutt.

The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.
" Mr. E. A. Martin.
The Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.
" " Ambika Charan Mazumdar.

The following members abstained from voting :—

The Hon'ble Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.
" Mr Provash Chunder Mitter.
" Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.
" Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
" Mr. Arun Chandra Singha.
The Hon'ble Rai Debendra Chunder Ghose Bahadur.
" Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.
" Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.
" Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.
" " Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.

The ayes being 7 and the noes 29, the motion was lost.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 5.

The following resolution stood in the name of the Hon'ble Maulvi Abul Kasem :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that Government do take into consideration the amendment of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), and of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), with a view to increasing the proportion of elected members in Municipalities, District and Local Boards, respectively, and that such changes be made in the election rules as may be necessary to provide for an adequate and effective representation of Muhammadans on those bodies."

He said :—

"In view of the statement made by the Hon'ble Member in charge at the last meeting of the Council that the question of increasing the proportion of elected members in Municipalities, District and Local Boards is under the consideration of the Government, as also the question of the effective representation of Muhammadans on those bodies, I do not think it necessary to move this resolution. I therefore withdraw it."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 6.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM moved the following resolution :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that necessary action be taken with a view to allowing the members of the Provincial Judicial Service privilege leave on full pay as is granted to the members of the Provincial Executive Service."

He said :—

"My Lord, resolutions have been moved in this Council from time to time which ask for some special concession for the members of the Provincial Judicial Service. They received sympathetic attention from the hon'ble members in charge, but we are always told that the matter will be taken into consideration when we consider the report of the Public Services Commission. In this resolution I ask for only a small concession. The members of the Judicial Service are classed as officers who enjoy vacation, and therefore are not entitled to privilege leave on full pay as enjoyed by the members of the Provincial Civil Service and other services. In this connection I beg to submit that the members of the Judicial Service have got to do very arduous work from 10 to 51, recording evidence in civil cases, without any recreation, and at night and in the morning they have to write judgments in regard to these cases, and naturally they break down in health, but under the present rules they cannot avail themselves of privilege leave because they cannot get it on full pay. In these hard days it is very difficult for a man of limited means to forego a portion of his income and thus these members of the Judicial Service go on without taking leave, until they are compelled by sickness and cannot rise from their beds. Naturally they suffer in health and also in their capacity for good and useful work. It is said that they enjoy a vacation. They only get about 30 or 31 days' leave in the year. The members of the Provincial Executive Service also get 17 days and besides that the members of that service in the mufassal get 12 days for the last Saturdays. Besides that the work of the Deputy Magistrates is not of a sedentary character as that of the Munsifs. I think it would be bare justice to the latter to grant them privilege leave on full pay and thus allow them to recoup their health, and to make themselves more fit to bear the strain of the arduous nature of the work they have got to do. They do brain work of a far superior character than that required of a Deputy Magistrate who only goes touring in the interior of the district, and whose work is not of such a serious character as that of writing judgments involving serious technical points of law and procedure, and therefore I think Your Excellency's Government should consider this matter even before the report of the Public Services Commission is taken into consideration. I am afraid the case of the Judicial officers was not pressed very much before the members of the Public Services Commission, at any rate the Commissioners have not dealt with that branch of the service with that care and concern which it certainly deserved. There is no harm in approving this resolution which would lead us to hope that this matter will be duly considered and that there is a prospect of these officers getting leave. At one time it was suggested that they should forego their vacation, and even if that

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is done, they would prefer it than get leave for 13 days more and call it a vacation. With these words I commend the resolution to the House."

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER said :—

"My Lord, the Hon'ble Member has raised a point which concerns the interests of a deserving body of public servants, but with every wish to give it due consideration we must be careful that, in our desire to be generous, we are not being extravagant.

In the first place, the rules involved in this matter are not those of the Local Government, but of the Civil Service Regulations, which means that with the best will to help we could not do more than submit the case to the Government of India, who in their turn will judge it on considerations not only touching Bengal but as affecting the whole of India, while even should they accept the case as established, they can only represent it to the Secretary of State by whose orders it will be decided.

The Hon'ble Member has only referred cursorily to the present position, and I may perhaps explain in further detail the facts regarding those officers who enjoy vacations; these are subordinate judicial officers, Educational officers, and some officers of the High Court. In consideration of the vacation which is an incident of their service they are not ordinarily allowed privilege leave on full pay, but in case of urgent necessity they can get privilege leave on half pay. If, however, for any reason they are unable to make use of the vacation, they may take privilege leave on the usual terms, that is to say, on full pay. That is the actual position, and in justification of it—it is a matter of long standing—it is perhaps simplest to read the reasons which our predecessors gave when they framed these rules in 1880. There have been minor modifications in the rules since, but in their main features they remain the same. It was then said that—

'Privilege leave is granted as an occasional relaxation which officers who enjoy regular departmental vacations do not require. At the same time if privilege leave were not allowed at all to such officers they would be, in some respects, at a disadvantage as compared with other officers. The effect of the changes now ordered will be no doubt to some extent to deprive officers of the enjoyment of both vacation and privilege leave at the same time. But the privileges of an officer who enjoys vacations will, it is believed, be fairly comparable with those of other officers. He will not, like them, have any option as to the season at which he may take a holiday, but to make up for this, he will usually enjoy somewhat longer holidays than other officers.'

The gist of that argument is that the rules represent a fair working compromise as to the amount of leave which could properly be allowed to subordinate judicial officers in comparison with those in other services. I admit that the compromise is open to criticism in some degree, and since 1880, when the rules were first framed, they have been re-examined on no less than four occasions, once in 1898-99, in 1904, in 1906, and finally in 1914, when various discussions took place as to feasible amendments. The amendment which the Hon'ble Member advocates has been put forward among others, but as against it. I can give him a good authority, namely, that of the Calcutta High Court, which throughout has urged the claims of these officers, with whom, of course, the Hon'ble Judges are closely concerned.

In their latest letter on the subject the High Court wrote, saying, 'the Judges are not prepared to identify themselves with the demand that the full term of 30 days should be on full pay, since they recognise that this, together with the vacation, would place the munsiff in altogether too good a position as compared with the Deputy Collector and indeed with the District Judge.'

I think, Sir, that this may be accepted as an authoritative pronouncement by those who are in a position to gauge the merits of the matter. Other

alternatives that have been suggested are that one month's leave in two years should be allowed, or again that 15 days should be given every year, the general ideas underlying the number 15 being that out of the 30 days of the vacation about 14 or 15 days are enjoyed by all officers, and therefore judicial officers really only score by the vacation to the extent of 15 days.

However, although these solutions have been represented in various quarters we have not hitherto been successful in coming to an agreement about them. The matter has been judged in other places on considerations which are rather wider than provincial arguments, and it has been thought that, taking the conditions of the service as a whole, the present rules are not inequitable and may be allowed to continue.

So much for past history; as regards the future, although the Hon'ble Member seems to dislike the idea of dealing with the matter in connection with the Public Services Commission, it is obvious that that report will bring under review the conditions of most services and incidentally of the subordinate judicial service. We shall, therefore, take up this point up again along with other points affecting the service, and see whether we can get any modification of the rules on slightly more liberal lines. That is the only hope that I can give to the Hon'ble Member, but as regards his particular solution, I can hold out little expectation of its acceptance. Otherwise we will do our best to see to what extent the wishes of these Government servants can be met."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS. ITEMS NOS. 7 AND 8.

The discussion of these items was postponed to the end of the business on the Agenda.

LIST OF BUSINESS. ITEM NO. 9.

The following resolution stood in the name of the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that steps be taken to introduce a system of regular medical inspection of students of schools and colleges; and that a committee of officials and non-officials be appointed to suggest the lines on which such system should work."

He said :—

"In view of the present financial condition, I beg to withdraw this resolution."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS. ITEMS NOS. 10 AND 11.

The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER moved the following resolution :—

"This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a mixed Committee of officials and non-officials be appointed for the purpose of framing definite proposals for making a beginning towards the introduction of free and compulsory elementary education throughout the Presidency and that the said Committee be requested to report *inter alia* with special reference to the following points :—

(*a*) whether the school-going age should be fixed between the years 6 to 10;

(*b*) what would be the total cost of providing such education ultimately for the whole of the Presidency and how such cost can be met;

(*c*) what would be the total cost of providing such education for the areas within the Presidency which fulfil the following conditions, namely :—

(*i*) density of population more than 1,000 to the square mile ;

(*ii*) literacy of at least one-third of the population ; and how such cost can be met for such areas ;

(*d*) whether powers should be conferred upon self-governing local bodies (Municipalities, District Boards and Village Union Committees) to introduce at their option and with the sanction of the Government such education within their jurisdiction ; and

(*e*) whether the Government should introduce a Bill for obtaining the necessary powers, or whether such Bill should be introduced as a private Bill."

He said :—

"My Lord, the Government has laid it down as their policy 'that illiteracy must be broken down and that primary education has, in the present circumstances of India, a predominant claim upon the public funds.' This policy represents the accepted policy of the Government of India and is no longer open to discussion. Therefore, I may take it that it is acceptable to this Government that illiteracy must be broken down and that primary education should have a predominant claim upon the public funds. On the other hand, the popular demand has been that primary education must be made free and compulsory. To this Government has laid down two objections—one financial, and the other administrative, the chief objection on administrative grounds being, so far as I have been able to follow, the apprehension that the measure will be unpopular. Therefore, on the general aspects of this question we have to bear in mind the financial and administrative ground.

As regards the financial ground, I have suggested a committee, because it is only by an investigation that the question of finance can best be dealt with. When the Government agrees on principle, that illiteracy must be broken down and that primary education should have a predominant claim upon public funds, the difference between the popular demand so far as the question of finance is concerned and the Government ideal is not very great. So, if there be co-operation between the popular representatives and the Government in this matter there should be a joint investigation, and in that hope I have asked for a committee ! I fully appreciate that a committee is not necessarily the only means of investigation. I am keen on the point about an investigation and an investigation is what I mainly want.

Now, I propose to deal very shortly with the financial question involved in this matter. In order to save time, I desire with your Excellency's permission, to circulate certain statements* to Hon'ble Members of this Council. They will find from table 3 of the statement that in our province of Bengal out of the total sum of 37 lakhs and odd spent on primary education, only 2 lakhs and 21 thousand is found by Government, the balance of 34 lakhs and odd being found either by the District Board or by fees paid by the pupils or from private funds. If Hon'ble Members will kindly compare the statistics in Bengal with those of Bombay and Madras they will find that out of the total sum of 54 lakhs and odd spent on primary education in Bombay, a sum of 30 lakhs is paid from provincial revenues : in Madras out of a total sum of 34 lakhs and odd spent on primary education, provincial revenues provide only 10 lakhs and odd. Further in Bengal 17 lakhs and odd are paid from fees, whereas in Bombay and Madras only 4 lakhs and odd are so paid. These figures indicate that Bengal has not

* Not printed in these Proceedings.

been fairly treated. I have no complaint to make with the Government of Bengal, because I know this contribution depends upon the Government of India. I dare say if the relative expenditure of the different Governments are duly brought forward, we may well expect a change for the better, especially as the Government has laid down that primary education has a predominant claim upon the public funds. There is another aspect of the question with which I should like to deal. In the Presidency of Bombay, a private Bill has been introduced and in that Bill power has been reserved to introduce compulsory primary education within Municipal areas. It may be quite possible for the far more prosperous mofussil municipalities of the Bombay Presidency with their numerous manufacturing towns, with their large octroi revenue, with the large grant of 17·1 per cent. from Government towards municipal expenses and also with the large grant of Rs. 30 lakhs and odd from Provincial funds for Primary education, to have compulsory primary education in municipal areas. But look at the general conditions of the municipalities of Bengal. As regards population, if Hon'ble Members will refer to table 4 they will find that in the Presidency of Bombay there are 4 municipalities which are classed under class 1, that is to say, the population of which is more than a lakh and the highest population is that of Ahmedabad with 216,777 and the lowest of this class is Surat with 114,000. Of this class in Bengal we have only the town of Dacca with a population of 108,551. I have advisedly left out Howrah as the conditions there are the same as in the presidency town of Calcutta. In Bombay there are 4 municipalities which are classed under class II with a population of more than 50,000 and less than one lakh. In Bengal practically there is no municipality with a population of more than 50,000. There are only two municipalities with a population of 50,000, one, Maniktola which I have not included, because the conditions there are the same as in the presidency town of Calcutta; and the other, Bhatpara, which is a mill municipality, the conditions of which are quite different from those in other mofussil municipalities in Bengal.

If we want to solve the question of primary education merely by the imposition of an additional cess in municipal areas it is not likely to succeed. The chief municipalities are the district towns, and we all know what they are. They merely mean a collection of houses for residence of a number of officers and pleaders and perhaps a few houses of zaminders with no manufacturing industries but with only agricultural fields surrounding these towns. As we all know, nearly all our mofussil municipalities are poor; so the analogy of municipalities in Bombay is hardly fair to be applied to the municipalities in our province. On the other hand I can well claim for Bengal that out of 37 lakhs which are now being spent for primary education, Bengal has shown a good deal of self help. She has been spending over 34 lakhs and as compared with other provinces if she gets the same assistance as the other provinces are getting then if compulsory education cannot be introduced throughout the whole Province, it is quite possible that it may be introduced into the more populated portions of the province. If Hon'ble Members will turn to the second table, they will find certain calculations. I admit that these calculations have been prepared merely as a basis for discussion and may not be accurate. Hon'ble Members will find from the calculation what will be the probable cost if we take up such towns and villages where the population is more than 1,000. The total population of such towns and villages is 17 millions in all out of the total population of Bengal which is 45 millions. Out of this 17 millions, the percentage of population of male children between the ages of 5 and 10 amount to 174,000 old. Now the question has got to be discussed as to what should be the course of primary education should it be 3, 4 or 5 years. There are different systems prevailing in different parts of the world. As compulsory primary education has not been introduced into any British province in India, it is a question which requires very careful consideration, and that is an additional reason why I ask for an enquiry. I have only for purposes of calculation and for no other purpose suggested a

3-year's course, and on that basis I find that the total number of pupils to be educated will be 6,44,492. We already educate about 11 lakhs out of 45 millions, that is to say, in order to introduce compulsory primary education for areas with a population of more than one-third literates the total we require to educate will be 13 lakhs and odd. These 11 lakhs we are already educating do not all come from places with a population of 1,000 and one-third literacy. If we work it out, we find that 17 out of 45 millions give 4 lakhs and odd for the areas so populated. I have taken the statistics only for males. Another point for inquiry will be whether we should include female children. Taking these figures for males only I find that we shall have to educate 13 lakhs in place of 11 lakhs we are now educating, or in other words, in addition to the sum of 37 lakhs, we shall have to spend a sum of 45 lakhs which means an addition of 9 lakhs. The question arises where is the money to come from? I have no doubt that there is no chance of any money coming until the war is over and until better times return. I would remind Hon'ble Members that the Royal benefaction for popular education is in our hands and it amounts to 3,70,000. There is a further recurring grant on account of the Royal benefaction of Rs. 17,38,000 for education generally. So that we have Rs. 3,70,000 ear-marked for this purpose and out of the 9 lakhs which we want if we deduct this sum of Rs. 3,07,000 so ear-marked, their remains a balance of 5 lakhs and 30 thousand, and the balance of Rs. 4,30,000, I submit to the Council, ought not to be difficult to be found from the said 17,38,000, which is no doubt not meant specially for primary education but meant for education generally. I do not desire to tire the patience of the Council at this hour by going into further details, but I would like to submit generally that the question is of very great importance and its importance is also admitted by Government. I do not ask in my resolution that the Government should accept the principle of free and compulsory primary education all at once; all that I ask for is an inquiry and I beg to submit that the inquiry will not be complete unless it is directed to the various heads that I have submitted in the resolution. Neither the Government nor the people will lose anything by this inquiry, on the other hand it will clear the ground for action. Even if it is decided that the Government cannot take up popular education in its own hands. I submit the Government should not refuse an inquiry. With these few words I commend my resolution to the acceptance of the Council."

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT moved by way of amendment that, at the end of the resolution (item No. 10), moved by the Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER, the following be added, namely,

"and

that the said reports be submitted on or before the first week of February, 1918."

He said :—

"In case the original resolution is not accepted by Council, then of course the question of the amendment does not arise at all."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"With Your Lordship's permission, I beg to say that if the question of an amendment arises, I have no objection to accept it."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, it is because I am in hope that my hon'ble friend will be able to accept my assurance that I speak before any other member has spoken on this resolution. My hon'ble friend has himself said that the Government have laid down that it must be their policy to strike down illiteracy. My hon'ble friend further admitted that so far as finances permit, we do foster primary education throughout the country. All the same, it is unfortunately

the fact that primary education has not been developed nearly as much as it ought to be, and that the Government and the people are equally anxious that in the near future, development must proceed at such a pace as to bring within view the day when there will be little or no illiteracy in this country. It is necessary for that purpose that we should know the position in which we are, that is to say, to have an inquiry of the kind that my hon'ble friend has suggested, so that schemes may be framed and policies laid down by which all our desires may be attained. I say therefore at once that the Government are in favour of an inquiry, an inquiry, *e.g.*, as to how many schools there are, how many more there should be in each district or subdivision, or union, and the kind of buildings there ought to be, how much money is being spent now, how much more ought to be spent, whether gradually or at once, how much on buildings, and how much on the actual work of teaching and so forth. For this purpose many figures are already available, but they are neither full nor complete; therefore we accept the principle that there should be a survey and inquiry, a survey of the whole educational field as regards primary education. How is that survey to be conducted? The Hon'ble Mr. Mitter suggests a committee. I commend to the consideration of the House whether a committee is likely to be the best agency. There are schools in the most inaccessible parts of the province, and you will have to find out from each district, subdivision, thana and union, as to what provisions there should be, what the cost is likely to be according to locality, what pay should be given to teachers. It is impossible to my mind that such a survey as that should be held by means of a committee, however, much the committee may be anxious to make those inquiries. Government therefore propose that a survey for the purpose and of the kind that I have mentioned should be held forthwith and concluded as soon as possible, so that both the Government and the people may know the exact position with regard to primary education. What action should be taken when the survey is made and the report is drawn up, I will not venture to prophesy now. It will be for the Government to consider what steps ought to be taken and what steps it can take according to its financial position. It will be equally open to Hon'ble Members to suggest by means of resolutions or otherwise what course Government ought to take after that report has been laid on the table for their information. I cannot say anything more than that. The object which my friend has in view is that after such inquiries have been made, it will be for consideration as to how far primary education can be made free, how far it can be made compulsory and whether it can be made free. I can promise, however, that the survey will be made by an experienced officer, and though he cannot go to all those places, he will check and supervise the work in the locality done by district inspectors and the actual staff on the spot. I have every reason to hope that this survey will be very useful. That is all I can assure my hon'ble friends. There is, however, one matter. There is an obvious error and it is an error so against Government that although it is not very material or relevant at this stage, I should like to point it out. I think my hon'ble friend said that in 1915-16—out of 37 lakhs now spent on primary education only 2,21,000 were found by the Government. I do not know where he gets his figures from, but the figures which I have before me show that out of 37,40,000 odd, the total amount expended on primary schools for boys in 1915-16 was 16,38,523 coming from public funds, such public funds consisting of Government grants, whether Imperial or Provincial, as well as Municipal and District Boards, which of course are also public funds. To class them under any other head would be incorrect. Public funds therefore supply about 16 out of 37 lakhs and not merely 2,21,000—the smaller sum which my hon'ble friend has suggested. It is of course immaterial now to go into these figures which may or may not be correct, nor would it be profitable to institute comparisons with other provinces as the circumstances are different. But I know some of my hon'ble friends present have often, within the short time that I have had to do with the Education Department, been asking for money for collegiate and university education. Government has not got the money for both certainly. They not only asked for it, but

sometimes they got it. You cannot complain, if you have got the money for collegiate education, that you did not get more for primary education. But I again venture to say that these are matters which are hardly relevant having regard to the enquiry which I propose to make on behalf of Government."

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"I have listened with considerable attention to the reply of the Hon'ble Member in charge and I gratefully acknowledge the sympathetic way in which he has received this question. I understand from his observations that the Government are prepared to undertake an inquiry into the matter at once, perhaps on the lines indicated in the motion of my Hon'ble friend, but My Lord, I am not sure when the inquiry is likely to be finished. I speak from a little personal experience that we had in Calcutta. For the last four or five years the Corporation of Calcutta have been urging upon the attention of the Government the need of devising some means for promoting primary education in Calcutta on a satisfactory basis. Mr. K. C. De and after him Mr. J. N. Roy were deputed to inspect the primary schools for boys and girls in Calcutta. They submitted a report which was forwarded to the Corporation of Calcutta for their views and also to ascertain how far they were willing to co-operate with Government in this matter. About May last year the Corporation submitted their reply to Government on the subject. Since then, I understand the matter is still being inquired into. I do not know when that inquiry will be finished. Of course we fully acknowledge that both the Hon'ble Member in charge of Education and the Director of Public Instruction are anxious to promote primary education not only in Calcutta but throughout the province, but My Lord, not being in the confidence of Government not only myself but many people in Calcutta are wondering how long it will take to finish the inquiry. Therefore as mattters at present stand the condition of the primary schools in Calcutta is not only in a deplorable condition, but I may say in a condition which should not be tolerated even for a day. If our Hon'ble colleagues, Mr. Hornell and Sir S. P. Sinha would be pleased to visit some of the *pathsalas* in Calcutta, in company not with any Municipal Commissioner, but with the Chairman of the Corporation, in some of the *bustees* in my ward, they will see at once that no further time should be lost in finishing the inquiry and making some recommendations. Therefore I think we are entitled to know how long it will take to finish this inquiry. The resolution as far as I can understand is for the purpose of framing definite proposals for making a beginning towards the introduction of free and compulsory education throughout the Presidency. As appears from the resolution, this committee is wanted to make definite proposals on the basis of the result of an inquiry that will be made. It is being freely declared not only here in India but also in England that the British Government wants the assistance of the people of this country in the administration of their own country. My Lord, in this matter the people are anxious to be associated with the Government. I do not mean to say that the committee if appointed will go from door to door, from village to village, and make a tabular statement. That will no doubt be done by a special officer who may be deputed by Government in connection with this matter, but when he will have finished his work the committee will submit its proposals to Government. I do not think that this will commit the Government in any way. The Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha said he wanted advice from any person desirous of offering the same. But why should he want an isolated piece of advice from a single person? Why not have a collection of advice from a number of gentlemen who are interested in the promotion of primary education, and who want to submit their views and the views of their community in a collective form? What I say is this—I do not think that this sort of advice should be refused by Government. Advice so given is much more weighty and well considered than isolated advice from private individuals. With these words, my Lord, I support the resolution."

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"My Lord, I should like to ask the Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha as to the time he expects the inquiry to last and also whether it would be open to me to move that part of the resolution which deals with the appointment of a committee after we get the report. May I explain what my object is? After we get the report, we expect to get much valuable material, and we want to consider our position then, and we also want it to be open for us to move for a committee if we think that a committee will be desirable, and we want an assurance from the Government that it may not be said that the question having been discussed, the matter could not be brought up within a year."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"With regard to the time which that inquiry will take, I cannot give any definite assurance, but I have already stated that we will forthwith cause an inquiry to be undertaken, and I expect that with proper expedition the inquiry should be finished within four or five months. I cannot say more than that nor can I give any assurance to that effect.

As regards the second point as to moving any resolution on the report which will be made, it is controlled by the rules which prevent the same resolution being moved within the year; it is not for me to give any assurance; the matter is for the decision of His Excellency, but I have no doubt that it will receive his favourable consideration inasmuch as the resolution which will be moved hereafter will be in my opinion different from what it is now. But this is a matter as to which it is not within my power to give an assurance."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"On that point I do not think in the first place that the resolution which the Hon'ble Member would desire to move after a survey has been made would be precluded by the rules. Of course, it would not be exactly the same resolution that a committee be appointed to report, etc., etc., but he would move a resolution that a committee be appointed to consider the report made by a certain department or officer—and in any case if the Hon'ble Member desires to withdraw this motion now, I will give him an undertaking that I will, under the powers that are conferred upon me, admit, within any less period than one year, a motion to that effect.

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER said :—

"After the assurance given by the Hon'ble Member in charge and by Your Excellency, I beg leave to withdraw my resolution".

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 12.

The Hon'ble MR. P. C. MITTER with the permission of the President withdrew the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a statement be laid on the table of the Council, at the first cold weather meeting, showing how far the Budget for the year 1917-18 has been adhered to or departed from during the first six months of the year, giving the reasons for such departure, if any.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 13.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a committee, consisting of officials and non-officials, be appointed to suggest measures for preventing the adulteration of food and the sale of adulterated food-stuffs in Bengal.

He said :—

"My Lord, the Ghee Bill has been passed, but it concerns only Calcutta, but we expect a wider legislation, and my motion extends outside Calcutta. I am not aware however what steps are being taken by Goverment to prevent the adulteration of food-stuffs in Bengal, and whether any legislative measure is contemplated or is expected within a measurable distance of time to be placed before the Legislative Council. I shall be very glad to have a statement from the Hon'ble Member in charge."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"I told the house this morning that a Bill for the prevention of adulteration of food stuffs in mufassal for the whole province is already in preparation, is in fact practically ready, and I hope to be able to send it up to the Government of India for sanction within the next month or so."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEMS Nos. 7 and 8.

The consideration of items Nos. 7 and 8 was then taken up. The items were as follows :—

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ to move the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that early steps be taken for the establishment of an Agricultural College for Bengal, and that the said College be located at Dacca.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY to move by way of amendment that in the resolution (Item No. 7) to be moved by the Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, for the words "and that the said College be located at Dacca", the following be substituted, namely :—

"and that a committee be formed of official and non-official members, principally of experts, to select a suitable site for the location of the College".

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ said :—

"My Lord, the result of having taken part in a full day's debate has given me a little headache, and as far as I can understand from the talk I had with some of my other friends on the other side of the House, I do not think there is any prospect of any active support from them in case this resolution is opposed by Government, so I do not wish to take up the time of the Council by moving it. With Your Excellency's permission I beg to withdraw it."

The resolution, with its amendment, were then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

The President's address.

The PRESIDENT said :—

Hon'ble Members will be aware no doubt that a question has been asked with regard to the legislation which Government are prepared to undertake in the near future, and I promised in reply to that question to make a statement at the conclusion of our proceedings to-day. It may be remembered that when I was bringing the proceedings of this Council to a conclusion at the end of the last cold weather session on the 3rd April, I expressed a hope that before we met again for another cold weather session I should be able to invite Hon'ble Members to co-operate with the Government in undertaking useful legislation. I am not yet in a position to say that the hopes which I

then expressed are on the point of being completely realised, but I can at least say that they are on the way towards realisation. There are many matters of varying importance with which we are very anxious to deal, and though I am not in a position at this moment to give you a cut and dried programme of legislation I can indicate to you the matters with which we expect to be able to deal in the near future. And I can give you some idea of the prospects which there are of our being able to do so. We have already introduced and have to-day referred to a Select Committee the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill. It is of course a small measure which deals with one aspect only, and that a restricted aspect, of the whole question of Tenancy Law in this Presidency. Of other Bills which we hope to be able to introduce in the near future, the Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Bill is now ready and will be introduced, I hope, at the first cold weather meeting of the Council. The Legislative Secretary reminds me that though the sanction of the Government of India has been received to that measure the sanction of the Secretary of State has not yet been received. I have no reason to doubt however that it will be received in time to introduce the Bill at the first meeting of the cold weather session. In itself the Bill is a small Bill, but I hope that it may prove to be a useful measure, for it is designed entirely in the interests of the co-operative movement.

Next come two Bills which are practically ready, but certain details of which are still under discussion between the Government of India and ourselves. They are the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Bill and the Bengal Disqualification Bill. The latter is a small Bill which has for its object the disqualification, with certain exceptions, of persons who are not British subjects from voting for or sitting upon local bodies.

Next, I would like to mention two Bills, the drafting of which has been completed so far as the Bengal Government are concerned and which have been submitted by us to the Government of India for their approval. These include the Darjeeling Hill-sides and Rivers Conservation Bill, the Serampore College Bill, the Calcutta Municipal Bill, and the Village Self-Government Bill. I need hardly say that the last two measures are measures of great importance which are likely to rouse wide interest. Last but not least is the Adulteration of Food Bill to which the Hon'ble Sir S. P. Sinha has already referred, a Bill upon which we are still at work, but which we hope to be able to submit to the Government of India at a very early date.

Hon'ble Members may perhaps think that this is a somewhat formidable programme and they may perhaps entertain some doubts as to whether a Bill like the Calcutta Municipal Bill comes within the category of non-controversial Bills, to the consideration of which I suppose we are still more or less restricted by the political truce. Well, the Government so far as that goes, are in the hands of the Legislative Council. If the Calcutta Municipal Bill were to prove to be a highly controversial measure, Government would be prepared to reconsider their attitude in regard to it, that is to say, if they find that it is a measure which is likely to excite great controversy, they will be prepared to postpone the further consideration or discussion of it, at any rate, so long as the political truce is in existence. But I have some hopes that it will not prove to be an unduly controversial measure ; for when I first reached Calcutta the deputation from the Corporation of Calcutta which waited upon me expressed the hope that the Bill would receive my early attention and they went on to say that this is a measure which will give the city a larger measure of local self-government "and though some difference of opinion may perhaps arise when the Bill is debated, yet we see no reason for apprehending any failure to reach an amicable settlement of the questions that will be discussed ;" and in reply to that representation which was made to me I said that I was well aware of the importance which the Corporation attached to the passage of the Calcutta Municipal Bill and that I was prepared to give the passage of it my most careful consideration. At the same time, I noted with satisfaction that while they anticipated some difference of opinion they at the same time saw no reason to doubt that an amicable settlement of the question would be reached.

In other words, I practically gave the Corporation a promise that if their anticipation that the Bill would not be found to be of a highly controversial nature was fulfilled, then I and my Government would do all that lay in our power to press on with the matter. That, gentlemen, is the position so far as the Bengal Government are concerned. In addition to these Government Bills, there are two private members' Bills of which notice has been given, one dealing with Juvenile Smoking and one dealing with the question of free and compulsory primary education. These are Bills of which notice has been given by private members and which will no doubt in due course come before the Council for discussion.

All I have to do in conclusion is to draw the attention of the Hon'ble Members to a notice which appears at the end of the agenda paper from which they will see that they are asked to remain in their places after the Council closes to-day, for the purpose of electing the Finance Committee. That election will take place forthwith."

ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned *sine die*.

C. TINDALL,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal
and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

DARJEELING,
The 2nd October, 1917.

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PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislative Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 19th September 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVII OF 1917.

An Act to amend the Government Savings Banks Act, 1873.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Government Savings Banks Act, 1873; It is hereby enacted as follows :— 7 of 1873.

1. This Act may be called the Government Savings Banks (Amendment) Act, 1917. Short title.

2. In section 4 and section 8 of the Government Savings Banks Act, 1873, for the words "one thousand rupees" the words "three thousand rupees" shall be substituted. Amendment of sections 4 and 8, Act V of 1873. V of 1873.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 19th September 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

ACT No. XVIII OF 1917.

An Act to restrict the transfer of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates and to provide for the payment of Certificates standing in the name of deceased persons.

WHEREAS it is expedient to restrict the transfer of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates and to provide for the payment of Certificates standing in the name of deceased persons; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Post Office Cash Certificates Act, 1917.

Prohibition of transfer of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificates without the consent of the Post Master General.

2. (*1*) Notwithstanding any provision in any enactment or any rule of law for the time being in force to the contrary, no transfer (whether made before or after the commencement of this Act) of a Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate shall be valid without the previous consent in writing of the Post Master General for the area in which the post office of issue is situate.

(*2*) In this section "transfer" means a transfer *inter vivos* and does not include a transfer by operation of law.

Payment on death of holder of Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate.

3. (*1*) If a person dies and is at the time of his death the holder of a Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate, payment of the sum for the time being due on such Certificate may be made in the manner provided in the Government Savings Banks Act, 1873, for the payment of deposits belonging to the estates of deceased persons, and the provisions of sections 4 to 9 of the said Act shall apply accordingly as if the holder of such Certificate were a depositor in a Government Savings Bank and the sum for the time being due on such Certificate were a deposit in such a Bank: V of 1873.

Provided that the powers conferred by the said provisions on the Secretary of a Government Savings Bank shall be exercisable by the Post Master General for the area within which the post office of issue of such Certificate is situate:

Provided further that, where in any one case payment is to be made of Certificates issued from more post offices than one, the said powers shall be exercisable by the Post Master General for the area in which any of the said post offices is situate.

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to require any person to accept payment of the amount due on a Post Office 5-year Cash Certificate before the same has reached maturity.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 19th September 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. XIX OF 1917.

An Act to amend the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910, and the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910, and the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917; It is hereby enacted as follows :— II of 1910. XI of 1917.

Short title and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Act, 1917.

(*2*) Sections 6 and 7 shall have operation only during the continuance of the present war, and for a period of six months thereafter.

Amendment of section 3, Act XI of 1917.

2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1917, shall be construed as if for the words "three hundred millions" the words "four hundred and twenty millions" were substituted. XI of 1917.

Amendment of section 2, Act II of 1910.

3. In clause (*a*) of section 2 of the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1910, (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) after the words "value of" the words "one rupee, two and a half rupees", shall be inserted. II of 1910.

Amendment of section 3, Act II of 1910.

4. In section 3 of the said Act, the words "not being less than five rupees" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 15, Act II of 1910.

5. In section 15 of the said Act, for the words "five rupees" wherever they occur the words "one rupee" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 19, Act II of 1910.

6. In section 19 of the said Act after the words "the Governor General in Council" the words "including any gold coin or bullion held on behalf of the Governor General in Council by or under the control of the Government of any part of His Majesty's Dominions for coinage or such other temporary purpose" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 21, Act II of 1910.

7. In section 21 of the said Act after the words "the Secretary of State for India in Council" where they last occur, the words "or to the Government of any part of His Majesty's Dominions or from any such Government to the Governor General in Council" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 29 (2) (*a*), Act II of 1910.

8. In clause (*a*) of sub-section (2) of section 29 of the said Act, the words and signs "(not being less than five rupees)" shall be omitted.

Repeal of Ordinance II of 1917.

9. The Indian Paper Currency (Amendment) Ordinance, 1917, is hereby repealed. II of 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 19th September 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XX OF 1917.

An Act to restrict the transfer of ships registered in British India.

WHEREAS it is expedient to restrict the transfer of ships registered in British India ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Transfer of Ships Restriction Act, 1917.

(*2*) It shall remain in force during the continuance of the present war, and for three years thereafter.

Interpretations.

2. In this Act—

(*1*) (*a*) "British subject" means a person who—

(*i*) is a natural born British subject within the meaning of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1914, or

4 & 5 Geo. 5, c. 17.

(*ii*) holds a certificate of naturalization granted under any Act of Parliament, or

(*iii*) holds a certificate of naturalization granted under the Indian Naturalization Act, 1852,

XXX of 1852

(*b*) "foreign-controlled company" includes any company, firm or association or body of individuals whether incorporated or not—

(*i*) which is not established in and subject to the laws of some part of His Majesty's dominions or of some British Protectorate, and has not its principal place of business therein, or

(*ii*) of which the majority of the directors or the partners or persons occupying the position of directors or partners by whatever name called are not British subjects, or

(*iii*) of which the majority of the voting power or the predominant interest is in the hands of persons who are not British subjects or of persons who exercise their voting power or hold their interest directly or indirectly on behalf of persons who are not British subjects, or

(*iv*) of which the control is by any other means whatever in the hands of persons who are not British subjects, or

(*v*) of which the managing body is a foreign-controlled company, or the majority of the managing body are appointed by a foreign-controlled company.

(*c*) "interest" includes the interest of a mortgagee, and

(*d*) "persons qualified to be owners of British ships" has the same meaning as in section 1 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894.

57 & 58 Vict., c. 60

(*2*) All provisions referring to a ship shall be read as referring also to a share in a ship.

Restriction of transfer.

3. No interest in a British ship registered in British India under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall without the previous consent in writing of the Governor General in Council be transferred to a foreign-controlled company or to persons other than persons qualified to be owners of British ships.

57 & 58 Vict., c. 60.

Penalty.

4. Whoever makes or attempts to make or abets the making of any transfer in contravention of the provisions of this Act, shall be punishable with imprisonment of either description which may extend to two years or with fine or with both.

Power to require particulars in certain cases.

5. For the purpose of determining whether any person, who is or who applies to be registered as owner or mortgagee of a British ship, is or represents a foreign-controlled company, the Governor General in Council may require any such person or in the case of a company, firm or association, the secretary or other officer thereof to furnish such particulars as he may think necessary, and such person or officer shall be bound to furnish the particulars so required.

Forfeiture in certain circumstances.

6. Where any person having an interest in a British ship registered in British India ceases to be a British subject or becomes a foreign-controlled company, such interest shall be liable to forfeiture.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 19th September 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XXI OF 1917.

An Act to amend the Indian Trusts Act, 1882.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Indian Trusts Act, 1882; It is hereby enacted as follows :— II of 1882.

1. This Act may be called the Indian Trusts (Amendment) Act, 1917. Short title.

2. At the end of clause (*c*) of section 20 of the Indian Trusts Act, 1882, the following words shall be inserted, namely, "or in debentures of the Bombay Central Co-operative Bank, Limited, the interest whereon shall have been guaranteed, by the Secretary of State for India in Council." Amendment of section 20 of Act II of 1882. II of 1882.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 1st October 1917.*

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA.

Batavia Roads and Approach—Beacons established in place of Buoys.

No. 249 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 755 of 1917), are republished :—

The following beacons have been established in place of buoys on the undermentioned shoals in Batavia roads and western approach :—

1. Vader Smit :

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 01″ S., long. 106° 51′ 28″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 12″ S., long. 106° 51′ 24″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a black truncated cone.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least a quarter of a cable.
Note.—The two black and white horizontally striped conical buoys formerly marking this reef have been withdrawn.

2. Neerstuk :

Position.—Near the north-western edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 25″ S., long. 106° 49′ 55″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three quarters of a cable.
Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy has been withdrawn.

3. Purmerend bank :

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the bank.
Lat. 6° 02′ 10″ S., long. 106° 46′ 37″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three-quarters of a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the bank.
Lat 6° 02′ 19″ S., long 106° 46′ 33″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with black truncated cone.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

Note.—The white conical buoy and the black can-buoy, formerly marking this bank, have been withdrawn.

4. Purmerend shoal :

Position.—Near the northern end of the shoal.
Lat. 6° 02′ 26″ S., long. 106° 45′ 16″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with white ball.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.
Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy, formerly marking the northern end of this shoal, has been withdrawn.
Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.
Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 88-91.
Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 767 and 781 of 1917. (*H. 4025/17.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Jesselton Harbour—Light established.

No. 250 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 768 of 1917), are re-published :—

Position.—On outer end of Jesselton pier, situated about 4 cables north-eastward of the old ruined pier.
Lat. 5° 59¼′ N., long. 116° 04¼′ E.
Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red 30 ft.*
Description.—A *fixed red* light, exhibited at an elevation of 30 feet.
Charts affected.—No. 3525, Jesselton harbour.
„ 3626, Dumpil point to Gayā head.
„ 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1111*a*.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 126; Revised Supplement, 1916.
Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 4129/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Beacons established.

No. 251 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 771 of 1917), are re-published :—

Two beacons have been established on the southern side of the Waitemata river channel as follows :—

Position.—(*a*) At a distance of $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 37° E. Mag.*), from Stokes point ▲.

(*b*) At a distance of 4¼ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), from the same ▲.
Stokes point, lat. 36° 49½′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.

Description.—Each a single pile beacon, surmounted by a staff and cage, the whole painted black.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No 37 of 1917. (*H. 4267/17.*)

AFRICA. EAST COAST, AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 252 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 775 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No 656 of 1917 (This office No. 213 of 1917) hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—

All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.

All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.

2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished ; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion are extinguished.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

IV. SEYCHELLES.

All lights in the islands of the Seychelles group have been re-exhibited.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4628/17.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF OSAKA.

Osaka Ko Approach—Existence of Wreck.

No. 253 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 785 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 15 cables, 255° (*S. 80° W. Mag.*), from the light on the end of the northern breakwater.

Lat. 34° 38′ N., long. 135° 21¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck with mast displaying a red flag showing above water, and the stump of another mast also visible.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 16, Kobe and Osaka.

„ 3566, Izumi nada and Harima nada.

„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 123 of 1917. (*H. 4109/17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASAMPO APPROACH.

Channel Reef Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 254 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 790 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 35° 04½′ N., long. 128° 40¼′ E.

New abridged description—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 34 ft., vis. 11 m* (U).

Details.—The fixed white light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 flashes.	eclipse.
1½ secs.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—34 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles.
Structure.—Circular concrete beacon painted in red and black horizontal bands.
Charts affected.—No. 3541, Masampo and Puto channel.
„ 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
Publications.—List of Lights. Part VI, 1917, No. 1777.
E.C. Korea, &c., Pilot 1913, page 68.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 138 of 1917. (*H. 4364/17.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay Approach—Buoys established.

No. 255 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 794 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) Tai-kung-tau reef :
Position.—At a distance of 12½ cables, 265° (*S. 89° W. Mag.*), from Tai-kung-tau lighthouse.
Lat. 35° 57½′ N., long. 120° 27½′ E.
Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "11."

(*b*) Hai hsi shoal :
Position.—At a distance of eight-tenths of a cable, 20° (*N. 24° E. Mag.*), from the centre of the 1¼-fathom head on Hai hsi shoal.
Lat. 35° 57¼′ N., long. 120° 16½′ E.
Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "9."

(*c*) Dangerous rock (Ku tsi yang) :
Position.—At a distance of three-quarters of a cable, 8° (*N. 12° E. Mag.*), from the beacon on Dangerous rock.
Lat. 35° 59¼′ N., long. 120° 19½′ E.
Description.—A red truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered ("1V").
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 412; Revised Supplement, 1917.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 113 of 1917. (*H. 4108/17.*)

The 24th September 1917.

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 244 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 740 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 635 of 1917 (*this Office No. 214 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished :

Aden, Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir), ____| |____, Karachi, Bombay and vicinity, Colombo, Barberyn, Madras, Puri, Shortt island, Balasore, Calcutta and Hughli river approaches, Rangoon river approaches, Port Blair in the Andaman islands, Penang, Singapore.

All lights in the Persian gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice. Vessels should arrange to arrive at their destinations during daylight hours.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6·0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise; vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4422/17.*)

CHINA SEA—FOOCHOW DISTRICT.

Approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, Ragged Point—Uncharted rock.

No. 245 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 642 of 1917) that an uncharted rock has been found in the approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, about ¾ cable to the north-eastward of Ragged Point. There is said to be a least depth of 7 feet over the rock at low water of spring tides.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST, SPENCER GULF.

Tipara Reef Light—Alteration in Sectors.

No. 246 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 80 of 1917.

Subject.—The bearings of the White and Red Sectors have been altered.

Position.—Lat. 34° .04′ S., long. 137° .24′ E.

Sectors.—Shows *White* from 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.) through North, East and South to 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.).

Red from 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.) to 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.).

White from 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.) through West to 318½° (N. 46° W. Mag.).

Red from 318½° (N. 46°. W. Mag.) to 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.).

Remarks.—The above bearings are to be substituted for those given in Notice No. 80 of 1917.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Wallaroo and Tipara Bays
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759b, Australia—Southern Portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 244.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1917.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Gibbon—Mooring buoy established.

No. 247 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1917) that on or about July 18th, 1917, a Mooring Buoy will be placed about 70 fathoms E.S.E. of the sea end of Port Gibbon Jetty.

Approximate position.—Lat. 33° 49′ S., long. 136° 48′ 30″ E.

Charts affected.—Nos. 2389 and 2389B.

Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 218.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Victoria—Buoy established to mark the wreck of the "Songvaar."

No. 248 (second publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1917) that a Green Buoy with the word "Wreck" painted on it in white letters has been placed to mark the sunken wreck of the *Songvaar*. The Buoy is about 30 fathoms N.W. x N. of the northernmost part of wreck.

Approximate position.—Lat. 34° 27′ S., long. 137° 23′ E.

Charts affected.—Nos. 752, 2389 and 2389B.

Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 238.

The 20th September 1917.

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—SAN TO.

Sei To—Occasional Fog-Signal established.

No. 242 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 712 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At the lighthouse on the southern extreme of Shou wol shau.
Lat. 34° 00½′ N., long. 127° 19½′ E.

Description.—A gun which gives two reports, with an interval of three minutes between each report, when a vessel's fog-signals are first heard. Should the vessel's signals continue to be heard, the firing of the gun will be repeated in a similar manner.

Charts affected.—No. 1280, Tonai kai and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 3365, Port Hamilton to Mackau group.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 2347, Honshū, Kiusiu and Shikoku, &c.
„ 1262, Hongkong to Gulf of Liau-tung.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1763.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 48.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 125 of 1917. (*H. 4110/17.*)

CHINA, SOUTH COAST—HONGKONG APPROACH.

Kap Sing Island Light—Alteration in Period.

No. 243 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 719 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 22° 20½′ N., long. 114° 03¾′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 10 sec., 124 ft., vis. 5 m.*

Alteration.—The period of the *group flashing white* light has been altered from twenty seconds to *ten seconds*, the light showing thus :—

Flash,	eclipse,	flash,	eclipse.
1 sec.	1 sec.	1 sec.	7 secs.

Charts affected.—No. 3632, Wan chu chau to Brothers point.
„ 3280, Hongkong waters—west.
„ 1466, Hongkong.
„ 3681, Kap sing mun to Boca Tigris—southern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1513
China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, page 486.

Authority.—King's Harbour Master, Hongkong. (*H. 2472/17.*)

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

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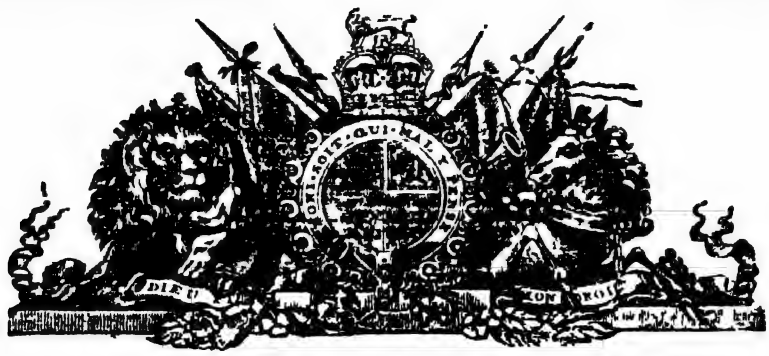

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1915-16, the area under the cotton crops in Bengal has represented some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under cotton in India.)

THERE are two crops—early and late. The early crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, in the State of Hill Tippera and to a small extent in the districts of Bankura, Midnapore and Mymensingh. The late crop is grown in Bankura and Midnapore only.

Character of the season.—The weather has up to date been generally favourable for both crops except in Midnapore, where the rainfall in June and July has been too heavy. The present condition of the crop is on the whole promising.

Area sown.—The area sown with early cotton is reported to be 71,130 acres this year against 70,806 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Of the late crop 700 acres are reported to have been sown up to date against the same figure in the corresponding forecast of last year.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA.

The 4th October 1917.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 8th October 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report, there was heavy rain accompanied by storm over the greater part of the province. The fall was heavy in the western and northern parts of Bengal and generally moderate elsewhere. The recent rain has benefited the winter paddy but has retarded the preparation of lands for *rabi* crops. The steeping and washing of jute continue. The prospects of winter paddy are generally reported to be highly satisfactory. Cattle-disease exists in six districts. The average price of common rice for the province has risen by 0·47 per cent., as compared with that of the last week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4.	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	6·66	9	9	Weather occasionally cloudy. Steeping of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy still continue. Cultivation of *rabi* crops has been retarded in Basirhat subdivision owing to heavy rain. Prospects of standing crops are good. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Diamond Harbour.	9·89	9 1/16	10	
	Barrackpore	6·20	8	8	
	Barasat ...	7·11	9	9	
	Basirhat ...	8·32	8½	8½	
2	Nadia ...	6·93	9 1/16	10	Weather stormy and rainy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops has been retarded by heavy rain. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	2·02	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	4·68	8	8½	
	Chuadanga...	3·26	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	6·94	9	9	
3	Murshidabad	10 62	10½	10½	Weather cyclonic and cloudy with heavy rain. It is favourable to winter paddy but unfavourable for *rabi* pulses. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Slight damage has been done to *kalai* by flood. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	4·64	10	10	
	Jangipur ...	4·86	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	4·01	11	11½	
4	Jessore ..	4·00	9	9	Weather cloudy and rainy. Harvesting and steeping of jute are going on. Prospects of paddy and jute are good.
	Jhenidah ...	5·05	10	11	
	Magura ...	2·97	10	11	
	Narail ...	1·66	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	3·61	10	11⅜	
5	Khulna ...	9·96	8	8	Weather rainy and cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Katchua and Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	6·26	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	8·72	8½	8	
6	Burdwan ...	8·92	9½	9	Weather was cyclonic but is clearing up. The heavy rainfall has injured autumn paddy. Standing crops in riverside areas have also been damaged by floods. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute and weeding of winter paddy are going on. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from Jamuria and Ondal thanas. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	6·00	10	10	
	Katwa ...	3·92	11½	11½	
	Kalna ...	3·97	10¼	10¼	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
7	BIRBHUM ...	6·77	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Damage to standing rice by insects locally known as "bhenpu" is decreasing. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Rajnagar.
	Rampurhat	3·46	11½	11	
8	BANKURA ...	5·50	12	11½	Weather cloudy. Harvesting of *aus* paddy has been retarded by rain. Winter rice has been slightly damaged by "bhenpu" insects. There has been slight inundation in "Damodar" area. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Simlapal and Taldangra thanas.
	Vishnupur ...	8·84	11	11	
9	MIDNAPORE	8·57	10½	10 1/16	Rain apparently now over. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Harvesting of autumn paddy is practically completed and that of jute still continues No serious damage to standing crops has as yet been reported owing to recent heavy rain.
	Ghatal ...	8·05	9⅞	10	
	Tamluk ...	11·99	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Contai ...	10·93	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	4·42	9½	9½	Weather rainy. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy continue. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	3·26	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10½	
11	HOWRAH ...	6·80	8¼	8¼	Weather rainy. Jute is being harvested. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	4·47	8½	8½	
2	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	7·08	8	8	Weather stormy for the last few days of the week. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping of jute continues.
	Naogaon ...	2·13	9½	9½	
	Nator ...	1·96	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	19·27	9	9	Weather rainy. Steeping of jute is in progress. Transplantation of winter rice is completed. Water and fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	1·66	9½	10	
	Balurghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9 3/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	11·80	8	8	Weather seasonable. Rain is favourable to winter paddy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Transplantation of winter paddy is over. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	1·67	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	18·27	8	8	Weather cyclonic. Harvesting of potatoes, cardamom, marua and maize is in progress. Prospects of winter rice are good. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Teesta and Kolbong. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	8·18	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	1·71	10	9	
	Kalimpong...	2·09	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	22	8	9	Weather cyclonic. Transplanting of winter paddy is finished. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. The recent heavy rain has flooded standing crops in some villages. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	18	8	8	
	Kurigram ...	0·52	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	1·77	8	8	
17	BOGRA ...	6·92	9½	9½	Weather rainy. Prospects of winter rice is good. Harvesting of jute is almost completed. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	7·78	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 3·16 inches. Weather cloudy and rainy. Harvesting of jute is over. The water of the Ganges is going down slowly. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease.
	Sirajganj ...	1·33	8	8	
19	MALDA ...	10·72	9	9½	Weather cyclonic. Recent rain has been beneficial to winter paddy. Flood has damaged *kalai* in *diara* land. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	12·98	9⅜	9⅜	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *haimanti* seedlings is finished. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue briskly. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
21	DACCA ...	2·64	9	9	Weather cool with heavy rainstorms. *Aman* paddy in parts of Sadar subdivision has been damaged by gales. Damage from other subdivisions has not yet been reported. Harvesting of jute and transplanting of paddy are almost finished. Outturn of jute is excellent. Rice and paddy are being imported from neighbouring districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	3·64	(*n*)	9	
	Narayanganj	3·60	8⅜	8⅜	
	Munshiganj*	1·10	8½	8½	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	8·02	7 3/16	7 3/16	Weather cloudy. There was a tornado in the town on the night of the 7th instant, but no loss of life is reported yet. Harvesting of jute is nearly over; there has been no damage. Transplantation of winter rice is nearly over. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·51	8	8	
	Tangail ...	1·07	8 3/16	8 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	1·72	7 9/16	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	1·55	8	8	
23	FARIDPUR ...	4·41	8	8¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is nearly completed. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	1·85	10	9½	
	Madaripur ...	4·76	8	8	
	Gopalganj†...	3·53	8	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	7·17	7¾	7¾	Weather cyclonic. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from parts of Bhola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	6·95	7½	7½	
	Patuakhali...	6·18	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	5·78	7	7¾	
25	CHITTAGONG	1·74	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is finished. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 7 and 6½ seers per rupee both at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	4·30	9½	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	1·31	9½	9½	Weather seasonable but rainy. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished; steeping and retting are going on but are being retarded in places owing to shortage of water. Very little jute is standing. Transplantation of *aman* paddy is finished; prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported except from some villages in Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	1·61	9⅜	9⅜	
	Chandpur ...	2·98	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	7·04	8½	8½	Weather cloudy with frequent showers. Cattle-disease is reported from Sudharam thana. Salt is selling at 8 seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	3·33	9¼	9½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	2·29	8	8	Weather cloudy. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	4	0	4	9	0	0	2	1½	0	2	3
„ medium ...	4	14	0	5	3	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	1	0	4	15	0	0	2	1½	0	2	3
„ medium ...	5	0	0	5	6	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	5	0	3	10	0	0	2	0	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	10	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	6	0	.....			.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	6	0	3	12	0	0	1	6	0	1	9
4. „ dal	4	7	0	4	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	4	10	0	5	8	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	4	6	0	4	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	4	0	5	6	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	8	0	3	3
8. Kalai „	5	0	0	5	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
9. Salt	3	15	0	4	7	0	0	2	0	.....		
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	6	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	0
11. Gur, Bheli	9	0	0	.....			0	3	6	.....		
„ Bhursut	.....			.....			.....			.....		
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	15	2	0	17	0	0	0	6	6	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	8	0	7	3	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	3	10	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	4	8	0									
„ „ B	7	7	0									
16. Suji	6	15	0	7	10	0	0	3	0	.....		
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	77	0	0	.....			1	11	0	1	12	0
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Rufo, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	63	0	0	.....			1	10	0	1	11	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	57	0	0	.....			1	7	0	1	8	0
18. Maize	2	4	0	2	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
19. Potato	5	4	0	6	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
20. Patal	3	4	0	4	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
22. Onion	3	4	0	3	8	0	0	1	3	0	2	0
23. Fish, Rahu	25	0	0	30	0	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
25. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	2	5	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 8th October 1917.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hát ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 6	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 0	13 0	11 8
	2	Magra Hát ...	9 1	9 6	7 4	10 8	10 0	7 10	8 0	8 0	7 5	7 4	7 9	6 10	9 7	10 0	13 7
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata ...	7 0	7 0	5 14	8 0	9 0	8 12	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	7 4	7 1	10 0	10 8	11 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	9 6	9 6	6 10	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 10	6 10	5 11	7 4	8 0	6 2	13 5	13 5	14 8
	5	Ranaghat	9 0	8 0	6 0	10 0	9 0	6 12	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 4	6 4	6 0	10 8	10 8	10 8†
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	10 8	10 0	7 0	10 12	10 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	13 0	14 0†
	7	Kandi	11 8	12 8	8 0	12 0	13 0	8 4	5 4	5 8	5 4	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	10 8	10 8	7 8	11 8	11 8	8 4	5 8	6 8	7 0	8 0	9 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	15 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	9 0	7 8	10 0	10 8	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	5 8	6 8	11 8	8 0 (a)	12 0
	10	Bangaon	8 0	8 3	7 3	11 1	11 7	7 10	5 5	5 5	5 5	7 2	7 2	6 6	9 12	9 12	12 13
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 4	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	10 8
	12	Bagerhat ..	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	10 0	10 0	10 0
Burdwan.		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	9 0	9 0	7 0	10 8	10 0	8 0	8 8	8 8	7 0	9 0	9 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	16 0
	14	Kalna	9 12	9 10	7 4	10 4	10 0	7 8	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 12	5 4	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	11 8	10 12	7 8	12 0	11 4	8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	13 0	12 0	11 0
	16	Rampur Hát	10 8	10 12	8 0	11 0	11 4	8 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	13 0	13 0	14 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	10 8	11 0	8 0	11 4	11 8	8 12	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	6 0	10 0	10 8	13 0
	18	Vishnupur	10 8	10 8	7 8	11 0	11 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	6 0	10 8	10 8	11 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	10 1	9 11	7 11	10 12	10 12	8 1	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 8	8 0	9 0	10 12
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	8 12	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 0	9 0	9 0	13 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 4	9 0	9 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	11 0
	22	Arambagh ...	10 0	10 0	7 8	10 4	10 10	8 6	5 8	5 8	6 2	6 0	5 8	5 8	9 8	10 8	12 12
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 2	8 4	7 4	9 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	10 4	13 0
	24	Uluberia	8 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	10 0	10 0	13 12
Rajshahi.		Rajshahi.															
	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	7 14	7 14	7 8	8 4	8 4	7 5	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	9 0	9 0	9 12
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hát.	9 0	9 0	7 13	9 9	9 8	8 6	6 0	5 11	6 0	7 13	7 13	6 10	8 0	9 0	12 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	8 0	7 4	9 8	10 0	8 4	9 0	9 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	11 0

† Karkatch. (a) Revised.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of September 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 12	7 12	6 8	8 8	8 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 8	5 8	4 8	7 0	7 0	8 0
	30	Siliguri	7 0	7 0	6 0	10 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	10 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 12	8 4	8 4	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 4	5 0	5 0	5 4	9 0	8 0	9 8
	32	Nilphamari ...	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	8 0	9 12	11 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	7 12	9 6	9 6	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 4	8 4	12 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 2	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	10 4	10 4	9 12
	35	Sirajganj	7 8	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 12	7 0	7 0	6 4	11 8	11 12	12 8
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	8 8	8 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	7 8	6 8	6 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	12 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	10 0	10 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	7 0	6 12	6 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 4	9 0	12 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 10	7 8	6 12	9 8	9 8	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	7 0	6 8	6 8	8 8	8 8	11 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	8 4	8 0	7 0	8 4	8 0	7 0	...	..	...	...	...	6 4	8 0	8 0	10 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	7 11	7 9	6 14	8 3	8 1	7 2	5 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 8	10 0	11 12
	41	Netrakona	7 9	7 9	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 4	7 4	5 10	9 0	9 0	10 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 12	8 12	7 8	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	5 8	8 0	8 0	11 4
	43	Gosaindo ...	9 0	8 0	7 6	10 0	9 10	7 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	8 0	8 0	10 15
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	8 4	7 8	7 4	9 0	8 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	6 0	10 4	10 4	12 0
	45	Pirojpur	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	11 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 8	7 6	6 6	8 0	7 8	6 14	5 4	5 5	4 9	6 6	6 6	5 5	8 0	8 0	10 11
	47	Chandpur ...	7 8	7 6	6 7	9 4	8 14	8 4	9 0	9 2	10 0	6 6	6 8	5 0	8 0	8 0	12 8
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	8 0	8 0	10 8†
	49	Feni Hat	8 0	8 12	6 7	9 12	9 8	8 8	8 4	8 4	6 8	*	*	...	8 4	8 12	12 0
		Chittagong.															
Chittagong.	50	Sadar	9 8	9 0	7 8	10 8	10 8	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	14 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	9 8	9 8	7 8	9 8	9 9	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	10 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	8 8	12 0	12 0	10 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	4 0	6 8	6 8	8 0

* This article is not at present sold here.

† Crushed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 8th October 1917.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second half of September 1917.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	6 3 0
Ghatia Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	3 12 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	3 4 0	5 2 0	5 4 0	9 0 0	3 13 0	4 0 0	5 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	2 11 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	6 4 0	4 0 0	4 2 0	5 4 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	5 4 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	5 8 0	5 10 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 8 0
Serajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 4 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 12 0

MARTS.	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Ghatia Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 7 0	4 9 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	3 14 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	5 4 0 to 5 8 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 8 0	4 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0
Serajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 8 0

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MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 13 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	13 0 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	22 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	6 0 0 to 7 4 0	6 4 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	28 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 8 0	.....*	.....	6 4 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	5 0 0	4 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	11 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 11 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	6 4 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	11 8 0	.....	.....	.....

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MARTS	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	62 0 0	450 0 0	Per 100 pieces. 400 0 0	375 0 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	7 8 0	56 0 0	58 0 0	54 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	42 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	300 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 300 0 0	350 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 60 0 0 60 0 0	to 60 0 0 60 0 0	to 58 0 0 53 0 0	275 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 275 0 0	325 0 0
Chandpur ...	4 4 0 to 6 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 12 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	58 0 0	57 0 0	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	5 2 0 to 6 8 0	5 12 0 to 6 14 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	4 4 0 to 5 8 0	5 8 0 to 7 0 0	8 8 0 to 9 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	52 0 0	51 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	5 8 0	5 8 0	9 0 0	58 0 0	58 0 0	56 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	3 0 0

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MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	24 0 0	20 0 0	14 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 9 6(a)
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	14 0 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	3 11 0	4 2 0	2 6 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	2 12 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 17 0 0	3 0 0 to 17 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	4 4 0	4 1 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0(a)
Chittagong ...	17 0 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	2 12 0	2 1 6	2 1 6	1 12 6(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	(c)	12 0 0	13 0 0	4 12 0	4 8 0	3 4 0*	3 1 6	3 1 0	2 12 3(a)
Narayanganj...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	18 12 0	18 8 0	13 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	3 11 0	3 3 0	3 3 6	2 13 0(a)
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	14 0 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0‡	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 15 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Paura. | ‡ Crushed. | (c) Not reported.

MARTS.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	15 0 0	14 8 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 6 0
Burdwan ...	15 8 0	15 4 0	14 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	0 5 3
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 8 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 2 3	0 1 3
Midnapore ...	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	17 0 0 to 19 0 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	17 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	19 0 0	18 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	16 8 0	16 8 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	18 0 0	17 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CALCUTTA,
The 8th October 1917.

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Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions.	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan.	1	Burdwan ...	718,380	725,805	1,444,185	4,540	*37·01*	17	20	*·16*	56	*·46*	...	...	2,064	*16·82*
	2	Birbhum ...	458,931	467,411	926,342	2,878	*36·58*	102	18	*·23*	7	*·09*	...	...	1,439	*18·29*
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	3,033	*33·02*	...	115	*1·25*	13	*·14*	...	...	1,881	*20·48*
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	7,105	*30·55*	166	201	*·86*	16	*·07*	...	...	3,469	*14·92*
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	465,970	472,645	938,615	2,271	*28·49*	2	56	*·70*	2	*·03*	...	...	1,236	*15·50*
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,861	*29·54*	22	66	*1·05*	2	*·03*	...	...	496	*7·87*
Total of Division for month.			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	21,688	*32·44*	309	476	*·71*	96	*·14*	...	...	10 585	*15·83*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						18,615	*27·92*	188	1,383	*2 07*	312	*·46*	1	·001	11,278	*16·91*
Presidency.	7	24-Parganas ...	970,880	914,740	1,885,590	4,959	*26·59*	42	33	*·20*	21	*·13*	...	..	1,567	*9·78*
	8	Nadia ...	765,499	756,429	1,521,928	4,745	*36·71*	86	6	*·04*	1	*·01*	...	...	1,808	*13·99*
	9	Murshidabad ...	635,265	653,506	1,288,791	4,636	*42·35*	183	1	*·01*	14	*·13*	...	...	2,033	*18·57*
	10	Jessore ...	889,399	847,767	1,737,066	4,357	*29·53*	149	19	*·13*	1	*·01*	...	...	1,899	*12·87*
	11	Khulna ...	693,187	644,892	1,337,579	3,150	*27·73*	115	84	*·74*	...	...	...	...	1,413	*12·34*
Total of Division for month.			3,954,130	3,816,834	7,770,954	21,147	*32·04*	575	141	*·21*	37	*·06*	...	...	8,720	*13·21*
Total of corresponding month of previous year						14,792	*22·47*	404	439	*·66*	111	*·16*	...	...	9,854	*14·97*
Rajshahi.	12	Rajshahi ...	737,640	711,290	1,448,930	3,496	*28·41*	260	6	*·05*	9	*·07*	...	...	3,155	*25·64*
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,238	791,690	1,671,918	4,600	*32·39*	171	78	*·55*	102	*·72*	...	...	3,748	*26·39*
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,214	890,895	2,570	*33·97*	173	63	*·83*	77	*1·02*	...	...	2,235	*29·54*
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,337	113,634	240,971	846	*41·34*	48	1	*·05*	3	*·15*	...	...	683	*33·37*
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	6,645	*33·03*	454	39	*·19*	94	*·47*	...	...	5,155	*25·62*
	17	Bogra ...	495,020	475,846	970,866	1,866	*22·64*	99	20	*·24*	...	...	...	...	1,086	*13·18*
	18	Pabna ...	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	2,694	*22·91*	133	9	*·08*	84	*·71*	...	...	2,014	*17·13*
	19	Maida ...	477,714	485,051	962,765	2,877	*35·18*	91	1	*·01*	6	*·07*	...	...	1,764	*21·45*
Total of Division for month.			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,381	25,594	*30·32*	1,429	217	*·26*	375	*·44*	...	...	19,850	*23·49*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						18,687	*22·19*	946	210	*·24*	125	*·14*	...	...	17,307	*20·55*
Dacca.	20	Dacca ...	1,396,861	1,426,114	2,822,975	5,378	*22·42*	301	6	*·02*	6	*·02*	...	...	2,355	*9·75*
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,509	2,133,844	4,404,353	9,345	*24·98*	457	30	*·08*	164	*·44*	...	...	6,472	*17·30*
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,893	1,032,817	2,089,710	4,580	*25·81*	167	14	*·08*	...	...	...	...	2,256	*12·71*
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,212,560	1,167,733	2,380,293	5,163	*25·54*	144	8	*·04*	11	*·05*	...	...	2,378	*11·76*
Total of Division for month.			5,935,823	5,763,008	11,698,331	24,466	*24·62*	1,069	58	*·06*	181	*·18*	...	...	13,444	*13·53*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						18,665	*18·83*	848	190	*·19*	128	*·12*	...	..	10,374	*10·46*
Chittagong.	24	Chittagong ...	701,950	773,339	1,475,289	5,827	*46·50*	485	...	...	6	*·05*	...	...	4,170	*33·28*
	25	Noakhali ...	641,532	653,549	1,295,081	5,642	*33·11*	324	27	*·25*	4	*·03*	...	...	1,895	*17·22*
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	5,036	*24·99*	318	2	*·01*	...	...	...	...	2,405	*11·94*
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month.			2,552,124	2,590,680	5,142,804	14,505	*33·21*	1,027	29	*·07*	10	*·02*	..	...	8,470	*19·39*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						12,747	*29·26*	819	215	*·49*	17	*·03*	...	...	7,398	*16·98*
Total of month for Bengal			21,501,030	20,920,976	42,421,996	107,400	*29·81*	4,409	921	*·26*	699	*·19*	...	...	61,049	*16·94*
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						83,506	*23·24*	3,205	2,437	*·67*	693	*·19*	1	·0002	56,208	*15·64*
Increase + or Decrease -						+23,894	*+6·57*	+1,204	-1,516	*-·41*	+6	Equal	-1	-·0002	+4,841	*+1·30*

REMARKS.—The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons

CALCUTTA,
The 28th September 1917.

of Bengal, for the month of July 1917.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	DISTRICTS.
61	*·50*	29	*·24*	66	*·54*	752	*6·13*	1,635	1,413	3,048	*24·85*	1,393	1,640	3,033	*28·88*	1	Burdwan.
3	*·04*	1	*·01*	41	*·52*	259	*3·29*	943	825	1,768	*22 47*	1,299	1,181	2,480	*31·60*	2	Birbhum.
41	*·45*	9	*·10*	66	*·71*	505	*5 50*	1,373	1,256	2,629	*28 62*	1,513	1,385	2,898	*31 63*	3	Bankura.
97	*·42*	9	*·04*	164	*·71*	970	*4 17*	2,548	2,378	4,926	*21·18*	2,713	2,500	5,213	*22 47*	4	Midnapore.
81	*1·02*	16	*·20*	89	*1·12*	370	*4·64*	969	881	1,850	*23·21*	952	851	1,803	*22 67*	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
192	*3 05*	36	*·57*	75	*1·19*	273	*4 33*	624	516	1,140	*18·10*	623	535	1,158	*18 43*	6	Howrah.
475	*·71*	100	*·15*	500	*·75*	3,129	*4·68*	8,092	7,269	15,361	*22·98*						
538	*·80*	110	*·16*	400	*·60*	3,066	*4·59*	8,993	8,092	17,085	*25·62*						
35	*·22*	18	*11*	148	*·92*	429	*2·68*	1,321	1,029	2,350	*14 04*	1,317	1,090	2,407	*15 07*	7	24-Parganas.
6	*·05*	7	*·05*	124	*·96*	543	*4·20*	1,353	1,141	2,494	*19·29*	1,100	1,447	2,547	*19 75*	8	Nadia
2	*·02*	1	*·01*	136	*1·15*	661	*5·31*	1,412	1,346	2,758	*25 20*	1,675	1,446	3,121	*28 59*	9	Murshidabad.
7	*·05*	8	*·05*	171	*·75*	310	*2·10*	1,293	1,062	2,355	*16·96*	1,510	1,259	2,769	*18 82*	10	Jessore.
18	*·15*	6	*·05*	107	*·94*	588	*4·90*	1,185	1,001	2,186	*19·14*	1,192	1,087	2,279	*20 11*	11	Khulna
68	*·10*	40	*·06*	616	*·93*	2,421	*3·67*	6,464	5,579	12,043	*18·25*						
91	*·13*	50	*·08*	591	*·79*	2,048	*3·11*	7,094	6,029	13,123	*19·93*						
7	*·06*	2	*02*	107	*·87*	311	*2·53*	1,816	1,781	3,597	*29·23*	1,696	1,428	2,924	*23 82*	12	Rajshahi.
...	...	1	*01*	80	*·56*	109	*·77*	2,212	1,906	4,118	*29 00*	1,937	1,593	3,530	*24 92*	13	Dinajpur.
166	*2·18*	17	*·22*	97	*·36*	185	*2·44*	1,516	1,253	2,769	*36·60*	1,214	1,067	2,281	*30 21*	14	Jalpaiguri.
176	*8·60*	5	*·24*	18	*·64*	142	*6 94*	496	525	1,021	*49 99*	510	501	1,011	*49·53*	15	Darjeeling.
7	*03*	4	*·02*	93	*·46*	184	*91*	3,024	2,551	5,575	*27·71*	2,601	2,176	4,778	*23 81*	16	Rangpur
10	*·12*	5	*·06*	53	*·64*	122	*1·48*	675	621	1,296	*15·73*	790	720	1,510	*18 37*	17	Bogra.
7	*·06*	2	*·02*	64	*·54*	124	*1·05*	1,283	1,021	2,304	*19·59*	852	772	1,624	*13·84*	18	Pabna.
...	...	...	...	55	*·79*	315	*3·85*	1,170	971	2 141	*26·18*	1,232	1,004	2,236	*27·42*	19	Malda
372	*·44*	36	*·04*	801	*·59*	1,493	*1·77*	12,194	10,629	22,823	*27·04*						
402	*·48*	45	*05*	465	*·55*	1,340	*1·59*	10,733	9,161	19,894	*23·63*						
118	*·49*	20	*·08*	93	*·39*	763	*3·18*	1,853	1,491	3,344	*13·94*	1,565	1,250	2,815	*11·76*	20	Dacca
22	*06*	31	*·08*	143	*·38*	1,080	*2·89*	4,270	3,672	7,942	*21·23*	3,068	2,471	5,539	*14·84*	21	Mymensingh
26	*·15*	9	*·05*	126	*·71*	604	*3·40*	1,649	1,386	3,035	*17 10*	1,427	1,181	2,608	*14 73*	22	Faridpur
24	*·14*	1	*·004*	181	*·80*	991	*4 90*	1,972	1,606	3,578	*17·70*	2,007	1,716	3,722	*18 46*	23	Bakarganj
194	*·19*	61	*·06*	523	*·53*	3,438	*3·46*	9,744	8,155	17,899	*18·01*						
240	*·24*	35	*·03*	602	*·60*	3,109	*3·13*	8,067	6,617	14,684	*14 81*						
30	*·18*	2	*·02*	95	*76*	113	*·89*	2,380	2,175	4,405	*35·16*	1,784	1,909	3,693	*29 55*	24	Chittagong.
15	*14*	...	...	97	*·88*	359	*3·26*	1,233	1,174	2,407	*21·79*	1,116	1,113	2,231	*20 33*	25	Noakhali.
53	*·26*	5	*·02*	118	*59*	533	*2·67*	1,753	1,387	3,120	*15·48*	1,855	1,349	3,204	*15 94*	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
67	*·20*	7	*02*	310	*·71*	1,009	*2·31*	5,186	4,736	9,922	*22 72*						
98	*·21*	23	*·05*	334	*·76*	1,048	*2·40*	4,757	4,371	9,128	*20 96*						
1,196	*·33*	344	*·07*	3,450	*·68*	11,489	*3·19*	41,680	36,368	78,048	*21 66*						
1,370	*·38*	373	*·07*	3,333	*·64*	10,611	*2 95*	39,644	34,270	73,914	*20·57*	39,644	34,270	73,914	*20·57*		
+174	*-·05*	-28	Equal	+138	*+·04*	+878	*+·24*	+3,036	+2,099	+4,134	*+1 09*						

Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.

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Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER	
			Male	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN	1	Burdwan ...	10,537	15,394	25,931	30	9·83	...	2	·66	...	...	...	...	24	7·87
	2	Kalna ...	4,521	4,082	8,603	11	15·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10·95
	3	Katwa ...	3,459	3,445	6,904	10	17·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·41
	4	Dainhat ...	2,534	2,808	5,342	11	24·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·81
	5	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	44	33·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	12·16
	6	Asansol ...	12,486	9,433	21,919	63	33·84	1	2	1·07	...	...	...	...	9	4·83
BIRBHUM ...	7	Suri ...	4,907	4,224	9,131	5	6·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·29
BANKURA ...	8	Bankura ...	12,156	11,297	23,453	28	13 05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·53
	9	Vishnupur ...	10,025	10,453	20,478	45	25·87	...	1	·57	1	·57	...	...	13	7·47
	10	Sonamukhi ...	6,254	7,021	13,275	22	19·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	12·42
MIDNAPORE ...	11	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	32,740	46	16·54	1	5	1·80	...	...	...	...	18	6·47
	12	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12,064	5	4·88	2	3	2·93	...	...	...	...	12	11·71
	13	Khirai ...	4,714	4,125	8,839	9	11·99	...	1	1·33	...	...	...	...	2	2·66
	14	Chandrakona ...	4,084	4,087	8,171	19	27·55	1	1	1·45	...	...	...	...	6	8·70
	15	Ramjibanpur ...	4,224	4,257	9,481	14	19·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13·88
	16	Khirpai ...	2,294	2,311	4,605	4	10·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7·67
	17	Tamluk ...	4,355	3,895	8,050	9	13·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·93
HOOGHLY ...	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,817	13,099	28,916	73	29 72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	8·14
	19	Baneberia ...	3,443	2,665	6,108	5	9 64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·64
	20	Arambagh ...	4,061	3,987	8,048	16	23·41	...	1	1·46	...	...	...	...	7	10·24
	21	Serampore ...	19,639	12,439	32,078	55	20·19	...	3	1·10	...	...	...	...	12	4·40
	22	Rishra-Konnagore ...	10,794	6,722	17,516	36	24·20	3	2	1·34	...	...	...	...	4	2·69
	23	Uttarpara ...	4,412	2,961	7,373	10	15·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·79
	24	Kotrung ...	4,103	2,471	6,574	14	25·07	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·16
	25	Baidyabati ...	11,792	8,794	20,516	31	17·79	...	3	1·15	...	...	...	...	13	7·46
	26	Bhadreswar ...	15,862	8,491	24,353	19	9·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2·42
HOWRAH ...	27	Howrah ...	114,829	64,560	179,389	329	21 59	20	18	·85	1	·07	...	...	104	6·83
	28	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	24	14·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6·84
24-PARGANAS ...	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	74	18·08	5	1	·24	...	...	2	·49	27	6·60
	30	Maniktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	53	11·81	5	2	·44	...	...	...	...	25	5·47
	31	South Suburban ...	17,685	13,850	31,535	69	25 76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	5·60
	32	Tollygunj ...	11,183	7,290	18,433	27	17·25	...	2	1·28	...	...	...	...	11	7 03
	33	Garden Reach ...	27,665	17,630	45,295	66	17·16	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	6·76
	34	Budge-Budge ...	11,529	6,453	17,982	33	21·61	1	2	1·31	...	...	...	...	9	5·89
	35	Baranagar ...	14,982	10,913	25,895	38	17·28	3	5	2·27	...	...	...	...	17	7·73
	36	Kamarhati ...	11,243	6,772	18,015	37	24·18	1	2	1·31	...	...	...	...	19	12·42
	37	Bajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	20	20·29	...	2	2·03	...	...	...	...	12	12·17
	38	Baripur ...	3,907	2,468	6,375	12	22·16	...	1	1·85	...	...	...	...	7	12·93
	39	Jaynagar ...	4,631	4,614	9,245	8	10·19	...	2	2 55	...	...	...	...	11	14·01
	40	North Dum-Dum ...	5,151	3,714	8,865	10	13·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·66
	41	South Dum-Dum ...	7,760	5,114	12,874	18	16·46	...	...	...	1	·91	...	...	2	1·83
	42	South Barrackpore	3,988	2,043	5,031	6	14·04	...	2	4·68	...	...	...	...	4	9·36
	43	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	7	4·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·93
	44	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	14	14·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·18
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	29	21.18	...	2	1 46	...	...	...	...	8	5·84
	46	Titaghar	31,225	13,946	45,171	42	11 21	...	7	1·82	...	...	...	...	33	8·60
	47	Garulia	7,876	3,704	11,580	9	6·16	...	2	2·02	...	...	...	...	9	9 16
	48	Naihati	11,685	6,534	18,219	22	14·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·88
	49	Halisahar	8,371	5,052	13,423	12	10·52	...	1	·88	...	...	...	...	7	6·14
	50	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	54	12·61	...	3	·70	...	...	...	...	22	5·14
	51	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	13	17·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	10·72
	52	Gobardanga ...	3,533	2,537	5,070	9	20·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	27·87
	53	Basirhat	9,517	8,814	18,331	44	26·56	...	1	·64	...	...	...	...	15	9 63
	54	Baduria	7,088	6,622	13,680	21	18·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·44
	55	Taki	2,627	2,575	5,202	9	20 37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	22·83
CALCUTTA... ...	56	Calcutta	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,311	17·23	64	26	·34	...	...	4	·05	210	2·76
NADIA	57	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23,475	34	17·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·51
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,559	12,380	16	13·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·77
	59	Ranaghat	5,210	4,640	9,850	20	23 91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	11·95
	60	Birnagar	1,301	1,553	2,854	2	8·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13·31
	61	Santipur	12,186	14,517	26,703	35	37·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	5·73
	62	Chakdaha	2,469	2,462	4,931	9	21·49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	16·71
	63	Kushtia	3,556	2,539	6,095	9	17·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·93
	64	Kumarkhali ...	1,781	1,988	3,769	8	24·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·25
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	16	31·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·97
MURSHIDABAD ...	66	Berhampore ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	42	18 92	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	5·85
	67	Murshidabad ...	6,259	6,410	12,669	24	31·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	17·66
	68	Azimganj ...	6,725	5,602	12,327	39	27·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·46
	69	Kandi	6,212	6,426	12,638	19	17·70	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·59
	70	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	34	35·09	...	...	...	2	2·06	...	...	13	12·39
	71	Dhulian ...	4,016	4,282	8,298	17	24·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8·51
JESSORE ...	72	Jessore ...	5,404	3,507	8,911	8	10·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·32
	73	Kotchandpur ...	4,284	3,792	8,076	21	30·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10·21
	74	Maheshpur ...	2,105	2,106	4,211	7	19 57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	11·18
KHULNA ...	75	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	24	21·74	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	20·84
	76	Satkhira ...	5,802	5,100	10,902	5	5·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7·56
	77	Debhatta ...	2,607	2,682	5,289	8	17·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·68

the month of July 1917.

REGISTERED.

Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injuries including suicide.		Other causes.		Total all causes.				Total of corresponding month of previous year.				Town.
								Number.				Number.				
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
8	2·62	6	1·97	1	·33	7	2·29	32	16	48	15·73	24	14	42	13·80	1	Burdwan.
...	...	1	1·37	1	1·37	2	2·74	8	4	12	16·42	13	5	18	24·70	2	Kalna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·41	1	3	4	6·82	5	3	8	13·68	3	Katwa.
1	2·20	2	4·41	1	2·20	2	4·41	4	5	9	19·84	4	2	6	13 26	4	Dainhat.
4	3·04	1	·76	...	...	5	6·08	15	14	29	22·03	14	6	20	15·23	5	Raniganj.
1	·54	...	...	1	·54	22	11 62	18	17	35	18 80	19	11	30	16·15	6	Asansol.
...	...	1	1·29	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2·58	2	1	3	3·87	7	Suri.
9	4·52	3	1·51	1	·50	9	4·52	22	17	39	19·58	18	10	28	12·58	8	Bankura.
7	4·02	4	2·30	4	2·30	5	2·87	25	10	35	20·12	17	10	27	15·66	9	Vishnupur.
1	·89	...	...	1	·89	2	1·77	8	10	18	15·97	6	16	22	19 56	10	Sonamukhi
15	5·39	6	2·16	1	·36	17	6·11	31	31	62	22·30	24	23	47	16 94	11	Midnapore.
2	1·95	...	...	...	...	1	·98	9	9	18	17·57	14	15	29	28 38	12	Ghatal.
1	1·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	5·33	5	7	12	16·02	13	Khirar.
3	4·75	...	...	1	1·45	3	4·35	8	6	14	20·30	8	7	15	21·80	14	Chandrakona.
1	1.39	1	1 39	...	...	3	4 16	8	7	15	20·82	26	35	61	8 5·91	15	Ramjibanpur.
1	2·56	...	...	1	2·56	...	..	5	...	5	12·78	5	1	6	15·38	16	Khirpai.
1	1·46	...	...	...	...	4	5·85	2	5	7	10·24	7	4	11	16·13	17	Tamluk.
9	3·66	3	1·22	7	2·85	17	6·92	35	18	53	22·80	21	21	42	17·14	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
...	...	1	1·92	2	3·86	2	3·86	5	5	10	19·28	4	3	7	13·53	19	Bansberia.
5	7·31	...	...	...	...	10	14·63	12	11	23	33·65	6	7	13	19·07	20	Arambagh.
12	4·40	5	1·84	4	1·47	20	7·34	25	31	56	20 55	28	20	48	17·66	21	Serampore.
6	4·03	...	...	3	2·02	9	6·05	12	12	24	16·13	12	17	29	19 54	22	Bishra-Konnagore.
...	...	1	1·59	...	...	1	1·59	4	1	5	7·98	3	2	5	8 00	23	Uttarpara.
...	...	...	...	1	1·79	...	...	3	2	5	8·95	1	2	3	5 38	24	Kotrung.
9	5·17	5	2·87	2	1·15	9	5·16	18	22	40	22·96	16	14	30	16·11	25	Baidyabati.
1	·48	1	·48	...	...	4	1·93	7	4	11	5·32	14	9	23	11·15	26	Bhadreswar.
59	3·87	44	2 89	12	·79	104	6 83	176	161	337	22.12	203	160	363	23·89	27	Howrah.
6	3·15	2	1·05	2	1 05	3	1·58	14	12	26	13·67	8	10	18	9·48	28	Bally.
6	1·47	15	3·67	1	·24	27	6 60	30	49	79	19·31	43	46	89	21·81	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
21	4·60	23	5·04	3	·66	54	11·83	57	71	128	28·03	77	74	151	33 15	30	Maniktala.
4	1·49	9	3·36	2	·75	8	·75	23	9	32	11·95	17	14	31	11 60	31	South Suburban.
1	·63	2	1·26	...	...	...	...	6	10	16	10.22	5	10	15	9 60	32	Tollygunj.
7	1·82	13	3·38	1	·25	21	5 46	37	31	68	17·66	36	24	60	15·63	33	Garden Reach.
7	4·58	1	·65	4	2·62	2	1·31	16	9	25	16·37	6	9	15	9·84	34	Budge-Budge
10	4·55	1	·45	...	...	16	7·28	34	25	49	22·29	29	31	60	27 35	35	Baranagar
11	7·19	2	1·31	2	1·31	7	4·56	28	15	43	28·10	12	5	17	11·14	36	Kamarhati.
1	1·01	...	...	1	1 01	2	2·03	6	12	18	18·26	5	9	14	14 24	37	Rajpur.
1	1·85	1	1·85	...	...	...	...	3	7	10	18·47	3	5	14	25 92	38	Baruipur.
4	5·09	1	1·27	1	1·27	...	...	12	7	19	24·20	6	5	11	14·04	39	Jaynagar.
3	2·66	1	1·33	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	6·64	5	5	10	13·31	40	North Dum-Dum.
3	2·74	...	...	3	1·83	5	4·57	8	5	13	11 90	15	9	28	25·67	41	South Dum-Dum.
...	...	1	2·34	...	...	...	...	6	1	7	16·36	Figures not available.				42	South Barrackpore.
2	1·29	1	·64	...	...	...	...	4	2	6	3·86					43	Barrackpore.
6	6·35	4	4·24	...	...	4	4·24	10	7	17	18·00	10	6	16	16 99	44	Panihati
3	1·46	6	4·38	2	1·46	5	3 65	18	7	25	18·26	7	4	11	10 96	45	North Barrackpore.
9	2·35	3	·78	...	...	3	·78	31	24	55	14 34	38	21	59	15 39	46	Titaghar.
2	2·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	13	13·21	6	6	12	12·43	47	Garulia.
...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·52	8	5	13	8 40	6	11	17	11·01	48	Naihati.
1	·88	1	·88	...	...	...	...	3	7	10	8·76	10	4	14	12·31	49	Halisahar.
4	·93	1	·23	3	·70	4	·93	25	12	37	8·64	48	22	70	16 39	50	Bhatpara
...	...	...	...	1	1 34	...	..	6	3	9	12·05	7	7	14	18 80	51	Baraset
...	...	1	2·32	1	2 32	...	...	5	9	14	32·51	8	5	9	20·95	52	Gobardanga.
2	1·26	3	1·93	1	·64	5	3·21	16	11	27	17·34	10	12	22	14 16	53	Badurhat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·74	5	1	6	5·16	8	...	8	6·90	54	Baduria.
...	...	...	...	1	2·26	1	2·26	8	4	12	27·16	5	5	10	22·69	55	Taki.
173	2·27	250	3·28	28	·37	781	10·00	774	678	1,452	19·08	871	747	1,621	21·35	56	Calcutta.
...	...	1	·50	1	·50	4	2·01	6	9	15	7·52	8	4	12	6·03	57	Krishnagar.
5	4·72	...	...	1	·94	5	4·72	8	7	15	14·15	5	19	24	22·70	58	Nadia or Nabadwip.
5	5·98	...	...	2	2·39	4	5·98	12	10	22	26·30	4	6	10	11·98	59	Ramghat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	13·31	3	3	6	26 69	60	Birnagar.
...	...	3	1·32	2	·88	7	3·09	15	10	25	11 02	19	21	40	17·68	61	Santipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4·39	3	5	8	19·10	4	1	5	11 97	62	Chakdaha.
...	...	1	1·93	2	3 86	2	3·86	5	1	6	11 59	2	2	4	7·74	63	Kushtia.
...	...	1	3·12	...	...	2	6·25	...	5	5	15·62	10	4	14	43·85	64	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1 97	2	...	2	3·96	65	Meherpur.
4	1·80	2	·90	1	·45	14	6·31	19	15	34	15·31	18	15	33	14·90	66	Berhampur.
4	3·72	...	...	...	...	2	1·86	11	14	25	23·23	12	9	21	19·57	67	Murshidabad.
1	·95	...	...	...	...	2	1·91	4	11	15	14 33	11	16	27	27·77	68	Azimganj.
3	2·79	...	...	1	·93	1	·93	5	6	11	10 45	15	10	25	23·35	69	Kandi.
1	1·03	...	...	...	...	...	..	8	7	15	15·46	21	15	36	37·25	70	Jangipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	6	8·51	11	7	18	25·61	71	Dhulian.
2	2·64	1	1·32	1	1·32	...	...	4	1	5	6·61	6	1	7	9·27	72	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	1	1·46	...	...	5	3	8	11·66	2	3	5	7·30	73	Kotchaudpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·80	2	3	5	13·98	1	2	3	8·41	74	Maheshpur.
1	·91	1	·91	1	·91	...	...	12	14	26	23·56	6	2	8	7·26	75	Khulna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·08	5	3	8	8 64	2	4	6	6·49	76	Satkhira.
1	2·23	...	...	...	...	2	4·45	3	3	6	13·36	3	...	3	6·69	77	Debhata.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal

District.	Number.	Town	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
RAJSHAHI	78	Rampur-Boalia	13,057	10,349	23,406	47	23·64	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6·54
	79	Nator	4,609	3,742	8,351	10	14·27	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	7·14
DINAJPUR	80	Dinajpur	9,648	6,297	15,945	18	13·29	...	15	11·08	1	·73	...	...	3	2·22
JALPAIGURI	81	Jalpaiguri	7,547	4,218	11,765	17	17·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	12·00
DARJEELING	82	Darjeeling	11,631	7,374	19,005	28	17·35	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·34
	83	Kurseong	3,126	2,448	5,574	20	42·25	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	50·70
RANGPUR	84	Rangpur	10,309	6,920	16,429	12	8·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·87
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,389	3,824	9,113	4	5·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	14·21
	86	Sherpur	2,917	1,871	4,088	5	14·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	20·16
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,056	9,218	19,274	23	14·05	...	5	3·05	...	...	...	...	6	3·67
	88	Sirajganj	13,236	11,541	24,777	22	10·45	...	1	·47	...	...	...	...	6	2·85
MALDA	89	English Bazar	7,697	6,625	14,322	23	18·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·47
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	9	28·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·28
	91	Nawabganj	11,123	12,200	23,323	45	22·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6·08
DACCA	92	Dacca	63,091	45,460	108,551	268	29·07	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	6·72
	93	Narayanganj	18,738	9,138	27,876	47	19·85	2	3	1·27	...	...	...	...	15	6·34
MYMENSINGH	94	Mymensingh	13,462	6,391	19,853	23	13·64	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·15
	95	Muktagachha	3,922	2,633	6,555	15	26·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·59
	96	Netrakona	8,018	5,722	13,740	5	4·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·14
	97	Jamalpur	11,728	9,381	21,109	55	30·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	10·04
	98	Sherpur	8,516	7,075	15,591	31	23·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5·29
	99	Kishoreganj	9,508	8,518	18,026	40	26·13	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	7·18
	100	Bajitpur	5,447	5,386	10,833	5	5·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·17
	101	Tangail	8,493	7,869	16,362	18	11·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	7·92
FARIDPUR	102	Faridpur	8,017	5,114	13,131	30	17·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	10·76
	103	Madaripur	10,549	8,524	19,073	24	14·82	...	2	1·23	...	...	...	...	9	5·56
BAKARGANJ	104	Barisal	15,488	6,985	22,473	30	10·48	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·86
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	...	.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·94
	106	Nalchiti	1,454	499	1,953	1	6·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	107	Pirojpur	6,523	5,473	11,996	15	14·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·96
	108	Patuakhali	3,938	2,279	6,217	14	26·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·68
CHITTAGONG	109	Chittagong	18,779	9,987	28,766	45	18·42	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	4·91
	110	Cox's Bazar	2,102	2,270	4,378	15	40·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	18·83
NOAKHALI	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	14	23·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·72
TIPPERA	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	22,692	29	15·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3·63
	113	Brahmanbaria	11,671	10,624	22,295	47	24·62	...	1	·53	...	...	...	...	20	10·56
	114	Chandpur	9,062	3,655	12,717	18	16·67	...	1	·93	...	...	...	...	3	2·78
Total of month			1,781,510	1,125,741	2,907,251	4,848	18·42	135	127	·51	6	·02	6	·02	1,402	5·68
Total of corresponding month of previous year						5,834	15·57	158	256	1·03	46	·18	3	·01	1,408	5·71
Increase + or decrease −						+714	+2·85	−23	−129	−·52	−40	−·16	+3	+·01	−6	−·03

REMARKS.

The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses incomplete.

CALCUTTA,

The 29th September 1917.

for the month of July 1917—concld.

REGISTERED.

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					TOWN.
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
4	2·01	1	·50	..	...	3	1·51	13	8	21	10·56	8	10	18	9·07	78	Rampur-Boalia.
...	...	...	...	2	2·85	3	4·28	4	6	10	14·27	4	5	9	12·87	79	Nator.
2	1·48	6	4·43	...	...	5	3·69	18	14	32	23·63	9	4	13	9·62	80	Dinajpur.
3	3·00	1	1·00	...	...	9	9·01	19	6	25	25·02	8	1	9	9·03	81	Jalpaiguri.
4	2·47	3	1·86	...	...	8	4·96	9	13	22	13·63	14	15	29	18 01	82	Darjeeling.
4	8·45	2	4·22	...	...	5	10·56	21	14	35	73·93	17	19	36	76·25	83	Kurseong.
1	·72	2	1·43	1	·72	1	·72	6	3	9	6·45	10	6	16	11·49	84	Rangpur.
1	1·29	...	...	..	...	...	...	4	8	12	15·50	5	3	8	10·36	85	Bogra.
...	...	1	2·88	1	2·88	...	...	4	5	9	25·92	2	1	3	8·66	86	Sherpur
1	·61	3	1·83	...	...	1	·61	10	6	16	9·77	10	8	18	11·02	87	Pabna.
1	·47	1	·47	...	...	2	·95	5	6	11	5·22	4	4	8	3·81	88	Sirajganj.
1	·82	...	...	...	...	6	4·93	7	3	10	8·22	10	2	12	9·89	89	English Bazar.
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	6·28	...	4	4	12·59	90	Malda.
3	1·51	...	...	...	...	4	2·02	12	7	19	9·59	15	7	22	11·13	91	Nawabganj.
15	1·63	2	·22	2	·22	79	8·57	92	68	160	17·35	117	91	208	22·62	92	Dacca.
4	1·69	1	·42	1	·42	7	2·95	16	15	31	13·09	19	17	36	15·44	93	Narayanganj.
...	...	1	·59	...	...	10	5·93	13	5	18	10·68	14	7	21	12·48	94	Mymensingh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10·78	5	3	8	14·37	2	3	5	9·00	95	Muktagachha
...	...	1	·86	...	...	1	·86	5	3	8	6·86	3	3	6	5·15	96	Netrakona.
1	·56	5	2·79	2	1.12	14	7·81	23	17	40	22·31	14	11	25	13·98	97	Jamalpur.
...	...	...	...	1	·76	10	7·55	5	13	18	13·59	11	11	22	16·65	98	Sherpur.
2	1·31	3	1·96	2	1·31	2	1·31	12	8	20	13·06	2	9	11	7·20	99	Kishorganj.
1	1·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	3·26	3	3	6	6·53	100	Bajitpur.
...	...	1	·72	2	1·44	1	·72	11	4	15	10·79	5	5	10	7·21	101	Tangail.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·90	5	8	13	11·66	7	1	8	7·19	102	Faridpur.
1	·62	2	1·23	1	·62	10	6·17	16	9	25	15·43	13	14	27	16·71	103	Madaripur.
1	·52	...	...	...	...	4	2·10	12	8	20	10·48	3	2	5	2·62	104	Barisal.
...	...	1	1·97	...	...	2	3·94	3	2	5	9·85	1	3	4	7·89	105	Jhalakati
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	106	Nalchiti.
...	...	...	...	1	·98	3	2·94	4	2	6	5·89	2	...	2	1·96	107	Pirojpur.
...	...	...	...	5	9·47	...	...	7	1	8	15·15	1	5	6	11·39	108	Patuakhali.
5	2·05	...	...	...	...	13	4·91	19	10	29	11·87	7	11	18	7·38	109	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	7	18·83	...	3	3	8·09	110	Cox's Bazar.
1	1·67	...	...	1	1·67	2	3·36	4	4	8	13·44	1	1	2	3·36	111	Sudharam.
1	·52	...	...	...	...	3	1·56	6	5	11	5·71	10	4	14	7·28	112	Comilla.
1	·53	...	...	...	...	5	2·64	22	5	27	14·26	12	7	19	10·06	113	Brahmanbaria.
4	3·70	...	...	...	...	5	4·63	3	11	13	12·04	1	2	3	2·78	114	Chandpur.
530	2·15	474	1·92	135	·55	1,467	5·94	2,344	1,903	4,147	16·80						
615	2·49	568	2·30	101	·41	1,361	5·52	2,371	1,987	4,358	17·69	2,371	1,987	4,358	17·69		
-85	-·34	-94	-·38	+34	+·14	+106	+·42	-127	-84	-211	-·89						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases and in a few instances are obviously

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IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the August 1917, and the highest reading of each gauge over

RIVER GANGES.

Date	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 306·22 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar.(c) Zero of gauge 169·05 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·22 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft. (a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 265·97.	2nd September 1916. 244·30.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 202·30.		5th September 1901 and 4th August 1917. 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	28th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		20th April 1912. 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.	
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st	...	44·21	250·43	35·83	232·63	30·75	198·80	32·00	166·23	22·67	124·50
2nd	...	43·79	250·01	35·92	232·72	30·00	199·05	32·20	166·43	22·87	124·70
3rd	...	44·29	250·51	36·75	233·55	30·08	199·13	34·40	168·63	23·47	125·30
4th	...	44·71	250·93	37·17	233·97	30·50	199·55	35·50	169·73	24·47	126·10
5th	...	43·62	249·84	36·00	232·80	30·58	199·63	34·60	168·83	24·97	126·80
6th	...	41·46	247·68	34·50	231·30	30·50	199·55	33·80	168·03	25·37	127·20
7th	...	42·62	248·84	35·50	232·30	30·17	199·23	33·60	167·83	25·47	127·30
8th	...	44·87	251·09	37·25	234·05	30·50	199·55	32·60	166·83	25·47	127·30
9th	...	44·37	250·59	37·50	234·30	30·58	199·63	32·60	166·83	25·07	126·90
10th	...	42·21	248·43	35·00	231·80	30·42	199·47	33·00	167·23	24·87	126·70
11th	...	40·79	247·01	33·67	230·47	29·92	198·97	32·80	167·03	24·57	126·40
12th	...	41·29	247·51	34·50	231·30	29·58	198·63	32·00	166·23	24·27	126·10
13th	...	43·04	249·26	36·00	232·80	29·92	198·97	31·50	165·73	23·87	125·70
14th	...	45·19	251·24	38·50	235·30	30·42	197·97	32·20	166·43	23·67	125·50
15th	...	46·46	252·68	39·50	236·30	30·83	198·38	33·20	167·43	23·87	125·70
16th	...	46·79	253·01	39·75	236·55	31·08	198·63	32·50	166·73	23·97	125·80
17th	...	46·13	252·34	39·50	236·30	31·17	198·72	32·20	166·43	23·67	125·50
18th	...	45·04	251·26	38·33	235·13	30·92	198·47	31·90	166·13	23·47	125·30
19th	...	43·96	250·18	37·67	234·47	30·83	198·38	31·40	165·63	23·37	125·20
20th	...	43·96	249·18	36·83	233·63	30·58	198·13	31·30	165·53	23·07	124·90
21st	...	41·37	247·59	35·33	232·13	30·17	197·72	31·00	165·23	22·77	124·60
22nd	...	39·37	245·59	33·00	229·80	29·67	197·22	30·80	164·53	22·47	124·30
23rd	...	38·04	244·26	31·25	228·05	28·58	196·13	29·70	163·93	21·97	123·80
24th	...	37·37	243·59	30·75	227·55	27·50	195·05	29·30	163·53	21·37	123·20
25th	...	37·29	243·51	30·75	227·55	27·42	194·97	29·50	163·73	20·87	122·70
26th	...	38·29	244·51	31·75	228·55	27·58	195·13	29·00	163·23	20·47	122·30
27th	...	38·62	244·84	32·25	229·05	28·17	195·72	29·20	163·43	19·97	121·80
28th	...	38·29	244·51	31·75	228·55	28·33	195·88	29·30	163·53	19·87	121·70
29th	...	38·79	245·01	32·50	229·30	28·33	195·88	29·30	163·53	19·87	121·70
30th	...	40·29	246·51	34·00	230·80	28·67	196·22	29·60	163·83	19·87	121·70
31st	...	41·71	247·93	35·50	232·30	29·50	197·05	30·00	164·23	20·07	121·90

[a] New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 ft. zero is again 56·46 feet above M. S.-L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 ft. should be

(a) A new gauge fixed at Monghyr on 16th July 1914.

(b) From the 1st November 1915, the zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back

(c) From the 25th January 1916 the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·99 ft. above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 25th October 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 49·00 ft. above M. S.-L. was erected at Ramp r-Boalia and from 30th July 1917 the zero of gauge is at 54·00 feet above M. S.-L.

(e) From the 14th August 1917, the zero of gauge at Buxar is 167·55 feet above M. S.-L.

The 6th October 1917.

MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge-reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 56·46 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge 54·00 ft.(d)		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean sea-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 ft (e)		Sarupgani. Zero of gauge 2·43 ft. (b)		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft. †	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 130.	From Benares 471.	From Rajmahal 64.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 130.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		25th September 1900. 25·03.		24th August 1906. 181·11.	
2nd May 1910. 54·62.		23rd April 1886. 37·63.		28th March 1910. 2·39.		19th to 24th April 1917. 32·40.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25·65	82·11	9·60	63·60	23·20	23·20	22·81	53·80	22·50	24·93	27·20	175·96
26·00	82·46	9·90	63·90	23·40	23·40	23·61	54·60	23·70	26·13	27·30	176·06
26·05	82·51	10·30	64·30	23·60	23·60	24·75	55·74	25·10	27·53	27·30	176·06
26·50	82·96	10·70	64·70	23·70	23·70	25·25	56·24	25·55	28·38	27·30	176·06
27·10	83·56	11·00	65·00	23·70	23·70	25·66	56·65	26·20	29·03	27·40	176·16
27·70	84·16	11·40	65·40	23·70	23·70	26·00	56·99	26·38	29·81	27·30	176·06
28·25	84·71	11·80	65·80	23·70	23·70	26·25	57·24	26·50	29·93	27·10	175·86
28·30	84·76	12·10	66·10	23·90	23·90	26·43	57·41	26·55	29·98	26·50	175·26
28·50	84·96	12·30	66·30	24·00	24·00	26·50	57·49	26·57	30·00	26·10	174·86
28·55	85·01	12·30	66·30	24·00	24·00	26·66	57·65	26·50	29·93	25·00	173·76
28·45	84·91	12·40	66·40	23·90	23·90	26·75	57·74	26·40	29·83	24·60	173·36
28·50	84·96	12·50	66·50	23·90	23·90	26·75	57·74	26·27	29 70	24·00	172·76
28·30	84·76	12·40	66·40	23·90	23·90	26·75	57·74	26·20	29·63	23·50	172·26
28·05	84·51	12·30	66·30	23·60	23·60	26·64	57·63	26·10	29·53	23·10	171·86
27·85	84·31	12·10	66·10	23·40	23·40	26·75	57·74	26·03	29·46	23·00	171·76
27·70	84·16	11·90	65·90	23·20	23·20	26·66	57·65	25·95	29·38	22·60	171·36
27·50	83·96	11·75	65·75	23·10	23·10	26·50	57·49	25·90	29·33	22·50	171·26
27·45	83·91	11·60	65·60	22·90	22·90	26·33	57·32	25·87	29·30	22·00	170·76
27·35	83·81	11·50	65·50	22·80	22·80	26·25	57·24	25·80	29·23	21·70	170·46
27·20	83·66	11·30	65·30	22·60	22·60	26·08	57·07	25·82	29·25	21·30	170·06
27·05	83·51	11·30	65·30	22·50	22·50	26·00	56·99	25·83	29·26	20·70	169·46
26·70	83·16	11·10	65·10	22·50	22·50	25·84	56·83	25·77	29·20	20·40	169·16
26·40	82·86	10·70	64·70	22·20	22·20	25·58	56·57	25·60	29·03	19·80	168·56
26·00	82·46	10·40	64·40	22·20	22·20	25·35	56·24	25·40	27·83	19·10	167·86
25·25	81·71	10·00	64·00	22·00	22·00	25·00	55·99	25·28	27·71	18·60	167·36
25·00	81·46	9·60	63·60	21·60	21·60	24·42	55·41	25·03	27·46	18·30	167·06
24·50	80·96	9·10	63·10	21·30	21·30	23·81	54·80	24·70	27·13	18·10	166·86
24·10	80·56	8·50	62·50	20·80	20·80	23·01	54·00	24·30	26·63	18·30	167·06
24·00	80·46	8·20	62·20	20·50	20·50	22·81	53·80	23·60	26·03	18·70	167·46
23·95	80·41	8·00	62·00	20·30	20·30	21·71	52·70	23·55	25·98	20·10	168·86
24·00	80·46	8·00	62·00	20·30	20·30	21·41	52·40	22·10	24·53	20·70	169·46

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 feet above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 the deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1043T.—I., dated the 12th October 1909).

to 15th July 1897.

In place of the permanent gauge washed away. From 30th July 1917 the zero of gauge at Rampur-Boalia is 54·00 ft. above M. S.-L.

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of August 1917, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1917-18						1916-17.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	4,898	26,827	.....	5,283	2,655	16,043	5,782	29,304	50	3,900	3,284	17,430
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	10,763	48,449	2	994	7,226	33,341	6,237	40,080	.....	1,432	4,005	26,971
Total ...	15,661	75,276	2	6,277	9,881	49,384	12,019	69,384	50	5,332	7,289	44,401
II.—Minor Works and Navigation												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	28,304	145,168	810	12,031	17,601	90,397	23,503	111,658	1,300	13,519	17,128	78,924
Tolly's Nala ...	13,432	67,806	6,310	26,095	4,392	19,154	12,125	67,874	4,150	12,200	3,688	19,592
Madaripur Bheel ...	108,171	482,142	.....	283	29,652	1,11,158	146,577	417,094	2	2,961	37,667	119,882
Total ...	149,907	695,116	7,120	38,319	51,645	2,20,709	182,205	596,626	5,452	28,680	58,483	2,18,398
Magrahat Channels ...	4,191	26,010	.....	.....	2,503	8,892	1,074	3,656	.....	.....	1,682	7,788
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,622	16,742	50	3,632	1,230	5,584	2,386	14,599	13	6,352	835	5,064
Nadia Rivers ...	9,750	23,830	54,800	91,505	1,822	5,212	8,310	20,441	50,702	76,566	2,195	5,177
Grand Total ...	167,470	761,698	61,970	133,456	57,200	2,40,397	193,975	635,322	56,167	111,598	63,195	2,36,427

CALCUTTA,
The 9th October 1917.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 6th October 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 7th October 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boat	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	261	21,031	314	96	18,664	197
Jute	169	63,988*	721	176	87,632†	895
Firewood	63	46.810	707	16	11,200	173
Other articles	688	160.730	1,835	490	98,924	1,148
Total ...	1,181	292,059	3,577	778	216.420	2,413
Empty boats and rafts ...	554	...	837	489	...	570
Grand Total ...	1,735	292,059	4,414	1,267	216,420	2,983

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement 67,4874
† Ditto ditto 97,200

CALCUTTA,
The 9th October 1917.

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Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 6th October 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
30th Sept. 1917	7 A.M.	21·7	21·7	22·1	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
1st Oct. ,,	7 ,,	22·0	22·0	22·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat. Its reduced level is 22·41.
2nd ,, ,,	7 ,,	22·0	22·0	22·2	
3rd ,, ,,	7 ,,	22·0	22·0	21·9	
4th ,, ,,	7 ,,	22·0	22·0	21·6	
5th ,, ,,	7 ,,	21·8	21 8	21·4	
6th ,, ,,	7 ,,	21 6	21 6	21·0	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto ...	Lowest ,,	...	1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Ditto ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 6th October 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 6th October 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero : *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of Zero = 61·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year	Remarks.
30th Sept. 1917	7 A M	3·60	64·60	62·80	R. L. of gauge post is 61·00.
1st Oct. ,,	8 ,,	3·80	64·80	62 50	B. M. on College step 69·74.
2nd ,, ,,	8 ,,	3·80	64·80	61·80	
3rd ,, ,,	7 ,,	3·70	64 70	61·30	
4th ,, ,,	7 ,,	3·30	64·30	60·80	
5th ,, ,,	8 ,,	2·90	63·90	60 60	
6th ,, ,,	8 ,,	1·90	62·90	60 20	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890
Do ...	...	Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	38 18 on 14th-15th April 1888
Do. ..	...	Ditto ,,	...	39 02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 6th October 1917.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 29th September 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
23rd Sept. 1917	At low tide.	63·9	Not connected with mean sea-level.	66·7	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
24th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·8		66·5	
25th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·7		66·2	
26th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·7		66·1	
27th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·7		66·0	
28th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·6		65·8	
29th ,, ,,	Ditto	63·8		65·5	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69 86	
1st ,,	1911	68·46	
31st ,,	1912	67·16	
26th ,,	1914	66·7	
31st ,,	1915	69·7	
18th ,,	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th ,,	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th ,,	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th ,,	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 2nd October 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 22nd September 1917 on 1,576 mean mileage worked

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total Traffic for the week	614 790	2,95,500 0 0	1,520,530 0	2,66,080 0 0	31,420 0 0	(f)6,93 000 0 0	82,389	(c) 55,007	137,396
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 393	(a) 189 0 0	1,599 0	282 0 0	(c) 16 0 0	(e)435 0 0	.....	...	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year(d) ...	15,358,032	73,81 211 0 0	55,384,108 0	64,24 866 0 0	10,07,769 0 0	1,48,13,948 0 0	2,047 453	1 251,524	3,298,977
Total for 25 weeks ...	15,872,822	76,76,811 0 0	57,904 638 0	67,90,948 0 0	10,39,189 0 0	1,55,06,948 0 0	2,129,742	1,306,631	3,436,373
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	672,694	2,80 440 0 0	3,234 393 0	5 40,808 0 0	46,448 0 0	8,67,696 0 0	99,799	65,190	164,989
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,528 mean mileage worked)	(b) 428	(b) 179 0 0	1,987 0	332 0 0	24 0 0	528 0 0	...	...	
Total to corresponding period of previous year	16,728,381	74,46,723 0 0	61,881,745 0	81,02,755 0 0	8,90,082 0 0	1,84,39,560 0 0	2,533,177	1,407,987	3,941,164

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 68 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings Rs. 6,720
(d) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(e) Including ballast train miles, 11 138.
(f) Decrease is chiefly due to decrease in jute and rice traffic

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 22nd September 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	50,990	17,570 0 0	86,420 0	8,510 0 0	2,550 0 0	28,630 0 0	3,492	(b) 5,170	8,662
Per mile of railway per week	440	151 0 0	745 0	48 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 201 0 0	...	...	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (c)	1,384,235	4,62,735 0 0	2,253,533 0	1,31,727 0 0	74,613 0 0	6,69,075 0 0	159,903	58,095	217,997
Total for 25 weeks ...	1,435,225	4,80,305 0 0	2,338,953 0	1,37,237 0 0	76,163 0 0	6,96,705 0 0	163,394	63,265	226,659
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	61,148	25,806 0 0	243 605 0	11,343 0 0	3 363 0 0	40 411 0 0	6,978	3 447	10 426
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (119 mean mileage worked)	514	217 0 0	2,047 0	95 0 0	5 0 0	317 0 0	... ...	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	1,383 833	4,45,418 0 0	2,156,949 0	1,26,920 0 0	60,340 0 0	6,90,678 0 0	168,346	53,565	221,911

(a) Excluding Baliadurbad ferry earnings Rs. 2,300
(b) Including ballast train-miles 630
(c) Audited figures to end of July 1917.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ending 22nd September 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,660	2,690 0 0	28,270 0	2 010 0 0	30 0 0	4,730 0 0	812	(a)350	1,162
Per mile of railway per week	172	81 0 0	857 0	61 0 0	1 0 0	143 0 0	.....	.....	....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (b)	136,128	60,525 0 0	880,902 0	59,154 0 0	667 0 0	1,20,346 0 0	22,520	7,327	29,847
Total for 25 weeks ...	141,788	63,215 0 0	909,179 0	61,164 0 0	697 0 0	1,25,076 0 0	23,332	7,677	31,009
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	(c) 8,271	2,316 0 0	36,268 0	2,814 0 0	55 0 0	5,185 0 0	950	269	1,219
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	251	70 0 0	1,099 0	85 0 0	2 0 0	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	133,267	56,022 0 0	941,310 0	68,247 0 0	721 0 0	1,24,990 0 0	23,911	8,606	32,517

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(c) Includes certain adjustment.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ending 22nd September 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,810	5 120 0 0	140,180 0	7,930 0 0	30 0 0	13,080 0 0	1,288	(a) 1,638	2 926
Per mile of railway per week	300	91 0 0	2,503 0	142 0 0	1 0 0	234 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year (b)	417,915	1,36,371 0 0	2,827,982 0	1,14,456 0 0	708 0 0	2,51,435 0 0	40,415	24,245	64,660
Total for 25 weeks ...	434,725	1,41,891 0 0	2,468,162 0	1,22,386 0 0	738 0 0	2,64,515 0 0	41,703	25,883	67,588
Total for 12 weeks of calendar half-year.	200,948	63,296 0 0	1,144,249 0	62,672 0 0	404 0 0	1,26,302 0 0	19,743	12,008	31,751
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,273	5,468 0 0	(c)294,295 0	7 027 0 0	50 0 0	12,545 0 0	1,687	1,430	3,117
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (54 mean mileage worked).	357	101 0 0	3,783 0	130 0 0	1 0 0	232 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	413 954	1,29,259 0 0	3,043.082 0	1,33,775 0 0	828 0 0	2,58,892 0 0	48,392	25,309	73,701
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	185,428	54,131 0 0	2,097,759 0	81,230 0 0	411 0 0	1,35,762 0 0	22,456	15,209	37,665

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ending 22nd September 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,450	2,910 0 0	44,440 0	3,480 0 0	20 0 0	6,410 0 0	1,190	(a)638	1,828
Per mile of Railway per week	159	55 0 0	838 0	66 0 0	.....	121 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year ( )	171,408	64,655 0 0	744,164 0	54 137 0 0	494 0 0	1,19,286 0 0	18,295	8,366	26,661
Total for 25 weeks ...	179,858	67,565 0 0	788,604 0	57,617 0 0	514 0 0	1,25,696 0 0	19,485	8,904	28,389
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	7,160	1,958 0 0	59,426 0	4 221 0 0	20 0 0	6,199 0 0	1,440	728	2,168
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)...	143	39 0 0	1,189 0	85 0 0	.....	124 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	86,139	26,333 0 0	739 800 0	51,668 0 0	326 0 0	78,326 0 0	16,374	7,623	23,997

(a) Including ba last train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
N.B.—Increase in Coaching earnings is due to Fo sign outward passenger traffic and decrease in goods earnings is chiefly due to Jute traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	79,856	59,010 0 0	297,540 0	52,166 0 0	4,835 0 0	1,17,011 0 0	15,378	19,057	34,430
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	67·06	.....	59·56	5·42	133·04	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.	2,224,770	13,46,966 0 0	9,818,196 0	16,08,036 0 0	2,18,805 0 0	31,73,807 0 0	367,094	438,371	805,465
Total for 25 weeks ...	2,304,626	14,05,976 0 0	10,115,696 0	16,61,202 0 0	2,23,640 0 0	32,90,818 0 0	382,467	457,428	839,895
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	93,638	51,307 0 0	569,679 0	1,01,758 0 0	14 470 0 0	1,67,535 0 0	15,608	22,495	38,103
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	64·05	.. ...	123·64	17 58	205·27	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,373,998	12,91,778 0 0	11,820,557 0	17,00,444 0 0	2,68,750 0 0	32,60,972 0 0	424,637	494,435	919,073

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY SYSTEM.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 937·47 miles for all descriptions of traffic and an additional 31·28 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	80,782	62,588 0 0	317,083 0	56,213 0 0	4,835 0 0	1,23,636 0 0	16,475	19,572	36,047
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	66·76	.....	59·93	4·99	131·88	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year(a)	2,365,560	13,62,166 0 0	9,890,226 0	16,18,816 0 0	2,18,805 0 0	31,99,787 0 0	370,336	439,896	810,232
Total for 25 weeks ...	2,355,342	14,24,754 0 0	10,207,309 0	16,75,029 0 0	2,23,640 0 0	33,23,423 0 0	386,811	459,468	846,279
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year:—									
Proportionate actuals ...	93,638	51,307 0 0	5,69,679 0	1,01,758 0 0	14,470 0 0	1,67,535 0 0	15,609	22,495	38,103
Per mile of railway ...	.....	54·05	.....	108·54	15·43	178·02	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,373,922	12,91,778 0 0	11,820,557 0	17,00,444 0 0	2,68,750 0 0	32,60,972 0 0	424,637	494,435	919,072

(a) The differences in receipts as compared with the figures shown in the previous week's return are due to the *actual* figures being entered this week instead of in the *nearest thousand* as shown before.

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 18·58 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,237	3,578 0 0	21,829	3,047 0 0	.....	6,625 0 0	1,102	515	1,617
Or per mile of Railway ...	...A	62·22	.....	40·04	.....	102·26	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	41,410	15,200 0 0	74,530	10,780 0 0	.....	25,980 0 0	3,342	1,525	4,767
Total for 5½ weeks ...	51,647	18,778 0 0	96,349	13,827 0 0	.....	32,605 0 0	4,344	2,040	6,384
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on 2,650 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds s.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	561,736	(a) 6,53,128 0 0	8,840,732 0	(b) 15,24,899 0 0	36,100 0 0	22 14,127 0 0	154,578	341,839	496,417
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	246 7 5	.....	575 6 11	13 10 0	835 8 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.	(c) 14,647,785	(e) 1,60,74,373 0 0	(d) 216,759,656 0	(d) 3,53,98,841 0 0	(e) 12,89,649 0 0	5,26,62,863 0 0	3,449,898	7,914 766	11,364,664
Total from 1st April ...	15,209,521	1,67,27,501 0 0	225,600,388 0	3,68 23,740 0 0	13,25 749 0 0	5,48,76,990 0 0	3,604,476	8,256,605	11,861,081
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	650,682	6,20,080 0 0	8,189,121 0	13,17,460 0 0	57,721 0 0	19,95,201 0 0	176,299	306,395	482,694
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	238 4 8	.....	506 5 2	22 2 11	766 12 9	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	18,557,478	1,51,14,575 0 0	236,179,354 0	3,70,07,080 0 0	10,71,981 0 0	5,31,93,916 0 0	4,329,125	8,207,447	12,536,572

(a) The increase is chiefly due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The increase is both in merchandise, general and coal.
(c) Deducted No. of passengers 86,876 and added Rs. 1,09,847
(d) Added Mds. 19,40,236 and deducted ,, 1,73,169 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the month of
(e) Added ,, 2,61,821 } July 1917.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
*2,667	Month of April	3,611,631	25,14,754	44,631,398	70,94,650	1,45,771	97,55,175	853	2,123,388	4 9 6
*2,667	,, ,, May	2,706,734	20,86,850	42,043,837	71,59,941	2,30,387	1,04,77,178	887	2,128,849	4 14 4
*2,661	,, ,, June	2,960,113	23,51,512	42,496,103	63,14,605	2,51,800	98,17,917	861	2,089,410	4 11 2
*2,650	,, ,, July	2,634,390	20,07,869	35,237,122	60,21,940	2,52,021	92,81,850	791	2,038,885	4 8 10
2,649	First 4 days of Aug. ...	326,813	3,71,067	3,401,199	6,11,731	17,800	10,00,598	...	238,738	4 6 0
2,649	Week ended 11th ,, ...	545,463	6,06,670	6,190,016	10,01,950	33,700	16,42,320	620	391,163	4 3 2
2,649	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	562,968	6,10,775	7,130,025	11,47,241	46,700	18,04,816	681	421,548	4 4 6
2,649	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	537,035	5,75,673	7,506,985	13,11,284	79,700	19,66 607	742	443,136	4 7 0
2,650	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	569,266	7,13,060	8,601,669	14,63,948	93,570	22,70,598	857	482,466	4 11 4
2,650	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	580,787	6,88,029	9,027,766	15,48,094	86,100	23,02,223	869	503,399	4 9 2
2,650	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	612,695	6,88,104	9,494,644	16,33,417	52,100	23,43,621	884	507,722	4 10 7
2,650	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	561,736	6,53,128	8,840,732	15,24,899	36,100	22,14,127	836	496,417	4 7 4
	Totals up to date ...	15,209,521	1,67,27,501	225,600,388	3,68,23,740	13,25,749	5,48,76 990	826	11,861,081	4 10 0

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,602	Month of April	3,117,033	25,73,533	45,010,471	71,32,946	8,946	97,15,434	871	2,223,449	4 5 11
2,602	,, ,, May	2,833,780	29,58,783	43,933,761	68,59,667	—30,692	97,87,758	849	2,238,831	4 5 11
2,602	,, ,, June	3,494,316	37,98,751	41,344,718	64,01,843	1,63,053	93,63,647	840	2,182,454	4 4 8
2,602	,, ,, July	3,124,985	25,28,912	39,307,861	59,05,535	2,37,319	86,72,649	753	2,122,681	4 1 4
2,602	First 5 days of August	480 185	3,86,670	5,921,379	9,31,712	29,992	13,58,374	...	384,484	4 1 0
2,602	Week ended 12th ,, ...	681,868	5,44,762	8,887,117	13,91,407	81,962	20,18,151	776	482,110	4 3 0
2,602	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	683,117	5,59,969	8,360,108	13,79,407	88,321	20,27,697	779	486,081	4 2 9
2,602	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	621,445	5,37,993	8,558,318	14,18,806	94,460	20,51,259	788	500,442	4 0 5
2,602	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	629,982	5 37,131	8,818,736	14,06,653	1,36,700	20,70,483	796	511,990	4 0 8
2,602	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	638,795	5,31,542	9,443,901	15,30,081	1,19,490	21,81,023	838	511,446	4 4 3
2,602	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	701,670	6,24,577	9,764,949	16,44,329	85,142	23,53,948	866	522,886	4 4 10
2,602	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	650,682	6,20 080	8,189,121	13,17,460	57,721	19 95,301	767	482,694	4 2 8
	Totals up to date ...	18,651,858	1,59,02,652	237,540,480	3,72,20,405	10,72,157	5,34,95,214	818	12,609,488	4 3 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd September 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	40,644	40,939 0 0	622,320 0	54,992 0 0	890 0 0	96,821 0 0	11,448	9,046	20 494
Or per mile of railway...	.....	209 15 1	.....	282 0 2	4 9 0	496 8 3	.....	.....	.....
	(a)	(a)	(b)	(b)	(c)				
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.	1,124,470	9,91,280 0 0	14,479,121 0	8,66,392 0 0	10,265 0 0	18,67,937 0 0	288,796	235 689	524,485
Total from 1st April ...	1,165,114	10,32,219 0 0	15,101,441 0	9,21,384 0 0	11,155 0 0	19,64,758 0 0	300,244	244.735	544,979
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	36,174	38,270 0 0	234,336 0	25,927 0 0	1.091 0 0	e 60,288 0 0	11,846	9.333	20,979
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	....	170 9 10	.....	132 15 4	5 9 6	309 2 8	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,203,538	8,95,945 0 0	11,987,438 0	7,56,877 0 0	11,644 0 0	16 64,466 0 0	287,349	212,750	500,099

(a) Deducted No. of passengers 12,811 and added Rs. 18,129
(b) Added Mds. 1,633,638 and added „ 66,360 } On account of difference between the approxmate and audited figures for the month
(c) Deducted „ 701 } of July 1917.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A.
*195	Month of April ...	179,788	1,66,933	2 898,730	1,81,086	1,918	3,23,582	387	97,654	3 5 0
*195	„ „ May ...	193,120	1,36,189	2.905,410	1,73,144	1,366	3,12,699	362	110,125	2 13 5
*195	„ „ June ...	233,584	2,01,124	3,104,212	1,62,034	3,067	3,66,229	428	92,983	3 15 1
*195	„ „ July ...	219,596	2,09,982	2,908,028	1,70,388	1,085	381,375	443	91,263	4 2 10
195	First 4 days of Aug. ...	28,382	23,880	105,252	9,405	194	33,419	...	10,980	3 0 8
195	Week ended 11th „ ...	48,371	42,114	246,041	19,119	290	61,523	316	19,389	3 3 0
195	„ „ 18th „ ...	45,071	42,104	250,047	22,450	290	64,844	333	19,036	3 6 6
195	„ „ 25th „ ...	45,090	43,803	364,902	26,626	290	70,719	363	20,040	3 8 6
195	„ „ 1st Sept. ...	46,698	43,121	336,456	26,140	420	69,681	357	20,526	3 6 4
195	„ „ 8th „ ...	43,998	46,617	387,443	32,913	890	87,420	448	20,508	4 4 2
195	„ „ 15th „ ...	41,802	39,499	775,600	56,107	890	96,496	495	22.131	4 5 9
195	„ „ 22nd „ ...	40,644	40.939	622,320	54,992	890	96,821	497	20.494	4 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	1,165.114	10.32.219	15.101.441	921,384	11.155	19.64.758	403	544.979	3 9 3

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	Month of April ...	202 081	1,62,986	2,332.969	1,41,217	1,184	3.05,387	365	85,803	3 5 11
195	„ „ May ...	230,952	1,64,087	2,068,058	1,41,340	1,162	3,06 639	355	85,809	3 9 2
195	„ „ June ...	233,117	1,49,686	2,403,641	1,42,640	2,411	2 95,717	354	85,607	3 7 3
195	„ „ July ...	903,161	1,52,715	1,891,080	1,00,389	1,880	2,54,984	295	85,064	3 0 0
195	First 5 days of Aug. ...	33,098	25,760	296,003	14,958	264	40,982	...	13,987	2 14 11
195	Week ended 12th „ ...	48,198	34,342	441,490	23,645	317	57,304	294	20,130	2 13 7
195	„ „ 19th „ ...	46,945	36,958	442,569	24,049	317	61,324	314	19,763	3 1 8
195	„ „ 26th „ ...	42,960	33,085	645,119	32,606	317	66,990	333	19.355	3 6 9
195	„ „ 2nd Sept. ...	43,541	35,016	673,098	37,838	965	73,404	376	23,321	3 2 4
195	„ „ 9th „ ...	42,819	37,564	519,081	39,963	1,091	78,517	408	21,056	3 11 8
195	„ „ 16th „ ...	39,636	38,399	394,289	36,114	1,091	75,604	388	22.197	3 6 6
195	„ „ 23rd „ ...	36,174	33,270	234,336	25,927	1,091	60,288	309	20,979	2 14 0
	Totals up to date ...	1,210,082	9,02,818	12,040.733	7,60,612	11,690	16,75 130	343	503,061	3 5 3

JHIND-PANIPAT EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd September 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,798	1,773 0 0	20,273 0	1,314 0 0	10 0 0	3,097 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	...	40 4 8	.....	29 13 10	0 3 8	70 6 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.	(a)209,520	(a)52,764 0 0	(b)415,608 0	(b)26,417 0 0	(c)317 0 0	79,498 0 0	22,081	8,367	30,448
Total from 1st April ...	216,318	54,537 0 0	435,881 0	27,731 0 0	327 0 0	82,595 0 0	22,998	8,672	31,670

(a) Deducted No. of passengers 1,641 and deducted Rs. 466
(b) Deducted Mds. 24,007 and deducted ,, 1,379 } On account of difference between the approximate and audited figures for the month of
(c) Added ,, 17 } July 1917.

1917-18. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18.*

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*44	Month of April ...	29,151	6,041	63,509	1,296	49	7,386	39	5,236	1 6 7
*44	,, of May ...	41,354	10,542	76,710	1,834	81	14,957	77	5,921	2 8 5
*44	,, of June ...	40,896	10,556	102,855	2,521	60	20,137	108	5,259	3 14 2
*44	,, of July ...	38,236	10,349	71,961	4,582	61	14,992	77	6,003	2 8 0
44	First 4 days of Aug. ...	4 795	1,346	10,096	411	6	1,763	...	697	2 8 6
44	Week ended 11th ,, ...	8,687	2,378	13,99	909	10	3 297	75	1,322	2 11 2
44	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	7,932	2.004	14,844	876	10	2,890	66	1,322	2 5 10
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	9,274	2.418	15,457	1,094	10	3,522	80	1,322	2 14 1
44	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	12,814	2,782	7,929	392	10	3,184	72	1,322	2 9 8
44	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	9,851	2,267	12,380	1,012	10	3,289	75	1,322	2 11 1
44	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	6,631	1,781	25,857	1,990	10	3,781	86	1 322	2 1 6
44	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	6,798	1 773	20,273	1,314	10	3,097	70	1,322	2 8 7
	Totals up to date ...	216 318	54.537	435,881	27,731	327	82,595	75	31,670	2 9 9

* Audited figures.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 22nd September 1917, on 51 miles run

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,840	12,286 0 0	36,374 0	10,701 0 0	96 0 0	23,083 0 0	2,776	3,207	5,983
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	241 0 0	.....	210 0 0	2 0 0	453 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year*	1,10,335½	3,13 035 0 0	652,163 0	2,72,564 0 0	4,218 0 0	5,88,817 0 0	59,940	86,548	1,46,488
Total traffic up to 22nd September 1917 ...	1,15 175½	3,24,321 0 0	678,437 0	2,83.265 0 0	4,314 0 0	6,11,900 0 0	62,716	89,755	1,52,471
(175 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	255 0 0	.....	222 0 0	3 0 0	480 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,491	18,901 0 0	32,955 0	14,256 0 0	181 0 0	33,338 0 0	3,385	2,911	6,296
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	371 0 0	.....	279 0 0	4 0 0	654 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,16,037	3,36,850 0 0	810,754 0	3,41,141 0 0	4,411 0 0	6,82,402 0 0	70,778	93,737	1,64,515
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	264 0 0	.....	267 0 0	4 0 0	535 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* This includes audited figures for July 1917.

NOTES:—Difference for the week — 6,615 — 3 535 — 85 — 10,255
Difference up to date — 12,339 — 57,876 — 97 — 70,502

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers and Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Public Coal, Rice, Tea and Cardamoms traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 22nd September 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,508	2,413 0 0	10,992 0	1,474 0 0	14 0 0	3,901 0 0	633	1,327	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	56 0 0	...	.....	..
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year*	1,35,979	59,431 0 0	390,924 0	34,099 0 0	618 0 0	94,148 0 0	15,374	38,533	53,908
Total traffic up to 22nd September 1917	1,40,487	61,844 0 0	401,916 0	35,573 0 0	632 0 0	98,049 0 0	16,007	39,859	55,866
(168 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	56 0 0	... ...	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	7,027	2,163 0 0	19,990 0	1,121 0 0	24 0 0	3,308 0 0	968	851	1,819
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	31 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	47 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,47,805	50,474 0 0	362,622 0	29,986 0 0	612 0 0	81,070 0 0	22,944	25,815	48,759
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	29 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....

* This includes Audited figures for July 1917.

Notes:—Difference for the week ...	+ 250	+ 353	— 10	+ 593
Difference up to date ...	+ 11,372	+ 5,587	+ 20	+ 16,979

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice and Potatoes.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI—TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 22nd September 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	551	370 0 0	2,333 0	464 0 0	3 0 0	837 0 0	221	275	496
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	12 0 0	... ..	16 0 0	.....	28 0 0	. ...	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of the half-year*	14,898	10,226 0 0	269,133 0	38 559 0 0	205 0 0	49,090 0 0	4,886	15,570	20,456
Total traffic up to 22nd September 1917	15,449	10,596 0 0	271,466 0	39,023 0 0	208 0 0	49,927 0 0	5,087	15,845	20,932
(75 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	.....	52 0 0	1 0 0	67 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	127	182 0 0	1,030 0	—105 0 0	10 0 0	86 0 0	94	82	176
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	6 0 0	.....	—3 0 0	.....	3 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	13,666½	9,753 0 0	186,855 0	32,030 0 0	452 0 0	42,235 0 0	5,307	9,619	14,926
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	13 0 0	.....	44 0 0	1 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	... .

* This includes audited figures for July 1917.

Notes.—Difference for the week	+ 186	+ 570	— 7	+ 751
Difference up to date	+ 943	+ 5,993	— 244	+ 6,692

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The apparent increase during the week in Goods is due to the line having been breached about this time last year.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	6,441	2 831 0 0	62 317 0	10,840 0 0	(a)755 0 0	14,426 0 0	518	(d) 616	1,134
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	79 0 0	...	301 0 0	15 0 0	(c) 394 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.*	168 895	46,877 0 0	1,869,266 0	2 46,835 0 0	9,862 0 0	3,05,594 0 0	13,167	21,130	34,297
Total for 35 weeks ...	175,336	49,708 0 0	1,931,583 0	2,59,675 0 0	10,617 0 0	3,20,020 0 0	13,685	21,746	35,431
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,062	2,848 0 0	63,958 0	10,528 0 0	(b)1 604 0 0	14,980 0 0	601	(e 639	1,240
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	79 0 0	...	292 0 0	35 0 0	(c) 406 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	177,801	48,239 0 0	1 982,441 0	2 56,847 0 0	12 378 0 0	3 17,464 0 0	13,399	23,290	36,689

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 319.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 354.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles Nil.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 38.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of July 1917.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 22nd September 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week...	13,644	5,475 0 0	103,271 0	14,729 0 0	1,027 0 0	21,231 0 0	1,910	2,990	4,900
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	47 0 0	...	126 0 0	8 0 0	181 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 24 weeks of half-year.*	358,898	1,15,226 0 0	2,649,797 0	3,66,278 0 0	6,380 0 0	4 87,879 0 0	46,656	91,862	138,518
Total for 35 weeks ...	372,542	1,20 701 0 0	2,753,068 0	3,81,002 0 0	7,407 0 0	5,09,110 0 0	48,566	94,852	143,418
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	15772	6,840 0 0	97,107 0	15,172 0 0	2,115 0 0	24,127 0 0	1,537	(b)3,382	5,419
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	58 0 0	...	130 0 0	18 0 0	206 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	368 70d	1,13,160 0 0	2,671,866 0	3,95,968 0 0	5,457 0 0	5,14,585 0 0	47,011	87,111	134,122

(a) Ballast train-miles, 894.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,035.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of July 1917.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 22nd September 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	383,660	(a)1,55,870	806,940	(b)1,15,890	(c)19 940	2 91 700	(f)30,616	(d)37,176	67,792
Or per mile of railway ...	186·24	75·78	392·29	56·34	9·69	141 81			
For previous 24 weeks of official half-year (g)	11,232,820	47,71,608	29,941,192	42,90,905	6,82,882	97,45,395	1,286,891	1,272 609	2,559,500
Total for 25 weeks ...	11,616,910	49,27,478	30,748,132	44,06,795	7 02,822	1,00,37,095	1,287,507	1,309,785	2,597,292
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,058 miles open	406,373	1,41,815	756,215	1,12,373	24,077	2,78,265	80,180	(e)45,327	103,507
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	196·79	68·67	366·21	54·42	11·66	134·75			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	13,534,729	50,94,814	30,172,488	40,74,308	7,01,024	98,70,041	1,382,370	1,246,263	2,628,633
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-miles respectively during the week ..		3·08		3·12	·22	3·51			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half year		2·96		2·59	·23	2·69			

(a) Increase in amount was due to enhancement of fares this year. Decrease in numbers was general and the average lead was slightly shorter.
(b) Increase mainly under local and foreign outward, the former with much reduced lead; foreign inward decreased.
(c) Decrease mainly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 2,642 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 6,784 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.
(g) Includes audited figures up to the 31st July 1917.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5094A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2485A.D.—The 8th October 1917.*—Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Pabna district.

24-Parganas. Pabna.

No. 2539A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kalimpong, Darjeeling, is appointed to act as Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political Department, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. D. V. Hodge, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Darjeeling. Calcutta.

No. 2542A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. C. G. B. Stevens, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Alipur, Jalpaiguri, is appointed to have charge of the Kalimpong subdivision of the Darjeeling district.

Jalpaiguri.
Darjeeling.

No. 2544A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. G. D. Pyne, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed to have charge of the Alipur subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.

Burdwan.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 2547A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. A. C. Todd, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Hooghly.
Burdwan.

No. 2549A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. H. C. V. Philpot, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Serampore subdivision of the Hooghly district, on being relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.
Hooghly.

No. 2552A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. H. Quinton, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamalpur, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Kurseong subdivision of the Darjeeling district.

Mymensingh.
Darjeeling.

No. 2555A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Babu Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamalpur, Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Mymensingh.

No. 2557A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Jamalpur subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Mymensingh.

No. 2561A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Mr. Birendra Kumar Basu, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jhenida, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Madaripur subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

No. 2564A.D.—The 12th October 1917.—Babu Dasharathi Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Jhenida subdivision of the Jessore district.

Midnapore.
Jessore.

No. 2579A.D.—The 13th October 1917.—Babu Charu Chandra Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Pabna.

No. 2597A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Khan Sahib Saiyid Abdul Latif, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patuakhali, Bakarganj, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Dacca district.

Bakarganj.
Dacca.

No. 2599A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Kali Mohan Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

No. 2605A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Naba Gopal Chaki, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Burdwan district.

Faridpur.
Burdwan.

No. 2608A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Chuni Lal Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ghatal, Midnapore, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of the Faridpur district.

Midnapore.
Faridpur.

No. 2611A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Nagendra Nath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is appointed to have charge of the Ghatal subdivision of the Midnapore district.

Malda.
Midnapore.

No. 2614A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Aziz, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balurghat, Dinajpur, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Malda district.

Dinajpur.
Malda.

No. 2616A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Chittaranjan Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Balurghat subdivision of the Dinajpur district.

Dacca.
Dinajpur.

No. 2622A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. II), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Noakhali district.

Khulna
Noakhali.

No. 2625A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Upendra Chandra Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Malda district.

Dacca.
Malda.

No. 2628A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Digendra Nath Shaha, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district.

Rajshahi.
Midnapore.

No. 2631A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Gunamay Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Nadia district.

Bogra.
Nadia.

No. 2634A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Sachindra Nath Chatarji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bogra district.

24-Parganas.
Bogra.

No. 5069A.—The 16th October 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Rampurhat subdivision of that district, *vice* Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, granted leave.

Birbhum.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 2509A.D.—The 9th October 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Lewis Sydney Steward O'Malley, I.C.S., to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2483A.D.—The 8th October 1917.*—Babu Kumud Bihari Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 31st October 1917 to the 22nd December 1917.

Pabna.

No. 2518A.D.—The 10th October 1917.—Mr. Dhirendra Lal Dey, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th October 1917.

Hooghly.

No. 2525A.D.—The 11th October 1917.—Babu Shailendra Nath Basu Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kishoreganj, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Mymensingh.

No. 2527A.D.—The 11th October 1917.—Babu Tara Prasanna Acharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 2nd October to the 18th October 1917, inclusive.

24-Parganas.

No. 2576A.D.—The 13th October 1917.—Mr. D. Gladding, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is allowed leave for four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th October 1917.

Pabna.

No. 5067A.—The 16th October 1917.—Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampurhat, Birbhum, is allowed leave for two weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Birbhum.

POLICE.—*No. 5073A.—The 16th October 1917.*—Babu Srish Chandra Kanjilal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Calcutta.

The following orders are republished from the *Assam Gazette* of the 10th October 1917 :—

No. 7771L.—The 6th October 1917.—The Chief Commissioner is pleased to accept, with effect from the 28th September 1917, the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Abdul Majid of his office of Member of the Council of the Chief Commissioner.

No. 7773J.—The 6th October 1917.—The Hon'ble Mr. A. Majid, Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Assam, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th September 1917, and furlough for the remaining period under articles 233 and 308(*b*) of the Regulations.

This cancels Judicial Department Notification No. 7392J., dated the 22nd September 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1826T.R.—The 10th Octo'er 1917.—Babu Bisweswar Mazumdar, Munsif, in the districts of Jalpaiguri and Dinajpur, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Jalpaiguri and Dinajpur. Midnapore.

No. 1827T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—Babu Rajendra Lal Chakrabatti, Munsif of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Murshidabad. Midnapore.

No. 1894T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—In consequence of the appointment of Mr J. C. K. Peterson, I.C.S., as Director of Industries, Bengal, Rai Banshidhar Banarji Bahadur, C.I.E., Second Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, is authorised to carry on the work of the First Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties.

Calcutta.

No. 1924T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Mriganka Bhusan Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a revenue officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area.

No. 1927T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Notification No. 1193T.R., dated the 17th September 1917, appointing Babu Phanindra Bhushan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer, Midnapore, on leave, to be Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bankura, is hereby cancelled.

Midnapore. Bankura.

No. 1963T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a revenue officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area.

No. 1964T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (16) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer of Bankura, is appointed to discharge the functions of a Collector under section 58 of that Act, in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 1965T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Bankura, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under—

Bankura.

(1) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822),

(2) the Bengal Land Revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825),

(3) the Bengal Land Revenue Assessment (Resumed Lands) Regulation, 1828 (III of 1828),

(4) the Bengal Land Revenue (Settlement and Deputy Collectors) Regulation, 1833 (IX of 1833),

to be exercised in the district of Bankura.

No. 1966T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 109C of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Bankura, to settle rents in accordance with the provisions of that section in the district of Bankura.

Bankura.

No. 1967T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Sanat Kumar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 31st October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his settlement duties.

Bankura.

No. 1968T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Sanat Kumar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a revenue officer, under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area.

No. 1836T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 16 bighas and 15 cottahs of standard measurement, which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 800T.R., dated the 27th May 1916, published at page 980, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, and required by the District Board of the 24-Parganas, for the improvement of Itinda-Saistanagar Road, in the villages of Mukundakati, Akharpur, Prasannakati and Shafrabad, parganas Surparajpur and Kalaroa Hoseinpur, zilla 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 1837T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji Deputy Collector, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district:

Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1903T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Pabna for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road in village Baradhul, tauzi No. 1112 of Pabna Collectorate, pargana Barabazoo, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 3·81 poles, bounded on the—

Pabna.

North—By slope land of the tank belonging to Mahendra Lal Shaha and land of Mahendra Lal Shaha,
East—By the old road to Belkuchi and land of Mahendra Lal Shaha,
South—By land of Mahendra Lal Shaha,
West—By halat to New Sirajganj Road No. 3 and Kirtikhola village,

is required within the aforesaid village of Baradhul.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 1912T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the second down line between Raniganj and Ondal stations, Ondal Down marshalling yard, diversion of the Ondal-Sainthia Chord line and Ondal-Baktarnagor connection, in the villages of Baboisol, Madanpur, Sankra, Baksa, Baktarnagar, Napur and Oumarbazar, pargana Shergur, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose eight pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 269 bighas 10 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, equivalent to 89·09 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

PLOT A.

North—By the lands of Singaroon Valley Railway line,
East—By the East Indian Railway Company's staff quarters and a Mosque,
South—By the lands of Krishnanada Goswami, Bhagabati Misir, Lambodar Mondal, Naba Krishna Mondal, Ram Krishna Lack, Gayaram Sadhu, Gobinda Pal, Gokul Pal, Thaka Pal, Nepal Chandra Goswami, Sarbeswar Mukerji, Kali Pada Mukerji, Harish Chandra Mukerji, Gopi Nath Mukerji, Umesh Chandra Mukerji, Krishna Mondal, Sarbeswar Gope, Kadambini Debi and Nil Mani Chakrabarty,
West—By the khas lands of the Bengal Coal Company,

PLOT B.

North—By the Ondal-Sainthia Railway line,
East and South—By the Singaroon Valley Railway land,
West—By the lands of Ganesh Sadhu, Baidya Nath Chakrabarty and Uday Gope,

PLOT C.

North—By the lands of Krishnanada Goswami, Bhagabati Charan Misir, Gaya Ram Sadhu, Panchu Laek, Nakul Sadhu, Ramnanda Das Mahanta, Lambodar Mondal, Kumud Nath Chatterji, Krishna Laek, Kulada Chakrabarty, Girish Deasi, Kanai Dhanga, Dinu Majhi, Jay Narain Adhikari, Kunti Keotinin, Ram Pada Biswas, Kedar Ghanti, Sritidhar Mondal, Baidyanath Sadhu, Haladhar Sadhu, Hrishi Kesh Sadhu, Radha Nath Ghanti, Dhaju Sadhu, Akhoy Ram Laek, Sudarsan Mondal, Baidyanath Chatterji, Annada Ganguli, Jiban Ghosh, Kedar Nath Misir, Rammoy Chatterji, Guru Das Bhattacherji, Baranashi Laek, Panchanon Kahn, Dhakineswar Laek, Narain Das Mahanta, Satya Bala Dasi, Ashu Tosh Mondal, Kedar Mondal, Sambhu Mondal, Rameswar Mondal, Sarbeswar Ghosh, Banka Behari Pal, Jotin Mondal, Bengal Coal Company's khas tank and patit land, village road and Local Board road,

East, South and West—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company's main line,

PLOT D.

North—By the land of Bhaba Laek, Akhoy Ram Laek, Rakhal Chandra Laek, Ramesh Chandra Laek, Gobinda Chatterji, Sarbeswar Ghosal, Jatindra Nath Mondal, Baidya Nath Laek, Dhankrishna Mondal, Raja Ram Mondal, Baranashi Laek, Gosta Das, Sambhu Mondal, Ram Nath Khan, Gobinda Ghosal, Ram Jibon Pal, village road and khas patit land of the Bengal Coal Company,

East and South—By the lands of the East Indian Railway's main line,

West—By the land of Ram Jiban Pal,

PLOT E.

North—By the East Indian Railway Company's main line,

East—By the lands of Laksmi Narain Chatterji and others,

South—By the lands of Laksmi Narain Chatterji and others, Ram Jiban Pal, Sagar Khan, Pratap Khan, Baidya Nath Malakar, Narain Uria, Girish Chandra Mondal, Rameswar Nandi, Biseswar Mondal, Jaggannath Mondal, Kali Pal, Bonwari Lal Kundu and the Bengal Coal Company's khas land,

West—By the Bengal Coal Company's khas danga land.

PLOT F.

North—By the East Indian Railway Company's main line,

East—By the lands of Bimal Chandra Garai and khas land of the Bengal Coal Company,

South—By the lands of Bonwari Lal Kundu, Giri Bamni, Felaram Adhikari, Nikunja Bauri, Ajodhya Bauri, Kandu Bauri, village road and khas lands of the Bengal Coal Company,

West—By the lands of Felu Adhikari,

PLOT G.

North and East—By the East Indian Railway Company's land,

South—By the lands of Felu Adhikari, Ananta Lal Pandey, Iswar Chandra Ray and Iswar Garai,

West—By the danga land of Iswar Garai,

PLOT H.

North—By the lands of Ganesh Sadhu, Gaya Ram Sadhu, Baidya Nath Sadhu, Babu lal Gope, Sristidhar Mondal, Mahadeb Misir, Bhairab Pal, Kedar Nath Chakraberty, Annada Ganguli, Gopi Nath Mukerji, Raja Ram Mondal, Sarbeswar Gope, Bhut Nath Thakur, Rash Bihari Ray, Madan Gopal Ray, Ram Nath Sadhu, village road, and khas patit land of the Bengal Coal Company,

East—By the Singaroon Valley Railway line

South—By the lands of Pasupati Kora, Felumani Debya, Durga Kora, Sarbeswar Gope, Behari Gope, Raja Ram Mondal, Bipin Sadhu, Srishtidhar Gope, Gopi Nath Mukerji, Gayaram Sadhu, Annada Ganguli. Kedar Nath Chakraberty, Bhairab Pal, Babu Lal Gope, Mohendra Misir, Biseswar Misir, Sriram Ganguli, Krishna Mukerji, Baidya Nath Sadhu, Haladhar Sadhu, Rishi Kesh Sadhu. khas patit lands of the Bengal Coal Company and village road,

West—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company's main line.

are required within the aforesaid villages of Baboisol, Madanpur, Sankra, Baksa, Baktarnagar, Napur and Cumarbazar.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 1915T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bankura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the trenching ground at Valkadihi, in the village of Rampur, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 11 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·52 acres, bounded on the—

North and East.—By the paddy field and tank of Keshav, Dinu and Ishan Mandal,

South.—By Prasanna Banarjee's garden and paddy field of Keshav, Dinu and Ishan Mandal,

West.—By the municipal trenching ground,

is required within the aforesaid village of Rampur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 1918T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of buildings for the police-station at Khandaghosh, in the village of Khandaghosh, pargana Khandaghosh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land

measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 15 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·92 acre, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Nisha Nath Mazumdar,
East—By the village road,
South—By the District Board road,
West—By the lands of Ashutosh Chatterjee and Gostha Behari Sarkar,

is required within the aforesaid village of Khandaghosh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No 1921T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the accommodation of the steam-rollers, watering carts, etc., in the village of Tallah, pargana Dehi Panchannagram, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs and 6 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the land belonging to Jotindra Nath Bose and others,
East—By the surplus land of Barrackpore Trunk Road,
South—By the Municipal office compound,
West—By the land belonging to Kali Krishna Chatterji and brothers,

is required within the aforesaid village of Tallah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Cossipore-Chitpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Pabna.

No. 1933T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of certain police buildings at Sirajganj thana in the village of Diardhangara, tauzi No. 357 of Pabna Collectorate, pargana Barabazoo, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 11 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 3 roods and 15·2 poles, bounded on the :—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By a ditch belonging to Hachen Mandal and Senior Sub-Inspector's quarters,
East—By homestead of Alimuddin Pramanik (plot 2).
South—By Bhangabari Road, on the south of which is *bari* of Isab Pramanik,
West—By Hachen Mandal's *bari* and Maniruddin Sarkar's *bari*,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By Senior Sub-Inspector's quarters,
East—By homestead of Nadia and Samed Bepari (plot 3).
South—By Bhangabari Road, on the south of which is *bari* of Mullukjan Bibi
West—By *bari* of Jalil Pramanik (plot 1),

PLOT NO. 3.

North—By Senior Sub-Inspector's quarters,
East—By road to thana,
South—By Bhangabari Road, on the south of which is *bari* of Esmail Siraji,
West—By homestead of Alimuddin Pramanik (plot 2),

are required within the aforesaid village of Diardhangara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Pabna.

No. 1936T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of pucca latrines and urinals for Bonwari Lal High English School at Serajganj in the village of Sankharia, tauzi No. 933 of Pabna Collectorate, pargana Barabazu, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 13·22 poles, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Priyanath Das,
East—By a drain, running from north to south forming the western boundary of the Bonwari Lal School compound,
South—By a road to Dhanbandhi on the south of which is land of Tarini Das,
West— By the land of Madhab Chandra Das,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sankharia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dacca.

No. 1939T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for protection of banks of the road from Narsingdi Railway station to steamer station, in the village of Satirpara, pargana Maheswardi, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1 bigha and 12½ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

BLOCK NO. 1.

North—By the remaining portion of the land of Prasanna Shaha,
East—By the land acquired for the road.
South—By the remaining portion of land of Lalit Mohon Rai and others,
West—By the homestead land of Jagat Chandra Shaha and the bank of a tank,

BLOCK NO. II.

North—By the land of Haradhan Chakravarty,
East—By the bank of a tank,
South—By the remaing portion of land of Lalit Mohon Rai and others,
West—By the land acquired for the road,

are required within the aforesaid village of Satirpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore. *No. 1942T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for a public purpose, viz., for a ganghut and a flag station in the village of Agmundia, pargana Shahanzial, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 19 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·31 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Ali Bux Biswas and Ful Mallik Biswas,
East—By the Jessore-Jhenidah Road,
South—By the land of Kati Mamud Biswas,
West—By the lands of Ali Bux Biswas and Ful Mallik Biswas,

is required within the aforesaid village of Agmundia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura. *No. 1945T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that extra land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Beliara Cart Road in miles Nos. 68 and 69 on the Midnapore-Jherria extension of the Railway in the village of Beliara, pargana Bishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 5 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·08 acres, bounded on the—

North—By jote lands of Sambhu Pal, Kedar Mundle, Biswa Nath Banerjee, Harish Banerjee, Ramgoti Banerjee, Nagendra Mukherjee, Sambhu Mukherjee and Kishori Bala Debi,
East—By Sagrat (Cart Road),
South—By the Bengal-Nagpur Railway land,
West—By Kisori Bala Devi's jote land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Beliara.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dacca.

No. 1972T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of a portion of the road from Barmihat to Toke, in the village of Pathantek, pargana Ran Bhowal, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the :—

BLOCK A.

North and West—By the remaining portion of the land of Kanai Lal Shaha,
South—By the nal land of Zafar and house of Monmohan Kaviraj,
East—By the District Board road,

BLOCK B.

North—By the halat,
East—By the District Board road,
South—By the remaining portion of the nal land of Bharat Chandra Shaha and others,
West—By the nal land of Guru Charan Shaha,

are required within the aforesaid village of Pathantek.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Hooghly.

No. 1948T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—In declaration No. 3671L.A., dated the 6th April 1915, published at page 615, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th idem, in respect of the acquisition of additional land required by the East Indian Railway Company for borrow-pits at miles 12 and 13 of the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway in the district of Hooghly—

(1) in lines 5, 6, 30 and 31 *for* "villages of Baroipara, Ramnagar, Shampur and Mamudpur" *read* "Baruipara, Ramnagar, Shampur, Srikristopur, Bankipur, Jagatnagar and Mirzapur";

(2) in lines 8 and 9 *for* "14 bighas 15 cottahs and 14 chitacks" *read* 14 bighas 4 cottaahs and 11 chitacks"; and

(3) in line 9 *for* "4·89 acres" *read* "4·70 acres".

Chittagong.

No. 7062L.A.—The 16th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land in the district of Chittagong is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a line of railway, *i.e.*, for the Chittagong-Maungdaw Connection Railway from Pahartali Railway Station to Gorjonia and from Dulahazara to Ukhia Ghat, notice is hereby given to all whom it

may concern that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council has authorised the Engineers of the Assam-Bengal Railway for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey land and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section.

The general route to be taken for the survey will be from the Pahartali Railway Station to Kalurghat, Kalurghat to Patia, Patia to Dohazari, Dohazari to Chunati, Chunati to Dulahazara, Dulahazara to Gorjonia, Dulahazara to Ukhia Ghat.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 1834T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—Babu Sadananda Sen, Sub-Registrar of Sherpur, in the district of Bogra, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bogra.

No. 1835T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Jainul Abedeen, Probationer of Berhampore (Murshidabad), is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Sherpur, in the district of Bogra, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sadananda Sen, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.
Bogra.

No. 1877T.R.—The 12th October 1917.—Maulvi Taskinuddin Ahmad District Sub-Registrar, Rajshahi, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-one days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Rajshahi.

No. 1906T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Maulvi Khwaja Muhammad Manzur, Sub-Registrar, grade II, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 681 Regn., dated the 8th September 1917.

No. 1907T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Babu Nalini Kanta Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th September 1917.

This cancels Notification No. 1107T.R., dated the 14th September 1917.

No. 1908T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Babu Bhupendra Lal Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Nadia, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Chaudanga, in the same district, with effect from the 11th August 1917, until further orders.

Nadia.

No. 1909T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Abul Khair Muhammad Shams-ur-Rahman, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Ghior, in the district of Dacca, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-one days, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Dacca.

No. 1910T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Abdur Rauf, Sub-Registrar of Magura, in the district of Jessore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Jessore.

No. 1911T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Magura, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Rauf, or until further orders.

Nadia.
Jessore.

Bankura. *No. 1952T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Jitendra Lal Basu, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bankura. *No. 1953T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Probationer, Bankura, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kotalpur in the same district, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jitendra Lal Basu, or until further orders.

Chittagong. *No. 1954T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Mahendra Lal Barua, Sub-Registrar of Gasbaria in the district of Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 6076Regn., dated the 17th August 1917.

Bankura. *No. 1955T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Bijay Kumar Neogi, Sub-Registrar of Khatra in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1570T.R., dated the 29th September 1917.

24-Parganas. *No. 1956T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Anish Chandra Mitra, Sub-Registrar of Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-three days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

24-Parganas. *No. 1957T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Shahibzada Solaiman Shekoh, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Barasat, in the same district, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Anish Chandra Mitra, or until further orders.

Bogra. *No. 1958T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Kamalini Kanta Sinha Ray, Sub-Registrar, Shibganj, in the district of Bogra, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty days, with effect from the afternoon of the 18th September 1917.

Mymensingh. Bogra. *No. 1959T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Shibganj, in the district of Bogra, with effect from the 1st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Kamalini Kanta Sinha Ray, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. *No. 1960T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Maulvi Khundkar Muhammad Ali, Sub-Registrar, Tangail, in the district of Mymensingh, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and twenty-three days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Jessore. *No. 1961T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Girindra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Jhinkargacha, in the district of Jessore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the afternoon of the 5th October 1917 to the 18th October 1917.

Nadia. Jessore. *No. 1962T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Babu Jitendra Kumar Mitra, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jhinkargacha, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the afternoon of the 5th October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Girindra Nath Ray, or until further orders.

Calcutta. *No. 1969T.R.—The 15th October 1917.*—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

No. 1970T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Dinesh Chandra Ray, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, from the afternoon of the 14th September 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Atul Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Mymensingh. Tippera.

No. 1971T.R.—The 15th October 1917.—Maulvi Nazmul Haq Khan, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Chittagong, Officiating as Sub-Registrar of Nabinagar in Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Gasbaria in the same district, with effect from the 24th September 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mahendra Lal Barua, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1902T.R.—The 13th October 1917.—In pursuance of section 7, sub-section (1) of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to establish, as a temporary measure for six months from 15th November 1917, an office at Narayanganj, in the district of Dacca, to be styled the office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Narayanganj having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry office at that place.

Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 672T.—Edn.—The 13th October 1917.—Babu Sarada Prasanna Das, Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, in class IV of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as a Professor of Mathematics in that College, *vice* Dr. C. E. Cullis, on deputation.

Calcutta.

No. 673T.—Edn.—The 13th October 1917.—Mr. Jiban Mohan Basu, Professor, Chittagong College, in class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as a Professor of Mathematics in the Presidency College, Calcutta, *vice* Babu Sarada Prasanna Das, on deputation.

Chittagong. Calcutta.

No. 58T.—Eccle.—The 13th October 1917.—The Revd. John Godber, M.A., Bishop's Chaplain and Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, is appointed to be Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, in addition to his duties as Bishop's Chaplain, with effect from the 26th September 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 570T.-Com.—The 10th October 1917.—Mr J. C. K. Peterson, I.C.S., is appointed Director of Industries, Bengal.

No. 613T.—Com.—The 15th October 1917.—The services of Mr E. W. Hammond, a temporary Inspector of Factories, Bengal, are retained until further orders, with effect from the 1st October 1917.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 397T.-Medl.—The 9th October 1917.—Dr. W. C. Hossack, Port Health Officer, Calcutta, and Officiating Protector of Emigrants and Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, is allowed, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for ten days, with effect from the 9th October 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 430T.-Medl.—The 11th October 1917.—Lieut.-Col. E. A. Hall, I.M.S., Civil Surgeon of the 24-Parganas and Medical Inspector of Emigration (Colonial Emigration), is appointed to officiate as Protector of Emigrants and Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, in addition to his own duties during the absence, on privilege leave, of Dr. W. C. Hossack.

24-Parganas.
Calcutta.

No. 432T.-Medl.—The 11th October 1917.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Manindra Nath Bhattacharji, Assistant Port Health Officer, is appointed to officiate as Health Officer of the Port of Calcutta, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Dr. W. C. Hossack.

Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 412T.-Medl.—The 11th October 1917.—The undermentioned passed students of the Medical College, Calcutta, are temporarily admitted into the service of Government as Assistant Surgeons with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :—

Calcutta.

(1) Babu Naresh Chandra Das Gupta, M.B., 13th September 1917.
(2) „ Jagadispada Dutta, M.B., 18th September 1917.

No. 415T.-Medl.—The 11th October 1917.—In pursuance of section 7 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), it is hereby notified for general information that the names of the candidates, who have been duly elected to be members of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration under clauses (*c*) to (*f*) of section 4 of the said Act are, respectively, as follows :—

Candidate duly elected under clause (c) of section 4.

1. Dr. Sures Prasad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E., B.A., M.D.

Candidate duly elected under clause (d) of section 4.

1. Mr Mahendra Nath Banerjee, M.R.C.S. (Eng.), L.S.A. (Lond.).

Candidates duly elected under clause (e) of section 4.

1. Babu Jatindra Nath Maitra, M.B. (Cal.), 68-A, Beadon Street, Calcutta.
2. Dr. Kedar Nath Das, M.B. (Cal.), M.D. (Madras), Teacher of Midwifery, Campbell Medical School, 22, Bethune Row, Calcutta.
3. The Hon'ble Dr. Nil Ratan Sircar, M.A., M.D. (Cal.), 61, Harrison Road, Calcutta.

Candidates duly elected under clause (f) of section 4.

1. Babu Amulya Chandra Mitra, Licensed Medical Practitioner, Burdwan.
2. Babu Birendra Nath Ghosh, Licensed Medical Practitioner, 2, Kaiser Street, Calcutta.

No. 416T.-Medl.—The 11th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 4 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), the Governor in Council is pleased to nominate the following gentlemen to be members of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration, with effect from the date mentioned against their names :—

Lt.-Col. W. J. Buchanan, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S.	..	20th October 1917.
Lt.-Col. E. A. R. Newman, M.D., I.M.S.	...	Ditto.
Lt.-Col. F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S.	...	Ditto.
Lt.-Col. J. T. Calvert, M.B., F.R.C.P., I.M.S.	...	Ditto.
Lt.-Col. B. H. Deare, I.M.S.	...	21st November 1917.
Major D. McCay, M.D., I.M.S.	...	20th October 1917.
Mr. Karuna Kumar Chatterjee, L.R.C.S. (Ireland).		Ditto.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5095A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5061A.—The 13th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Jessore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Jessore.

(*b*) to direct that the said persons, or any two or more of them, shall sit together as a Bench at Narail in the said district,

(*c*) to invest the said Bench with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class,

(*d*) to direct the said Bench to exercise the said powers in such cases occurring within the Narail subdivision as may be made over to it, and

(*e*) to direct the said persons to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Jatindra Nath Chaudhuri.
„ Gyanendra Chandra Das Gupta.
„ Hira Lal Bhattacharji (No. I).
„ Ram Lal Basu.

II. The Governor in Council is also pleased to vest the said Bench with the power to try summarily the offiences mentioned in section 261 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

POWERS.

No. 5033A.—The 11th October 1917.—Mr. Basanta Kumar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Midnapore.

No. 5035A.—The 11th October 1917.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mukharji (No. II), Deputy Magistrate, Hooghly. is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Hooghly.

No. 5059A.—The 13th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Kanti Chandra Mukharji, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Bakargauj, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Bakarganj.

No. 2599A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Kali Mohan Sen, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. He is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code.

Bakarganj.

No. 2602A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Kali Mohan Sen, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Patuakhali subdivision of the Bakarganj district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Bakarganj.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3081J.—The 12th October 1917.—The services of Babu Phanindra Mohan Chatarji, Munsif, Sylhet, now acting as Additional Subordinate Judge of Murshidabad, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Murshidabad.

LEAVE.

No. 3091J.—The 13th October 1917.—In modification of the Notification No. 278J.D., dated the 20th September 1917, published in Part I, page 1551, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th September 1917, Mr. J. T. Hume, Public Prosecutor, Calcutta, is allowed leave from the 16th October to the 13th November 1917, both days inclusive, under article 653 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Calcutta.

No. 3096J.—The 9th October 1917.—Babu Mohar Lal De, Munsif, on leave, is allowed furlough for one year, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the furlough granted to him under the orders of the 24th April 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1291IP.—The 11th October 1917.—Rai Rajendra Chandra Shastri Bahadur, Bengali Translator to Government, is allowed leave for sixteen days, under articles 260 and 345 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 31st October 1917.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 9796A.—The 16th October 1917.—The following promotion and confirmation in the rank of Inspector are ordered :—

Serial No.	With effect from	In consequence of	Name	From	To	Remarks.
1	1st October 1917.	Appointment of 1st grade Inspector J. Harlow substantive *pro tempore* to the 4th grade of Deputy Superintendents of Police.	(1) Inspector Kshetra Nath Basu, Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Barasat-Basirhat, 24-Parganas.	2nd grade Inspector	Substantive *pro tempore* 1st grade Inspector.	Will continue to act as Deputy Superintendent of Police.
			(2) Inspector T. A. Lees of Chittagong.	3rd grade Inspector.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	
2	Ditto ...	Creation of an appointment of 2nd grade Inspector for the Detective Department, 24 Parganas (*vide* Government order No. 7384P., dated the 25th April 1917).	(1) Inspector Anadi Nath Ghosh, Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Chittagong, under orders of transfer to Tangail, Mymensingh.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	2nd grade Inspector	Ditto
			(2) Inspector Satish Chandra Banarji of Hooghly.	3rd grade Inspector.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 12th October 1917.

No. 104.—The following extract from a notification, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for information :—

No. 1651, dated the 28th September 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Army Department.

THE following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

SECOND LIEUTENANTS TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Infantry Branch.

Douglas John Blomfield	...	14th August 1917.
John Allan Stein	...	22nd August 1917.
Francis Henry Hogshaw	...	22nd August 1917.

C. P WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 93Marine.—Mr. J. C. P. Rawlins, Mate Pilot, is appointed to be Junior Master Pilot with effect from the 6th October 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 16th October 1917.

No. 94Marine.—Under the rules contained in General Order Nos. 20 and 32, dated, respectively, the 18th July and 12th September 1917, of the Director, Royal Indian Marine, regulating the grant of leave during the war to Royal Indian Marine Officers, Captain D. F. Vines, R.I.M., Port Officer and Shipping Master, Calcutta, is granted war leave for thirty days, in extension of the war leave already granted in Bengal Government Notification No. 88Marine, dated the 15th September 1917.

Commander G. H. S. La Touche, R.I.M., Deputy Port Officer and Senior Deputy Shipping Master, Calcutta, will continue to officiate as Port Officer and Shipping Master, in addition to his own duties, *vice* Captain Vines.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5096A.

No. 5037A.—The 11th October 1917.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class :—

Bankura.
Birbhum.

Babu Mriganka Bhushan Ray, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Bankura,
„ Satkari Lal De, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Birbhum.

No. 5056A.—The 12th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Babu Madhu Sudan Gupta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Midnapore, to take down evidence in the English language.

Midnapore.

No. 2619A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Tarapada Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Uluberia, Howrah, is transferred to the Munshiganj subdivision of the Dacca district

Howrah.
Dacca.

No. 2637A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Sridhar Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Goalundo, Faridpur, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th September 1917 or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it, to the 18th October 1917.

Faridpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16087, dated Calcutta, the 13th October 1917.—Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., made over charge of the Mymensingh Jail to officiating Civil Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Barory on the afternoon of 25th September 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 1468-D., dated Darjeeling, the 10th October 1917.—The following 2nd grade Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Presidency of Bengal are promoted to the 1st grade with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

1.	Madhu Sudan Banarji	...	19th September 1917.
2.	Kunja Bihari Maulik	...	24th " "
3.	Mati Lal Mukharji	...	1st October "
4.	Kamini Kanta De	...	4th " "
5.	Umesh Chandra Mazumdar	...	15th " "
6.	Kali Prasanna Das	...	24th " "
7.	Harendra Nath Mitra	...	28th " "
8.	Ananta Kumar Barua	...	28th " "

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU UPENDRA MOHAN SEN GUPTA, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Mymensingh Treasury with effect from the afternoon of the 13th October 1917 and authorized to draw bills on other Treasuries.

W. S. HOPKYNS, *Collector.*

MYMENSINGH, *the 13th October 1917.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

THE Honourable the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed George Frank Dalrymple Tenant of No. 46, Queen Victoria Street, in the City of London, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England, a Commissioner within all parts of England to take affidavits or solemn affirmations or declarations in all suits, matters and proceedings in the Calcutta High Court and also the acknowledgements of married women in respect of property in India.

HIGH COURT ; By order,
ORIGINAL SIDE : J. H. HECHLE,
The 11th October 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU SATISH CHANDRA BASU, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Barisal, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try under the ordinary procedure original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 10th October 1917. *Registrar.*

General Letter No. 15.

To

THE DISTRICT JUDGE OF

Dated Calcutta, the 10th October 1917.

HIGH COURT, ENGLISH DEPT. (*Civil*)

SIR,

IN continuation of the Court's General Letter No. 13, dated the 31st August 1917, I am directed to forward herewith, for your information and for communication to the Courts subordinate to you, a second list of Vakils whose names have been removed from the Roll of this Court at their own request.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient servant,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

LIST.

	Name of Vakil.		Roll No
240	Parbati Charan Banerji	...	No. 14 of 1896.
241	Jogindra Nath Maitra	...	„ 83 of 1911.
242	Harendra Krishna Bagchi	...	„ 45 of 1915.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয় মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 12th October 1917.

No. 99P.—Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ahsanullah, Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, class III of the Provincial Educational Service, is granted, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for twenty-seven days, with effect from 31st October 1917.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 100P.—Babu Mahima Ranjan Barua, Professor of Pali, Chittagong College (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under articles 272 and 274 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eight days in extension of the leave granted to him in terms of this office notification No. 90P., dated 25th September 1917.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 17For.—The 9th October 1917.—Babu Paresh Nath Mukharji, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jalpaiguri Division, is transferred to the Chittagong Division as an attached officer with headquarters at Chittagong.

Jalpaiguri, Chittagong.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Offg. Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the following days during the Durga and Lakshmi Pujah holidays :—

19th, 20th and 26th October 1917.

N. BHAR, *Collector of Stamp Revenue.*

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 22nd September 1917.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 71M.C.T.—It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, on Monday, the 26th November 1917, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward No. V of the Rampur-Boalia Municipality, *vice* Maulvi Syed Tuffazal Hossain, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 8th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 68M.C.T.—It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, on Monday, the 26th November 1917, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward No. VII of the Rampur-Boalia Municipality, *vice* Babu Nilmony Mukherjee, removed under section 20 (1) (*a*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 8th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 19M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on 1st September 1917 in Ward No. IV of the Baraset Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, Babu Benode Behari Ghosal has been duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Bipin Behari Ray, resigned.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 98Mct.—It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III of 1884, on Thursday, the 1st November 1917, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward No. I of the Darjeeling Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Bhairuddin Marda, removed under section 20(*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 11th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4433J.—It is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held on the 20th November 1917 in Ward No. I of the Tangail Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, for the election of a Commissioner, *vice* Babu Kedar Nath Chakravarty, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under rule 32 of the rules framed under section 138 (*a*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended, the following dates are fixed for holding the election of members of the Local Boards in the several thanas of the Asansol, Kalna and Katwa subdivisions of the district of Burdwan :—

Asansol	...	Asansol	...	2nd January	1918.
		Raniganj	...	3rd "	"
		Kaksa	...	4th "	"
Katwa	...	Katwa	...	6th February	"
		Mangalkote	...	7th "	"
		Ketugram	...	8th "	"
Kalna	...	Kalna	...	25th "	"
		Purbasthali	...	26th "	"
		Monteswar	...	27th "	"

G. C. SEN, for *District Magistrate.*

BURDWAN MAGISTRACY, *the 9th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 84Mct.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19(*2*) of the Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1908, I appoint Munshi Abdur Rahaman Chaudhury and Munshi Jasimuddin Chaudhuri as members of the Nilphamari Local Board, in the district of Rangpur, *vice* Munshi Ahmed Hussain Chaudhury and Munshi Tamizuddin Ahmed, deceased.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 9th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4365J.—It is hereby notified that, under section 39 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (III of 1885), Babu Santo Prasad Saha has been duly elected to be a member of the Tetuljhora Union Committee in the Sadar subdivision (North) of the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Nagendra Mohan Choudhury, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVISION, DACCA, *the 9th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 287Jct.—Under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, it is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Bhandarpur Dispensary in the district of Rajshahi:—

Babu Ram Kamal Chaudhuri.
„ Upendra Chandra Chaudhuri.
„ Mahim Chandra Majumdar.
„ Sarat Chandra Lahiri.
„ Satis Chandra Chaudhuri.
„ Gour Chandra Sen.
„ Girindra Mohan Majumdar.
„ Satis Chandra Chakravarty.
„ Haris Chandra Chakravarty.
Munshi Naimuddin Mandal.
„ Bona Muhammad Mandal.
„ Masaratulla Mandal.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 11th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 44P. W. C.T.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, I order the establishment, under section 6 (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, of a public ferry at the place where the Forest Department Road from Hansimara to Madarihat crosses the Hansimara river, within the jurisdiction of Kalchini police-station in the Alipur-Duar subdivision, in the district of Jalpaiguri.

2. In exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, I also direct, under section 35 of the same Act, that the said ferry shall be managed by the District Board of Jalpaiguri and that all the proceeds of the said ferry and all the fines levied and the compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof shall be paid into the District Fund, with effect from the date of this notification.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., DARJEELING, *the 12th October 1917.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India, Extraordinary*, dated the 8th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Simla, the 8th October 1917.

No. 12096.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Delete the existing entries:—

"(C) Castor seed."

"(C) Castor," under the heading "Seeds, oleaginous and their products other than oils."

Add as new entries:—

"(A) Castor seed."

"(A) Castor," under the heading "Seeds, oleaginous and their products other than oils."

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 13th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Simla, the 13th October 1917.

No. 2255F.—His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General in Council has resolved to borrow funds for the public service by the issue of Treasury Bills in the following manner:—

On and after Tuesday, the 16th day of October 1917, Treasury Bills will be issued at the Banks of Bengal, Bombay and Madras in denominations of

Rs. 5,000, Rs. 10,000, Rs. 25,000, Rs 50,000, Rs. 1 lakh, Rs. 5 lakhs, and Rs. 10 lakhs, and for terms of six months, nine months, and twelve months to be reckoned from the date of issue of the bills. The rates payable for the bills will be notified from time to time. The rates in the first instance will be—

For six months' bills—Rupees 97 annas 9 per cent.
For nine months' bills—Rupees 96 annas 4 per cent.
For twelve months' bills—Rs. 95 per cent.

2. The Governor-General in Council reserves the right at any time to vary the rates payable for any class of bills, to fix a limit to the amount of bills to be issued in any week, or to discontinue issues of any class or classes of bills.

3. The bills will be repayable at maturity at the Presidency Bank of issue.

4. The bills will be in the following form :—

"This Treasury Bill entitles or order to the payment of Rs. _____ at the Bank of Bengal / Bombay / Madras out of the revenues of the Government of India on the _____ day of _____ 1918."

If the name of the payee be not filled in, the bill will be paid to the bearer : it will otherwise be payable to the payee or to his order.

5. Treasury Bills can be obtained during banking hours at the head offices of the Banks of Bengal, Bombay and Madras, as the case may be, on payment of the necessary amount by cheque, cash or otherwise

6. Income-tax will not be deducted from the yield of Treasury Bills at the time of their payment, but the yield will be assessable to income-tax, and must be included by an assessee in any return of income or profits submitted by him for income-tax purposes. Any legislation which may be necessary to give effect to this arrangement will be undertaken in connection with the revision of the Indian Income-tax Act which is at present under consideration.

H. F. HOWARD.
Secretary to the Govt. of India

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 13th October 1917, are republished for general information

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS.

Simla, the 13th October 1917.

No. 12219.—The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE, R.I.

WHEREAS by section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation :

AND WHEREAS by certain Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly :

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited :

NOW, THEREFORE, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows :—

As from and after the date hereof, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, viz. :—

Bacon.
Butter.
Hams.
Lard (other than neutral Lard).

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 19) Proclamation, 1917.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this twenty-ninth day of August, in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 12222.—The following Order in Council is published for general information :—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 28th day of August, 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS it is provided by section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

AND WHEREAS by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, and made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

AND WHEREAS by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

AND WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(B) Beeswax :

Chemicals, &c., the following :—

(A) Saccharin ;

(C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, and cordage twine, and yarns made therefrom, except coir yarn ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(A) Malt extract, and preparations containing malt extract ;

(A) Malt sugar ;

(A) Quercitron bark extract ;

(A) Tanning extracts and substances for use in tanning, including cutch ;

(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for ;

(C) Vanillin ;

(A) Wire, iron ;

(A) Wire, steel.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(A) Beeswax ;

Chemicals, &c., the following :—

(C) Dyes, vegetable, and dyestuffs and their extracts used in the preparation of vegetable dyes, and articles containing such dyes, dyestuffs and extracts, not otherwise prohibited ;

(A) Saccharin, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing saccharin ;

(A) Cutch and extracts thereof ;

(C) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise prohibited, and tissues and manufactures of such fibres, not otherwise prohibited ;

(A) Gall nuts and extracts thereof ;

(A) Gambier and extracts thereof ;

Linen manufactures, the following :—

(C) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of flax, not otherwise prohibited ;

(C) Marjoram leaves ;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—

(A) Invert sugar, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing invert sugar ;

(A) Malt sugar (maltose), and articles and preparations containing malt sugar ;

(C) Pyrites cinders ;

(A) Quercitron bark and extracts thereof ;

(A) Tanning extracts and substances for use in tanning ;

(A) Telegraphs (including wireless) and telephones, and instruments and material for, including valves for wireless telegraphic apparatus ;

(C) Thyme leaves;
(B) Vanadium ore;
(C) Vanillin, vanilla and vanilla pods;
(A) Wire, iron, and articles wholly manufactured thereof;
(A) Wire, steel, and articles wholly manufactured thereof:

NOW, THEREFORE, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 12363.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India, of any copy of the pamphlet entitled "For India" by W. W. Pearson, with an introduction by Paul Richard published by the Asiatic Association of Japan, Tokio.

EMIGRATION.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 12333.—In pursuance of rule 23 of the Assam Labour Board Rules, published with Commerce and Industry Department's Notification No. 295-132-C., dated the 20th November 1915, it is hereby notified that the rate of cess payable from 1st July 1917 up to and including the 30th June 1918, on every garden sardar deputed by his employer to engage labourers and on every person recruited or engaged as a labourer or assisted to emigrate under Chapter IV or Section 91 of the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), as amended by the Assam Labour and Emigration (Amendment) Act, 1915 (VIII of 1915), shall be Rs. 2 per head.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 12310.—In exercise the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-W., dated the 12th May 1917, in so far as it relates to the entry "(D) Rice" in the Schedule thereof, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of rice be also prohibited to the Netherlands East Indies subject to the provisos contained in the said notification.

MINES REGULATIONS.

The 13th October 1917.

No. 12349.—Corrigendum.—In Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 11917-(Mines Regulations), dated the 6th October 1917, *for* rule "11-E." in the sixth line *read* "11-DD."

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 13th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 12th October 1917.

APPOINTMENTS.

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No. 1725.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 518, dated the 13th April 1917, the services of Mr. H. L. Stephenson, C.I.E., I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 1st October 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

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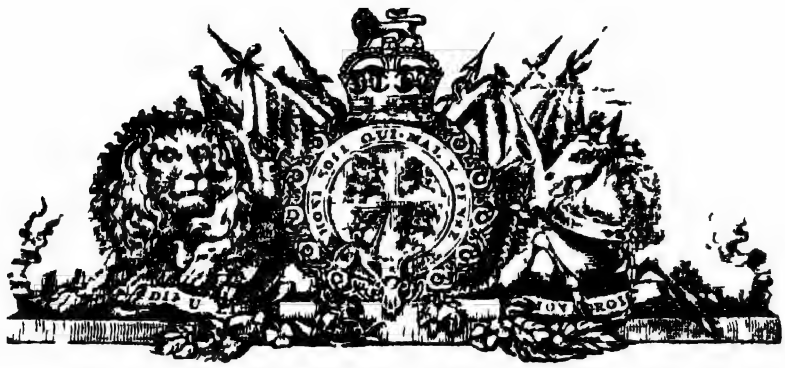
1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1757.—Second Lieutenant Cecil Coulter Betts resigns his commission. Dated the 15th March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Bakarganj.

No. 686T.M.—The 11th October 1917.—The Commissioners of the Nalchiti Municipality, in the district of Bakarganj, having recommended at a meeting held on the 9th March 1917 that a local area, viz., portion of Khoja-khali village which is contiguous to the Municipality and the boundaries of which are hereinafter described, should be included within its boundaries, the Governor in Council is pleased, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of section 9 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), to declare his intention to give effect to the said recommendation. The area is bounded on the—

North—By the Municipal road.
East—By the Khoja-khali land.
South—By the Khoja-khali khal.
West—By the village of Mallikpur and Teola khal.

2. The boundaries of the Nalchiti Municipality after the inclusion of the said area will be as follows:—

North—The Nalchity river,
East—The village of Surjapasa and a portion of Khoja-khali village.
South—Portions of Malipur and Nandikati villages,
West—The Malipur khal and a portion of Malipur village.

3. Any ratepayer of the said Municipality or any inhabitant of the said local area who objects to the inclusion of the said local area within the said Municipality should submit his objection in writing through the District Magistrate to the undersigned before the 1st December 1917.

No. 1806M.—The 16th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*i*) and (*ii*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 69, and by clause (*ii*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and in supersession of the rules published with Bengal Government Notification No. 129M., dated the 13th January 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules for the preparation, submission and execution of projects for water-supply, sewerage or drainage undertaken by municipal authorities :—

RULES FOR THE PREPARATION, SUBMISSION AND EXECUTION OF PROJECTS FOR WATER-SUPPLY, SEWERAGE OR DRAINAGE BY MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES.

Definition

1. In these rules "municipal authority" means the Commissioners of a municipality constituted under the provisions of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, and includes a Joint Committee constituted under section 37A of the Act.

Schemes and Projects.

Preparation of sketch of project

2. (*1*) Whenever a municipal authority desires to undertake a project for water-supply or sewerage, or a comprehensive scheme of surface drainage, or the improvement or extension of existing works of this description, it shall first cause to be drawn up a sketch of the project roughly shewing its scope and approximate cost.

(*2*) Such sketch may be drawn up—

(*a*) by the Sanitary Engineer at the request of the municipal authority; or

(*b*) by any private firm of established reputation approved by the Sanitary Engineer; or

(*c*) with the permission of the Sanitary Engineer, by the District Engineer, for whose services an application should be made to the District Board; or

(*d*) by one of its own officers or by an officer specially appointed for the purpose, subject in either case to the selection of such officer being approved of by the Sanitary Engineer.

(*3*) In the cases of (*b*) to (*d*) referred to in sub-rule (*2*), the sketch of the project, while in course of preparation, shall be subject to the examination and control of the Sanitary Engineer.

(*4*) The Sanitary Engineer shall, in all cases, act as adviser of the municipal authority.

Submission of sketch, statement and application.

3. (*1*) When the sketch of any project has been drawn up under rule 2, and it is estimated to cost Rs. 10,000 or more, or in the case of an estimate of less than Rs. 10,000, if the financial assistance of Government is desired, or if the project is a part of a larger one, the municipal authority shall submit it to the Sanitary Board through the Commissioner of the Division, together with a statement wherein shall be shewn the amount of the funds available to meet the capital and recurring cost of the project either from current revenue, or by way of loan, or from any other source.

(*2*) The Sanitary Board, after considering the project, shall forward it to the Municipal Department of Government for administrative approval, with such recommendations as they may think fit, and, in the case of schemes relating to local areas under the control of two or more local authorities, with proposals for the distribution of the costs under section 37E.

(*3*) In the case of a scheme the total estimated cost of which is less than Rs. 10,000, not being part of a larger scheme, or one for which financial assistance from Government is required, the administrative approval of Government shall not be necessary; but the Sanitary Engineer must be consulted, and the scheme, with a copy of the Sanitary Engineer's opinion on it, must be submitted to the Commissioner of the Division for approval.

Conditions precedent to obtaining administrative approval of Government to a project

4. In order to obtain the administrative approval of Government to any such project, the municipal authority shall satisfy Government—

(*1*) that the cost of maintenance of the projected work can be met by the municipal authority from revenue;

(*2*) that any loan required to meet the cost of the work can be repaid, together with the interest thereon, within the period that may be prescribed by the Government; and

(*3*) that the work can be done effectually in the manner and for the cost proposed.

Procedure after grant of administrative approval Preparation of detailed plans and estimates

5. (*1*) When the administrative approval of Government or the Commissioner of the Division, as the case may be, has been obtained to any such project and in no case before, except with the previous sanction of Government or the Commissioner as the case may be, the municipal authority may arrange for the preparation of detailed plans and estimates, and for this purpose may—

(*a*) apply for the services of the Sanitary Engineer; or

(*b*) with the previous sanction of the Sanitary Engineer,—

(*i*) entrust the work to a private firm of established reputation: or

(*ii*) apply to the District Board for the services of the District Engineer: or

(*iii*) cause the plans and estimates to be prepared by one of its own officers, or by an officer specially appointed for the purpose, subject in either case to the selection of such officer being approved of by the Sanitary Engineer, who shall first satisfy himself that the officer is fully qualified for the work in question.

(*2*) In the case of (*b*) referred to in sub-rule (*1*), the plans and estimates, while in course of preparation, shall be subject to the examination and control of the Sanitary Engineer.

Submission of detailed plans and estimates for final sanction

6. (*1*) The detailed plans and estimates shall, on completion, be forwarded in duplicate to the Sanitary Board through the Commissioner of the Division, or for final sanction to the Commissioner of the Division, as the case may be, together, in the former case, with the particulars required under section 37F of the Act and a report on the state of public feeling in regard to the scheme, and, if a loan is required, with an application in the prescribed form, and in the latter case, with a copy of the Sanitary Engineer's opinion on the scheme as finally drawn up.

(*2*) In the case of schemes for the improvement or extension of existing waterworks, the particulars mentioned in sub-rule (*1*) shall be accompanied by a statement shewing in detail the financial position of the Water Supply Fund.

(*3*) In the case of drainage schemes the estimates must be submitted in forms to be obtained from the office of the Sanitary Engineer.

(*4*) When the scheme has not been prepared in the Sanitary Engineer's office, it shall be accompanied by full details of the calculations of the sizes and strength of the various works and complete information as to the prices on which the estimates have been framed.

(*5*) The Sanitary Board shall submit the scheme to the Municipal Department of Government for final sanction, with an expression of their opinion on its merits as finally drawn up

Commencement of work

7. No work shall be commenced on the project, nor shall any agreement be entered into in respect thereof, until the detailed plans and estimates have received the final sanction of Government or the Commissioner of the Division, as the case may be.

Sanction to heavy excesses over detailed estimates

8. If, at any time during the progress of the work, the municipal authority has reason to anticipate that the sanctioned detailed estimate will be exceeded by more than 10 per cent., or if it shall at any time appear to the municipal authority that the sanctioned detailed scheme will require material alteration, the municipal authority must forthwith

submit to Government or the Commissioner of the Division, as the case may be, for approval, a revised scheme with revised estimates and plans.

The revised estimates and plans must be prepared,—

(*a*) in the case of schemes prepared and carried out by the Municipal Engineer under rules 5 (*1*) (*b*) (*iii*) and 10 (*2*) (*a*), by that officer and must be scrutinised by the Sanitary Engineer;

(*b*) in the case of schemes prepared and carried out by a firm of engineers of established reputation, or by an engineer specially appointed for the purpose under rule 5 (*1*) (*b*) (*i*) or 5 (*1*) (*b*) (*iii*) and rule 10 (*2*) (*a*), by the firm of engineers or the engineer so appointed, and must be scrutinised by the Sanitary Engineer;

(*c*) in the case of schemes prepared and carried out by the District Engineer under rules 5 (*1*) (*b*) (*ii*) and 10 (*2*) (*b*), by that officer and must be scrutinised by the Sanitary Engineer;

(*d*) in all other cases, by the Sanitary Engineer

Taking over of complete supervision and control by Sanitary Engineer

9 (*1*) The Sanitary Engineer shall have complete supervision and control of the carrying out of all schemes of water-supply, sewerage and drainage towards which Government may make a grant amounting to Rs. 50,000 or more, or to half the total cost of the scheme, or more. The municipal authority shall undertake to pay the percentages prescribed in rule 28, before work on the scheme is begun.

(*2*) In other cases the municipal authority may request the Sanitary Engineer to take over supervision and control of the work, and on that authority undertaking to pay the percentages prescribed in rule 28, the Sanitary Engineer shall, if he considers that he can so arrange without detriment to the public service, take over such supervision and control.

(*3*) Works of which the complete supervision and control are taken over by the Sanitary Engineer under sub-rules (*1*) and (*2*) are to be considered as contribution works and are to be carried out by the Sanitary Engineer's Department under the rules regarding such works in paragraphs 861 to 865 of the Public Works Code, except that the provision made for establishment, etc., will be the percentages prescribed in rule 28 hereof, or such percentages as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe, and need not be the established percentages laid down for the Bengal Presidency.

(*4*) In addition to the above percentages, the municipal authority shall bear all law charges on behalf of Government in any suits brought by contractors or others in connection with the execution of any project under this rule, in which Government or its officers may be joined as parties with the municipal authority or its representatives:

Provided that no charge shall be payable by the municipal authority under sub-rule (*4*), if, in the opinion of the Government the suit is due to the malfeasance or negligence of the Sanitary Engineer, or an officer subordinate to him.

Conditions as to detailed engineering supervision.

10. (*1*) Where the cost of the projected work is estimated to amount to Rs. 10,000 or more, adequate provision for detailed engineering supervision shall be a condition precedent to the grant of final sanction by the Government.

(*2*) In the absence of special sanction to the contrary, one of the following arrangements shall be made :—

(*a*) that the work be carried out under the supervision of an engineer, either permanently employed by the municipal authority, or specially employed for the purpose, assisted by an adequate establishment of properly qualified overseers, the name and qualifications of the engineer having been previously submitted to the Sanitary Engineer and approved by him ; or

(*b*) that, with the previous approval of the Sanitary Engineer, arrangements be made with the District Board for the carrying out of the work under the supervision of the District Engineer and his staff ; or

(*c*) that the work be carried out under the complete supervision or control of the Sanitary Engineer under the arrangement provided for in rule 9.

(3) In the cases of conditions (*a*) and (*b*) referred to in sub-rule (2), the work while in progress shall be subject to the inspection and control of the Sanitary Engineer.

Report by municipal authority to the Commissioner in case of small work.

11. Where the estimated cost of works amounts to less than Rs. 10,000, the municipal authority shall report, for the information of the Commissioner of the Division, the agency by which it is proposed to have such works carried out, and shall follow the instructions issued by him in the matter.

Tenders and Contracts.

12. In the case of works carried out under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of rule 10 (2) the following procedure (rules 13 to 24) shall be followed.

Preparation of drawing specifications, forms of tender, etc.

13. When requested by the municipal authority, the Sanitary Engineer shall prepare working or contract drawings, specifications, estimates, bills of quantities, forms of tender, or other documents or plans required for the execution of sanitary engineering works which have been duly sanctioned and which are to be let out by contract, as well as forms of advertisement inviting tenders for such works.

Approval of Sanitary Engineer to drawings, specifications, forms of tender, etc.

14. When drawings, specifications, bills of quantities, forms of tender, and other documents referred to in rule 13 are not prepared by the Sanitary Engineer, such drawings, specifications, etc, shall be submitted to the Sanitary Engineer for his approval in writing before tenders for the contract of such work are advertised for in the public press.

Advertisements inviting tenders.

15. Every advertisement for tenders shall briefly describe the works required to be carried out, the place or places where plans and drawings can be seen, and copies of the specifications and forms of tender obtained, the deposit to be paid by any person making a tender, and the date and hour up to which tenders will be received by the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman of the municipal authority.

Approval of plans, drawings, specifications, forms of tender, etc., by the municipal authority.

16. The plans, drawings, specifications, bills of quantities, forms of tender and advertisements shall be formally approved by the municipal authority in meeting. Whenever the said authority desires to make any alteration in any one of such documents, the Sanitary Engineer shall be informed and his advice obtained with regard to such alteration.

Submission and receipt of tenders.

17. All tenders shall be submitted in sealed covers addressed to the Chairman or the Vice-Chairman of the municipal authority, and such officer shall attend in person at the office of that authority, or at any other place to which it may be directed that tenders shall be forwarded, at the latest hour specified in the advertisement for the receipt thereof. Any tender received after such hour shall be out of order and shall not be accepted.

Opening and numbering of tenders.

18. The Chairman or the Vice-Chairman of the municipal authority shall himself open the tenders, shall number each tender, and shall note thereon the exact time at which it was opened.

19. After the tenders have been opened, they shall be either—

(*a*) sent to the Sanitary Engineer, or

(*b*) in the case of works carried out under rule 10 (2) (*a*) under the supervision of a Municipal Engineer approved by the Sanitary Engineer as being competent to advise on these questions, handed to that officer, or

(*c*) in the case of works carried out under rule 10 (2) (*b*) under the supervision of the District Engineer, handed to that officer,

for check and scrutiny:

Provided that in the case of (*b*) or (*c*) the engineer of the municipal authority or the District Engineer, as the case may be, shall, in case of difficulty or uncertainty, consult the Sanitary Engineer.

Return of tenders after check and scrutiny.

20. The Sanitary Engineer, or the engineer of the municipal authority, or the District Engineer, as the case may be, shall, after checking and scrutinising the tenders, return them to the municipal authority with his remarks and recommendations.

Consideration of tenders

21. The municipal authority shall thereafter consider the tenders in meeting, and either accept one of them provisionally or, if necessary or desirable, refer the question to the Sanitary Engineer for further advice.

Acceptance of tender

22. No tender shall be accepted which is not in order, is not fully priced out, and is not in every way in accordance with the instructions contained in the advertisement inviting such tenders. Any alteration or reduction in a tender made by the person making the tender after the same has once been submitted shall (except in the case of a palpable arithmetical error) at once render the tender out of order.

Discharge of tenders and advertisement for fresh tenders.

23. If it is found that none of the tenders submitted is satisfactory, or if for any reason it is believed that the conditions of tendering have not been properly understood, so that fair tenders have not been received, all such tenders shall be discharged and fresh tenders shall be advertised for.

Provisional acceptance and submission of a tender to the Sanitary Engineer

24. After a tender has been provisionally accepted, it shall be submitted to the Sanitary Engineer for final approval, together with all other tenders received for the work, and until such approval has been received no tender shall be finally accepted by the municipal authority:

Provided that, in case of a difference of opinion between the municipal authority and the Sanitary Engineer in regard to the acceptance of a particular tender, the matter shall, if the municipal authority so desires, be referred to the Chief Engineer, Roads and Buildings, whose decision shall be final and binding on all parties.

25. Cases of works carried out under the complete supervision or control of the Sanitary Engineer under rule 10 (2) (*c*) shall be governed by the rules contained in Chapter VIII of the Public Works Department Code.

Fees.

Fees

26. The fees mentioned in column 2 of the following table shall be leviable from a municipal authority for the services of the Sanitary Engineer specified opposite thereto in column 1 of that table :—

Nature of work	Fees
1	2
(*a*) Preparation of detailed estimates and drawings for projects and schemes.	2 per cent. on the estimated cost of the works.
(*b*) Examination and check of detailed estimates and drawings for projects and schemes prepared by a different agency.	per cent. on the first Rs. 20,000 of the estimated cost, and ½ per cent. on the balance of the estimated cost of the works.
(*c*) Preparation of contract drawings, specifications and forms of tender.	2 per cent. on the estimated cost of the works.

Provided that, when both detailed estimates and drawings and contract drawings, specifications and forms of tender [as specified in items (*a*) and (*c*), respectively, in column 1 of the above table] in respect of the same works are prepared by the Sanitary Engineer, an inclusive fee of 3 per cent. on the estimated cost of such works shall be charged

NOTE.—In calculating the fees the cost of survey and the cost of land acquisition shall be excluded from the estimated cost.

No charge for services of the Sanitary Engineer or his assistants for preparation of sketch of project

27. When the preparation of the sketch of a project is undertaken or supervised by the Sanitary Engineer under rule 2, no charge shall be made for his services or for those of his assistants, or for the services of Government surveyors, draftsmen and tracers engaged in such work: drawing materials and the instruments required for such work shall also be provided at Government expense. But the municipal authority shall render all reasonable assistance on the spot in supplying survey coolies and survey pegs and in fixing bench-marks, etc., and shall pay the actual cost of the

same. Such authority shall also in each case provide a suitable office properly furnished for the use of the Government surveyors and draftsmen.

28. (*1*) The scale of fees leviable for the supervision and control of works by the Sanitary Engineer under rule 9 shall be as follows :—

Fees leviable for supervision and control by Sanitary Engineer

Cost of scheme.					Percentage on total final cost of scheme.		Maximum leviable.
							Rs.
Less than Rs. 20,000		...	...	...	8	...	1,400
Rupees 20,000 or more	but less than	Rs.	50,000		7	...	3,250
,, 50,000	ditto	ditto	,,	1,00,000	6½	...	6,000
,, 1,00,000	ditto	ditto	,,	2,00,000	6	...	11,000
,, 2,00,000	ditto	ditto	,,	5,00,000	5½	...	22,500
,, 5,00,000	ditto	ditto	,,	10,00,000	4½	...	35,000
,, 10,00,000 and over		...	...	...	3½	...	.....

(*2*) The percentages specified in sub-rule (*1*) shall be payable on the Sanitary Engineer's certificate as follows :—25 per cent. of the total percentages chargeable on the amount of any separate contract, when such contract has been let ; an additional 25 per cent. of the amount of the percentages when half the work included in the contract has been completed ; a further 25 per cent. of the amount of the percentages when 75 per cent. of the work has been completed ; and the balance when the work included in the contract has been satisfactorily finished and the total amount payable on the contract has been finally settled.

NOTE.—In calculating the percentages, the cost of survey, land acquisition and supervision shall be excluded from the total cost.

24-Parganas.

No. 688T.-M.—The 11th October 1917.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part VIII of that Act to the said Municipality.

Faridpur.

No. 690T.-M.—The 12th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Faridpur Municipality, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the levy, under section 321 of that Act, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the area of the Municipality to which the provisions of Part IX were extended by Notification No. 119T.M., dated the 15th May 1917, and the boundaries of which are specified in the said Notification.

No. 703T.-M.—The 13th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Patuakhali Municipality in the district of Bakarganj :—

1. Maulvi Fazlal Karim.
2. ,, Abdul Kasem.
3. Munshi Mogbul Ali.

Hooghly.

No. 683T.-L.S.-G.—The 11th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No 317¼T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Mogra Union, in the district of Hooghly, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Hooghly.

No. 682T.-L.S.-G.—The 11th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Hooghly in the district of Hooghly, into a Union :—

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union	
			Name of mauza.	Jurisdiction List No.			
Hooghly ...	Mogra ...	9	Madhusudanpur	...	25	*North.*	
			Denra	...	23		
			Dadpur	...	22	Digsoi	... 122
			Refuetpur	...	29	Kabirhati	... 11
			Chandrahati	...		Hasghura	... 20
			Gaharpur	...	32	Naksa	... 13
			Benipur, Pathis	...		Bharatpur, 2nd	... 17
			Kharagpur	...	24	Hidaspota, 1st	... 15
			Mamderpur	...		Thana Balagarh.	
			Jote Kalyan	...	34		
			Raghabpur	...	35	*East.*	
			Hajipur, Pathis	...	33		
			Rajarampur	...		River Hooghly.	
			Baudapara	...	31	Baikuntiapur	... 36
			Sripur or Sultanpur	...	38	Sibpur	... 50
			Baghati, Pathis	...		Basudebpur	... 47
			Naibagishpur	...		Bansberia	... 51
			Mohesbati	...	37	Khamarpara	... 71
			Sripur	...			
			Amodghata	...		*South.*	
			benibati	...			
			Ramkristobati	...	39	Keota	... 82
			Joykristobati or Joypur	...		Iswarbaha	... 73
			Chandbati	...	21	Chandrapur	... 68
			Bag Baghati	...			
			Ahmedghat, 2nd	...	40	*West.*	
			Ahmedghata	...	42		
			Baripur	...	41	Chandrapur	... 68
			Raghunathpur, Pathis	...		Bag Babubag	... 65
			Medipara	...		Hajipur	... 64
			Nababganj	...	26	Thana Polba.	
			Nasarai	...			
			Desarbati	...			
			Bishpura	...			
			Char Madhusudanpur	...	28		
			Jatrasudhi	...	30		
			Kola, Pathis	...			
			Shaikpara	...	43		
			Puranopota	...			
			Kantapukur	...			
			Gajghanta, Pati	...	46		
			Dum Dum	...			
			Alikhoja or Shekpara	...	44		
			Minajpur	...	45		
			Eklaspur, Pathis	...			
			Sankhanagar	...	54		
			Noādapara	...			

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.
			Name of mauza.	Jurisdiction List No.	
			Chak Bansberiah, Pathis...	53	
			Pathanpara ..		
			Kerunidanga ...		
			Chak Bansberia Kasba ...	62	
			Nomajgaon ...	58	
			Dingalhat ...	57	
			Trisbigha ...	61	
			Mithapukhar ...	52	
			Satgram ...	63	
			Bara Khagura ...	70	
			Chhota Khagura ...	69	
			Teghari, Pati ...	72	
			Mairapukur ...		
			Chak Kalandar or Nalanda	59	
			Purusottampur ...	16	
			Dharmanagar ...	55	
			Heria ...	60	
			Arazi Minajpur ...	56	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Mogra Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 684T.-L.S.-G.—The 11th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Mogra Union, in the district of Hooghly, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Hooghly.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM BY THE INSPECTOR OF SCHOOLS, BURDWAN DIVISION.

University Matriculation Examination, 1918.

PRIVATE STUDENTS.

1. Private students are those who have not attended any recognized or unrecognized High English schools for at least one year previous to the examination. The term "private students" includes school-masters.

2. Private students must appear at the Test Examination to be held on Monday, the 3rd December 1917, and the following days at the Hooghly Collegiate School.

Each private student will have to pay a fee of Rs. 6, which should be remitted to the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division, Chinsura, along with his application for admission to the Test Examination by the 9th November 1917, after which date a fine of Rs. 2 will have to be paid for each week's delay. *Under no circumstances will the admission fee be refunded.* No private student will be admitted to the Test Examination unless he is accompanied, for the purpose of identification, by some person known in the office of the Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

3. Applications must be submitted through the head-master of the school in which the applicant last read. The head-master, in forwarding the application to this office, should note whether he recommends the application or not. If he does not, his reasons should be stated. The application of no candidate is to be forwarded who did not leave school from the first class, or who had not been declared fit for promotion to that class. The information to be given and the documents to be appended (in original) are the following :—

(*a*) The name of the school in which the candidate last studied.

(*b*) The transfer certificate (in original) granted to the candidate by the head-master of the school in which he last read; or

(*c*) In the case of a candidate who previously appeared at the Entrance Examination, the Registrar's receipt (in original) for the fee paid.

Serial No.	Name of scholars.	College from which graduated.	Where tenable.
Gopi Mohan Tagore Scholarship of Rs. 30 a month tenable for 2 years.			
1	Hirendrachandra Sen	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
2 Hindu College Foundation Scholarships of Rs. 25 a month each tenable for 2 years.			
1	Umeschandra Sen Gupta.	Presidency College ...	Presidency College.
2	Manujnath Ghatak ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
1 Durga Charan Laha Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for 2 years.			
1	Ramratan Bhatta-charyya.	Hooghly College ...	University Post-graduate classes.
1 Durga Charan Laha Scholarship of Rs. 25 a month tenable for one year.			
1	Sudhendukumar Das...	Scottish Churches College.	University Post-graduate classes.
1 Hara Kumar Tagore Sanskrit Scholarship of Rs. 20 a month tenable for one year.			
1	Ganapati Bhatta-charyya.	Metropolitan Institution.	University Post-graduate classes.

E. E. BISS,

Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction. Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th October 1917.

THE undermentioned candidates are awarded post-graduate scholarships of Rs. 100 a month each for one year with effect from 1st July 1917. The scholarships will be drawn from the date on which the scholars actually undertake their research work :—

Serial No.	Names of scholars.	Subject of researches.	Place of work.
1	Babu Subimal Chandra Dutt, M.A.	Indian History; Maurya Empire.	Calcutta University Library.
2	,, Biraja Sankar Guha, M.A. ...	Indian Sociology ...	Imperial Library.

EVAN E. BISS,

Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress the three special Law Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each provided for Muhammadans and members of backward classes in Eastern Bengal are awarded to the following students for two years with effect from 1st June 1917 :—

1. Kshetra Nath Dalal.
2. Rai Mohan Majumdar.
3. Sakhawat Hossain Khan.

The scholarships are tenable at the Dacca Law College.

E. E. BISS,

Offg. Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 2T.B.—The 10th October 1917.—In continuation of Notification No 1T.B., dated 19th September 1917, the following list of books approved as prize and library books is issued. This list contains books specially suitable to teachers, and the various handbooks for guidance in class work issued by the Education Department. For additional books for prize and library purposes reference should be made to the previous Notifications Nos. 1M., dated 3rd March 1908, 21, dated 8th February 1909, 132K., dated 8th November 1909, 12K., dated 7th February 1911, 4K., dated 6th January 1912, 59K., dated 23rd September 1912, 5K., dated 12th August 1913, 5K., dated 23rd October 1914, 5K., dated 30th October 1915, 6K., dated 11th December 1916 (Eastern Bengal), and notifications, dated 29th January 1913, 15th January 1913, 28th March 1913, 19th August 1913, 15th September 1914, 1st February 1915, 28th July 1915. and 20th September 1916 (West Bengal).

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

LIST C.

PRIZE AND LIBRARY BOOKS.

English Literature.

Little People in Far-off Lands, No. F21 (Among the Balkans). F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 2*d.* Prize and Library book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 8 (Old Greek Stories). Retold by E. M. Whitaker. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 1½*d.* Prize book.

The "A L." Bright Story Readers, No. 9 (Wonder Tales). Retold by E. M. Whitaker. (Macmillan & Co. for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 1½*d.* Prize book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 134 (The Palace of Peaceful Pleasure). Retold by E. J. Crossfield. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 3*d.* Prize and Library book.

A First Book of English Unseens. J. W. Holme. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Library book for teachers,

The "A. L." Tiny Readers, No. T 38 (The Golden Geese). E. C. Dill. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*d.* Prize and Library book.

The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, No. 261 (The Coral Island). H. M. Ballantyne, abridged by J. B. Marshall. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 4*d.* Prize and Library book.

Indian Fables from Hitopadesh, Grade I, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1-6. Prize and Library book.

Persian Fables from Anwar-i-Suhali, Grade I. No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2. Prize and Library book.

Birth, Exile and Wanderings of Rama and Sita, Grade III, No. 1. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

The Last Exile of Sita, Grade III, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

Tales from the Mahabharat, Grade IV, No. 1. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3. Prize and Library book.

Tales from the Mahabharat, Grade IV, No. 2. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3-6. Prize and Library book.

A Practical Introduction to the Teaching of English. L. Tipping. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6. Library book for teachers.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book I. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 4*d.* Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book II. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book III. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

Macmillan's New Senior Class Reader, Book IV. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* Library book.

New Readings from Indian History. W. H. Hutton. (K. & J. Cooper.) Re. 1-2. Library book.

Stories of the Ramayana. A. Madhaviah. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-2. Library book.

Cambridge Book of Poetry for Children. Part I. Edited by K. Graham. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. Library book.

Cambridge Book of Poetry for Children. Part II. Edited by K. Graham. (Macmillan & Co.) 1s. Library book.

Government of Then and Now. J. S. Townshend. (Macmillan & Co.) 6d. Library book.

The Orient Pearls. Shovona Devi. (Macmillan & Co.) 2s. 6d. Prize book.

Things, New and Old. Parts I—III. H. D. Arnold Foster. Prize and Library book.

Tales of India Series—The Golden City. H. Malim. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4. Prize and Library book.

Lahiri's Moral Tales. S. K. Lahiri. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) As. 12. Prize and Library book.

Hindu Fasts and Feasts. A C. Mukherjee. (The Indian Press, Allahabad.) Re. 1. Library book.

Readings in Indian History, Parts I—III. Sir W. W. Hunter. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) Re. 1 each. Library book.

Hindu Holidays and Ceremonials. Mr. B. A. Gupte. Prize and Library book.

A Primer of Indian Administration. L. F. Rushbrook Williams. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Library book.

George and Mary. T. N. Biswas. (Nalini Mohan Biswas.) Library book.

Vernacular Literature.

Nachiketa. Atul Chandra Mukherji. (Adi Brahma Samaj.) As. 12. Library book.

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Rupkatha. Jogendra Nath Gupta. (Albert Library.) Re. 1. Prize and Library book.

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Dwijendra Lal. Naba Krishna Ghosh. (Chakravertty, Chatterji & Co.) Re. 1-8. Library book.

Sati Chitra. Baroda Kanta Majumdar. (Chakravertty, Chatterji & Co.) Re. 1-4. Prize and Library book.

Saral Bangla-Ingraji Abidhan. K. K. Bhattacharjya and G. D. Banerji. (G. C. Neogi.) Re. 1-8. Library book (also for teachers).

Youth's Noble Path. Part I (Urdu edition). F. J. Gould. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 8. Library book.

Youth's Noble Path, Part II (Urdu edition). F. J. Gould. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 8. Library book.

Sabitri. Kartick Chandra Das Gupta. (Mathura Nath Sen Gupta.) As. 6. Prize and Library book.

Rabindra Prativa. Ekramuddin. (Naziruddin.) Re. 1. Library book.

Mahatma Kali Prasanno Sinha. Monmotho Nath Ghosh. (Priya Nath Das.) Re. 1. Library book.

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Chhabi-O-Kabita, Part I. Jogindra Nath Bose. (Sanskrit Press Depository.) As. 8. Prize book.

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Kholasatul Qawaid. Abdul Wadud. (Author.) As. 6. Library book.

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Nisab-i-Urdu. University Book Depot.) As. 10. Library book.

Geography Kurra-i-arz. L. Madho Narain. (Uttar Chand Kapur & Sons.) As. 9. Library book.

Silsala Hisab, Part I. M. Abdulla Khan. (Uttar Chand Kapur & Sons.) As. 2. Library book.

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Tarikh Muktasar Haidrabad, Deccan. Nawab Farid Nawaz Jung of Hyderabad. As. 8. Library book

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Stories of Other Lands, Book 1. J. Duckworth. (Indian School Supply Depôt, for Cassell & Co. Limited.) 10*d*. Prize and Library book.

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Samasamayik Bharat, Vol. IV. Professor Jogindra Nath Samaddar. (Nalinaksha Roy.) Rs. 3-8. Library book.

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Logical Basis of Education ...	Ditto.
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Principles of Class Teaching, by Findlay	Ditto.
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Studies Introductory to a Theory of Education	Ditto.
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The Indian Teachers' Guide ...	Longmans, Green & Co.
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Primer of School Method	Ditto.
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Talks to Teachers	Ditto.
Psychology for Teachers	Ditto.
The Principles of Education ...	Ditto.
The Art of Teaching by Salmon ...	Ditto.
Mental and Physical Life of School Children	Ditto.
Sandford and Merton	Blackie & Son.

Vernacular Education in Bengal, by H. A. Stark. (For this book reference should be made to the Training College, Dacca.)

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Heroes of Indian History.
The Romance of Electricity.
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Conquests of Engineering.

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The World at War	Oxford University Press
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England and India	Longmans, Green & Co.

The Calcutta Review. (There is a special one-rupee edition for schools. The work is specially suitable for teachers.)

In the selection of school maps and apparatus reference must be made to publishers' catalogues. Amongst the best are the following :—

Bengali Atlas for Schools ...	Macmillan & Co.
Indian New Era Atlas	Ditto.
Indian Students' Atlas	Ditto.
The Atlas Geographies	Ditto.
Vernacular Hand Maps of the Province, District and Subdivision of Bengal ...	Ditto.
Geographical Charts (English and Bengali.)	Ditto.
Pictures of Indian Art and Architecture	Ditto.
Farm Animal Pictures	Ditto.
Lesson Chart	Ditto.
The Indian School Atlas	Oxford University Press.
A School Economic Atlas	Ditto.

Class books recommended for teachers' use.

The "A-L" New English Course, Books V and VI. J. Eades. (Macmillan & Co., for E. J. Arnold & Son.) 5*d.* each.

Class Exercises in English Composition. A. Linecar. (Indian School Supply Depôt, for F. C. & E. C. Jack.)

Essay Writing, Models and Materials. P. C. Wren. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 6.

Short Stories for Reproduction. P. C. Wren. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 6.

A Reformed Method of Teaching English. E. Stokes. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

English Composition. R. S. Bate. (G. Bell & Sons.)

Matriculation Composition. P. K. Sen, B.A. (Hariram Dhar, Dacca.) Re. 1-6. For teachers only.

Elementary Lessons in English Composition (Oral and Written) for use in Indian Schools, Books I—III. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4, As. 5, and As. 6. For teachers only.

The "Do and Say" Method of Teaching English in Indian Schools, Part I. E. C. Fergusson. (Indian School Supply Depôt, Calcutta.) As. 8. For teachers only.

The "Do and Say" Method of Teaching English in Indian Schools, Parts II and III. E. C. Fergusson. (Indian School Supply Depôt, Calcutta.) As. 12 each. For teachers only.

Picture Composition (Teachers' book). J. N. Fraser. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 12. Suitable for the use of teachers.

The Sixth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fifth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Fourth Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

The Third Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 3.

The Second Term in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 2.

First Steps in Teaching English by the Direct Method. J. N. Fraser. (Longmans, Green & Co.)

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools, Teacher's Book for the third year. J. C. Allen. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 8. For teachers only.

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools, Second year Teachers' book. J. C. Allen. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 6.

Longmans' English Course for Indian Schools, Teachers' book (First year). J. C. Allen. (Longmans, Green & Co.) As. 6.

The Reformed Readers with Teachers' books. (Oxford University Press.)

For High School Classes.

Arithmetic, Algebra and Geometry.

Algebra for Secondary Schools. Charles Davison. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*s.*

A Short Introduction to Graphic Algebra. H. S. Hall (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*

Algebra for Beginners. Todhunter and Loney. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*s.* 6*d.*

Easy Graphs. H. S. Hall. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*

Practical Geometry for Beginners. V. L. Foster and F. W. Dobbs. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s* 6*d.*

A First Book of Arithmetic. S. Lister. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

The Winchester Arithmetic, Parts I and II. C. Godfrey and C. M. Bell. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* each.

The Rational Arithmetic, Books I, II, III, IV, V, VI and VII. G. Ricks. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*d.* each.

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For Middle Classes (Standards V and VI).

Answers to Nabya Patiganitsar for Standards V and VI. Sarada Prasanna Das. (Author). 6 pies.

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Answers to Nabya Patiganitsar for Standards III and IV. Sarada Prasanna Das. (Author). 6 pies.

Answers to Sishuranjan Ganit Prasnamala, Parts III and IV. Kali Pada Basu. (D. N. Sen.) 6 pies.

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Answers to Scholar's Book on Arithmetic. (Macmillan & Co.) A. 1.

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Answers to Nabya Sishuganit Sarada Prasanna Das. (Author.) 6 pies.

Answers to Nimna Ganit Prasnamala for Standards I and II. K. P. Pal. (S. K. Nath and G. C. Nath.) 6 pies.

Urdu.

Answers to Scholar's Book on Arithmetic. (Macmillan & Co.). A. 1.

Answers to Al-Mohasib. Muhammad Abdul Majid. 6 pies.

The course of study in Geometrical Drawing, Practical Geometry, Mensuration, Hygiene and in Domestic Economy will be as prescribed in the syllabus, and teachers may use any of the books named in the list below which have been placed upon the approved list for use under the new syllabuses of instruction.

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Geometrical Drawing and Experimental Geometry (for teachers)—Bengali.

Abhinaba Jyamiti. Rai Rasamaya Mitra Bahadur. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 6.

Jyamiti Shiksha, Part II. Kedar Nath Datta. (Sudhir Kumar Datta.) As. 3-6.

Nutan Jyamiti, Part II. Sarada Kanta Ganguli. (Students' Library.) As. 4.

Adhunik Jyamiti, Parts I and II. Gouri Sankar De. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 6.

A School Geometry, Part I (enlarged), for Standards V and VI. H. S. Hall and F. H Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

Jyamiti Shiksha for Standards V and VI (revised). Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) As. 6.

Jyamiti Sopan. Chinta Haran Roy. (Chakravarti, Chatterjee & Co.) As. 6.

Mensuration (for teachers)—Bengali.

Saral Parimitisar for Standards V and VI. Sarada Prasanna Das. (Author.) As. 2.

Parimiti Shiksha, Part II. Kedarnath Datta. (Sudhir Kumar Datta.) As. 2-9.

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Parimiti, Part II. Krishna Prasanna Pal. (S. K. Nath and G. C. Nath.) As. 2.

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For Standards III & IV (Upper Primary classes).

Geometrical Drawing and Experimental Geometry (for teachers)—Bengali.

Byabaharik Jyamiti. Rai Rasamay Mitra Bahadur. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 4.

Jyamiti Shiksha, Part I. Kedarnath Datta. (Sudhir Kumar Datta.) As. 3

New Code Geometry for Standards III and IV. Rev. A. Sims. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

A School Geometry, Part 1. H. S. Hall and F. H. Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.

Byabaharik Jyamiti. Upendra Lal Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) As. 2-9.

Nutan Jyamiti, Part I. Sarada Kanta Ganguli. (Students' Library.) As. 3-9.

Jyamiti Shiksha for Standards III and IV (revised). Narayandas Banerjee and Kalidas Banerjee. (K. D. Banerjee.) As. 4.

Practical Geometry in Bengali, Part I. M. C. Bhattacharyya. (Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi.) As. 4.

Prathamic Jyamiti. Chinta Haran Roy. (A. N. Chatterji.) As. 4

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School Geometry, Part I. H. S. Hall and F. H. Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 6.

Mensuration (for teachers)—Bengali.

Saral Parimitisar for Standard IV. Sarada Prasanna Das. (Author.) A. 1.

Parimiti Shiksha, Part I. Kedarnath Datta. (Sudhir Kumar Datta.) A. 1-3.

Parimiti for Standard IV. Upendra Lal Bakshi. (B. Banerjee & Co.) A. 1.

Nutan Parimiti, Part 1. Sarada Kanta Ganguli. (Students' Library.) A. 1.

Parimiti Shiksha, Part 1. Nrisingha Chandra Mukherjee. (S. C. Auddy & Co.) A. 1-6.

For Standards V & VI (Middle classes).

Hygiene and Domestic Economy (for teachers)—Bengali.

Swasthya Tattwa, Part II. Dr. Hari Nath Ghosh. (Chakravarty, Chatterjee & Co., Sirkar & Co.) As. 9.

Swasthyer Katha for Standards V and VI (revised) for boys' schools. Girish Chandra Basu. (Sucharu Bhusan Ghose, Ghosh & Co.) As. 4.

Swasthya Niti, Part II. Jamini Bhusan Roy. (Manmatha Nath Goswami.) As. 9.

Bengali Text-book on Hygiene and Domestic Economy for Standards V and VI (revised) Dr. C. Banks and Haridhan Dutt. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.

Swasthya-O-Grihasthalir Katha for Standards V and VI. Girish Chandra Basu. (N. C. Dutt & Co.) As. 2. For girls' schools only.

Health Reader, I. Shelly and Stenhouse (Macmillan & Co.)

Way to Health. (E. J. Lazarus & Co.)

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For Standards III & IV (Upper Primary classes).

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Swasthya Niti, Part I. Jamini Bhusan Roy. (Manmathanath Goswami.) As. 5.

Saral Swasthya Path. D. N. Sanyal. (S. C. Sanyal & Co.) As. 4.

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Text-book on Hygiene and Domestic Economy for Standards III and IV. Dr. Charles Banks (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.

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High English and Middle English Schools.

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Prathamic Jyamiti. Kazi Imdadul Haque, B.A. (Shaikh Abdul Ghani.) As. 8. For teachers only.

Vernacular Schools for Boys.

Arithmetic (Bengali).

Class II—

* Patiganit Shiksha Pranali. Nagendra Nath Mazumdar, M.A. (Upendra Kumar Chanda, B.A.) As. 6. For teachers only.

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Geometry (Bengali).

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A School Geometry, Part I, Bengali edition. Hall & Stevens. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4. For teachers only.

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Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India (Bharatbarsher Itihas Bishayak Adarsha Pathmala). (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. For teachers only.

History of North-Eastern India. S N. Bhadra, M.A. (Benode Behari Ghosh.) As. 4. For teachers only.

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Bengali History of North-Eastern India. Nagendra Nath Majumdar, M.A. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5. For teachers only.

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Prathamshiksha Bharatbarsher Itihas. Khagendra Nath Mitra, M.A. (City Book Society, Calcutta.) As. 8. For teachers only.

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British Samrayyer Itihas. Nishi Kanta Biswas. (Sarat Chandra Datta & Sons.) As. 6. For teachers only.

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Samabaya Primer. Jyotish Chandra Chakravarty. (Ashutosh Library, Dacca.) A. 1. For the use of teachers in Primary schools.

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Instructions for Maktab teachers (for teachers only). Tafazzal Hossain. (D. N. Bhattacharyya.) A. 1.

Maktab Balyashiksha. (M. A. Rahim.) Re. 1-6.

Elementary Bengali Grammar. (S. N. Kabyatirtha.) For teachers in classes IV-VII of Middle and Primary schools for girls.

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Teachers' Hand-book on Village Sanitation—Palligrame Swasthya Rakshya. K. C. Banerjee. (Author.) A. 1.

Bengali Model Lessons in the History of India—Bharatbarsher Itihas Bisyayak Pathmala (for teachers only)*. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12 Also for classes V-VII of Middle schools for girls.

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   { Prabodhkumar Bhattacharyya Nabinagar H. E. School.

NOAKHALI DISTRICT.

1. Dineschandra Guha ... Arun Chandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
2. Md. Ershad ... Noakhali Zilla School.

CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.

1. Chandramohan Dewan ... Rangamati H. E. School.

RAJSHAHI DISTRICT.

1. Akshaykumar Mandal ... Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
2. Nareschandra Sarkar ... Nator Maharaja's High School.

DINAJPUR DISTRICT.

1. Praphullachandra De ... Balurghat H. E. School.

JALPAIGURI AND DARJEELING DISTRICTS.

1. Sadarali Ahamed ... Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
2. Abaninath Bhattacharyya ... Ditto.

RANGPUR DISTRICT.

1. Alim Uddin Khan ... Saidpur H. E. School
2. Ismail Mondal ... Gaibanda H. E. School.

BOGRA DISTRICT.

1. Sachindrakumar Mazumdar ... Bogra Zilla School.

PABNA DISTRICT.

1. Nirmalchandra Dasgupta ... Pabna Zilla School.

MALDA DISTRICT.

1 Praphullachandra Chakrabarty Malda Zilla School.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR ABORIGINES IN BANKURA, BIRBHUM AND MIDNAPUR DISTRICTS.

1. Madhusudan Hembram ... Bankura Zilla School.

EVAN E. BISS,
Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th October 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th October 1917.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress one junior "Muhammadan Education Fund" scholarship of Rs. 90 per annum is re-awarded to Muhammad Ismail, *vice* Muhammad Abul Khayer for one year, with effect from 1st June 1917.

The scholarship is tenable at the Dacca College.

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

B. G. TECHNICAL SCHOOL, RANGPUR.

RESULTS of the Survey Final Examination held in September 1917 :—

(In order of merit.)

First Division.

1. Mohendra Ranjan Das.
2. Banka Behari Sarkar.

Second Division.

3. Mohendra Nath Dutta.
4. Kaumudi Kanta Chakravarty.
5. Banudas Baishnab.
6. Hira Lal Chakravarty.
7. Srish Chandra Ray.
8. Rabindra Mohan Sanyal
9. Barada Kanta Bhattacharjee.

Third Division.

10. Akhil Chandra Maitra.
11. Broja Behari Dutta.
12. Kedarnath Bhoumick.

ARTISAN FINAL EXAMINATION.

(In order of merit.)

1. Sadel Hossain.
2. Jamiruddin Miah.
3. Harish Chandra Das.
4. Ismail Mahammad.

SIDDHESWAR SHAHA,

Superintendent, B. G. Technical School, Rangpur

NOTICE.

THE BIHAR AND ORISSA MEDICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

THE ensuing examinations of the Board will commence on Monday, the 3rd of December 1917, simultaneously at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore, and the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack. Applications, accompanied with the prescribed fees, will be received by the Secretary up to Monday, the 19th of November 1917, from candidates desirous of appearing at the examinations.

2. The order of examination for the written portion will be according to the following time-table :—

PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

Monday,	3rd December	...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Anatomy.
,,	3rd ,,	...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physiology.
Tuesday,	4th ,,	...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Materia Medica.
,,	4th ,,	...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physics and Chemistry.

FINAL EXAMINATION.

Monday,	3rd December	...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Medicine.
,,	3rd ,,	...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Surgery.
Tuesday,	4th ,,	...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Midwifery.
,,	4th ,,	...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Medical Jurisprudence.
Wednesday,	5th ,,	...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Hygiene and Vaccination.
,,	5th ,,	...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Pathology.

The oral and practical examinations will commence at Cuttack on Thursday, the 13th of December 1917, on conclusion of which they will be taken up at Bankipore on the 17th idem. The time-table for the oral and practical examinations will be notified beforehand at each centre, through the Superintendents of the respective Medical Schools.

I. H. ELIAS,

Secy., Bihar and Orissa Medl. Exmn. Board.

RANCHI SECRETARIAT, *the 15th October 1917.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fasli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2025.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 9	·17	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. GHOSE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway station Basudebpur, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 27th November 1917, corresponding with the 11th Agrahayan 1324 B.S., at Nator, Rajshahi.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Rajshahi	Digha Bipra Belghoria.	27½ and 28	East side of the Railway line leading from Nator to Basudebpur station (E. B. Ry.)	.....	24·313	.....	.....	No. 1 ...	*North*—By jot land of Hara Kumar, Nafar Sardar, Babu Lal Sardar, Gobinda Sardar, Pachai Kariger Nabu Narasundar, Banga Das, Sashi Pandit, Pachai Mandal, Bidu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Raj Sundari Debya, and Kedar Lahiri. *East*—By jot land of Kedar Lahiri, Gora Mazumdar, Mini Mandal, Atap Sardar, Nabu Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Kedar Lahiri, Bidu Mandal, Nabu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Mini Mandal, Govinda Talukdar, Pattu Narasundar and Gobalatta. *South*—By jot land of Govinda Talukdar, Joy Sundari Debya, Nabi Mandal, Joy Sundari Debya, Jogeswar Chaudhuri Nafar Sardar, Ishan Chaudhuri, Nafar Sardar, Hatadhan Sardar Kedar Lahiri, Ishan Chaudhuri and Kanta Chakrabarty. *West*—By jot lands of Mohini Chakrabarty, Purna Narasundar, Kanta Chakrabarty, Naba Mandal Bidu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Banga Das, Naba Narasundar and Hara Kumar, as per Government declaration, No. 78R., dated the 4th September 1911, and No. 37R., dated 18th March 1917.

Rajshahi, the 2nd October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 15th day of December 1917, corresponding with the 29th Agrahayan 1324 B. S. Fusli.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1 & 2	Rajshahi ...	Rameswarpur and Ramnagar, pargana Bhaturia and Gobindapur.	21 of the E. B. Ry.	East and west of the Railway leading from Sara to Nator.	84 0 0 3 0 0 87 0 0	28·42 1·38 29·80	.....	.....	.....	*North*—Hanip Sardar, Ajgar Pramanik, Kripanath Mistri, Idan Pramanik, Innat Molla, Ajgar Pramanik, Mohan Sardar and Hanip Sardar's jote land. *East*—Halat Mandal, Ajgar Pramanik, Bharshu Pramanik, Falsu Mandal, Hordal Sardar, Mohan Sardar, Hanip Sardar, and Ajgar Pramanik's jote land. *South*—Ajgar Pramanik, Gobinda Sarkar, Jaintu Mandal and Kusal Mandal's jote land. *West*—Kusal Mandal, Krishna Kumar Sarkar and Ismat Pramanik's jote land.

Rajshahi, the 10th October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 9th October 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 3,04,82,098 7 6			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 2,13,70,529 0 10	5,18,52,627	8	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	29,76,09,684	4	0
Bank Post Bills, etc.	12,51,941	4	11
Sundries	14,96,542	12	6
	35,39,60,745	13	9

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,36,11,263	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,32,03,140	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	5,84,89,535	9	1
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	4,66,55,957	2	8
Bills discounted and purchased	2,17,85,154	2	6
Balances with other Banks	43,43,217	4	1
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	9,01,475	4	6
Stamps	12,748	10	0
Sundries	3,75,916	7	1
	20,65,78,407	7	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 11,99,96,768 2 8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 6,73,85,670 8 7	18,73,82,338	5	10
	39,39,60,745	13	9

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,77,992 8 0

† Do. do. do. „ 8,83,222 8 0

Rs. 12,61,215 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent.

Percentage, 58·20

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 11th October 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN.
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2594—1)

DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of August 1917.

Budget for 1917.	Income.	August 1917.	Total.	Total from January to August 1917.	Budget for 1917.	Expenditure.	August 1917.	Total.	Total from January to August 1917.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5,911	Opening Balance ...	.....	.....	.....	25,737	POOR RELIEF— Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	2,282 3 0		17,056 11 0
14,400	GRANT-IN-AID— Government of India	1,200 0 0		9,600 0 0	1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment.	152 0 0		1,255 10 0
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0		2,000 0 0					
4,000	Sunday fees	.....		3,520 0 0	21,500	Central Office, Pensions.	1,695 0 0		13,675 0 0
185	Corporation to Alms House.	.....		91 7 0	3,000	Central Office, Schooling.	275 8 0		1,600 8 0
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....		.....	8,500	Central Office, Casual Relief.	663 4 6		5,138 5 0
			1,450 0 0		700	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	16 8 0		483 4 0
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—								
6,000	Recurring	102 0 0		4,858 12 0	1,500	Central Office, Private Orders.	230 0 0		1,668 2 3
2,300	New Subscriptions and Donations.	675 0 0		3,042 5 0	600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		.....
180	Contribution towards rent.	15 0 0		120 0 0					
600	Xmas Dinner account	.....		.....					
			792 0 0					5,814 7 6	
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—								
30	Received by the Central Office.	10 0 0		30 0 0		ALMS HOUSE—			
			10 0 0		3,984	Establishment and Enquiry Office.	344 0 0		2,592 0 0
					14,000	Dieting	936 4 3		7,641 8 3
					2,000	Contingencies ...	178 9 6		1,416 3 3
					1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		191 11 0
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—				1,500	Repairs	.....		546 12 0
640	General Fund ...	.....		471 0 0	5,000	Bakery account ...	439 5 6		2,971 9 3
31,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	5,004 0 0		20,865 0 7	6,000	Oil-crushing account	79 6 0		858 14 0
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	1,397 0 6		13,016 7 4				1,977 9 3	
			6,401 0 6						
	RELIEF FUNDS—					ESTABLISHMENT—			
1,500	Private Orders ...	156 0 3		1,542 5 9	9,216	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	677 8 0		5,775 0 0
			156 0 3		300	Auditing	.....		150 0 0
					1,200	Rent	500 0 0		900 0 0
					1,000	Contingencies ...	63 3 3		771 5 2
					1,000	Printing and advertising.	38 2 0		654 2 6
	ALMS HOUSE—							1,078 15 3	
6,000	Bakery account ...	433 1 9		3,912 13 3					
7,000	Oil-crushing account	424 13 3		2,898 10 6					
			857 15 0						
7,500	DeSouza Home ...	812 13 6		4,345 8 0		SUNDRY CHARGES—			
	Deposit account ...	.....		6,610 12 0	100	Bank of Bengal ...	13 10 0		83 9 9
			812 13 6					13 10 0	
			10,479 13 3	86,189 1 5					
					7,500	DeSouza Home ...	854 12 3		4,360 15 0
						Deposit account ...	96 6 0		7,417 4 0
								951 2 3	
	Stock Account, Babu Shewpershad Jhoonjhoonwallah, at 3½ per cent G. P. note and Rai Issur Chandra Mittra Bahadur, 5 per cent. Indian War Loan	5,000 0 0		12,400 0 0				9,035 10 3	77,237 6 8
						Bank of Bengal Safe Custody deposit.	5,000 0 0	5,000 0 0	12,400 0 0
	Rai Durga Das Bose Bahadur's Fund.		5,000 0 0			Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China fixed deposit.	.....	.....	2,000 0 0
1,16,464	Total ...	.....	15,479 13 3	98,589 1 5	1,17,237	Total ...	.....	14,035 10 3	91,627 6 8

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	5,911 6 2	Total payments from 1st January to 31st August 1917.	.....	91,627 6 8
Total Receipts from 1st January to 31st August 1917	.....	98,589 1 5	Balance at Bank	12,379 0 5	
			Cash in hand	594 2 6	
					12,973 2 11
Total ...	.....	1,04,500 9 7	Total ...	.....	1,04,500 9 7

CALCUTTA,
The 24th September 1917.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

PERCY W. WOOLLEY,
Secretary.

			Rs.	
1916, Donations and New Subscriptions	from January to July	...	12,817	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in August ...	...	1,088	
				Rs. 13,905
1917, ,, ,, ,,	from January to July	...	15 979	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in August ...	...	675	
				,, 16,654

NOTICE.

In the Court of the Sub-Judge of Birbhum.

TITLE EXECUTION CASE No. 121 OF 1917.

Kedar Nath Chandra and two others, decree-holders, *versus* Hon'ble Maharaja Manindra Chandra Nandi and two others, judgment-debtors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the property of the judgment-debtors mentioned below will be sold in the above Title Execution Case No. 121 of 1917 on the 1st December 1917 at 12 noon by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court at the sale-room :—

Description of property.

Sixteen annas share of zemindary right of lot Murandi, bearing tauzi No. 66 of Birbhum Collectorate and Government revenue payable in the sixteen annas share being annually Rs. 1,532-1.

N. N. CHATTERJI, Sub-Judge.

Suri, the 11th October 1917. (2595—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 210 OF 1917.

Dadu Mia, of Bhowanipur, 1-2, Katuakhuti Lane, applicant.

To Fakir Muhammad Kabuly, of Khidirpur, thana Watgonge, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 26th day of November 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2445—1—1392)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 217 OF 1917.

Atul Ghose, of Tajpur, thana Habra, district 24-Parganas, applicant

To Kaminimoni Dasi of Haliadanga, thana Habra, creditor.

ON the 10th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 26th day of November 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2446—1—2593)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 230 OF 1917.

Sakhiram Sha, of 8, Shibtala Lane, Beliaghata, thana Intali, applicant.

To Khiradhor Singh, 16, Shibtala Lane, Beliaghata and others, creditors.

ON the 5th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 26th day of November 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2447—1—2594)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 242 OF 1917.

Gopal Chandra Chakravarty, of Kathia, thana Baduria, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Tarini Charan Chakravarty, of Kathia, post office, Baduria, and others, creditors

ON the 6th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 26th day of November 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B C. KUNDU Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2448—1—2595)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 254 OF 1917.

Banomali Raut, of Titagore, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Sankar Mullick, of Shibpur, thana Habra, and others, creditors.

ON the 10th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2449—1—2596)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 255 OF 1917.

Mitu Mallah, of Mollahat, thana Taligonj, applicant.

To Binode Behary Nath of Dhakuria, thana Taligonj and others, creditors.

ON the 10th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2450—1—2597)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 256 OF 1917.

Atifar Rahaman Khan, of Mollahat, thana Taligonj, applicant.

To Binode Behary Nath, of Dhakuria, thana Taligonj, creditor.

ON the 10th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2451—1—2598)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 250 OF 1917.

Jafor Methor, of Chatu Babu's Lane, Intally, Calcutta, applicant.

To Jurman Kha, of 24, Buddha Gupta's Lane, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of August 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2452—1—2599)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 251 OF 1917.

Sarbari Methor, of 2, Chatu Babu's Lane, Intally, Calcutta, applicant.

To Gunjor Kha Kabuly, of Mearbazar, Beliaghata, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 31st day of August 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge

Alipore, the 10th October 1917. (2453—1—2600)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 16 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Adoo Choukidar, son of late Jubir Khondkar, of Lakhipura, station Barhanudi, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and the 28th November has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, Offg. District Judge.

Barisal, the 9th October 1917. (2606—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 18 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, that (1) Nishi Kanta Patikar, son of Dinabandhu Patikar, of Chakdaha station Palong, at present Barisal, (2) Sitanath Patikar, son of Guru Charan Patikar, of Pachgao, station Palong, at present Barisal, and (3) Radha Ballav Patikar, son of Ram Charan Patikar, of Pachgao, station Palong, at present Barisal, have applied to this Court, to be declared insolvents and the 20th November has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioners.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, Offg. District Judge.

Barisal, the 9th October 1917. (2607—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 12, clause 2, of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to the creditors of Amritalal Pal, son of Ramlal Pal, of Gopdighi, thana Labpur, district Birbhum, that his insolvency petition has been admitted by this Court, and that the 7th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Suri, the 11th October 1917. (2596—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Sheikh Abdul Jabbar, of Harishpur, police-station Purbasthali, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 19th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 8th October 1917. (2577—1—2588)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Purna Chandra Haldar, of Jagadabad, thana Sahebganj, district Burdwan, has been admitted, and that 19th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 8th October 1917. (2578—1—2589)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 65 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Gour Chandra Dey, of Mankar, police-station Galsi, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 29th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof

G. N. RAY, District Judge

Burdwan, the 8th October 1917. (2579—1—2590)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Abdul Rahim, son of Wahed Ali, deceased, of Charchaktai, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 26th of November 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

G. P. HOGG, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 8th October 1917. (2587—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 48 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 14th August 1917 filed by Nishi Chandra De, son of late Nabin Chandra De, and Sasti Charan De, son of late Sachiram De, of Noapara, thana Raozan, and on the application of the debtors and on reading their petition and hearing their pleader it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed receiver.

G. P. HOGG, District Judge.

(2593—1)

Dated this 8th day of October 1917.

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 46 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 6th August 1917, filed by The Bank of Bengal, Chittagong, creditor, to declare Enayet Ali, son of Ehasan Ali, deceased, of Anandipur, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, debtor, an insolvent, and on the application of the creditor named above and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Mr. Percival, pleader, is appointed receiver.

G. P. HOGG, Offg. District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th October 1917. (2613—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Sub-Judge's Court at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Kanai Lal Basak, son of late Gaya Nath Basak, of Bhatara, Jagannathpur, police-station Saturia, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 10th October 1917. (2597—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 121 OF 1917

ON the application of the debtor Abdul Sovan, son of Ebrahim, of Jurain, police-station Keraniganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 24th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 11th October 1917. (2612—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 71 OF 1917.

BUDU 'AIRAGI, son of Bowl Barman, deceased, resident of Mathurapur, police-station Chirirbunder, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 13th day of September 1917.

R. R GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 12th October 1917. (2615—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

KUTHA PALI, son of Akaloo Pali, deceased, resident of Laskarpur, police-station Birganj, district Dinajpur, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 3rd day of October 1917.

R. R GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 12th October 1917. (2616—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 60 OF 1916.

SAHANUI LA MAHOMED, son of Nek Mahomed, deceased, resident of Amarkhana, police-station and district Jalpaiguri, was adjudicated an insolvent on the 13th day of December 1916.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 10th October 1917. (2588—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 41 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Kadam Ali Sheikh, of Berhampore, police-station Sujaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to his Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 1st December 1917.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 13th October 1917. (2605—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 OF 1917

NOTICE is hereby given that Guru Dayal Sil, son of Ram Dulal Sil, of Goalgaon, police station Sherpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 22nd November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 6th October 1917. (2598—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ananda Chandra Pal, son of Kalachand Pal, of Tarakanda, police-station Fulpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh the 6th October 1917. (2599—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gangadhar Saha, son of Arjoon Chandra Saha, of Sherpur town, police-station Sherpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 28th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 9th October 1917. (2600—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 13th August 1917, made by Radhaballav Saha, son of Gayanath Saha, of Kaijuri, thana Tangail, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 9th October 1917. (2601—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 13th August 1917, made by Radha Sundar Saha, son of Goyanath Saha, of Kaijuri, thana Tangail, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on hearing his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 9th October 1917. (2602—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 8th September 1917, made by Ramnath Sukla Das, son of Chandra Nath Sukla Das, of Subandi, thana Kishoreganj, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 9th October 1917. (2603—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 12 OF 1917.

In the matter of Jamiruddin, Sarkar, son of late Maniruddin Sarkar, residing at Jagannathpur, district Pabna, police-station Santhia, debtor.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th January 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Charu Chandra Maitra, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 7th day of December 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 5th day of October 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(2580—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1917.

In the matter of Prasanna Nath Saha, son of late Madav Chandra Saha, residing at Chak Jagannathpur district Pabna, police-station Pabna, debtor.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th February 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Probodh Chandra Lahiri, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 7th day of December 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 5th day of October 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(2581—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 28 OF 1917.

In the matter of Sashadhar Das, son of late Haladhar Das, residing at Ikarjana, district Pabna, police-station Santhia, insolvent.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th February 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Charu Chandra Maitra, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 7th day of December 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 5th day of October 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(2582—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Jabbar Pramanik, son of Meru Pramanik, of Kalibaricharia, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 7th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Mahiruddin Talookdar	Dubil ...	Salanga ...	Pabna...	180
2. Maidanali Mandal ...	Manikdiar	Boalia ...	Do. ...	80
3. Srinath Pramanik ...	Kalibari-charia.	Do. ...	Do. ...	80
4. Sabedali Sarkar ...	Baibali ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	160
5. Julaf Khondakar ...	Pardain ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	21
6. Delwar Sarkar ...	Saopara ...	Salanga ...	Do. ...	50
7. Mibaksha Shek ...	Charia-Kalibari.	Do. ...	Do. ...	180

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 5th October 1917. (2584—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1917.

In the matter of Bashar Khan, son of late Kadam Khan, residing at Nandina Biara, district Pabna, police-station Ullapara, debtor-insolvent

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th April 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Sachindra Dhar Roy, the pleader for the applicant it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 7th day of December 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 5th day of October 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(2583—1)

In the Court of the District Judge for Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1917.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

Dabar Mollah, son of late Azim Mollah, of Domdoma, police-station Puthea, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 43 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 10th October 1917. (2493—1—2591)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1917.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Jogendra Nath Sarkar, son of late Tincori Sarkar, of Darusha Sarisha Kuri, police-station Nauhata, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated as insolvent by this Court on the 18th day of August 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 20th September 1917.

(2495—1—2585)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 40 OF 1917.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Eyasin Sheikh, son of late Shaburuddin Sheikh, of Boroinpur, police-station Poba, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated as insolvent by this Court on the 8th day of September 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 25th September 1917.

(2539—1—2584)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 118 OF 1917

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kanai Das, son of late Ramnarayan Das, of Iswar Barua, police-station Bhurungamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th October 1917. (2609—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 119 OF 1917.

PRESENT .

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Gobinda Das, son of late Ramnarayan Das, of Iswar Barua, police-station Bhurungamari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th October 1917. (2610—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 116 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Khudir Mamud Sheik, son of late Khan Mamud Sheik, of Pyarpur, police-station Govindaganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 6th October 1917. (2611—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 148 OF 1914.

In the matter of Ghanesyam Mistri Kurmi, son of late Parshu Kurmi, of Kanchraparah, E. B. S. Ry., Naihati police-station, *ex parte*.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 19th day of November 1917, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 2nd day of October 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2554—1—2586)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44(i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 152 OF 1914.

In the matter of George Frederick Beck, at present Sergeant, Bengal Police, Howrah, formerly employed at Eastern Bengal State Railway, Sealdah, *ex-parte*.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 19th day of November 1917, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 2nd day of October 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2555—1—2587)

Notice.

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for the District Board of Birbhum on a salary of Rs. 30 and consolidated travelling allowance of Rs. 15 per month. Candidates are required to submit their applications in their own handwriting with copies of testimonials (which will not be returned) on or before the 2nd November 1917. None need apply who is not qualified under rule 4a as published in the Government notification No. 2330L.S.-G., dated 20th August 1916.

SARADINDU ROY, B.A., B E., District Engineer, Birbhum.

Suri, the 2nd October 1917. (2565—2)

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878), that on the afternoon of the 26th January 1917, the undermentioned articles are stated to have been found in a pot taken out from the grain pit in the back yard of one Nandan Perunallu in the Shrotriem of Talupurpad, Atmakur taluk, Nellore district. The treasure has been secured from Perunallu and kept in the Atmakur sub-treasury :—

Details of the find.	Weight.	Value.
Four gold pieces old coins, each has a pitted surface on one side and the figures of Rama, Lakshmana, and Sita on the other.	About a varaha each or a little more than 14th tola and 3 gurigiujas all put together.	About Rs. 23

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any portion thereof are requested to appear in person or by a duly authorised agent before the Collector of Nellore at his office in Nellore on the 1st May 1918 at 11 A.M so that their claims may be enquired into and disposed of according to law.

L. D. SWAMIKANNU, Collector.

Nellore, the 7th October 1917.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that, on the 21st June 1917, treasure consisting of Rs. 46 of the description noted in the margin was discovered in the wall of the house of Perumal Nayudu, when it was demolished for reconstruction in the village of Chinna Koliyur, Kallakurichi taluk, South Arcot district, Madras Presidency.

ull rupees of the year—	Rs.
1862	16
1877	2
1878	2
1879	1
1883	2
1887	2
1891	1
1892	4
1898	1
1900	1
1901	2
1903	2
1904	1
1905	1
1906	5
1907	2
1916	1
Total ...	46

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office in Cuddalore on 4th March 1918 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

J. K. LANCASHIRE, Acting Collector.

Collector's Office, the 6th October 1917.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that on or about the 14th day of June 1917, a treasure consisting of silver coins and contained in a mud pot was found by Pappaboyan, Devaboyan and Pongiammal while the boyans were demolishing the northern wall of the house of Ramayagoundan of Karathipalaiyam hamlet of Punjai Palatholuvu and that the marginally noted portion of it has been recovered.

Description.	No.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
Half Rupee—British ...	1	0	8	0
Quarter Rupee—British ...	18	5	12	0
Ditto —Muhammadan.	5			
One-eighth Rupee—British	21	3	12	0
Ditto —Muhammadan.	1			
Quarter anna piece ...	1	0	0	3
One pie	1	0	0	1
Total ...	9	0	4	

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or a portion thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by Agent before the Collector of Coimbatore at his office at Coimbatore on Monday, the 4th March 1918, with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

N. MACMICHAEL, Collector.

Coimbatore Collector's Office, the 3rd October 1917

Medical Store Department.

NOTICE.

SEALED Tenders, in duplicate, will be received by the Medical Store-keeper to Government, Calcutta, up to 12 noon on the 1st November 1917 for the supply of local medical stores to the Medical Store Department, Calcutta, from 1st April 1918 to 31st March 1919.

2. Tenders will only be received on printed forms, which can be obtained up to 26th October 1917 on payment of one rupee from this office. Tenders must have the address and signature of the tenderers in full in English. List of the stores will be supplied along with the Tender Form.

3. The Medical Store-keeper to Government reserves the right, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, to accept the whole or part of any tender or to reject the whole without assigning any reason.

4. Tenders must be accompanied by a Bank receipt or Government Promissory Note for 2 per cent. of their total value as earnest money, which will be returned if the tender should be rejected; but in case of the Medical Store-keeper to Government accepting, under the orders of the Director-General, Indian Medical Service, part of any tender only and the tenderer failing to take up the contract, the whole earnest money deposit will be confiscated.

5. Tenders received after the time fixed or not complying with these conditions will be rejected.

6. Rates are required for delivery at the Government Medical Store Depôt, Calcutta, but in the case of tenderers from a distance sending their supplies by rail and having no agents at Calcutta, the Medical Store-keeper to Government will take delivery at the Railway station.

A. G. BROWN, LT., I.S.M.D., in charge Government Medical Store Depôt.

Calcutta, the 28th September 1917.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 19968, dated 20th September 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Notes. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan. Of—	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name.
192219	1900-01	100	Jas. Lumsden & Co.
192220	"	100	
175120	"	100	
175121	"	100	
155000	1842-43	200	
Total ...		600	

Name of the proprietor—Jas. Lumsden & Co.

Residence—15, Clive Row, Calcutta. (2604—1—2624)

In the matter of the Liquidation of the Darjeeling Press Co., Ltd., Darjeeling.

(Under the Indian Companies Act)

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the abovenamed Company will be held at Willow Bank, Jail Road, Darjeeling, on Sunday, the 4th November 1917, at 4 P.M., to pass the Liquidators' final account, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the properties disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators of their action in the matter and also to determine the manner in which the books of account and other papers of the Company and those of the Liquidators thereof should be disposed of.

RAJENDRA NATH DE,
HARAN CHANDRA BOSE, } Liquidators.

Darjeeling, the 3rd October 1917. (2614—3—2623)

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PART V.

Acts of the Indian Legislative Council assented to by the Governor General.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 27th September, 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. XXII OF 1917.

An Act to provide for the acquisition of gold imported into British India.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the acquisition by the Governor General in Council of gold imported into British India ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title, extent, and duration.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Gold (Import) Act, 1917 ;

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India, including British Baluchistan and the Sonthal Parganas ; and

(*3*) It shall remain in force during the continuance of the present war, and for a period of six months thereafter.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

'coin' means metal used for the time being as money, and stamped and issued by the authority of some State or Sovereign power in order to be so used ;

'gold' means gold coin or gold bullion ;

'import' means the bringing by sea or land into British India.

Power to take possession of imported gold.

3. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Governor General in Council or any person appointed by him in this behalf may, by order in writing, within ten days from the date of import, take possession of any gold imported into British India and such gold shall thereupon vest absolutely in His Majesty.

(*2*) Where any gold is taken possession of in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*), the Governor General in Council shall pay to the owner thereof, on production of such documents as the authority making the order under sub-section (*1*) may require, a sum in respect of such gold calculated at such rate as the Governor General in Council may prescribe.

(*3*) If any dispute arises as to the fineness of any such gold a certificate of assay by the Assay Master of any Mint established under the Indian Coinage Act, 1906, shall be conclusive. III of 1906.

Repeal of Ordinance III of 1917.

4. The Gold (Import) Ordinance, 1917, is hereby repealed. III of 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 27th September, 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XXIII OF 1917.

An Act further to amend the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882 ; It is hereby enacted as follows :— XV of 1882.

1. This Act may be called the Presidency Small Cause Courts (Amendment) Act, 1917. Short title.

2. For the provisos in section 7 of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, the following shall be substituted, namely :— XV of 1882. Amendment of section 7, Act XV of 1882.

"Provided that—

(1) no person shall be appointed to be Chief Judge of a Small Cause Court unless he is—

(*a*) an advocate of a High Court of Judicature established under the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, or the Government of India Act, 1915 or 24 & 25 Vict. c. 104. 5 & 6 Geo. 5 c. 61.

(*b*) a vakil or attorney of one of the said High Courts ;

(2) no person shall be appointed to be a Judge of a Small Cause Court unless he is—

(*a*) an advocate, vakil or attorney of one of the said High Courts, or

(*b*) a Judge of a Court of Civil Judicature of not less than 5 years' standing ; and

(3), of the persons so appointed to be Judges, including the Chief Judge, not less than one-third shall be advocates of one of the said High Courts."

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 27th September, 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. XXIV OF 1917.

An Act to amend certain enactments and to repeal certain other enactments.

WHEREAS it is expedient that certain formal amendments should be made in the enactments specified in the First Schedule ;

AND WHEREAS it is also expedient that certain enactments specified in the Second Schedule, which have ceased to be in force otherwise than by express specific repeal, or have become unnecessary, should be expressly and specifically repealed ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Repealing and Amending Act, 1917.

Short title.

2. The enactments specified in the First Schedule are hereby amended to the extent and in the manner mentioned in the fourth column thereof.

Amendment of certain enactments.

3. The enactments specified in the Second Schedule are hereby repealed to the extent mentioned in the fourth column thereof.

Repeal of certain enactments.

4. The repeal by this Act of any enactment shall not affect any Act or Regulation in which such enactment has been applied, incorporated or referred to ;

Savings.

and this Act shall not affect the validity, invalidity, effect or consequences of anything already done or suffered, or any right, title, obligation or liability already acquired, accrued, or incurred or any remedy or proceeding in respect thereof, or any release or discharge of or from any debt, penalty, obligation, liability, claim or demand, or any indemnity already granted, or the proof of any past act or thing ;

nor shall this Act affect any principle or rule of law, or established jurisdiction, form or course of pleading, practice or procedure, or existing usage, custom, privilege, restriction, exemption, office or appointment, notwithstanding that the same respectively may have been in any manner affirmed, recognised or derived by, in or from any enactment hereby repealed ;

nor shall the repeal by this Act of any enactment revive or restore any jurisdiction, office, custom, liability, right, title, privilege, restriction, exemption, usage, practice, procedure or other matter or thing not now existing or in force.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

AMENDMENTS.

(*See Section 2.*)

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title.	Amendments.
1870	VII	The Court-fees Act, 1870	In section 2, clause (*a*), after the words "St. George," the words "the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal" shall be inserted; and for the word "Bengal," the words "Bihar and Orissa" shall be substituted. In section 3, for the words "Statute 24 and 25 Victoria, Chapter 104, section 15" the following shall be substituted, namely :— "section 15 of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861, or section 107 of the Government of India Act, 1915."
1872	IX	The Indian Contract Act, 1872.	In section 133, after the word "principal" the word "debtor" shall be inserted
1897	X	The General Clauses Act, 1897.	In section 3, to each of clauses (*3a*), (*5*), (*5a*), (*6*), (*8a*), (*8b*), (*30*), (*44a*), (*46*) and (*55a*), the following shall be added, namely :— "or the Government of India Act, 1915." In section 5, for sub-section (2), the following shall be substituted, namely :— "(2) Where any Act of the Governor General in Council is reserved, under section 68 of the Government of India Act, 1915, for the signification of His Majesty's pleasure thereon, then, if no later date is expressed, it shall come into operation, if assented to by His Majesty, on the day on which that assent is duly notified." To section 30, the following shall be added, namely :— "or section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915."
1908	V	The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.	In section 127, for the word "sanctioned" the word "approved" shall be substituted. In section 130, for the word "sanction" the word "approval" shall be substituted

THE FIRST SCHEDULE—*contd.*

AMENDMENTS.

(*See Section 2.*)

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title	Amendments.
1912	VI	The Indian Life Assurance Companies Act, 1912.	In section 28, for the words "publish in the Gazette of India and cause to be published in the local official Gazette of the Province in which the life assurance company has its principal place of business" the following shall be substituted, namely :—"cause to be published in such manner as he may direct, a summary of." And in the same section after the words 'the preceding year" the words "by every life assurance company" shall be inserted and for the words "such accounts, balance sheets, abstracts, statements or other documents" the words "such summary" shall be substituted.
Regulation by the Governor General in Council.			
1916	I	The Arakan Hill District Laws Regulation, 1916.	In Schedule I, Part I, for the words "The Indian Airships Act, 1911" the words "The Indian Aircraft Act, 1911" shall be substituted.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

REPEALS.

(*See Section 3.*)

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of repeal.
1872	IX	The Indian Contract Act, 1872.	The second *Illustration* to section 21.
Regulation by the Governor General in Council.			
1898	IV	The Peshawar Canals Regulation, 1898.	The whole Regulation, with effect from the 19th day of February, 1907.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,

Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 27th September, 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. XXV OF 1917.

An Act to amend the Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim Baronetcy Act, 1913.

WHEREAS since the passing of the Sir Currim-
IV of 1913 bhoy Ebrahim Baronetcy Act, 1913, Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim has made a representation to the Governor of Bombay in Council to the effect that his original intention was that the Sinking Fund of Rs. 20,00,000 (twenty lakhs), referred to in the said Act, should be formed in a period of sixty years by carrying to the credit of the said fund annually and investing an amount equal to 00·61 per cent. calculated on the amount of the Sinking Fund to be so formed, and that the Repairs Fund of Rs. 2,00,000 (two lakhs), also referred to in the said Act, should be formed in a period of twenty years by carrying to the credit of that Fund annually and investing an amount equal to 3·72 per cent., calculated on the amount of the Repairs Fund to be so formed but that the said Act, owing to a mistake, provided that the said percentages should be carried to the credit of the said respective funds every six months instead of every year ;

AND WHEREAS under the orders of the Governor of Bombay in Council an inquiry into the matters aforesaid was directed to be held by the Advocate-General at Bombay who, after careful investigation and recording evidence, reported to the Governor of Bombay in Council that there had been a *bona fide* mistake in the drafting of the said Act and that the original intention of Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim was that the percentages of Rs. 00·61 and Rs. 3·72 and no more should be set aside each year ;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to amend sections 7 and 14 of the said Act for the purpose of giving effect to the intention aforesaid ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. This Act may be called the Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim Baronetcy (Amendment) Act, 1917.

Short title.

2. (*1*) In sections 7 and 14 of the Sir Currimbhoy Ebrahim Baronetcy Act, 1913 (hereinafter called IV of 1913. the said Act), for the words "six months" wherever they occur shall be substituted the word "year."

Amendment of sections 7 and 14 of Act IV of 1913.

(*2*) The said Act shall be read and construed as if the amendments hereby enacted had formed part of the said Act from its commencement.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Act of the Indian Legislative Council received the assent of the Governor General on the 27th September, 1917, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT NO. XXVI OF 1917.

An Act to validate certain transfers of property made prior to the 1st of January, 1915.

WHEREAS it is expedient to validate certain transfers of property made prior to the 1st of January, 1915; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Transfer of Property (Validating) Act, 1917.

(*2*) It shall extend, in the first instance, to the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, provided that the Governor General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, extend it to any other part of British India specified in the notification.

Validation of certain transfers made prior to the 1st of January, 1915.

2 Where a mortgage or gift purports to have been effected by an instrument executed prior to the 1st of January, 1915, and such instrument is required by the Transfer of Property Act, 1882, to be attested, such mortgage or gift shall not be deemed to be invalid by reason only that any person who purported to attest such instrument as a witness did not see the executant sign it, provided that such person before signing his name on the instrument received from the executant a personal acknowledgment of his signature to the same.

of 1882.

Restoration of certain claims

3. Where a claim under any such instrument executed prior to the 1st of January, 1915, has been wholly or in part dismissed, rejected, or withdrawn, after the 30th day of July, 1912 and before the commencement of this Act, in a Court of first instance or of revision or appeal, by reason only of the fact that some person who purported to attest such instrument as a witness, on having received before signing his name thereon a personal acknowledgment from the executant of his signature to the same, did not see the executant sign it, the case may, if the dismissal, rejection or withdrawal has had the effect of invalidating, in whole or in part, the said instrument as between persons claiming thereunder, be restored on review in accordance with the procedure provided by the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, for review of judgments, on application in writing made within six months from the commencement of this Act; and on such restoration, the provisions of section 2 shall apply to such instrument :

V of 1908.

Provided nevertheless—

(*1*) that every Court to whom such an application is made shall have a discretion to refuse the same if it is of opinion that such restoration would prejudice the rights of any transferee for value in good faith under any transfer made subsequent to the said 30th day of July 1912;

(*2*) that in the event of a decree being passed upon such application in favour of the applicant or his legal representative interest shall only be allowed under such instrument at the contractual rate up to the date of the original dismissal, rejection or withdrawal of such claim, and for a period of six months therefrom, and at the rate of 6 per cent. thereafter until realization; and

(*3*) that in the event of the case being so restored the Court shall be bound by the finding of the former Court, by or before whom the case was dismissed, rejected or withdrawn, on any issue of fact which was heard and finally determined by it.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 9th October 1917.*

CHINA SEA—HAITAN STRAIT—WILSON CHANNEL.

Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, northern turning point—White Cairns established.

No. 256 (first publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 643 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Notice is hereby given that two *white* cairns have been erected to mark the northern turning point for the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, Wilson Channel, Haitan Strait.

These two *white* cairns are located on the eastern side of the Haitan Strait. The front cairn is situated on the 7-foot rock to the northward of Middle Island; the rear cairn is situated on the 15-foot Saxby Islet.

These cairns in line bear N. 85° E., magnetic, and mark a point where vessels leave the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line when bound to the northward."

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

Confucius Channel—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 257 (first publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 644 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Referring to Special Notice to Mariners No. 489, notice is hereby given that in consequence of the shoal that has been located at the north-western entrance to the Confucius Channel, Yangtze River, the following alterations in buoyage have been made :—

The Centaur Lower Buoy has been moved and is now moored in 40 feet of water on the southern side of the channel, its characteristics remaining unchanged. From the Buoy, Mason Point Beacon bears N. 51½° E., distant 5·84 miles.

The Centaur Upper Buoy has been moved and its navigating colour changed from *red* to *black*. It is now moored in about 28 feet of water on the southern side of the channel and the northern edge of the shoal, and from the Buoy Mason Point Beacon bears N. 81½° E., distant 6·15 miles.

All bearings given are magnetic, and depths are those of low water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

As rapid changes are apparently taking place in this section of the river it should be navigated with caution."

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Oyster Bay Spit—Beacon replaced; temporary buoy removed.

No. 258 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 150 of 1917 issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further Notice (No. 10 of 1917) that the beacon marking the Northern End of the South Spit has been replaced, and the temporary buoy removed.

This affects Admiralty charts Nos. 2152 and 2389.

AFRICA, EAST COAST AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 259 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 804 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 775 of 1917 (*This office No. 252 of 1917*); hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—
   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.
2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion have been re-exhibited.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4721-17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—SHADWELL GULF.

Cho Do—Light established.

No. 260 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 812 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the northern extreme of the eastern end of Cho do, at a distance of $3\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the small islet off the extremity of Marquand point.
Lat. 34° 45½′ N., long. 128° 25½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 151 ft., vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 Flashes.	eclipse.
1½ secs.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—151 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White circular brick tower, 24 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 2972, Shadwell and Cargodo gulfs.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1766*a*.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 61.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 58 of 1917. (*H. 2995/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—North Island.

Auckland Harbour—Correction to Former Notice.

No. 261 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 813 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 771 of 1917. (*This Office No. 251 of 1917.*)
Position.—Stokes point, lat. 36° 49¼′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.
Correction.—In paragraph (*b*) of "Position" *for* 4¼ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), *read* 4¼ cables, 195° (*South Mag.*).
Variation.—15° E.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4862/17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Billiton Island, West Coast.

Tanjong Pandan Approach—Alteration in Lights on Light Buoys.

No. 262 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 816 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) *Position.*—Marking the north extreme of Karang Tenga.
Lat. 2° 43¼′ S., long. 107° 33′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light-buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

Light.	eclipse.
10 secs.	10 secs.

(2) *Position.*—Northward of Batu Kyang.
Lat. 2° 44′ S., long 107° 34¼′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, as in (1).

Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.
„ 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.
„ 2160, Carimata strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 163.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 889 of 1917. (*H. 4415-17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Madura, South Coast.

Tanjung Point—Light established.

No. 263 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 07′ 50″ S., long. 113° 53′ 45″ E., on chart No. 934.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec., 59 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Characteristics :
Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
1 sec.	2 secs.

Elevation.—59 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White iron framework, 43 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Sapudi strait.
„ 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.
„ 941*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet 2.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 920*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 166.
Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 880 and 943 of 1917. (*H. 4410-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Chalang Bay—Rock reported.

No. 264 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables southward from Johore reef and $3\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 178° (*S. 1° E. Mag.*), from the conspicuous house shown on the chart.
Lat. 4° 37½′ N., long. 95° 35½′ E.
Depth.—4 feet.
Note.—The rock is to be marked on the chart "*reported* (1917)."
Variation.—1° W.
Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 320.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 878 of 1917. (*H. 4419-17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BISAN SETO.

Ozuchi Jima—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 265 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 829 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of one mile, 130° (*S. 45° E. Mag.*), from Ozuchi jima summit.
Lat. 34° 24½′ N., long. 133° 56′ E.
Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.
Variation.—5° W.
Charts affected.—No. 128, Channels between Bingo nada and Ozuchi jima.
„ 1969, Ozuchi jima to Funoko sima.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 77 of 1917. (*H. 3576-17.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Portland Bay—Alteration in Character of Light.

No. 266(*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 838 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On outer end of New pier.
Lat. 38° 20½′ S., long. 141° 37′ E.
New abridged description—Lt. Fl., *Red ev. 3 sec.*
Alteration—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing red every three seconds.*
Charts affected.—No. 1062, Rivoli bay to Cape Otway, with plan.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1917, No. 2393.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1907, page 391; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1917. (*H. 4532-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND.

Westport Harbour, Western Breakwater—Alteration in Position of Light.

No. 267 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 840 of 1917), are republished :—

New position.—On the extreme end of the western breakwater, and at a distance of about 400 feet northward from former position,
Lat. 41° 43¼′ S., long. 171° 35¾′ E.
Description.—A *fixed red* light.
Note.—The Notes with regard to works in progress, in connection with the extension of the above breakwater, are to be expunged from the charts.
Chart affected.—No. 2591, Plan of Buller bay and Westport harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 3080.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 326; Supplement No. 3, 1917.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 9 of 1917 (*H. 2183-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

(1) Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale—Buoy withdrawn.
(2) Gosong Reef—Buoy withdrawn.

No. 268 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale.

Position.—On the western side of Karang Sigale, at a distance of about one mile south-westward from Ujong Brambang.
Lat. 0° 29¾′ N., long. 99° 04′ E.
Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.

(2) Gosong Reef.

Position.—On the western side of the reef, at a distance of about 4 miles south-eastward from Pulo Ujong.
Lat. 0° 28¼′ S., long. 99° 57¼′ E.
Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.
Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
„ 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay, with plan.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 361, 369.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 887 of 1917. (*H. 4413-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 269 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 847 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles, westward from Talamputan.
Lat. 12° 07′ 18″ N., long. 119° 37′ 48″ E., on chart No. 2577.
Depth.—4½ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1617 of 1917. (*H. 4796-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Prohibited Anchorage.

No. 270 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—The Bastion, lat. 36° 50¾′ S. long. 174° 49½′ E.

Details.—Anchorage is prohibited in the entrance to Auckland harbour, within an area enclosed between the following limits :—

On the East.—By a line drawn from the light beacon off the Bastion, in a 326° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*), direction to North Head.

On the West.—By a line drawn from the small jetty, situated about half a cable southwest-ward of the Bastion jetty, in a 323° (*N. 52° W. Mag.*), direction to the end of the Defence wharf at Depôt flat.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 39; Supplement No. 3, 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 45 of 1917. (*H. 4857-17.*)

The 1st October 1917.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA.

Batavia Roads and Approach—Beacons established in place of Buoys.

No. 249 (*second publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 755 of 1917), are republished :—

The following beacons have been established in place of buoys on the undermentioned shoals in Batavia roads and western approach :—

1. Vader Smit :

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 01″ S., long. 106° 51′ 28″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 12″ S., long. 106° 51′ 24″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a black truncated cone.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least a quarter of a cable.
Note.—The two black and white horizontally striped conical buoys formerly marking this reef have been withdrawn.

2. Noerstuk:

Position.—Near the north-western edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 25″ S., long. 106° 49′ 55″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three quarters of a cable.

Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy has been withdrawn.

3. Purmerend bank:

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the bank.
Lat. 6° 02′ 10″ S., long. 106° 46′ 37″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three-quarters of a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the bank.
Lat. 6° 02′ 19″ S., long 106° 46′ 33″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with black truncated cone.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

Note.—The white conical buoy and the black can-buoy, formerly marking this bank, have been withdrawn.

4. Purmerend shoal:

Position.—Near the northern end of the shoal.
Lat. 6° 02′ 26″ S., long. 106° 45′ 16″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy, formerly marking the northern end of this shoal, has been withdrawn.

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 88-91.

Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 767 and 781 of 1917. (*H. 4025/17.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Jesselton Harbour—Light established.

No. 250 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 768 of 1917), are re-published:—

Position.—On outer end of Jesselton pier, situated about 4 cables north-eastward of the old ruined pier.

Lat. 5° 59½′ N., long. 116° 04½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red 30 ft.*

Description.—A *fixed red* light, exhibited at an elevation of 30 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 3525, Jesselton harbour.
„ 3626, Dumpil point to Gaya head.
„ 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1111*a*.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 126; Revised Supplement, 1916.

Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 4129/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Beacons established.

No. 251 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 771 of 1917), are republished :—

Two beacons have been established on the southern side of the Waitemata river channel as follows :—

Position.—(*a*) At a distance of $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 37° E. Mag.*), from Stokes point ▲.

(*b*) At a distance of 4¼ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), from the same ▲.

Stokes point, lat. 36° 49¼′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.

Description.—Each a single pile beacon, surmounted by a staff and cage, the whole painted black.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No 37 of 1917. (*H. 4267/17.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST, AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 252 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 775 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 656 of 1917 (This office No. 213 of 1917) hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—
   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.
2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.
Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited,

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion are extinguished.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

IV. SEYCHELLES.

All lights in the islands of the Seychelles group have been re-exhibited.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4628/17.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF OSAKA.

Osaka Ko Approach—Existence of Wreck.

No. 253 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 785 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 15 cables, 255° (*S. 80° W. Mag.*), from the light on the end of the northern breakwater.

Lat. 34° 38′ N., long. 135° 21¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck with mast displaying a red flag showing above water, and the stump of another mast also visible.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 16, Kobe and Osaka.

„ 3566, Izumi nada and Harima nada.

„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 123 of 1917. (*H. 4109/17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASAMPO APPROACH.

Channel Reef Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 254 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 790 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 35° 04½′ N., long. 128° 40½′ E.

New abridged description—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 34 ft., vis. 11 m.* (U).

Details,—The fixed white light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 flashes. $1\frac{1}{2}$ secs. — eclipse. $4\frac{1}{2}$ secs.

Elevation.—34 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles.
Structure.—Circular concrete beacon painted in red and black horizontal bands.
Charts affected.—No. 3541, Masampo and Puto channel.
„ 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
Publications.—List of Lights. Part VI, 1917, No. 1777.
E.C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 68.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 138 of 1917. (*H. 4364/17.*)

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay Approach—Buoys established.

No. 255 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 794 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) Tai-kung-tau reef :

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{1}{2}$ cables, 265° (*S. 89° W. Mag.*), from Tai-kung-tau lighthouse.

Lat. 35° 57$\frac{1}{2}$′ N., long. 120° 27$\frac{1}{2}$′ E.

Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "11."

(*b*) Hai hsi shoal :

Position.—At a distance of eight-tenths of a cable, 20° (*N. 24° E. Mag.*), from the centre of the $1\frac{1}{2}$-fathom head on Hai hsi shoal.

Lat. 35° 57$\frac{1}{4}$′ N., long. 120° 16$\frac{1}{2}$′ E.

Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "9."

(*c*) Dangerous rock (Ku tsi yang) :

Position.—At a distance of three-quarters of a cable, 8° (*N. 12° E. Mag.*), from the beacon on Dangerous rock.

Lat. 35° 59$\frac{3}{4}$′ N., long. 120° 19$\frac{1}{2}$′ E.

Description.—A red truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered ("1V").

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 412; Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 113 of 1917. (*H. 4103/17.*)

The 24th September 1917.

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 244 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 740 of 1917), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 635 of 1917 (*this Office No. 214 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished:

   Aden, Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir), ____| |____, Karachi, Bombay and vicinity, Colombo, Barberyn, Madras, Puri, Shortt island, Balasore, Calcutta and Hughli river approaches, Rangoon river approaches, Port Blair in the Andaman islands, Penang, Singapore.

   All lights in the Persian gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice. Vessels should arrange to arrive at their destinations during daylight hours.

2. Certain Ports closed by night:

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6·0 A.M., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

   Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise; vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4422/17.*)

CHINA SEA—FOOCHOW DISTRICT.

Approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, Ragged Point—Uncharted rock.

No. 245 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 642 of 1917) that an uncharted rock has been found in the approach to Sansha (Samsa) Inlet, about ¾ cable to the north-eastward of Ragged Point. There is said to be a least depth of 7 feet over the rock at low water of spring tides.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST, SPENCER GULF.

Tipara Reef Light—Alteration in Sectors.

No. 246 (third publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 80 of 1917.
Subject.—The bearings of the White and Red Sectors have been altered.
Position.—Lat. 34°,04′ S., long. 137° .24′ E.
Sectors.—Shows *White* from 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.) through North, East and South to 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.).
Red from 218½° (S. 34° W. Mag.) to 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.).
White from 241½° (S. 57° W. Mag.) through West to 318½° (N. 46° W. Mag.).
Red from 318½° (N. 46°. W. Mag.) to 340½° (N. 24° W. Mag.).

Remarks.—The above bearings are to be substituted for those given in Notice No. 80 of 1917.

Charts affected.—No. 402, Wallaroo and Tipara Bays
„ 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759b, Australia—Southern Portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 244.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 19 of 1917.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Gibbon—Mooring buoy established.

No. 247 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 8 of 1917) that on or about July 18th, 1917, a Mooring Buoy will be placed about 70 fathoms E.S.E. of the sea end of Port Gibbon Jetty.

Approximate position.—Lat. 33° 49′ S., long. 136° 48′ 30″ E.

Charts affected.—Nos. 2389 and 2389B.

Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 218.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—SPENCER GULF.

Port Victoria—Buoy established to mark the wreck of the "Songvaar."

No. 248 (third publication).—The President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given Notice (No. 9 of 1917) that a Green Buoy with the word "Wreck" painted on it in white letters has been placed to mark the sunken wreck of the *Songvaar*. The Buoy is about 30 fathoms N.W. x N. of the northernmost part of wreck.

Approximate position.—Lat. 34° 27′ S., long. 137° 23′ E.

Charts affected.—Nos. 752, 2389 and 2389B.

Publication affected.—Australia Directory, vol. I, page 258.

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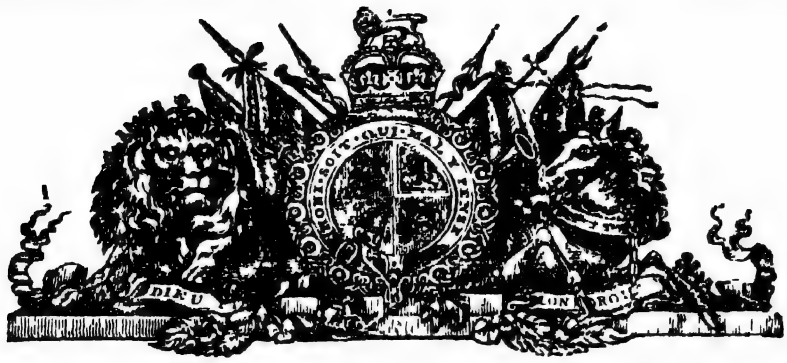

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MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR SEPTEMBER 1917.

I. **Character of the Season.**—During the month under review, the rainfall was slightly in excess of the normal in ten districts only. In the rest of the Province the fall was very defective. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—Transplantation of winter rice was nearly completed, and weeding was going on. During the first part of the month the transplanting of seedlings was a little interfered with in the northern districts for want of rain. Steeping and washing of jute continued and harvesting of other autumn crops was almost finished.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The condition and prospects of standing crops were generally good.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of standing crops, especially of winter paddy, were most promising.

V. **Damage to standing crop,**—Excepting slight damage to the rice crop by insect-pests in places in the Burdwan Division, no damage was done to standing crops in the Province.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—The condition of agricultural stock was fair The number of districts in which cattle-disease was reported to be prevalent varied from eight to ten.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Fodder was reported to be dear in parts of Hooghly and Dacca.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains and fodder.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the price of common rice rose in three districts, fell in eight and remained stationary in the rest.

IX. **Condition of agricultural people.**—The condition of agricultural people was reported to be good on the whole.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th October 1917.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during September 1917.

Division	District	Normal district rainfall for the month of September.	Actual district rainfall for the month of September 1917	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	10·31	8·28	− 2·03
	Calcutta ...	10·35	8·09	− 2·26
	Nadia ...	8·80	8·97	+ 0·17
	Murshidabad ...	9·35	7·63	− 1·72
	Jessore ...	8·76	9·54	+ 0·78
	Khulna ...	10·86	6·06	− 4·80
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	8·44	9·41	+ 0·97
	Birbhum ...	9·85	7·91	− 1·94
	Bankura ...	8·63	6·42	− 2·21
	Midnapore ...	9·58	8·59	− 0·99
	Hooghly ...	8·98	9·19	+ 0·21
	Howrah ...	8·76	8·54	− 0·22
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	8·74	11·55	+ 2·81
	Dinajpur ...	11·85	11·16	− 0·69
	Jalpaiguri ...	21·05	19·61	− 1·44
	Darjeeling ...	18·47	19·11	+ 0·64
	Rangpur ...	13·40	8·95	− 4·45
	Bogra ...	11·23	12·24	+ 1·01
	Pabna ...	9·40	8·21	− 1·19
	Malda ...	9·09	10·80	+ 1·71
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	9·63	8·43	− 1·20
	Mymensingh ...	13·04	8·97	− 4·07
	Faridpur ...	8·62	11·62	+ 3·00
	Bakarganj ...	11·97	11·15	− 0·82
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	13·06	14·22	+ 1·16
	Tippera ...	10·03	9·34	− 0·69
	Noakhali ...	15·43	14·11	− 1·32
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	13·03	11·00	− 2·03
	Cooch Behar ...	21·27	15·51	− 5·76

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1915-16, the area under Sugarcane in Bengal has represented some 9·2 per cent. of the total area under Sugarcane in British India.)

Explanatory.—Under the recent orders of Government three forecasts of the Sugarcane Crop are henceforth to be issued instead of two as hitherto. The present forecast is the second of the series and deals with the area, prospects and probable outturn of the crop.

Character of the Season.—Since the issue of the First Forecast, the weather has been generally favourable in the important sugarcane-growing districts of the province, but in other places there have been excessive rain and floods which retarded the growth of the crop to some extent. On the whole, the season has been satisfactory.

Area Planted.—The area planted with sugarcane is reported to be 207,900 acres this year, against 203,600 acres last year now revised.

Outturn.—According to the estimates of the District Officers, the provincial outturn works out to 88 per cent. of the normal, against 80 per cent. of last year.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA,
The 10th October 1917.

APPENDIX I.

Second Forecast of the Sugarcane Crop of Bengal, 1917-18.

District.	Estimated normal area under sugarcane.	Estimated area under sugarcane.		Taking 100 to represent the normal, what would be the average outturn per acre cropped.		Date by which the planting of the setts generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres				
24-Parganas ...	5,100	3,000	4,000	83	100	December, Normal ...	The increase in area was due to high price of *gur* and to favourable weather condition at the time of planting the crop. The weather has all along been favourable.
Nadia	7,900	5,700	5,500	83	75	End of January, Normal.	The decrease in area was due to drought at the time of planting. The weather has since been favourable; but some damage has been caused by floods.
Murshidabad ...	3,600	2,800	3,200	75	83	December to April, Normal	The increase in area was due to timely rainfall and to rise in the price of *gur*. Want of rain subsequently affected the crop to some extent.
Jessore	3,900	3,300	2,800	66	83	February and March, Normal	The decrease in area was due to the fact that the raiyats could not cultivate the land for this crop for want of timely rain. The weather conditions have since been fair.

District.	Estimated normal area under sugarcane.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER SUGARCANE.		TAKING 100 TO REPRESENT THE NORMAL, WHAT WOULD BE THE AVERAGE OUTTURN PER ACRE CROPPED.		Date by which the planting of the setts generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Khulna	1,500	1,300	1,300	62	100	February, Normal ...	The weather conditions have been favourable to the growth of the crop.
Burdwan	25,800	14,600	18,000	67	100	March to May, Normal	The increase in area was due to timely rain at planting time and to plenty of water in the tanks for irrigation. The weather has continued favourable.
Birbhum	9,000	6,000	11,000	67	92	End of April, Early ...	The increase in area was due to good rainfall at planting time. The weather has been favourable and the growth of the crop good.
Bankura	15,000	10,000	11,500	83	83	April and May, Normal	The increase in area was due partly to favourable season at the time of planting and partly to increase in the price of *gur* and sugar. Later, heavy rain has affected the crop to some extent.
Midnapore	3,000	3,000	3,000	85	90	March and April, Normal.	The weather was favourable at the beginning, but excessive rains in the latter part of June and July hampered the growth of the crop to some extent. The outturn is expected to be below the normal.
Hooghly	7,200	6,000	5,200	90	93	March, Normal ...	The weather was favourable, but the flood of August somewhat retarded the growth of crop in the Arambagh subdivision and caused some damage
Howrah	8,500	5,400	5,100	68	68	Beginning of January to beginning of April.	The weather has been favourable on the whole except in the flooded area in the Uluberia subdivision
Rajshahi	15,000	12,500	13,100	76	80	End of January, Normal.	The increase in area was due to favourable weather condition at planting time. The weather has continued favourable since planting time.
Dinajpur	25,000	30 300	29,900	83	86	November to March, Normal.	The weather has been on the whole favourable and the prospects of the crop are fairly satisfactory.
Jalpaiguri	5,300	3,800	3,800	83	87	End of February, Late	The weather was not favourable at planting time owing to continued drought; since then the condition of the crop has improved.
Darjeeling	100	100*	100*	100	77	Middle of March, Normal.	The weather has not been favourable. Untimely rain was not suitable to the crop at planting time.
Rangpur	20,500	13,000	11,000	100	100	Last week of February, Normal.	The decrease of area is reported mostly from the Sadar subdivision where there is corresponding increase in the area under jute. The weather has been favourable for the cultivation and growth of the crop.
Bogra	20,000	3,500†	2,100†	70	71	March and April, Normal.	The decrease in area was due to insufficient rainfall at the time of planting, but subsequent rainfall has since improved the growth of the crop.
Pabna	10,000	10,000	10,000	60	70	Middle of April, Normal.	The weather conditions have not been favourable since the planting time. The outturn is expected to be much below the normal.
Malda	300†	300*	300*	75	90	End of April, Normal	The weather was favourable at the beginning of the season, but excessive rain in the month of June has affected the growth of the crop to some extent.
Dacca	21,100	21,900	22,100	65	95	January to March, Normal.	The increase in area is due to high prices of raw sugar. The weather has been favourable.
Mymensingh ...	11,100	10,300	10,300	95	95	The planting was normal in all subdivisions except in Jamalpur, where it commenced from the middle of May.	The weather has been favourable.
Faridpur	7,100	7,100	7,300	90	86	January, Normal ...	The weather was dry at planting time, but has since improved and is now favourable.
Bakarganj	11,000	18,600	16,400	80	90	January and February, Normal.	The decrease in area was due to unfavourable weather at the planting time, but since then it has been favourable.
Chittagong	6,400	5,000	5,000	100	100	Middle of March, Normal.	The effects of the weather have been favourable on the growth of the crop in the Sadar subdivision. Excessive rains of June and July have retarded the growth of the crop in the Cox's Bazar subdivision.
Tippera	3,000	4,000	4,100	80	85	March, Normal ...	The weather condition at planting time and up till now has been fair and its effects on the growth are favourable.
Noakhali	800	800*	800*	75	80	March, Normal ...	The effects of the weather have been favourable to the crop in the Sadar subdivision. Some damage has been done by flood in the Feni subdivision.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1,000	1,000*	1,000*	50	70	First week of April, Normal.	The weather has not been favourable as there was a want of sufficient rain in proper time.
Total Bengal ...	236,200*	203,600†	207,900	80	86		

* Conventional area. † Revised.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 15th October 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report heavy rain fell in parts of Northern Bengal causing slight damage to the standing crops. The rainfall was from light to moderate elsewhere. The condition and prospects of winter paddy continue to be on the whole very satisfactory in spite of the heavy rains, floods and gales that occurred during this and the previous weeks. Weeding of winter paddy and harvesting of jute and other autumn crops are nearly over. Cattle-disease is reported from four districts. The average price of common rice for the Province remained stationary with a slight tendency to fall.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0·04	8⅜	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute and *aus* paddy is nearly completed in Barasat subdivision. Prospects of standing crops are good. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Diamond Harbour.	4·07	9 1/16	9 1/16	
	Barrackpore	1·08	8	8	
	Barasat ...	1·44	8½	9	
	Basirhat ...	0·47	9	8½	
2	NADIA ...	Nil	9⅜	9 1/16	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	1·23	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	3·99	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	2·69	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	2·07	9	9	
3	MURSHIDABAD	0 02	10	10½	Weather seasonable and favourable to standing crops. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	4·89	10	10	
	Jangipur ...	3·75	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	1·84	11½	11	
4	JESSORE ..	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute continues. Prospects of paddy and jute are fair on the whole. Recent heavy showers have done some damage to *aman* paddy on *beel* lands in Magura subdivision.
	Jhenidah ...	1·51	10	10	
	Magura ...	5·95	10	10	
	Narail ...	4·95	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	1·57	10	10	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	1·27	8	8	
	Bagerhat ...	2·26	8½	8½	
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy, steeping and washing of jute continue. *Aman* paddy and other standing crops are doing well. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from Asansol subdivision. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Baraboni police-station. The Damodar rose heavily. There was also slight flood of the Ajai.
	Asansol ...	1·66	10	10	
	Katwa ...	1·64	10¾	11½	
	Kalna ...	2·57	10¼	10¼	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
7	Birbhum ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Damage to standing rice by insects locally known as "bhenpu" is decreasing. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	1·38	11½	11½	
8	Bankura ...	0·50	14 (new) / 11 (old)	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and *kelas* continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	0·95	14 (new) / 11 (old)	11	
9	Midnapore	Nil	9 11/16	10½	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Steeping of jute is still going on. Harvesting of autumn paddy is completed. No serious damage to standing crops owing to recent heavy rain has been reported. Accumulated rain water is subsiding.
	Ghatal ...	0·23	9⅜	9⅜	
	Tamluk ...	0·79	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Contai ...	2·06	12	12	
10	Hooghly ..	1·20	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and weeding of winter paddy are nearly finished. Water sufficient. Fodder available except in Arambagh. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	1·12	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	1·06	10	(*n*)	
11	Howrah ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Prospects of *aman* paddy and other standing crops are favourable except in the flooded area in the Singti and Amta police-stations. Standing crops are doing well. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	1·56	8½	8½	
12	Rajshahi (Rampur-Boalia).	0·03	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping of jute continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9½	
	Nator ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
13	Dinajpur ...	0·10	8⅜	9	Weather seasonable. The heavy rainfall has done some damage to the crops on low lands. Steeping and washing of jute are in progress. Water and fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	15·24	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	10·35	9	(*n*)	
14	Jalpaiguri	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	8·35	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·28	8	8	Weather fair. Harvesting of potatoes, cardamom, marua and maize is in progress. Prospects of winter rice are fair. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	10·83	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	8·25	9	10	
	Kalimpong...	12·67	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·18	8	8	Weather seasonable. The recent heavy rains have caused some damage to standing crops. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Kurigram ...	11·80	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	13·98	7½	8	
17	BOGRA ...	0·24	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. The transplanted paddy on low land has been damaged by high floods. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	0·07	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 2·74 inches. Weather hot in day but somewhat cool at night. Harvesting of jute is over. The water of the Ganges is going down slowly Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	3·04	8	8	
19	MALDA ...	0·11	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. *Kalai* is being sown again in the *diara* land. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·59	9⅛	9⅜	Weather stormy and rainy but seasonable during the latter part of the week. The heavy rains of the previous week have impeded the preparation of lands for wheat, mustard and tobacco to some extent. Sowing of tobacco seeds in nursery is going on. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the subdivision of Mathabhanga.
21	DACCA ...	1·09	9	9	Weather hot but seasonable. No damage has been done to the standing crops by the gales of last week in other subdivisions than the Sadar. Harvesting of jute has been finished but transplanting of paddy is still going on. Outturn of jute is excellent. Sowing of *kalai* and other seeds of *rabi* crops is in progress. Rice and paddy are being imported from neighbouring districts. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	1·20	8½	(*n*)	
	Narayanganj	0·91	8½	8⅜	
	Munshiganj*	0·73	(*n*)	8½	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	0·07	7 3/8	7 3/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly over. Winter paddy is doing well. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	(n)	(n).	8	
	Tangail ...	3·74	8 1/8	8 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	12·72	7 9/16	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8	8	
23	FARIDPUR ...	0·17	9	8	Weather seasonable, its effects on the standing crops are good. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of jute is practically completed. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	2·56	10	10	
	Madaripur ...	2·04	8	8	
	Gopalganj†...	3·81	9	8	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·41	7 1/4	7 1/4	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Sarupkati.
	Pirojpur ...	1·77	7 1/2	7 1/2	
	Patuakhali...	3·38	7 1/2	7 1/2	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	2·80	7	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·97	9 1/2	9 1/2	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 8 and 6 1/2 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	2·02	10	9 1/2	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	1·75	9 1/2	9 1/2	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is finished; steeping and retting are still going on. Very little jute is standing. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported except from some villages in Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	2·35	9 3/8	9 3/8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·12	8 1/2	8 1/2	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is not reported. Salt is selling at 6 1/4 seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	1·20	10	9 1/4	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·31	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 16th October 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund. From—			To—			Retail price per seer. From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	5	0	4	10	0	0	2	0	0	3	3
„ medium ...	4	14	0	4	15	0	0	2	3	0	3	6
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	1	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	3
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	5	0	3	11	0	0	2	0	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	10	0	4	12	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	6	0	4	8	0	.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	9	0	4	4	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
4. „ dal	.....			.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	0
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	4	0	5	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
9. Salt	4	7	0	4	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	2	0	.....			0	5	0	0	7	0
11. Gur, Bheli	9	0	0	.....			0	4	0	.....		
„ Bhursut	8	12	0	9	12	0	0	5	0	.....		
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	16	8	0	17	4	0	0	6	6	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	8	0	7	3	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
15. Ata No. 3	3	10	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	5	0	0									
„ „ B	7	7	0									
16. Suji	7	4	0	7	11	0	0	3	0	0	3	9
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	77	0	0	.....			1	12	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	64	0	0	.....			1	10	0	1	11	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	57	0	0	.....			1	7	0	1	8	0
18. Maize	2	4	0	2	8	0	.....			.....		
19. Potato	5	8	0	6	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
20. Patal	6	8	0	7	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			0	1	6	0	2	0
22. Onion	3	6	0	3	14	0	0	1	3	0	2	0
23. Fish, Rahu	20	0	0	28	0	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
25. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Tal tolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 15th October 1917.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Saugor Island	...	0·06	0·11	...	0·06	0·01	0·19	0·38	0·15	0·01	...	...	0·35	0·12	2·16	0·34	0·17	2·22	0·31	0·14
		Diamond Harbour.	...	0·12	...	0·35	0·15	0·33	1·61	0·08	...	...	...	0·65	0·98	1·28	1·42	0·87	0·65	1·27	0·59	0·30
		Budge-Budge	...	0·25	0·68	0·68	...	0·08	0·23	0·24	0·48	0·44	0·20	0·88	0·38	0·25	0·85	0·75	0·72	0·12	0·24	0·14
		Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·36	0·09	0·30	...	...	0·10	0·09	0·10	1·23	0·31	0·05	0·75	...	...
		Alipore	...	0·04	0·48	0·03	...	...	0·08	0·18	0·88	...	0·01	1·54	0·30	0·64	0·37	0·18	0·68	0·03	0·35	0·58
		Barrackpore	...	...	0·27	0·32	...	...	0·33	0·28	2·09	...	...	1·34	0·16	...	0·18	...	1·34	...	...	0·97
		Dum-Dum	...	...	0·30	0·20	...	...	0·37	0·09	0·15	...	0·40	0·25	0·50	0·30	0·35	0·93	0·12	0·15	0·79	0·43
		Barasat*	...																			
		Basirhat	...	...	...	0·24	0·13	0·23	0·14	...	...	0·75	0·89	...	...	0·46	...	1·00	...	0·74	0·70	0·10	0·35
	Nadia	Ranaghat	...	...	...	0·32	...	...	0·72	0·28	0·55	0·72	...	...	0·17	0·23	0·47	...	...	0·40	0·06	0·55	0·29
		Krishnagar	...	...	0·06	0·19	0·04	...	0·10	0·35	0·17	0·02	0·41	...	2·12	0·16	0·29	0·08	0·07	0·95	0·03	0·14	0·11
		Chuadanga	...	...	...	0·09	0·23	0·10	0·21	0·15	0·31	0·55	0·10	...	2·40	1·45	0·30	0·78	0·14	0·50	...	0·04	0·11
		Meherpur	...	0·05	0·04	...	...	...	1·05	0·03	0·09	...	...	...	1·40	...	0·42	0·13	2·26	0·58	0·60	...	0·42
		Kushtia*	...																			
		Haringhata	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·93	...	0·19	0·50	...	...	...	0·11	0·71	0·16	0·02	0·46	...	0·53	0·22
	Murshida-bad.	Kandi	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·58	0·24	0·20	0·15	...	...	0·47	0·05	0·15	0·25	1·41	0·19	...	0·24	0·24
		Berhampore	...	0·03	0·16	0·05	0·05	1·28	0·48	0·35	0·10	0·10	...	0·20	1·09	0·24	0·10	2·81	0·56	...	...	0·12	0·04
		Lalbagh	...	...	...	...	0·55	...	0·87	0·35	0·53	0·06	...	...	0·71	0·39	0·05	0·30	0·74	0·17	...	...	0·04
		Azimganj	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	0·83	0·33	0·36	...	0·02	...	...	0·09	0·05	0·49	...	0·48	...	0·09	...
		Jangipur	...	...	...	0·64	...	...	0·42	0·82	0·12	...	...	...	2·45	0·11	0·15	0·67	...	...	0·52	...	...
		Lalgola*	...																			
		Akriganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	0·11	0·12	...	...	...	1·05	1·00	1·43	0·58	1·00	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari*	...																			
		Dumkal	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	2·32	0·52	0·26	..	...	...	1·11	0·12	0·36	0·75	0·42	0·55	0·06	...	0·09
		Kallyanganj	...	...	...	0·45	0·80	...	1·85	0·48	2·15	0·38	...	...	0·18	0·08	0·30	...	0·21	0·05	0·61	...	...
		Nurali	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·07	1·48	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	1·83	0·46	0·20	0·08	0·25	0·06	...	...
	Jessore	Jessore	...	...	0·20	0·21	0·03	...	2·42	0·71	0·60	0·24	...	...	0·23	0·97	0·13	0·38	0·03	0·25	0·08	...	...
		Jhenida	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	0·22	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	1·80	0·60	...	0·10	0·12	...	...	...
		Magura*	...																			
		Bangaon	...	0·20	0·08	0·03	...	...	2·10	0·24	0·08	0·84	...	...	0·28	4·75	0·11	...	...	0·65	0·52	0·24	0·08
	Khulna	Satkhira	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·65	0·59	0·20	...	...	...	1·00	0·31	0·88	0·11	0·04	0·68	...	...	0·70
		Sagerhat	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·31	0·58	...	...	0·50	...	0·17	0·30	0·15	...	0·19	0·07	0·21
		Khulna	...	...	0·26	0·06	...	...	...	0·23	0·18	...	0·06	...	0·04	1·65	0·02	1·22	0·15	0·13	...	...	0·06
		Kaliganj	...	0·11	0·70	0·12	0·18	0·07	0·08	0·12	0·04	0·61	0·15	...	...	1·60	0·11	0·15	0·17	1·47	0·41	...	1·76
		Nakipur*	...																			
		Dumuria	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	0·59	0·21	..	...	0·32	0·06	...	0·17	0·25	0·64	...	0·11	0·08	0·26
		Rampal	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	0·89	0·22	0·05	3·56	0·07	0·05	2·15	0·03	0·48	0·22	...	...	0·05	0·25
		Kalaroa	...	...	0·02	0·09	...	...	0·22	0·08	0·81	0·49	...	...	...	0·54	1·12	0·20	...	1·19	0·39	0·26	0·47
		Paikgachha	...	...	0·09	0·18	0·17	...	...	0·43	0·87	0·28	0·07	...	0·01	0·48	...	0·35	0·09	0·13	...	0·13	0·32
		Mollahat	...	0·59	0·80	0·15	0·12	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	0·42	0·44	0·10	0·28	...	0·15	0·90
		Morelganj	...	...	0·32	0·12	0·02	...	...	0·54	0·44	0·41	0·11	...	0·05	2·35	0·11	0·63	0·10	2·19	0·01	0·23	0·29
		Tala	...	...	0·49	0·04	0·20	...	...	0·48	0·22	0·35	...	...	0·30	0·01	...	0·30	0·80	...	...	0·59	0·15
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna	...	0·23	0·18	...	...	0·46	0·37	0·69	...	...	...	0·56	0·23	0·71	0·17	...	0·36	0·21	0·13	0·07	
		Burdwan	...	0·01	...	...	...	0·54	0·19	0·67	0·01	...	0·35	0·35	1·47	0·06	0·01	0·72	0·10	...	0·24	...	
		Katwa	...	0·19	...	0·23	...	0·29	0·20	0·25	0·49	...	...	1·45	0·24	0·99	0·95	1·26	0·11	0·14	...	..	
		Asansol	...	0·19	0·25	0·15	0·06	0·80	...	0·52	0·01	0·02	...	1·33	3·25	0·70	0·90	...	0·36	0·02	0·20	0·78	
		Mankar	...	1·11	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	0·25	1·42	...	3·00	0·25	1·00	0·15	0·11	0·17	0·09	...	0·85	
		Mangalkot	...	...	...	...	2·60	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	0·80	0·60	0·40	0·30	...	0·40	0·20	0·30	
		Boyna*	...																			
		Monteswar*																				
	Birbhum	Suri*	...																			
		Hetampur	...	0·87	...	...	0·17	...	0·42	0·32	1·51	0·18	...	...	0·27	...	0·28	0·34	...	0·26	0·37	..	0·42
		Rampur Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	...	0·60	...	0·68	...	...	0·98	...	...	...	0·30	0·36	...	0·79
		Bolpur	...	...	0·13	0·41	...	...	0·35	0·55	0·60	1·08	...	...	1·35	0·05	0·09	0·15	0·30	0·05	...	0·25	...
		Murarai	...	...	0·88	...	...	...	0·88	0·76	0·75	...	0·49	...	0·04	0·31	0·41	...	...	0·33	0·16	0·18	...
		Labpur	...	0·24	0·14	0·34	...	0·15	0·60	0·05	0·24	0·87	...	...	1·00	0·07	...	0·59	0·70	0·04	...	0·36	...
		Bankura	...	...	0·63	0·02	0·25	...	0·02	0·20	0·65	0·05	0·09	...	0·12	0·20	...	0·73	0·05	0·04	0·25	0·27	0·35
	Bankura	Vishnupur	...	...	0·21	...	...	...	0·26	0·65	0·60	0·23	0·15	...	0·20	0·34	1·42	0·20	0·20	0·02	0·05	0·02	0·65
		Maliara	...	...	...	0·23	0·04	...	0·59	0·19	0·37	0·17	0·50	...	0·88	0·05	0·20	0·66	0·01	0·28	0·10	...	0·29
		Khatra	...	0·02	...	0·38	...	0·01	0·15	0·16	0·61	0·19	0·34	...	0·05	0·15	1·05	0·47	0·60	...	...	0·34	0·40
		Indas*	...																			
		Kotalpur	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	0·29	0·51	1·50	0·54	...	...	0·57	...	0·45	0·15	...	0·65	...	0·14	0·80
		Onda	...	0·27	0·60	0·05	...	0·12	0·26	0·26	0·26	0·28	0·18	...	0·12	0·30	0·80	0·77	...	...	0·58	...	0·17
		Gangajalghati	...	...	...	0·36	0·04	0·02	0·20	0·09	0·25	0·15	0·05	...	0·42	0·04	2·29	0·05	0·02	0·09	...	...	0·10
		Raipur	...	...	0·30	0·11	0·13	...	0·12	0·38	0·85	0·18	0·05	...	...	...	...	2·20	0·20	...	2·12	0·08	0·38
		Sonamukhi*	...																				
		Taldangra*	...																				
		Saranga*	...																				
		Indpur*	...																				
	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	0·58	0·12	...	0·05	0·38	0·34	0·32	0·24	...	...	0·11	0·16	0·11	1·02	0·20	0·29	1·03	0·21	0·35
		Tamluk	...	0·49	...	0·09	0·02	...	0·03	0·42	0·51	0·22	0·02	...	0·05	0·30	2·25	0·43	0·13	0·43	0·25	...	1·87
		Midnapore	...	...	0·04	0·23	...	...	0·09	0·80	0·12	0·12	0·05	...	0·09	0·54	...	2·06	0·34	0·18	...	...	0·36
		Ghatal*	...	0·01	0·04	0·14	...	0·20	0·05	0·50	0·06	0·42	...	...	0·16	0·31	1·21	3·26	0·40	0·54	0·49	0·21	0·46
		Kukrahati	...	...	0·06	0·30	0·13	...	1·48	1·73	0·66	0·15	...	...	0·17	0·22	...	0·06	0·53	...	0·28	...	1·56
		Amlagora	...	...	0·42	...	0·15	0·14	0·82	0·45	0·35	0·23	0·81	...	0·55	1·25	0·75	1·50	0·07	0·43	0·82	...	0·55
		Panskura	...	...	0·30	0·30	0·15	0·16	0·16	1·15	0·35	...	...	...	...	1·10	0·70	0·47	0·42	0·20	0·20	0·30	0·20
		Dantan	...																				
		Chandrakona*	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·17	1·12	0·73	0·63	...	...	...	2·58	...	0·11	0·35	...	1·46	0·87	0·90
		Pachet	...	...	0·05	0·44	...	0·19	0·39	0·83	0·16	...	...	...	0·90	0·10	0·59	0·25	0·70	0·44	0·63	0·25	0·80
		Bhagwanpur	...	...	0·79	...	...	...	0·56	0·96	0·17	...	...	...	0·77	...	0·54	...	...	...	...	0·59	...
		Kultikri	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·40	0·70	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	1·30	...	...	...
		Nayabasan	...	...	0·50	...	...	...	0·08	0·25	0·82	0·50	0·40	...	...	0·02	0·37	0·57	...	0·08	0·05	0·30	0·20
		Silda	...																				
		Chandri*	...																				
		Goaltore*	...																				
		Salboni*	...	0·43	0·37	0·09	0·15	0·08	0·41	0·85	1·15	0·14	0·15	0·19	0·05	0·03	0·27	0·30	0·45	0·37	0·25	0·15	0·45
		Narsingarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	...	1·12	...	...	1·20	1·17	...	0·16	0·22	...	1·07	5·20	0·24	1·07
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·38	0·70	0·38	...	...	...	0·38	0·70	0·03	0·19	...	...	0·50	0·75
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	0·15	0·12	0·23	0·33	0·38	0·70	0·38	...	...	...	0·38	0·70	0·03	0·19	...	...	0·25	0·83
		Henria	...	...	0·13	0·10	...	0·03	0·30	0·80	0·10	0·05	0·02	...	1·20	0·01	0·40	0·42	0·25	1·11	0·83	0·25	0·83
		Jenka (Khairi)	...	...	0·32	0·08	0·05	0·09	0·50	0·47	0·11	0·19	0·02	...	0·10	0·08	0·09	2·39	0·40	0·42	3·75	0·35	0·40
		Nandigram*	...																				
		Moyna	...	0·12	0·05	0·22	0·48	0·36	0·18	0·01	1·25	0·77	0·83	0·55	0·12	0·40	0·75	0·10	1·25	0·19	0·20	0·02	0·05
		Pingla	...	0·88	...	...	...	...	2·00	0·70	0·66	0·30	...	...	2·46	1·72	0·30	0·02	0·88	0·60	0·04	0·94	0·52
		Narajole	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·92	0·13	1·07	0·75	...	1·00	1·13	0·15	0·24	...	0·99	...	0·34	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1917.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept. 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th Sept.	Station.	District.	Division.
0·04	0·04	0·02	0·06	1·07	0·42	...	...	...	...	14	13·5	8·39	11·67	2·22	52·43	52·01	Sangor Island	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
...	0·13	...	0·80	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	17	12·9	12·63	10·67	1·61	...	50·08	Diamond Harbour.		
0·36	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	12·8	8·69	11·81	0·88	62·27	49·92	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	1·05	0·34	1·12	...	...	...	...	0·11	12	12·9	6·83	10·84	1·23	41·14	47·10	Canning Town.		
0·21	...	0·20	0·68	...	0·20	...	...	0·11	0·03	16	13·2	8·09	10·35	1·54	46·18	46·83	Alipore (Obsy.)		
0·18	0·45	0·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·4	8·74	9·19	2·09	...	43·51	Barrackpore.		
0·15	0·82	...	...	1·19	...	...	...	0·17	0·20	19	12·4	7·86	10 21	1·19	43·83	45·51	Dum-Dum.		
											12·1		9·63			43·05	Baraset.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·2	5·54	8·93	1·00	40·33	45·12	Basirhat.		
0·15	0·05	0·12	0·32	...	0·21	1·20	...	1·37	0·42	18	10·8	9·13	8·63	1·87	44·66	40·09	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
0·43	0·08	0·68	0·26	...	0·05	1·08	1·06	...	...	16	10·8	8·90	8·51	2·12	38·26	39·85	Krishnagar.		
0·24	1·37	...	0·59	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	18	11·5	9·92	8·95	2·40	43·13	40·34	Chuadanga.		
0·38	1·07	1·23	1·20	...	0·07	0·50	0·15	...	...	14	11·2	11·67	8·31	2·26	39·49	40·01	Meherpur.		
											11·7		9·57			41·67	Kushtia.		
0·07	...	0·02	..	...	0·15	...	...	0·91	...	12	(a)	5·23	(a)	0·93	26·13	(a)	Harinaghata.		
0·07	0·02	...	...	...	0·06	0·36	...	...	...	12	12·1	4·78	9·41	1·41	37·52	42·47	Kandi ...	Murshidabad.	
0·12	0·42	2·72	0·20	0·85	...	...	...	...	...	18	11·9	11·87	10·08	2·72	47·12	41·95	Berhampore.		
0·42	0·57	...	0·81	0·54	0·18	...	...	...	...	14	12·1	7·08	10·40	0·87	40·60	45·74	Lalbagh.		
0·12	0·67	...	0·14	0·16	0·06	...	...	...	...	10	12·2	4·08	9·14	0·67	25·85	41·60	Azimganj.		
0·61	0·02	...	...	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·0	6·72	10·13	2·45	48·82	42·24	Jangipur.		
											12·1		10·75		...	42·52	Lalgola.		
...	0·48	0·56	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·54	11	11·0	7·34	8·65	1·43	...	40·27	Akriganj.		
											8·3		6·03		...	43·73	Patkabari.		
...	0·15	0·17	1·31	0·27	...	...	0·20	0·28	...	15	11·0	9·02	9·11	2·32	35·58	40·30	Dumkal.		
...	...	0·24	0·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	12·2	10·12	8·91	2·15	43·48	44·71	Kaliyanganj.		
0·46	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·5	6·20	7·70	1·84	44·03	39·98	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
0·19	0·15	0·16	0·62	0·09	0·39	...	0·23	...	...	17	12·0	7·68	8·90	2·42	51·30	44·49	Jessore.		
0·40	0·74	3·60	...	...	...	..	...	0·80	1·00	12	11·3	10·00	9·29	3·60	47·13	42·91	Jhenida.		
											10·8		8·77		...	40·93	Magura.		
0·10	1·42	0·95	0·08	...	...	1·45	...	...	0·10	16	10·9	14·28	9·10	4·75	57·97	45·15	Dangaon.		
0·17	1·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·9	6·55	9·09	1·12	53·64	44·34	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
0·27	...	1·87	0·13	...	0·17	...	...	...	...	14	12·3	5·38	9·58	1·87	44·03	50·47	Bagerhat.		
0·80	...	...	...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	8	12·2	4·38	9·03	1·65	42·56	45·83	Khulna.		
...	0·48	0·80	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...	17	12·3	9·57	13·49	1·76	...	59·01	Kaliganj.		
											11·5		8·96		...	44·97	Nakipur.		
...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·12	11	13·4	3·45	11·95	0·84	...	55 00	Dumuria.	
...	0·12	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	12·7	5·42	9·77	2·15	46·51	47·00	Rampal.	
0·30	0·14	...	0·06	...	0·10	...	...	0·05	1·12	14	11·9	7·55	9·98	1·19	44·86	44·50	Kalaroa.		
0·28	...	0·02	1·30	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	12	12·5	5·23	10·97	1·20	45·42	50·58	Paikgachha.		
0·25	...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·10	16	11·5	5·94	13·87	0·90	41·15	63·39	Mollahat.		
0·46	...	0·57	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	13·9	8·99	12·29	2·35	59·62	59·25	Moreiganj.		
0·05	0·15	0·05	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	12·6	4·18	11·36	0·69	41·84	48·31	Tala.		
0·08	0·47	0·32	0·16	0·04	...	0·41	...	0·07	0·15	17	10·2	6·05	7·42	0·71	43·05	39·88	Katua ...	Burdwan	
...	0·22	0·36	0·03	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	12	11·5	6·22	8·70	1·47	38·33	42·73	Burdwan.		
...	0·27	...	1·46	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	16	10·9	8·69	7·99	1·46	40·60	40·05	Katwa.		
0·12	2·50	1·50	0·26	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	16	11·6	14·28	8·41	3·28	50·78	41·80	Asansol.		
...	...	1·26	1·50	...	0·18	...	0·15	...	...	15	10·5	11·84	9·70	3·00	36·39	43·07	Mankar.		
0·50	0·10	...	0·20	...	1·30	...	...	...	...	14	(a)	10·75	(a)	2·60	...	(a)	Mangalkot.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Reyna.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Munteswar.		
											12·8		9·93			46·77	Suri ...	Birbhum ...	
0·75	...	5·75	0·14	...	...	0·07	0·09	...	...	15	11·7	12·21	9·53	5·75	...	44·74	Hetampur.		
0·20	0·82	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·10	...	12	12·2	6·48	9·91	1·40	45·74	43·45	Rampur Hat.		
0·05	0·10	0·90	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·6	7·35	8·05	1·35	41·12	41·17	Bolpur.		
0·27	0·22	0·15	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·15	0·35	17	11·1	6·07	11·78	0·88	34·53	49·58	Murari.		
0·43	...	0 32	0·37	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	14	10·6	6·56	9·01	1·00	47·08	42·70	Labpur.		
0·21	0·02	0·62	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11·7	5·49	8·91	1·42	55·77	42·86	Bankura ...	Bankura...	
0·38	0·01	0·11	0·98	0·01	...	0·32	...	...	...	15	11·6	7·21	8·80	1·76	48·53	43·77	Vishnupur.		
0·40	0·22	1·10	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	11·1	6·33	7·58	1·10	37·69	40·28	Mallara.		
0·22	0·42	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	11·5	5·67	9·68	1·05	49·63	45·22	Khatra.		
											10·7		8·48		...	39·36	Indas.		
0·41	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	9·0	6·51	5·37	1·50	31·74	43·13	Kotalpur.		
1·17	...	0·37	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	16	10·6	6·50	8·41	1·17	40·31	37·24	Onda.		
0·49	...	0·90	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10·7	6·48	8·43	2·29	44·61	41·32	Gangajalghati.		
...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	11	11·6	7·20	9·34	2·20	46·94	45·62	Raipur.		
											9·9		8·41		...	40·78	Somamukhi.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Taldangra.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Saranga.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Indpur.		
0·02	0·05	...	0·07	0·22	0·26	0·02	...	...	0·17	18	12·9	6·32	11·14	1·03	49·06	47·08	Contai ...	Midnapore	
0·05	0·01	...	0·18	0·61	0·83	...	...	...	...	14	10·8	9·18	9·25	2·25	58·13	44·43	Tamluk.		
0·25	....	0·32	0·32	...	...	0·95	...	...	...	13	12·1	6·87	8·76	2·06	38·29	43·84	Midnapore		
											11·9		9·69		...	45·31	Ghatal.		
0·36	0·03	0·25	...	0·81	0·68	0·05	...	...	...	17	12·5	10·41	10·17	3·26	68·23	46·35	Kukrahati.		
0·11	0·48	...	0·11	...	...	1·15	...	...	...	15	11·7	9·18	9·23	1·73	39·41	45·63	Amlagora.		
0·21	...	0·10	1·00	0·28	0·11	0·18	...	...	...	21	10·8	11·17	9·36	1·50	61·81	42·42	Panskura.		
0·10	...	0·32	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	18	11·0	6·98	9·02	1·15	48·18	41·39	Dantan.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Chandrakona.		
0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	(a)	9·56	(a)	2·58	46·51	(a)	Pachet.		
...	...	...	0·57	1·00	0·80	0·11	...	...	...	18	(a)	8·69	(a)	1·00	46·22	(a)	Bhagwanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	8	(a)	5·19	(a)	0·96	44·81	(a)	Kultikri.		
...	...	...	0·45	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	8	(a)	4·15	(a)	1·30	35·22	(a)	Nayabasan.		
...	...	0·04	1·20	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	11	(a)	5·76	(a)	1·20	50·16	(a)	Silda.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Chandri.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Goaltore.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Salboni.		
0·49	0·16	0·16	0·13	0·14	0·09	0·13	....	...	...	22	(a)	8·49	(a)	1·15	...	(a)	Naraingarh.		
0·11	2·14	...	1·80	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·12	15	(a)	15·74	(a)	5·20	67·24	(a)	Ramnagar.		
0·23	...	...	...	0·68	...	...	...	...	...	14	(a)	5·77	(a)	0·75	...	(a)	Mohanpur.		
0·05	0·10	0·15	0·13	..	...	0·20	...	...	...	17	(a)	7·56	(a)	1·20	47·18	(a)	Heuria.		
0·04	...	0·40	0·08	0·04	1·50	...	...	...	0·08	14	(a)	12·25	(a)	3·75	54·31	(a)	Jenka (Khajri).		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Naudikram.		
0·50	0·02	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	(a)	9·00	(a)	1·25	45·29	(a)	Moyna		
0·19	0·80	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	15	(a)	13·84	(a)	2·46	...	(a)	Plugia.		
0·26	...	0·24	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	(a)	7·72	(a)	1·12	43·91	(a)	Narajole.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN—*contd.*	Hooghly	Serampore ...	...	...	0·03	0·35	...	...	0·08	0·19	1·50	...	1·06	0·10	0·09	0·06	0·30	0·01	0·95	0·64	0·05	0·15
		Hooghly* ...																				
		Arambagh ...	...	0·10	0·13	0·04	...	0·72	0·36	1·09	0·72	...	...	1·31	0·04	0·30	2·06	...	0·81	0·01	0·06	0·24
	Howrah ...	Howrah ...	...	0·03	0·23	...	0·13	...	0·08	0·08	1·00	...	0·20	1·14	0·33	0·42	1·55	0·26	0·63	...	0·10	0·69
		Mohesreka ...	...	0·19	0·42	...	...	0·32	...	0·52	1·07	...	...	1·91	0·53	1·93	2·03	0·23	1·09	0·13	0·11	0·96
		Uluberia ...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·22	0·10	0·65	...	...	0·60	0·30	0·12	0·96	0·10	0·27	...	0·16	0·34
		Amta ...	...	...	0·15	0·25	...	0·09	0·40	0·08	1·09	...	...	1·70	0·07	...	0·88	0·03	1·16	0·02	...	0·12
	Boalia ...	Boalia ...	...	...	0·26	0·03	...	0·53	0·35	0·01	0·60	0·35	...	1·06	2·68	0·15	0·34	0·71	1·32	0·26	...	0·87
		Nator ...	...	...	0·36	0·03	...	0·85	...	0·28	...	...	...	1·11	...	0·68	0·12	1·10	0·77	...	0·74	0·26
		Nattgaon* ...																				
		Bilmaria ...	...	0·37	...	...	2·57	0·39	1·35	...	...	...	5·27	0·47	1·37	...	4·04	1·61	0·48	...	0·08	0·06
		Mauda ...	...	0·61	...	...	0·81	0·10	0·30	0·05	...	...	0·61	...	0·30	0·19	0·50	0·44	0·04	...	1·08	0·40
		Mahadebpur ...	0·07	...	...	...	0·75	...	0·30	0·46	...	...	0·09	0·45	0·60	1·10	1·43	1·28	0·78	...	1·05	0·76
		Tanor ...	...	0·05	...	0·14	...	...	0·07	...	0·18	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	0·66	0·84	0·03	...	0·57
	Dinajpur	Nithpur* ...																				
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	1·10	0·30	0·53
		Gangarampur ...	1·38	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	0·19	...	...	...	0·81	1·09	...	0·45	0·77	1·13	0·71	...	0·85
		Churaman ...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	0·45	...	2·00	0·21	0·12	...	0·18	1·48	1·15	0·44	0·27	1·70
		Raiganj* ...																				
		Dinajpur ...	2·36	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·28	...	...	...	...	1·05	...	...	1·07	0·36	0·72	...	1·36
		Balurghat* ...																				
		Thakurgaon ...	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·35	0·13	...	...	...	1·38	...	0·17	0·12	0·16	0·02	2·32	6·02
		Serabganj ...	1·95	0·75	...	...	...	0·45	2·99	0·20	0·42	...	...	...	1·60	...	...	0·27	...	0·22	...	1·90
		Ramganj ...	0·67	0·61	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·20	0·05	...	...	...	3·30	...	0·13	0·17	0·10	0·04	0·95	2·05
		Atwari* ...																				
		Birganj ...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·32	...	0·03	...	...	0·59	0·20	0·05	0·06	0·13	1·34	0·06	3·36
		Parbatipur ...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·44	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	0·75	...	0·79
RAJSHAHI.	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri* ...	5·27	0·84	0·27	4·55	0·13	...	1·97	0·27	0·14	1·58	0·45	...	0·07	...	...	0·51	0·97	0·57	1·16	5·80
		Alipur Duars	0·17	0·76	0·45	0·06	0·76	...	1·08	1·17	0·11	3·02	0·01	0·59	0·76	...	...	0·69	1·03	0·10	0·84	5·47
		Falakata ...	...	0·65	0·02	0·04	...	0·95	0·01	...	1·70	0·05	...	0·44	...	...	0·20	0·20	...	0·40	5·20	0·18
		Debiganj ...	0·12	...	...	...	0·61	0·10	...	1·11	...	...	...	0·64	0·05	0·21	2·26	0·17	1·15	2·37	4·72	1·54
		Bhagatpur ...	1·89	0·26	0·25	0·02	0·02	...	0·27	4·15	0·25	0·14	1·08	0·12	...	0·86	0·39	1·32	1·19	0·64	0·42	3·11
		Buxa ...	3·10	1·20	0·12	2·02	0·48	...	0·13	2·85	0·32	0·22	0·90	0·45	0·32	...	...	2·18	0·20	0·96	1·32	2·56
		Kalchini ...	1·15	0·28	0·88	0·28	2·34	...	0·39	0·62	0·39	2·12	0·88	1·75	0·70	...	...	1·00	0·22	0·72	0·32	3·95
		Kumargram ...	0·20	0·10		...	...	...	0·58	...	0·48	3·28	0·06	...	0·80	...	...	1·95	0·26	0·15	0·08	4·70
	Darjeeling	Siliguri ...	2·00	1·21	1·00	...	...	...	1·85	0·76	0·20	0·05	4·22	0·70	0·07	0·03	...	1·05	2·31	0·60	0·62	3·60
		Darjeeling* ...	1·91	0·24	0·27	...	...	...	3·40	0·51	0·52	0·10	0·95	0·20	0·12	0·58	...	2·34	1·53	1·55	0·43	2·67
		Kalimpong ...	0·09	1·25	0·09	...	...	...	1·72	0·95	0·48	0·01	0·30	0·24	0·02	0·15	0·25	2·50	0·80	0·12	0·05	1·87
		Mongboo ...	0·07	1·21	...	...	...	...	1·75	0·91	0·27	0·02	0·32	0·02	0·81	0·17	0·16	1·84	1·18	0·24	0·24	2·96
		Kurseong ...	0·88	1·72	...	0·06	0·51	...	2·69	1·42	0·54	0·04	3·16	1·32	...	...	0·38	2·06	2·27	0·14	0·11	2·63
		Pedong ...	0·30	1·37	0·31	0·20	...	0·17	0·32	0·90	0·93	0·53	0·22	0·60	0·01	0·14	0·23	4·47	1·08	0·11	0·18	1·54
	Rangpur	Bhawanigunj ...	1·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·86	1·20	1·26	...	0·23
		Rangpur* ...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	0·86	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·20	0·69	0·40	0·20	0·08	1·58
		Pirganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·00	2·00	2·00	0·32	3·05	1·05
		Kurigaon ...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	2·03	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·65	0·30	...	1·32	...	0·35	1·68
		Gobindganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·36	1·21	...	...	...	5·71	...	...	...	0·96	1·75	0·81	1·11	1·32
		Bagdogra* ...																				
		Ulipur ...	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	0·10	...	0·13	...	...	...	0·39	0·55	0·45	0·35	...	...
		Sundergunj ...	2·22	...	...	...	...	...	1·32	0·02	0·30	...	0·03	...	0·33	...	0·28	1·50	0·75	0·26	...	0·10
		Saidpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·05	...	...	0·38	...	0·09	...	0·03	0·47	...	1·84	0·39	1·13	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	0·92	1·48	...	1·36	1·47	2·50	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	...	0·20	...	...	1·61	...	2·92	0·24	1·20
		Bogra* ...	...	...	...	0·01	...	0·05	0·49	0·27	...	...	...	1·47	3·14	0·07	0·05	1·49	2·70	0·01	...	0·83
		Panchbibi ...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	0·15	0·10	0·64	1·00	...	0·40	3·17	...	...	0·80	0·10
		Khetlal* ...																				
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur*																				
		Pabna* ...																				
		Sirajganj ...	0·02	...	0·15	...	...	0·48	1·24	0·15	0·18	...	...	0·51	0·27	0·07	0·94	2·36	0·06	...	...	...
		Sara ...	0·30	0·04	0·07	0·04	0·29	1·76	0·05	0·05	...	...	...	2·60	1·70	1·10	...	0·56	0·65	0·02	0·10	0·11
	Malda ...	Malda ...	8·00	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	0·13	0·17	...	...	0·65	3·23	0·05	0·30	2·50	0·78	0·58	...	0·15
		Chanchal* ...																				
		Gazol ...	4·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·10	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·29	1·76	2·65	0·34	0·38	0·55
		Sibganj ...	...	0·20	...	...	...	0·43	0·20	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20
		Gomastapur ...	...	0·15	...	...	...	0·30	...	0·10	0·53	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·36	0·30	0·36	...	0·23
		Nawabganj*...																				
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj ...	...	0·05	...	0·42	...	1·36	0·24	1·26	0·06	...	...	0·15	0·02	0·07	0·11	2·17	0·92	...	0·04	0·19
		Dacca ...	0·05	...	0·01	...	0·02	2·10	0·34	2·71	...	0·01	0·45	0·85	2·23	0·02	0·30	0·50	1·43	0·32	0·21	0·47
		Nawabganj*...																				
		Narayanganj*	...	0·04	0·04	0·20	...	0·29	0·29	0·76	...	...	...	0·50	0·46	0·16	0·49	1·08	1·91	0·03	0·05	0·51
		Narsingdi ...	...	0·08	...	...	...	0·21	0·06	0·27	0·09	...	...	0·29	0·06	0·85	0·20	0·35	1·27	0·04	...	...
		Manikganj ...	0·01	...	0·11	0·01	...	0·30	0·34	4·05	0·08	...	...	0·08	0·60	0·01	0·10	0·50	0·13	...	0·09	...
		Joydebpur ...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·90	0·03	...	...	0·07	0·20	0·03	0·30	0·80	1·62	...	...	...
		Kapasia ...	...	0·10	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·45	...	0·75	1·35	0·80	...	...	1·33
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj*...																				
		Atia (*Tangail*)	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·45	0·77	2·00	...	...	...	1·30	1·45	0·34	0·37	0·99	0·30	...	0·03	0·20
		Sarisabari ...	...	...	...	0·03	...	0·50	0·37	0·35	0·14	...	...	0·10	0·33	0·15	0·12	1·40	0·63	...	0·27	...
		Mymensingh*	0·45	0·09	0·16	...	...	0·07	2·40	0·56	0·43	...	...	0·83	0·75	0·13	0·16	0·70	0·60	0·35	0·42	0·55
		Jamalpur ...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	0·24	0·18	0·69	...	...	0·18	0·70	0·04	...	0·92	1·35	0·15	0·31	0·28
		Netrakona ...	0·02	0·65	0·04	0·05	0·12	...	1·70	...	0·40	0·16	...	0·50	1·38	0·68	0·98	1·82	0·40	0·04	0·90	1·58
		Phulpur ...	0·06	...	...	...	1·00	2·00	0·50	0·10	...	...	0·60	...	0·50	1·00	1·20	1·00	...	...	2·02	1·18
		Durgapur* ...																				
		Sherpur (*Town*)	0·11	...	0·35	...	...	...	0·33	0·19	...	...	...	0·33	1·37	...	...	1·60	0·63	0·20	0·06	0·31
		Dewanganj ...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	0·67	0·05	...	1·30	1·13	0·13	0·06	0·34
		Nalitabari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	0·09	0·60	...	...	0·31	0·75	...	0·40	1·56	1·70	0·56	0·40	0·50

*Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1917—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September.	Station.	DISTRICT	DIVISION.
0·10	0·59	0·07	...	...	0·13	0·30	...	...	...	13	11·9	6·64	9·58	1·50	35·14	44·33	Serampore ...	Hooghly	BURDWAN—*contd.*
											12·0		8·32			39·86	*Hooghly*		
0·38	...	0·26	2·37	...	0·89	...	...	...	...	15	13·1	11·74	9·06	2·37	39·79	44·25	Arambagh.		
0·11	...	0·08	...	...	0·54	...	...	...	0·68	15	13·5	8·20	9·36	1·55	41·98	43·95	Howrah ...	Howrah	
0·09	0·04	...	...	0·03	0·39	...	...	...	...	14	11·7	11·09	8·74	2·03	...	45·80	Mohesrekha.		
1·82	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	13	11·9	5·86	8·77	1·82	47·14	43·22	Ulubaria.		
0·72	0·10	...	0·53	...	0·07	0·75	0·02	...	...	12	11·4	8·93	8·39	1·70	...	43·89	Amta.		
0·06	0·33	0·02	0·02	0·26	0·19	...	...	...	0·01	16	12·1	10·41	10·08	2·68	38·11	40·64	Boalia ...	Rajshahi	
0·69	1·00	...	1·68	0·85	0·05	...	...	0·05	...	14	12·2	10·32	10·92	1·68	40·31	45·59	Nator.		
											11·2		11·05		...	44·65	Naugaon.		
4·00	0·12	0·84	...	..	...	...	...	0·06	0·81	14	15·7	23·89	9·78	5·27	77·44	40·17	Bilmaria.		
...	0·48	0·35	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	15	10·4	7·06	9·64	1·08	40·07	40·32	Manda.		
0·39	...	0·30	0·78	...	0·98	0·23	...	...	...	16	11·3	11·74	11·17	1·43	39·37	45·55	Mahadebpur.		
0·52	0·09	...	...	0·88	0·13	...	...	...	0·83	11	10·3	5·91	7·26	0·84	32·70	36·13	Tanor.		
											10·9		10·41		...	43·82	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur	
0·70	0·30	1·70	...	1·02	1·05	...	0·20	...	...	11	11·4	7·30	11·48	1·70	32·08	34·94	Nawabganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·79	0·38	...	12	11·5	12·24	11·53	3·79	...	53·36	Gangarampur.		
1·30	0·04	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	0·05	...	14	11·6	10·39	11·56	2·00	47·51	48·70	Churamon.		
											11·4		10·54		...	51·82	Raiganj.		
1·12	0·06	...	0·02	...	0·24	0·03	0·16	...	...	11	13·6	9·08	12·35	2·36	34·21	54·28	Dinajpur.		
											11·1		10·60		...	45·55	Balurghat.		
1·54	0·82	0·14	0·05	0·81	0·18	0·06	..	...	...	15	11·5	15·98	14·76	6·52	60·92	68·71	Thakurgaon.		
1·45	0·37	...	...	...	...	0·23	...	0·15	...	14	11·7	13·31	12·48	2·95	54·00	56·77	Setabganj.		
3·50	...	0·08	0·03	2·00	0·07	...	0·98	...	...	14	12·2	15·29	13·02	3·50	54·87	61·11	Ramganj.		
											14·0		14·31		...	82·65	Atwari.		
1·17	1·61	0·05	0·20	0·51	...	0·36	0·65	...	...	14	13·0	11·22	10·06	3·26	43·98	54·98	Birganj.		
0·07	0·52	0·02	...	0·38	1·07	0·17	0·02	...	...	10	11·0	5·66	10·92	1·20	43·81	53·28	Parbatipur.		
0·85	0·43	...	...	...	1·52	...	0·30	0·62	...	20	15·4	28·17	19·75	5·80	106·36	100·76	Jalpaiguri ..	Jalpaiguri	
0·79	0·07	...	...	...	0·28	0·55	...	...	...	18	13·1	18·71	21·34	5·47	97·70	110·98	Alipur Duars.		
...	...	0·32	0·03	0·09	...	...	0·15	...	...	11	13·5	10·63	17·36	5·20	...	89·40	Falakata.		
0·03	...	...	1·59	...	0·42	0·11	...	...	1·30	16	12·9	18·50	14·92	4·72	74·03	70·12	Debiganj.		
0·49	0·31	...	0·17	0·93	...	0·78	0·23	...	0·11	23	18·3	18·73	24·80	4·15	134·41	121·73	Bhagatpur.		
0·60	1·33	0·22	0·10	...	0·72	0·05	0·94	0·18	0·05	24	20·0	25·62	30·44	4·33	173·18	165·18	Buxa.		
0·65	0·70	...	...	...	0·06	1·03	...	...	...	20	15·6	20·19	18·75	3·85	117·98	118·37	Kalchini.		
1·35	1·90	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	13	(a)	16·14	(a)	4·70	...	(a)	Kumargram.		
0·25	0·48	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	16	15·8	21·16	20·97	4·23	118·68	105·95	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling	RAJSHAHI.
1·05	0·37	0·01	0·03	0·62	0·09	0·01	0·01	1·63	0·29	21	17·0	21·93	18·46	3·40	109·59	100·20	Darjeeling.		
0·20	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	0·05	15	13·1	12·27	12·86	2·30	79·74	72·49	Kalimpong.		
0·40	0·62	...	...	0·06	0·09	...	...	0·10	0·06	16	15·5	13·44	18·59	2·96	115·39	100·78	Mongpoo		
0·57	2·84	0·05	0·42	2·22	0·32	0·11	0·03	...	1·52	21	19·9	27·81	24·91	3·16	143·63	134·67	Kurseong.		
0·88	0·61	0·06	0·20	0·58	0·15	0·08	0·06	0·49	1·21	25	19·2	18·05	15·01	4·47	...	79·37	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	0·81	...	...	0·81	...	0·30	10	10·9	6·85	10·40	1·30	40·75	52·52	Bhawanigunj	Rangpur	
0·11	0·38	...	...	0·37	...	...	1·70	...	...	11	13·4	7·16	14·62	1·70	44·00	59·58	Rangpur.		
1·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11·2	13·44	13·55	3·05	61·74	54·56	Pirganj.		
0·72	0·26	...	...	1·90	0·15	...	...	...	...	12	12·0	9·70	14·19	2·03	56·63	64·15	Kurigaon.		
0·41	...	...	0·31	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·2	10·09	12·65	1·75	61·32	52·00	Gobindganj.		
											12·8		14·40		...	67·59	Bagdogra.		
0·84	0·35	...	...	0·63	...	...	...	...	...	11	11·7	5·23	14·13	1·20	45·89	58·14	Ulipur.		
0·61	0·20	...	...	0·31	...	...	1·08	0·86	...	14	11·9	10·16	13·92	2·23	...	56·11	Sundarganj.		
0·62		...	1·15	...	1·08	2·28	...	...	...	10	11·5	9·97	12·42	3·28	46·48	58·17	Saidpur.		
0·35	1·81	...	...	2·55	...	0·65	0·04	...	...	10	12·1	13·42	10·68	2·55	44·01	46·47	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
0·50	0·55	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	11·7	9·64	10·52	2·02	38·61	47·52	Nowkhilla		
0·51	2·22	0·01	0·93	3·84	0·01	...	0·03	...	...	11	12·9	17·83	11·73	3·84	51·68	50·05	Bogra.		
0·05	0·05	...	0·20	...	1·10	0·20	...	...	...	13	11·7	8·06	11·28	2·17	29·31	48·09	Panchbibi.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Khetlal.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna ...	
0·03	1·20	...	...	...	0·10	0·01	...	0·13	0·21	13	11·5		8·76		...	42·26	Pabna.		
0·10	2·80	0·03	0·02	0·03	...	0·12	...	0·07	0·10	14	11·7	8·21	10·04	2·36	43·53	45·08	Sirajganj.		
											(a)	12·71	(a)	2·80	35 62	(a)	Sara.		
0·58	2·75	0·05	0·01	1·78	...	0·78	0·21	0·02	...	15	11·2	22·82	10·24	8·00	61·64	40·50	Malda ...	Malda ...	
											10·7		10·16		...	47 99	Chanchai.		
0·30	0·55	...	0·33	0·75	...	...	0·23	...	...	14	11·3	13·12	11·00	4·62	50·60	45 35	Gazol.		
0·60	...	0·06	0·23	0·30	0·07	...	..	...	0·74	9	11·3	3·73	20·07	1·00	25·73	40·23	Sibganj.		
...	0·47	...	...	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	11	10·6	3·85	7·10	0·53	...	40·34	Gomastapur.		
											11·7		5·99		...	38·56	Nawabganj.		
0·16	0·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·04	13	12·6	8·73	10·92	2·17	56·31	52·53	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
...	0·19	...	...	...	0·18	...	...	...	...	14	11·7	11·20	9·42	2·71	50·63	48·21	Dacca.		
											(a)		(a)		...	(a)	Nawabganj.		
0·15	0·89	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	0·13	0·25	15	11·9	8·26	9·37	1·91	44·62	46·23	Narayanganj		
1·32	...	0·55	...	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	9	(a)	5·72	(a)	1·32	45·67	(a)	Narsingdi.		
0·06	0·30	...	...	...	0·02	0·06	...	...	...	11	10·7	7·13	8·56	4·05	41·47	42·85	Maukganj.		
0·14	0·16	...	...	...	...	0·27	0·11	...	...	11	12·8	6·12	9·38	1·62	49·57	49·63	Joydebpur.		
0·30	0·15	...	...	0·40	...	0·92	...	0·28	...	11	(a)	5·88	(a)	1·35	...	(a)	Kapasia.		
											13·9		12·93		...	50·38	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.	
1·12	1·85	...	0·32	...	...	0·60	...	..	...	15	10·1	12·35	8·72	2·00	41·04	42·61	Atia (Tangail)		
0·84	0·46	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	15	(a)	5·44	(a)	1·40	56·35	(a)	Sarishabari.		
0·37	1·02	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	16	15·3	8·75	14·08	1·02	55·92	64·74	Mymensingh		
0·96	0·60	...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	13	13·3	7·36	12·83	1·35	48·25	55·44	Jamalpur.		
0·04	0·30	...	...	0·72	...	...	...	...	...	13	13·5	13·52	14·98	1·82	66·66	78·48	Netrakona.		
1·05	...	...	0·46	1·15	...	0·32	0·02	0·03	...	17	9·0	12·50	8·30	2·02	36·57	48·96	Phugus.		
		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	13	14·0		19·13		...	104·35	Durgapur.		
0·61	0·38	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	13	13·6	7·38	12·81	1 60	45·59	62·94	Sherpur (Town		
0·17	0·55	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	10	10·0	5·10	11·15	1·30	47·34	54·17	Dewanganj.		
0·20	0·35	0·03	...	...	...	...	0·66	...	...	13	12·6	8·42	15·45	1·70	52·84	78·85	Nalitabari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca.	Faridpur...	Madaripur ...	0·07	0·11	...	...	0·32	...	0·14	0·51	0·25	...	...	0·16	1·36	0·11	...	1·31	0·39	...	...	...
		Faridpur ...	...	0·01	0·04	...	0·24	0·50	0·04	1·12	0·07	...	...	0·11	1·12	0·04	0·15	0·36	0·09	...	0·30	0·20
		Rajbari (Goalundo). ...	...	...	0·15	...	...	1·92	...	0·04	0·15	...	...	0·20	0·04	0·92	0·39	0·86	...	0·16	...	0·10
		Haridaspur* ...																				
		Takirhat ...	...	0·09	0·04	0·01	...	0·77	0·12	0·21	...	...	...	0·19	0·17	0·50	...	0·22	0·12	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	0·05	0·03	0·12	...	...	1·40	0·03	1·20	0·10	...	...	0·35	0·25	0·07	...	0·15	0·10	...	0·10	0·40
		Pangsa ...	...	0·47	0 12	...	...	1·28	...	0·51	0·10	0·05	...	0·13	...	...	0·35	1·74	0·21	...	0·22	...
		Balaikandi ...	...	0·05	0·30	0·21	...	0·80	0·40	0·61	...	0·09	...	0·19	0·07	0·11	1·57	1·01	0·59	0·03	0·11	0·25
		Bhusna ...	...	...	0·39	0·08	...	0·25	0·09	0·49	...	...	...	0·73	0·27	0·16	0·48	...	0·28	...	0·03	...
		Palong ...	...	...	0·75	0·05	...	0·25	0 32	0·48	0·32	...	...	0·84	1·34	0·07	0·15	0·10	0·35	...	0·07	0·05
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	0·09	0·40	0·40	0·30	...	0·64	0·32	0·49	...	...	...	...	1·18	0·29	8·24	0·09	0·76	...	0·45	0·24
		Barguna ...	0·25	0·14	...	0·01	0·55	0·40	0·78	0·03	0·22	...	...	0·35	...	1·15	0·17	0·85	0·30	0·10	0·05	0·23
		Pirozpur ...	0·06	0·54	0·17	0·07	0·15	0·06	0·45	0·65	0·61	...	0·78	0·06	0·30	0·32	0·31	0·06	0·93	...	...	0·35
		Barisal ...	...	0·19	0·20	0·33	...	0·30	0·20	0·30	0·14	...	...	0·10	2·51	0·04	0·05	0·35	0·09	...	...	0·22
		Gaurnadi ...	0·30	...	0·15	...	...	0·08	0·12	0·20	0·40	...	...	0·35	0·92	0·25	0·12	0·15	1·16	...	...	0·28
		Bhola ...	0·02	0·17	0·30	0·11	...	0·21	0·07	1·61	0·05	...	...	0·16	2·86	0·33	1·25	0·52	0·35	...	0·22	0·04
		Daulatkhan ...	0·25	0·24	0·10	...	0·15	0·62	1·86	2·62	0·35	0·37	...	1·32	1·27	2·50	1·68	0·80	0·90	0·20	0·15	0·05
		Bauphal ...	0·22	0·13	...	...	...	2·55	0·61	...	0·75	...	0·80	0·63	2·28	3·85	0·77	0·40	0·27	0·11	0·30	0·21
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	...	0·39	0·04	...	...	0·11	0·41	1·04	0·03	0·05	2·90	1·17	1·31	0·71	3·82	2·38	0·02	0·28	0·09	0·01
		Chittagong ...	...	0 23	0·48	...	...	0·15	0·16	0·07	...	...	...	0·21	3·04	0·02	3·62	0·93	...	...	...	0·11
		Kutubdia ...	...	0·05	...	...	0·35	0·13	0·15	...	...	...	3·72	1·35	0·76	0·26	4·35	0·53	...	0·36	...	...
		Satkania ...	...	...	...	...	0·82	0·4	0·08	...	...	2·08	...	0·27	...	3·98	0·37	0·17	...	0·35	2·17	...
		Kodala* ...																				
		Mirsarai ...	...	...	...	0·05	1·94	0·42	...	1·13	...	0·60	...	0·10	0·25	0·20	1·05	...	...	2·15	1·16	0·18
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	...	0·32	...	0·11	...	0·14	0·31	0·38	0·09	0·15	...	2·37	0·30	0·05	1·74	1·04	...	...	0·18	0·16
		Chandpur ...	...	0·46	...	...	...	0·12	1·11	1·39	0·48	0·10	...	0·49	0·60	0·04	0·24	0·49	0·40	0·24	0·10	0·45
		Brahmanbaria*																				
		Ramchandrapur	0·39	...	...	...	1·90	0·58	...	...	...	...	1·05	1·75	1·09	0·21	0·61	0·60	...	...	...	...
		Noakhali ...	...	...	...	...	1·70	0·57	...	...	...	0·42	3·43	...	1·72	0·38	0·63	0·80	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	0·05	...	...	...	2·17	0·15	0·92	...	...	...	2·15	0·32	0·36	1·17	...	0·62	...	0·16	0·10
		Kasba ...	0·70	..	...	...	0·58	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	2·52	...	0·12	0·40	0·12	...	0·37	...
		Lakeam ...	0·15	0·52	...	...	...	0·47	0·23	1·17	1·30	...	...	0·70	1·23	0·16	0·46	1·22	...	...	0·58	0·34
	Noakhali	Noakhali ...	0·48	0·12	0·06	...	...	0·60	0·12	0·80	0·34	0·12	...	0·42	4·25	0·38	1·34	0·92	0·08	0·12	3·26	1·38
		Feni ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·25	0·34	0·30	...	...	2·03	1·68	0·80	1·15	0·70	0·10	0·18	0·18	0·22
		Haribpur* ...																				
		Ramganj ...	...	0·22	0·47	...	...	0·22	0·91	1·22	1·89	0·02	...	2·15	1·00	0·22	2·12	1·32	...	0·21	0 27	0·84
		Chhagalnaiya ...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·67	0·52	0·10	...	...	...	3·32	1·07	0·40	1·32	1·10	...	0·15	0·08	0·22
		Hatiya ...	...	0·48	0·18	...	...	0·24	0·09	1·26	0·25	0·43	...	0·85	1·82	0·13	1·23	0·61	0·68	0·28	1·15	0·20
		Lakhmipur* ...																				
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	...	0·21	...	0·23	0·05	0·60	0·66	1·16	0·05	...	0·17	0·91	0·50	0·21	2·34	0·73	...	...	0·15	0·14
		Bandarban ...	0·02	...	0·28	...	0·06	0·69	0·69	0·73	0·05	0·08	0·08	0·18	0·16	0·42	2·90	0·66	0·03	...	0·25	0·15
		Barkal* ...																				
		Lama ...	...	...	0·08	...	1·45	0·46	0·81	...	0·31	0·20	0·50	0·77	0·15	2·75	0·90	...	0·18	0·50	0·12	...
		Ramgarh ...	...	...	...	...	1·25	0·46	...	...	...	...	3·15	0·21	0·24	0·96	1·30	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalchari ...	0·13	...	0·30	0·15	...	0·41	0·30	0·40	...	...	...	1·00	0·48	0·20	1·23	2·32	...	...	0·14	1·00
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	1·27	0·04	1·05	0·06	1·38	1·14	0·17	0·03	...	...	1·85	0·13	0·02	0·11	0·88	...	...	0·02	0·26	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	1·14	..	0·64	0·21	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·08	0·61	0·03	1·11	...	0·05	2·32	1·69	0·26	0·09	4·04
		Cooch Behar...	0·37	0·38	2·12	...	...	...	0·95	..		0·09	2·12	...	0·57	...	0·08	1·25	0·50	...	1·32	3·06
		Mekliganj ...	1·76	0·25	...	0·14	...	...	1·02	0·05	1·70	...	0·20	...	1·11	...	0·23	1·77	0·93	0·23	1·28	7·22
		Mathabhanga*																				
		Tufbari ...	0·26	0·19	0·14	0·06	0·01	...	0·11	0·12	...	0·26	0·61	...	1·99	...	0·18	0·59	0·65	0·03	0·09	2·35

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA.

The 12th October 1917.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1917—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st June up to 30th September.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	0·81	0·99	...	0·09	3·23	...	...	1·86	...	14	11·2	11·71	5·49	3·23	...	44·67	Madaripur ...	Faridpur	Dacca—*concld*
0·68	2·13	0·04	0·48	0·20	0·73	2·40	...	0·03	...	16	12·1	11·89	9·01	2·40	51·59	46·73	Faridpur.		
0·96	4·10	...	...	0·10	...	1·76	...	0·10	...	14	10·7	11·25	8·35	4·10	48·98	42·00	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
													(*n*)		...	(*n*)	Haridaspur.		
0·61	0·32	0·02	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	(*n*)	4·16	(*n*)	0·77	45·69	(*n*)	Takirhat.		
0·22	0·50	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	0·03	0·04	12	(*n*)	5·19	(*n*)	1·40	32·79	(*n*)	Bhanga.		
...	3·02	...	0·47	...	0·02	0·03	0·09	0·06	...	13	(*n*)	8·87	(*n*)	3·02	52·70	(*n*)	Pangsa.		
0·21	1·02	1·03	0·70	...	0·12	0·02	...	0·78	...	18	(*n*)	10·23	(*n*)	1·57	63·31	(*n*)	Baliakandi.		
...	1·42	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...		9	(*n*)	5·11	(*n*)	1·42	48·44	(*n*)	Bhusna.		
0·73	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	0·07	13	(*n*)	6·41	(*n*)	1·34	51·27	(*n*)	Palong.		
...	...	...	0·40	...	1·55	...	...	0·03	...	14	14·9	15·92	13·51	8·24	84·12	74·48	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
0·13	0·26	0·02	...	2·00	...	...	...	...	0·35	17	14·0	8·84	11·89	2·00	79·31	57·17	Barguna.		
...	0·06	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	12	12·8	5·96	10·72	0·93	50·93	55·24	Pirozpur.		
0·09	...	0·12	...	...	...	0·09	...	0·16	0·08	15	14·8	7·06	11·21	2·51	45·97	55·47	Barisal.		
1·35	...	...	...	...	...	1·25	...	...	...	14	12·2	7·08	9·30	1·35	48·40	45·94	Gaurnadi.		
0·81	...	...	...	0·07	0·26	0·18	...	0·73	...	18	14·9	12·19	11·87	2·86	57·11	64·81	Bhola.		
0·18	0·30	0·16	0·08	...	...	...	...	1·00	0·35	22	14·3	17·44	13·29	2·62	68·12	73·07	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	0·22	...	0·11	...	...	...	0·29	0·81	19	13·5	14·81	13·91	3·68	75·77	68·75	Daulphal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	11	14·5	14·71	14·78	3·82	112·72	23·05	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong.
...	0·96	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	1·56	0·09	12	12·7	11·76	11·63	3·04	71·86	71·38	Chittagong.		
...	3·11	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	2·61	...	12	12·7	18·29	12·27	4·35	107·09	88·08	Kutubdia.		
0·30	...	0·17	...	...	0·06	...	1·54	...	0·10	13	14·2	13·59	11·00	3·83	85·16	74·01	Satkania.		
											16·3		11·47		...	67·71	Kodala.		
...	...	...	2·25	1·16	...	1·12	...	...	...	14	15·7	13·75	17·02	2·25	97·49	89·59	Mirsarai.		
1·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·29	14	13·2	10·23	10·99	2·87	48·35	59·24	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
0·34	0·06	0·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	17	13·7	7·67	10·93	1·39	61·69	56·79	Chandpur.		
											13·0		10·44		...	49·37	Brahmanbaria.		
...	0·30	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	12	9·9	9·45	9·00	1·90	60·03	48·71	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	0·87	...	...	...	1·50	10	12·1	11·52	10·69	3·43	47·80	48·52	Nasirnagar.		
0·16	...	...	...	...	0·41	...	...	...	0·21	13	10·1	8·89	8·26	2·17	52·18	46·61	Daudkandi.		
0·30	...	1·02	...	...	0·06	0·46	...	...	...	12	11·3	7·01	8·62	2·52	42·08	46·82	Kasba.		
...	...	0·60	...	...	...	...	...	1·29	...	15	12·0	10·62	11·32	1·50	...	63·38	Laksam.		
0·02	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	1·42	0·24	18	15·7	16·69	15·87	4·25	83·04	88·51	Noakhali ...	Noakhali	
...	...	0·05	...	...	0·45	...	...	1·87	0·22	16	15·0	10·64	13·99	2·03	74·97	85·89	Feni.		
											15·9		18·52		...	98·64	Haripur.		
0·19	...	0·26	...	1·56	...	...	...	...	1·39	18	13·4	16·58	11·88	2·15	59·90	63·57	Ramgarh.		
...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	3·45	0·15	13	14·6	12·75	13·99	3·45	84·95	82·18	Chhagalnaia.		
...	0·12	...	0·35	0·27	0·92	...	...	1·78	0·21	21	15·9	13·83	18·54	1·98	...	91·57	Hatiya.		
											14·3		14·74		...	74·29	Lakhmipur.		
...	0·15	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	1·77	0·21	17	15·8	11·41	11·92	2·34	63·90	65·22	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	0·70	0·20	0·69	0·04	...	...	1·52	0·11	16	17·4	10·60	12·34	2·90	75·28	70·60	Bandarban.		
											17·6		14·82		...	71·75	Barkal.		
...	1·30	...	0·07	..	...	0·14	..	0·35	0·45	17	(*n*)	10·94	(*n*)	2·75	87·11	(*n*)	Lama.		
0·05	0·23	...	0·50	...	...	...	1·00	...	0·40	12	(*n*)	7·75	(*n*)	3·15	56·96	(*n*)	Ramgarh.		
0·02	...	0·20	0·10	...	...	...	...	2·30	0·21	17	(*n*)	10·09	(*n*)	2·32	60·85	(*n*)	Mahalchari		
...	0·78	1·64	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	1·23	14	13·4	11·60	9·79	1·85	43·67	48·79	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera	
1·86	0·23	...	...	1·00	...	...	...	...	...	12	13·9	15·46	19·42	4·04	72·68	82·66	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar
1·17	...	...	0·21	1·03	2·69	0·10	...	...	...	15	15·3	18·00	26·59	3·05	94·54	115·30	Cooch Behar.		
0·39	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...	0·06	...	15	14·0	18·79	17·50	7·22	80·63	90·50	Mekliganj.		
..	...	...	...	...	...						14·6		19·49			96·61	Mathabhanga.		
0·54	0·02	...	...	1·78	0·79	...	...	...	...	15	15·8	9·81	23·37	2·35	86·39	93·44	Raibari.		

(*n*) Not ascertained.

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to July, 1917, by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the District Magistrates of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta by rail river, canal, road and sea (coastwise) during April to July, 1917, amounted to 2,807,000 maunds as against 5,086,000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year—a decline of 45 per cent. There was a decrease (20 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (30,665,000 maunds as against 38,559,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece-goods showed a decrease of 10 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 1,24,55,000 as against Rs. 1,39,23,000 in 1916. The imports of raw jute amounted to 613,000 bales as against 524,000 bales—an increase of 17 per cent. The importations of gunny bags also showed an increase of 19 million bags or 16 per cent (145 million bags as against 126 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) decreased by 46 per cent (2,122,000 maunds as against 3,938,000 maunds). There was a slight increase in the imports of sugar, which rose by 8 per cent (249,000 maunds as against 231,000 maunds), but there was a decrease (12 per cent) under tea (564,000 maunds as against 638,000 maunds).

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece-goods, foreign, from Calcutta by all routes during April to July, 1917, increased by 17 per cent (Rs. 8,15,86,000 as against Rs. 6,99,87.000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 33 million bags to 35 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports decreased by 389,000 in number in the period under review (8,120,000 as against 8,509,000). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 2,029,000 maunds to 1,940.000 maunds.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected Articles for the four months of April to July 1917, compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
		April to July 1917	April to July 1916	April to July 1917	April to July 1916
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	2,415,541	4,437,349	5,044	26,443
Paddy	,,	698,269	1,036,533	.....	.....
Total (in rice) (b	,,	2,806,959	5,085,682	5,044	26,443
Wheat	,,	4,542,757	1,790,098	14,048	52,810
Wheat flour	,,	85,533	80,983	94,814	70,016
Gram and pulse	,,	2,048,608	1,921,208	165,903	155,387
Other food-grains	,,	194,603	253,713	11,288	9,661
Total food-grains	,,	9,678,460	9,131,684	290,696	313,817
Coal and coke	,,	30,665,028	28,552,855	7,746,202	11,633,654
Cotton, raw	Bales	75,001	63,916	24,799	45,246
,, twist and yarn, Indian	Mds	168,157	137,880	37,892	29,308
,, piece-goods, Indian	Rs	1,24,55,019	1,29,23,444	15,59,562	4,04,059
Indigo	Mds	1,231	1,295	12,194	9,880
Jute, raw	Bales	613,308	524,496	317,537	459,203
,, gunny bags	No.	145,377,645	125,574,779	8,120,093 (c)	8,509,200 (c)
Lac	Mds	232,740	206,964	148,850	263,206
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	693,521	2,042,742	290,756	1,498,873
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	1,498,530	1,895,566	95,931	2,179
Silk, raw	,,	1,335	1,678	1,063	1,587
Sugar—Refined	,,	101,553	53,737	1,494	3,683
,, —Unrefined	,,	147,973	177,220	770	5,097
Tea (Indian)	lbs.	563,697	637,591	5,742 (c)	6,064 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	355,726	431,733	67,257	48,088
,, manufactured	,,	22,407	28,878	1,990	1,693

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (d)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
		April to July 1917	April to July 1916	April to July 1917	April to July 1916
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	26,686	38,616	63,721	65,162
,, ,, —Indian	,,	183	8,755	149,702	131,669
Cotton piece-goods—Foreign	Rs	7,81,09,806	7,88,93,949	8,15,86,084	8,99,86,655
,, ,, —Indian	,,	7,768	34,039	76,93,957	65,61,305
Kerosene oil (e)	Mds	1,630,733	1,888,094	1,940,043	2,038,840
Salt	,,	2,224,163	3,966,548	3,357,253	3,359,674
Gunny bags	No	.....	.....	35,033,676	32,647,538

(a) The imports by sea are imports from other Indian ports only, exclusive of foreign imports.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 28 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea (coastwise) only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	36,677	290,312	218,134	1,590	1,000	13,546	139	234,397	11,419,368	9	.....	.....
Birbhum	268,770	93,678	283,569	5,962	10	1,886	.....	290,927	.....	29	6	.....
Bankura	1,410	3,178	3,398	424	8	146	.....	3,971	.....	1	345	530
Midnapur	302,160	17,639	313,178	.....	16	2,023	24	315,241	1,441	38	96	7,137
Hooghly	230,348	84,070	282,892	.....	134	9,256	44	292,318	11,446	107	38,309	2,98,549
24-Parganas	619,914	79,563	669,641	101	.....	5,585	469	675,796	20,836	328	34,951	2,38,200
Nadia	39,866	1,140	40,079	26,182	.....	363,364	1,190	430,735	.....	404	254	26,074
Murshidabad	98,141	13	98,148	80,559	24	89,843	9,738	308,311	.....	17	14	.....
Jessore	5,730	.....	5,730	1,175	.....	89,507	942	97,355	.....	381	...	.....
Khulna	1,671	43,745	29,012	415	.....	8,321	499	38,247	.....	153	4	2,435
Rajshahi	67	.....	67	.....	.....	750	.....	817	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dinajpur	451	10,914	6,535	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,535	.....	3	.....	265
Jalpaiguri	424	116	496	.....	.....	.....	.....	496	.....	.....	.....	424
Darjeeling	18	101	81	.....	.....	13	.....	94	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3,416	157	3,514	.....	.....	49	.....	3,563	.....	1,309	6	.....
Bogra	398	3,690	3,604	.....	2	14	.....	3,620	.....	1	10	265
Pabna	66	.....	66	19,815	12	1,394	.....	21,287	.....	4	9	584
Malda	290	.....	290	28,501	1,514	1,106	121	31,532	.....	.....	4	.....
Cooch Behar	20	99	82	.....	.....	588	.....	670	.....	1	.....	.....
Dacca	28	112	93	39	.....	1,964	.....	2,096	.....	6,702	.....	3,789
Mymensingh	433	.....	433	.....	.....	869	.....	1,302	.....	89	24	2,880
Faridpur	24	.....	24	27,100	109	20,481	167	57,834	.....	510	132	674
Bakarganj	89,765	6	89,769	.....	.....	70	135	89,974	.....	5	18	473
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	109	339	446	.....	3	1	.....	449	.....	2	.....	.....
Noakhali	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	11	337
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	.....	55	.....	9,851	.....	2,789
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,913
Total of Bengal ...	1,629,501	556,366	1,978,564	191,363	3,866	590,145	13,469	2,806,907	11,452,651	20,224	69,193	5,80,178
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Bihar and Orissa ...	225,967	38,588	262,604	977,886	1,960	538,344	74,059	1,855,853	15,319,147	873	467	13,467
Assam	97	11	104	59	4	377	.....	544	.....	1,170	184	4,741
U. P. of Agra and Oudh.	5,059	... ...	5,059	2,387,943	55,609	779,062	9,318	3,236,990	.....	4,967	7,570	1,82,200
Punjab	4,997	.....	4,997	12,734	24,833	1,962	219	44,761	.....	1,255	116	5,709
Sind and British Baluchistan.	4	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	... ...	.....	.....
Central Provinces and Berar.	26,576	2,637	28,324	889,970	... ...	57,866	1,959	958,019	.....	8,480	11,569	7,87,583
Bombay	29,436	... ...	29,436	1,944	... ...	15	.....	31,395	.....	16,613	61,396	1,04,89,700
Madras	18,916	396	19,184	795	244	1,727	883	22,813	.....	14,944	12,000	2,50,853
Burma	473,806	6,981	477,481	.....	.....	19,988	93,179	590,561	.....	6,481	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India.	1,306	.....	1,306	99,564	27	25 404	1,536	127,837	.....	188	1,099	1,67,087
Nizam's Territory ...	66	.....	66	.....	.....	3,218	.....	3,284	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,106	65,633
GRAND TOTAL 1917	2,415,541	636,269	2,806,359	4,542,757	85,583	2,048,608	194,603	9,678,460	30,668,026	75,001	167,074	1,34,47,351
GRAND TOTAL 1916	4,437,849	1,036,533	5,085,582	1,790,098	80,983	1,931,208	253,713	9,131,584	53,585 865	65,916	115,828	1,38,89,415
GRAND TOTAL 1915	9,070,131	2,715,078	10,767,084	3,230,219	88,274	1,874,123	313,108	16,272,776	35,639,464	65,811	182,443	80,19,123

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise)
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

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Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the four months of April to July, 1917.

Indigo	JUTE Raw(d)	JUTE Gunny-bags(e)	Lac	OILSEEDS Linseed	OILSEEDS Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	SUGAR Refined	SUGAR Unrefined	Tea, Indian	TOBACCO Unmanufactured	TOBACCO Manufactured	Whence Imported
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	102	57,148	46	1,199	1,562	4	.....	1,284	3	28	.....	Burdwan
.....	.....	23,988	384	496	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	Birbhum
.....	.....	11,767	79	.....	377	.....	.....	11	.....	131	18	Bankura
.....	316	89,846	93	3,354	...	18	.....	19,102	17	37	29	Midnapur
.....	5,863	47,100,856	19	1,217	560	3	23	23,403	.....	3,836	2,916	Hooghly
...	35,187	97,020,411	.....	632	.....	.....	5,426	27,981	.....	1,887	3,519	24-Parganas
...	5,446	134,615	.....	33,739	442	29	32	6,816	.....	6,104	146	Nadia
.....	7,012	7,339	876	15,123	...	937	.....	33	.....	.....	.....	Murshidabad
.....	4,736	51,824	.....	1,318	.....	.....	.....	29,502	.....	934	3	Jessore
.....	5,673	11,334	.....	1,875	.....	.....	100	9,660	.....	91	.....	Khulna
.....	14,871	1,899	.....	1,134	98	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	Rajshahi
.....	5,857	113,078	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,356	.....	Dinajpur
.....	15,882	19,709	.....	.....	967	.....	.....	.....	166,397	28,989	.....	Jalpaiguri
.....	413	131	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,152	.....	.....	Darjeeling
.....	99,591	50,799	.....	59	589	.....	2	11	339	73,963	2	Rangpur
.....	26,782	5,699	.....	196	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	Bogra
.....	27,626	6,939	.....	2,799	4,362	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Pabna
.....	2,366	1,107	.....	1,089	1,074	135	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Malda
.....	18,554	346	...	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	7,315	27,871	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	195,586	19,475	.....	1,076	48	.....	29	284	.....	.....	3	Dacca
.....	79,387	15,826	.....	1,785	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	450	.....	Mymensingh
.....	46,338	25,010	.....	349	146	.....	.....	400	.....	.....	6	Faridpur
.....	444	10,866	.....	631	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	1	Bakarganj
.....	13,260	32,131	.....	4,133	.....	.....	.....	.....	804	.....	.....	Tippera including Hill Tippera
.....	226	.....	.....	1,828	.....	.....	.....	... ..	... ...	.....	... ..	Noakhali
.....	28	8,091	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	.....	4	Chittagong
.....	.....	5,075	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....	Chittagong Pts
.....	531,434	144,843,231	1,479	73,535	10,090	1,141	5,813	118,347	239,499	149,034	6,644	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
885	5,954	113,162	138,815	196,419	62,867	10	206	16,819	783	103,068	11,861	Bihar and Orissa
.....	25,920	268,188	4,842	14,296	66,719	60	85	607	227,878	30	9	Assam
378	.....	42,927	66,507	106,526	680,643	.....	1,244	2,197	74	316	296	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	2,378	.....	.....	291,909	.....	1	.....	80	16	.....	Punjab
.....	.....	491	.....	.....	24,713	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	3	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.....	58,101	11,342	1,186	100,070	.....	.....	.....	5	585	45	Central Provinces and Berar
.....	.....	2,410	.....	.....	4,792	124	856	1	16	9,664	311	Bombay
80	.....	30,185	1,491	103	37,039	.....	61,234	7,039	2,365	88,763	261	Madras
1	....	6,850	1,480	... ..	... ..	.....	61,804	4,571	111	4,468	1,023	Burma
.....	.....	3,813	4,044	1,454	145,678	.....	.....	2	6	196	.....	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,361	Mysore
1,261	613,306(f)	145,577,615	232,750	693,521	1,426,520	1,336	141,563	147,978	563,597	856,796	29,407	1917
1,396	534,496	128,574,779	206,964	2,042,742	1,895,666	1,878	53,737	177,320	637,591	431,753	28,875	1916 (GRAND TOTAL)
536	1,363,562	100,870,023	218,126	1,530,183	1,344,718	1,495	40,234	160,972	717,791	235,758	29,822	1915

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 690,344 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 18,061 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.
(f) Of this, 346,791 bales came by rail, 248,426 bales by river, 12,609 bales by road, and 5,419 bales by sea.

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July, 1917.

Routes			Food-grains: Rice	Food-grains: Paddy (a)	Food-grains: Wheat	Food-grains: Wheat flour	Food-grains: Gram and pulse	Food-grains: Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
			Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway		323,884	365,588	3,479,093	82,747	1,338,036	75,057	21,738,486	7,896	9,163	3,26,935	1,083
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		339,357	78 068	140,816	114	396,489	14,197	2,442,021	1,331	47,104	59,71,289	197
	A.-B Railway		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	118	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway		301,113	36,139	892,654	648	67,940	2,442	6,457,617	30,545	65,096	55,98,155	.....
	D.-S. Railway		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	624	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways		459	1 066	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	7	13,101	.....
,, river steamer			74,500	1,811	13,069	1,887	27,217	9,116	.....	11,468	217	18,890	.....
,, boat			567,185	119,044	17,125	137	193,643	150	189	8,011	33,773	2,09,800	.....
,, road			314,073	13,820	.....	.....	5,318	469	26,713	309	12,597	3,96,648	.....
,, sea			505,320	11,748	.....	.....	19 965	93,173	.....	15,494	.....	.....	451
Total		1917	2,415,541	626,269	4,542,757	85,533	2,048,608	194,603	30,863,026	75,001	167,974	1,24,47,251	1,281
		1916	4,437,849	1,036,533	1,790,098	80,963	1,921,208	253,713	38,558,865	63,916	118,825	1,38,80,415	1,395
		1915	9,070,131	2,715,078	3,230,219	88,274	1,874,123	213,106	35,639,464	68,311	132,443	80,19,123	536

Routes			Jute: Raw(d)	Jute: Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Oilseeds: Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured
			Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway		30,110	168,551	103,925	603,667	1,236,592	632	623	16,150	361	58,703	6,133
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		326,494	1,462,839	13,844	54,003	13,703	305	2	28,220	234,832	245,659	159
	A.-B. Railway		84	107,543	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	54,631	.....	.....
	B.-N Railway		3,100	225,500	109,245	4,858	130,884	90	33,578	11,604	2,886	30,029	2,843
	D.-S. Railway		.....	1,107	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	55,358	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways		53	22,468	.....	24	.....	.....	1	11	.....	16	12
,, river steamer			202,352	294,544	974	19,174	56,637	274	1,072	1,102	213,525	3,729	5,690
,, boat			42,944	141,416,033	.....	11,444	754	.....	354	59,205	.....	9,741	130
,, road			13,602	1,670,102	.....	331	.....	.....	5,325	30,532	.....	3,378	6,203
,, sea			5,419	8,988	4,706	.....	.....	25	70,699	849	114	4,471	1,164
Total		1917	613,208	145,377,649	232,760	693,521	1,438,530	1,335	101,553	147,973	563,697	355,726	23,407
		1916	624,496	125,574,779	206,964	2,042,742	1,899,566	1,678	53,727	177,230	637,591	431,733	28,876
		1915	1,463,562	100,670,023	218,124	1,525,163	1,344,718	1,495	40,264	160,022	717,791	233,758	29,832

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block which are 690,344 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 16,061 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coast-wise) in the four months of April to July 1917

		Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries		28,621	.....	7,80,45,824	.....	380,008	2,112,486
Coastwise—							
From British Ports in—							
Bihar and Orissa		.....	27	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay		.....	146	4,200	.....	.....	10,084
Madras		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	101,612
Burma		235	10	60,282	7,768	1,260,726	.....
	Total	235	183	64,482	7,768	1,260,726	111,696
Grand Total	1917	28,856	183	7,81,09,806	7,768	1,620,732	2,224,182
	1916	38,618	8,795	7,88,93,969	34,029	1,688,094	3,[illegible],548
	1915	53,031	13,222	7,13,83,684	65,055	2,003,010	4,962,209

* Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the four months of April to July, 1917.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs.	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	70	.....	70	.....	27	17	4	118	... ..	.....	490	340
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	721	.....	721	11,434	.....	1,134	.....
Bombay ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	.....	.....	.....	263	12	46,127	.....	46,402	313,328	.....	729	25,500
Burma	4,974	.....	4,974	13,785	94,275	119,038	11,382	243,454	9,930 853	425	22,384	16,23,233
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondicherry ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,657	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	5,044	.....	5,044	14,048	94,314	165,903	11,386	290,695	3,313,272	425	24,737	15,49,073
To Foreign countries †	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,433,030	24,374	13,156	90,489
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	5,044‡	.. ...‡	5,044‡	14,048‡	94,314‡	165,903‡	11,386‡	290,695‡	7,746,302	24,799	37,893	15,89,562
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	26,443	.....	26,443	52,210	70,016	155,387	9,661	313,817	11,633,684	40,346	29,308	4,04,089
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	82,454	5,365	87,745	53,330	89,260	161,632	11,046	403,013	15,091,820	46,533	31,777	4,39,101

	Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea (Indian)	TOBACCO	
		Raw	Gunny bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	...	.....	386	.. ...	.....	.....	.. ...	679	198	1	167	8
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	18,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	339	.....	.....	274	69
Bombay ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	272	.....	.....
Madras ...	...	.....	602,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	490	.....	.....
Burma ...	...	50	7,494,557	26	8	324	54	356	574	4,979	66,816	1,919
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondicherry ...	...	.....	4,500	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	...	50	8,120,093	26	8	324	54	1,464	770	5,742	67,257	1,990
To Foreign countries.†	13,194	217,587	... ..	148,824	290,748	95,607	1,009	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	13,194	217,587	8,120,093‡	148,850	290,756	95,931	1,063	1,464‡	770‡	5,742‡	67,257‡	1,990‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	5,580	459,203	8,509,200	262,208	1,498,872	2,179	1,587	3,682	5,097	6,084	48,068	1,603
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	1,760	758,263	16,735,127	225,314	1,373,646	1,328	1,152	7,878	4,001	5,220	56,640	3,021

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny-bags, sugar, tea and tobacco, as also of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued
‡ Represents trade by sea—coastwise only

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the four months of April to July, 1917.

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
Bengal.	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	149	3,954	17,03,664	73,952	472,135	17,633	43,801	61,619
Birbhum	56	4,659	6,64,732	27,878	215,908	73	16,473	33 945
Bankura	275	2,808	3,19,063	691	1,435	69	.....	13,217
Midnapur	4,134	6,064	8,79,197	1,10,139	67,666	896	35,943	107,376
Hooghly	1,380	124	6,57,821	93,000	201,109	20,196	88,896	68,865
24-Parganas	1,141	1,867	5,24,038	2,23,395	390,935	40,641	81,131	97,899
Nadia	1,493	10,079	19,85,296	1,36,822	237,581	1,055	84,492	78,592
Murshidabad	339	3,992	13,63,174	22,617	171,147	51	43,317	103,744
Jessore	1,476	3,378	10,86,904	1,04,249	31,447	3,114	21,801	64,748
Khulna	1,526	777	4,58,591	81,099	23,739	14,731	42,767	56,660
Rajshahi	27	409	8,72,295	1,37,717	27,552	3,230	7,286	31,317
Dinajpur	46	748	8,10,088	85,595	97,129	376	24,495	51,931
Jalpaiguri	78	1,000	8,29,286	78,997	77,202	6,634	25,162	45,433
Darjeeling	12	1,240	6,84,938	60,274	17,807	168	15,041	30,941
Rangpur	207	601	26,56,690	1,65,794	61,131	5,277	42,314	123,916
Bogra	540	448	12,96,896	2,03,246	19,557	106	24,022	49,149
Pabna	1,591	3,584	14,77,071	1,97,475	45,961	294	31,796	90,119
Malda	21	2,761	8,75,800	88,006	58,630	4	872	26,008
Cooch Behar	.....	219	5,65,575	26,658	29,192	1,037	10,234	22,980
Dacca	6,800	11,106	34,94,323	2,22,312	61,336	333	166,923	176,448
Mymensingh	2,545	2,432	9,23,043	10,48,305	17,343	189	39,688	102,992
Faridpur	6,160	994	9,62,125	1,36,164	89,011	4,277	33,995	101,247
Bakarganj	9,391	150	7,14,829	3,56,973	137,678	901	9,910	67,446
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	887	5,015	14,13,083	14,715	35,342	331	250	31,824
Noakhali	2,582	1,785	4,80,082	1,05,641	23,985	2	.....	419
Chittagong	2,411	328	2,40,650	53,233	52,480	264	.....	3,062
Chittagong Port	330	2,435	4,79,519	44,051	1,588	5	.....	23
Total of Bengal	45,867	73,247	2,83,48,657	38,99,688	2,868,695	123,929	862,519	1,632,902
Other Provinces and Places								
Bihar and Orissa	3,851	41,998	2,05,42,652	13,07,519	5,514,233	7,600	436,918	543,497
Assam	5,028	4,771	43,45,068	6,53,200	278,226	6,950	15,575	186,625
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	710	756	1,41,13,085	4,11,660	3,595,536	1,083	424,833	2,959
Punjab	3,345	1,062	93,96,018	14,606	5,159,071	4	31,825	4
Sind and British Baluchistan	33	.....	67,387	.....	1,480,592	.....	699	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	201	571	3,89,792	25,384	1,645,986	852	10,534	985
Bombay	1,575	324	22,67,919	4,486	5,021,844	.....	.....	.....
Madras	3,040	4,076	5,15,690	1,05,260	3,043,053	457	.....	244
Burma	7	22,384	7,42,189	15,23,233	7,494,557	.....	.....	35
Rajputana and Central India	37	23	4,22,580	31,025	910,692	498	13,722	...
Nizam's Territory	337	.....	2,31,212	5,036	115,210	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	...	94,095	.....	.....	.....
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	490	3,840	340	386	.....	69	1
Grand Total — 1917	63,721	149,702	8,15,86,084	78,81,457	35,033,676	141,350	1,798,693	2,357,252
Grand Total — 1916	65,162	131,869	6,99,86,655	65,61,305	32,647,538	172,720	1,955,120	3,369,674
Grand Total — 1915	98,129	139,583	6,80,16,963	49,07,943	33,323,377	211,766	1,777,382	2,700,377

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of Kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta in the four months of April to July, 1917, were 287,234 mds. as against 333,964 mds. and 354,708 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1916 and 1915, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the four months of April to July, 1917.

Routes			Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods			Kerosene oil		Salt
			Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian	Gunny-bags †	From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
			Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...		2,731	26,111	2,21,68,235	6,71,627	4,996,843	22,801	443,556	267,857
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway).		1,709	33,176	1 68,50,602	18,30,911	1,147,189	17,013	370,440	781,165
	A.-B. Railway ...		1,621	8,553	28,20,559	1,04,488	25,666	1,573	180	40,246
	B. N. Railway ...		2,088	29,888	20,35 420	1,51,928	1,437,665	4,899	6,327	236,905
	B. and N.-W. Railway		187	2,466	1,25,56,194	4,13,099	1,500,313	642	284,053	56,510
	O. and R. Railway ...		326	163	25,15,977	93,224	1,090,354	417	173,407	234
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways.		802	... ...	2,55,250	.....	10,004	2,012	.....	7,385
	N.-W. Railway ...		1,700	1,062	16,61,885	13,864	6,078,332	4	12,587	.....
	G. I. P. Railway ...		1,625	184	27,16 407	21,219	5,582,704	.....	9,189	]
	B. B. & C. I. Railway		75	168	2,84,078	159	832,054	.....	2,614	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ...		2,001	436	3,53,688	21,671	2,187,309	.....	.....	222
	S. I. Railway ...		...	...	6,367	473	253,175	.....	.....	.....
	J. B Railway ...		...	...	75,327	159	11,070	10	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ...		327	...	2,31,210	5,036	76,793	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways ...		31	18	1,11,965	44,002	87,494	1,218	13,163	9,961
„ river steamer			41,913	22,326	1,52,64,580	26,15,341	1,219,504	8,197	328,911	561,588
„ boat			5,282	321	4,35,180	76,700	87,810	31,676	145,008	832,984
„ road			476	194	5,41,822	2,66,533	329,855	50,686	2,651	53,638
„ sea			867	24,787	7,51,373	15,49,073	8,120,093	.....	6,611	8,536
Total ...		1917 ...	63,721	149,702	8,15,66,084	79,81,457	35,023,676	141,350	1,796,693	2,357,252
		1916 ...	65,162	131,669	6,99,86,655	65,61,305	32,647,538	172,730	1,856,120	3,359,674
		1915 ...	96,129	159,583	6,50,18,263	49,07,942	33,323 877	211,766	1,777,382	3,700,377

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards=1 bag.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,
The October 13, 1917.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 6th October 1917.

Date.	Time	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
30th Sept. 1917	At low tide.	63·9	Not connected with mean sea-level.	65·2	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
1st Oct „	Ditto	64·5		65·2	
2nd „ „	Ditto	64·7		65·2	
3rd „ „	Ditto	64·7		65·0	
4th „ „	Ditto	64·8		64·8	
5th „ „	Ditto	64·8		64·9	
6th „ „	Ditto	64·8		64·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st „	1911	68·46	
31st „	1912	67·16	
26th „	1914	66·7	
31st „	1915	69·7	
18th „	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th „	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th „	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th „	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 8th October 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for last 8 days of September 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period on 2,057 mean miles worked	398,220	(a)1,76,000	946,510	(b)1,26,480	(c)22,610	3,25,090	(f)37,470	(d)39,682	97,152
Or per mile of railway per week	169·39	74·87	402·62	53·80	9·62	138·29			
For previous 35 weeks of official half-year (g)	11,615,910	49,37,478	30,748,132	44,06,795	7,02,822	1,00,37,095	1,287,807	1,309,785	2,597,292
Total for the half-year	12,014,130	51,03,478	31,694,642	45,23,275	7,25,432	1,03 62,185	1,344,977	1,349,467	2,694,444
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period (8 days) of previous year on 2,065 miles open	509,365	1,72,629	1,030,000	1,55,580	29,548	3,57,747	69,593	(e)49,813	119,406
Per mile per week of corresponding period of previous year ...	216 84	73·15	436·44	65·92	12 52	151·59			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	14,043,994	52,67,453	31,902,488	42,29,763	7,30,572	1,02,27,788	1,651,963	1,396,076	2,948,039
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the period ...		3·06		3·18	·23	3·25			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·48		3·13	·25	3·00			

(a) Increase in amount was due to enhancement of fares this year. Decrease in numbers was general and the average lead was slightly longer.
(b) Foreign goods traffic decreased, local traffic increased, but the lead was much reduced.
(c) Decrease mainly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 1,577 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 7,616 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.
(g) Includes audited figures up to the 31st July 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total Traffic for the last 8 days	701,280	3,42,750 0 0	2,695,780 0	4,29,910 0 0	42,760 0 0	(f)8,15,420 0 0	94 045	(e) 64.755	158 800
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 392	(a) 192 0 0	1,497 0	239 0 0	(c) 19 0 0	(c)443 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 26 weeks of half-year(d) ...	15,873,822	76,76,811 0 0	57,904,638 0	67,90.948 0 0	10,39,189 0 0	1,55,06,948 0 0	3,129,742	1,306,621	4,436,363
Total for 26 weeks ...	16,574,102	80,19,561 0 0	60,600.418 0	72,20,858 0 0	10,81,949 0 0	1,63,22 368 0 0	3,223,787	1,371,376	4,595,163
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	809,938	3.51,638 0 0	3,601.571 0	3,72,102 0 0	51,296 0 0	9,75,036 0 0	113,857	70 996	184,853
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 451	(b) 196 0 0	1,936 0	207 0 0	28 0 0	519 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	17,548,319	77,98,351 0 0	65.463,316 0	86,74 857 0 0	9.41,378 0 0	1.74,14,586 0 0	3.647,034	1,478,983	4,126.017

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 58 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings Rs. 8,050.
(d) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(e) Including ballast train-miles, 11,080.
(f) Decrease is chiefly due to jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A F.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	57,530	19,920 0 0	148,530 0	10,340 0 0	4,020 0 0	34,280 0 0	5,991	(b) 5,783	9,774
Per mile of railway per week	434	150 0 0	1,120 0	78 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a 230 0 0			
For previous 26 weeks of half-year (c).	1,435,225	4,80,405 0 0	2,338,953 0	1,37,237 0 0	78,163 0 0	6,95.705 0 0	163,394	63,265	226,659
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,492,755	5,0 ,225 0 0	3,487,483 0	1,47,577 0 0	82,183 0 0	7,30,985 0 0	167,385	69,048	236,433
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	82,011	29,893 0 0	271.582 0	11,646 0 0	3,431 0 0	44,970 0 0	7,942	3,496	11,438
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (119 mean mileage worked)	603	220 0 0	1,997 0	85 0 0	4 0 0	309	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	1,464,844	4.75,311 0 0	3,428,531 0	1,96,566 0 0	63,771 0 0	7,35,648 0 0	176,288	57,061	233.349

(a) Excluding Bahadurbad ferry earnings Rs. 5,300.
(b) Including ballast train-miles 600.
(c) Audited figures to end of July 1917.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	7,620	2,900 0 0	35,580 0	2,450 0 0	30 0 0	5,380 0 0	928	(a)169	1,098
Per mile of railway per week	202	77 0 0	944 0	65 0 0	1 0 0	143 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b)	141,788	63,215 0 0	909,179 0	61,164 0 0	697 0 0	1,25,076 0 0	23,329	7,677	31,009
Total for 26 weeks ...	149,408	66,115 0 0	944,759 0	63 614 0 0	727 0 0	1,30,456 0 0	24,260	7,837	32,097
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	(c) 9,745	2,602 0 0	42,520 0	5,122 0 0	57 0 0	5,981 0 0	1,091	314	1,405
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	245	74 0 0	1,126 0	83 0 0	2 0 0	159 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	142,512	58,824 0 0	993,830 0	71,369 0 0	778 0 0	1,30,971 0 0	25,003	8,930	33,933

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	19,080	5,920 0 0	180,580 0	8,730 0 0	40 0 0	14,690 0 0	1,472	(a) 1,903	3,375
Per mile of railway per week	297	93 0 0	2,353 0	136 0 0	1 0 0	230 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b)	434,726	1,41,391 0 0	2,468,162 0	1,22,386 0 0	738 0 0	2,64,515 0 0	41,703	25,883	67,586
Total for 26 weeks ...	453,755	1,47 311 0 0	2,618,742 0	1,31,116 0 0	778 0 0	2,79,205 0 0	43,175	27,686	70,861
Total for 13 weeks of calendar half-year(b).	219,278	69,146 0 0	1,294,639 0	71,409 0 0	444 0 0	1,40,993 0 0	21,215	13,811	35,026
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	21,703	6,326 0 0	(c)289,858 0	8 680 0 0	53 0 0	15,058 0 0	1,983	1,598	3,581
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (54 mean mileage worked).	352	102 0 0	4,697 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	244 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	435 657	1,35,615 0 0	2,821,940 0	1,32,455 0 0	880 0 0	2,68,950 0 0	40,375	26,907	77,282
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	207,131	60,457 0 0	2,387,617 0	89,900 0 0	483 0 0	1,50,820 0 0	24,439	16,907	41,346

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
(c) Includes certain adjustments.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	7,570	2,810 0 0	53,860 0	4,520 0 0	30 0 0	7,360 0 0	1,360	(a)1,129	2,489
Per mile of Railway per week	135	46 0 0	889 0	75 0 0	1 0 0	122 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year (b)	179,858	67,565 0 0	788,604 0	57,617 0 0	514 0 0	1,25,696 0 0	19,485	8,904	28,389
Total for 26 weeks ...	187,428	70,375 0 0	842,464 0	62,137 0 0	544 0 0	1,33,056 0 0	20,845	10,033	30,878
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	6,678	2,826 0 0	76,745 0	6,113 0 0	22 0 0	8,961 0 0	1,475	752	2,227
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	152	50 0 0	1,344 0	107 0 0	.....	157 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	94,807	29,158 0 0	816,545 0	57,781 0 0	348 0 0	87,287 0 0	17,849	8,375	26,224

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.
N.B.—Decrease in goods earnings is chiefly due to decrease in jute traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	38,747	63,101 0 0	326,212 0	62,189 0 0	12,845 0 0	1,38,135 0 0	17,651	21,058	38,709
Of per mile of railway ...	.....	71·71	.....	69·67	14·39	155·77	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year.	2,304,626	14,05,976 0 0	10,115,696 0	16,61,902 0 0	3,23,640 0 0	33,90,818 0 0	382,467	457,428	839,895
Total for 26 weeks ...	2,343,373	14,69,077 0 0	10,441,908 0	17,24,391 0 0	3,36,485 0 0	34,28,953 0 0	400,118	478,486	878,604
COMPARISON.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	114,831	65,130 0 0	635,959 0	1,02,784 0 0	19,065 0 0	1,86,979 0 0	17,841	24,426	42,267
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	81·31	.....	124·89	22·37	229·57	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	2,488,753	13,56,908 0 0	12,456,516 0	18,03,228 0 0	3,87,815 0 0	34,47,951 0 0	442,478	518,861	961,339

(a) Calculated on 828 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY SYSTEM (INCLUDING M. B. B. RAILWAY).

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 937·17 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 31·28 miles for goods traffic only

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	100,615	67,411 0 0	343 465 0	64,629 0 0	12,845 0 0	1,44,881 0 0	18,908	21,649	40,557
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	71·91	.....	66·71	13·26	151·88	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year	2,355,342	14,24,754 0 0	10,207 309 0	16,75,039 0 0	2,23,640 0 0	33,23,433 0 0	386,811	459,468	846,279
Total for 26½ weeks ...	2,455,957	14,92,165 0 0	10,550,774 0	17,39,654 0 0	2,36,485 0 0	34,68,304 0 0	405,719	481,117	886,836
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	114,931	65,130 0 0	635,959 0	1,02,784 0 0	19,065 0 0	1,86,979 0 0	17,841	24,426	42,267
Per mile of railway ...	.....	81·31	.....	124·59	23·37	229·37	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	2,488,753	13,56,908 0 0	12,456,516 0	18,03,235 0 0	2,87,815 0 0	34,47,951 0 0	442,478	518,861	961,339

N. B.—M. B. B. Railway was opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles open for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 18·58 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days	12,182	4,310 0 0	18,289	2,436 0 0	.....	6,746 0 0	1,257	591	1,848
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	74·94	.....	33·01	.....	106·95	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	51,647	18,778 0 0	96,349	13,827 0 0	.....	32,605 0 0	4,344	2,040	6,384
Total for 6½ weeks ...	63,829	23,088 0 0	114,638	16,263 0 0	.....	39,351 0 0	5,601	2,631	8,232
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 2,650 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds s.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	665,647	7,21,360 0 0	9,595,546 0	(a) 15,47,598 0 0	38,970 0 0	23,07,928 0 0	177,783	360,670	538,453
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	272 3 5	.....	584 0 0	14 11 3	870 14 8	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year.	15,209,521	(b) 1,67,27,501 0 0	228,600,388 0	(c) 3,63,04,740 0 0	11,63,749 0 0	5,40,95,990 0 0	3,604,476	8,256,605	11,861,081
Total from 1st April ...	15,875,168	1,74,48,861 0 0	235,195,934 0	3,77,52,338 0 0	12,02,719 0 0	5,64,03,918 0 0	3,782,259	8,617,275	12,399,534
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	770,051	7,46,364 0 0	10,291,278 0	16,88,662 0 0	51,062 0 0	24,86,108 0 0	207,332	374,882	582,214
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	286 13 7	.....	648 15 9	19 10 0	955 7 4	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	19,327,529	1,58,59,682 14 0	246,470,630 0	3,78,19,722 9 1	7,97,930 13 5	5,44,77,336 4 6	4,536,457	8,582,329	13,118,786

(a) The decrease is both in merchandise general and coal.

(b) Deducted Rs. 3,60,000 on account of rebate on exported coal, and raw materials to Kulti for the half-year ended 30th September 1917.
" " 2,20,000 reserved for payments to G. I. P. and B. B. and C. I. Railways for coal carried *viâ* Dawnpore, Agra and Katni, respectively, but booked *viâ* Jubbulpore (G. I. P. Railway).
" " 39,000 on account of excess included in previous returns.

(c) " " 1,43,000 on account of rent of joint stations and shunting charges creditable to expenditure for the half-year ended 30th September 1917.
" " 19,000 " " " account of hire of vehicles interchanged.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A P
*2,647	Month of April	2,611,631	25,14,754	44,631,398	70,94,650	1,45,771	97,55,175	853	2,123,358	4 9 6
*2,647	" " May	2,706,724	30,86,850	43,043,827	71,59,941	2,30,387	1,04,77,178	887	2,189,849	4 14 4
*2,651	" " June	2,960,113	33,51,513	42,498,103	68,14,605	2,51,800	98,17,917	861	2,089,410	4 11 2
*2,650	" " July	2,634,290	30,07,859	35,337,122	60,21,940	2,03,031	92,31,830	791	2,036,885	4 8 10
2,649	First 4 days of Aug. ...	326,813	3,71,067	3,401,199	6,11,721	17,800	10,00,588	...	228,738	4 6 0
2,649	Week ended 11th " ...	545,463	6,06,870	6,190,018	10,01,950	33,700	16,42,320	820	391,168	4 3 2
2,649	" " 18th " ...	562,968	6,10,775	7,130,025	11,47,341	46,700	18,04,816	681	421,548	4 4 6
2,649	" " 25th " ...	537,035	5,75,673	7,506,985	13,11,234	79,700	19,66,607	742	443,126	4 7 0
2,650	" " 1st Sept. ...	569,266	7,13,080	8,601,669	14,62,948	93,570	22,70,598	857	482,466	4 11 4
2,650	" " 8th " ...	580,787	6,68,029	9,027,766	15,48,094	86,100	23,02,223	869	503,399	4 9 2
2,650	" " 15th " ...	612,695	6,68,104	9,494,644	16,23,417	52,100	23,43,621	884	502,722	4 10 7
*2,650	" " 22nd " ...	561,736	6,53,128	8,940,732	15,24,699	56,100	22,14,127	836	496,417	4 7 4
2,650	Last 8 days of " ...	665,647	7,21,360	9,595,546	15,47,598	38,970	23,07,928	762	538,453	4 6 7
	Special adjustments ...	.....	.....	.....	—6,19,000	1,62,000	—7,81,000	...	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	15,875,168	1,74,48,861	235,195,934	3,77,52,338	12,02,719	5,64,03,918	812	12,399,534	4 8 9

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,602	Month of April	2,117,023	25,73,533	45,010,471	71,32,946	8,946	97,15,424	871	2,223,449	4 5 11
2,602	" " May	2,332,780	29,58,783	42,933,761	68,59,667	—30,692	97,87,758	849	2,238,831	4 5 11
2,602	" " June	2,494,316	27,96,781	41,344,718	64,01,543	1,63,053	93,63,347	840	2,182,454	4 4 8
2,602	" " July	2,134,955	25,28,912	39,307,861	59,06,535	2,37,212	86,72,649	753	2,122,681	4 1 4
2,602	First 5 days of August	480,186	5,86,670	5,921,379	9,31,713	39,992	13,58,374	...	334,434	4 1 0
2,602	Week ended 12th " ...	681,668	8,44,762	8,887,117	13,91,407	81,983	20,18,151	776	482,110	4 3 0
2,602	" " 19th " ...	683,117	8,59,969	8,360,108	13,79,407	88,221	20,27,597	779	486,081	4 2 9
2,602	" " 26th " ...	621,443	8,37,993	8,558,318	14,16,806	94,460	20,51,259	798	509,442	4 0 5
2,602	" " 2nd Sept. ...	639,982	8,27,131	8,618,726	14,06,652	1,36,700	20,70,483	796	511,990	4 0 8
2,602	" " 9th " ...	638,795	8,31,843	9,443,901	15,30,061	1,19,490	21,81,023	838	511,446	4 4 3
2,602	" " 16th " ...	701,670	8,24,577	9,784,949	15,44,239	85,142	22,53,948	866	522,886	4 4 10
2,602	" " 23rd " ...	650,682	8,20,030	8,189,121	13,17,450	57,721	19,95,201	767	482,694	4 2 2
2,602	" " 30th " ...	675,871	8,58,607	8,930,100	14,75,337	50,366	21,84,310	840	509,998	4 4 8
	Special adjustments ...	.....	—1,576	.....	—8,76,020	—3,25,092	—12,02,688	.....	.....	.....
	Totals up to date ...	19,327,529	1,58,59,682	246,470,630	3,78,19,722	7,97,931	5,44,77,336	801	13,118,786	4 2 5

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	46,344	45,089 0 0	698,642 0	65 522 0 0	1,019 0 0	1,11,630 0 0	13,884	10,309	23,043
Or per mile of railway...	.....	231 3 7	.....	336 0 2	5 3 8	572 7 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year.	1,165,114	10,32,219 0 0	14,637,441 0	(a) 9,03,384 0 0	11,155 0 0	19,45,758 0 0	300,344	244,735	544,979
Total from 1st April ...	1,211,358	10,77,308 0 0	15,337,083 0	9,67,906 0 0	12,174 0 0	20,57,388 0 0	313,078	254,944	568,022
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	41,392	41,391 0 0	282,515 0	30,932 0 0	1,137 0 0	73,360 0 0	13,520	9,378	22,898
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	212 4 2	.....	158 1 10	5 12 8	376 3 8	.. ..	. ...	.....
Total from 1st April of previous year.	1,344,330	9,37,188 1 9	12,269,951 10	7,63,378 5 9	12,782 3 9	17,13,348 11 8	300 869	222,128	522,997

(a) Deducted Mds. 564,000 and deducted Rs. 19,000 on account of freight on D.-U.-K. Ry. Revenue coal and stores for the half-year ended 30th September 1917.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Men mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*195	Month of April ...	179,788	1,60,933	2,998,730	1,61,086	1,513	3,23,532	387	97,654	3 5 0
*195	,, ,, May ...	193,120	1,38,189	2,905,410	1,73,144	1,366	3,12,699	362	110,125	2 13 5
*195	,, ,, June ...	222 584	2,01,128	3,104,213	1,63,034	3,067	3,66,229	435	92,933	3 15 1
*195	,, ,, July ...	219,696	2,09,952	2,905,028	1,70,368	1,055	381,375	442	91,263	4 2 10
195	First 4 days of Aug. ...	28,352	23,820	105,262	9,405	194	33,419	...	10,980	3 0 8
195	Week ended 11th ,, ...	48,371	42,114	246,041	19,119	290	61,523	516	19,389	3 3 0
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	45,071	42,104	250,047	22,450	290	64,844	323	19,036	3 6 6
195	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	45,090	43,803	264,902	26,596	290	70,719	363	20,040	3 8 6
195	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	46,698	43,121	336,456	26,140	420	69,681	357	20,526	3 6 4
195	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	43,998	46,617	567,443	39,913	890	87,420	448	20,508	4 4 2
195	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	41,802	39,499	775,600	58,107	890	98,496	495	22,131	4 5 9
195	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	40,644	40,939	822,330	54,992	890	96,821	497	20,494	4 11 7
	Last 8 days of ,, ...	46,344	45,089	698,642	65,522	1,019	1,11,630	801	23,043	4 13 6
	Special adjustments ...	...	...	564,000	—19,000	...	—19,000	...	...	...
	Totals up to date ...	1,211,358	10,77,308	15,337,083	9,67,906	12,174	20,57,388	404	568 022	3 9 11

* Audited figures.

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	Month of April ...	203,081	1,62,986	2,332,949	1,41,217	1,184	3,05,387	365	85,803	3 9 11
195	,, ,, May ...	230,952	1,64,087	2,068,088	1,41,340	1,162	3,06,629	355	86,809	3 9 2
195	,, ,, June ...	233,117	1,49,866	2,403,641	1,43,840	2,411	2,95,717	354	86,607	3 7 3
195	,, ,, July ...	203,161	1,52,715	1,891,080	1,00,269	1,330	2,54,984	296	83,064	3 0 0
195	First 5 days of Aug. ...	33,098	25,760	296,003	14,958	264	40,982	...	13,987	2 14 11
195	Week ended 12th ,, ...	48,198	34,342	441,490	22,645	317	57,304	294	20,190	2 13 7
195	,, ,, 19th ,, ...	45,945	36,938	443,569	24,049	317	61,324	314	19,763	3 1 8
195	,, ,, 26th ,, ...	42,960	32,065	645,119	32,608	317	64,990	333	19,355	3 5 9
195	,, ,, 2nd Sept. ...	43,541	35,016	672,098	37,822	556	73,404	376	22,321	3 2 4
195	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	43,319	37,564	519,081	39,863	1,091	78,517	403	21,056	3 11 8
195	,, ,, 16th ,, ...	39,836	38,399	394,289	36,114	1,091	75,604	348	22,197	3 6 6
195	,, ,, 23rd ,, ...	36,174	33,270	234,336	25,927	1,091	60,288	309	20,979	2 14 0
195	,, ,, 30th ,, ...	34,748	34,808	229,218	27,097	1,091	62,996	332	19,936	3 2 4
	Special adjustments ...	...	—148	...	—34,330	...	—34,478	...	...	...
	Totals up to date ...	1,344,330	9,37,188	12,269,951	7,63,379	12,781	17,13 348	336	522.997	3 4 5

JHIND-PANIPAT EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	9,258	2,312 0 0	15,641 0	834 0 0	11 0 0	3,157 0 0	1,048	349	1,397
Or per mile of railway ...	.. ...	52 8 9	.....	18 15 3	0 4 0	71 12 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year	216,318	54,537 0 0	455,881 0	27,731 0 0	327 0 0	82,595 0 0	22,998	8,672	31,670
Total from 1st April ...	225,576	56,849 0 0	451,522 0	28,565 0 0	338 0 0	85,752 0 0	24,046	9,021	33,067

1917-18. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for first half of 1917-18.*

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
*44	Month of April	29,151	6,041	63,509	1,296	49	7,386	39	5,236	1 6 7
*44	,, of May ...	41,353	10,543	76,710	4,334	81	14,957	77	5,921	2 8 5
*44	,, of June ...	40,896	10,856	102,855	9,521	60	20,437	108	5,259	3 14 2
*44	,, of July ...	38,236	10,349	71,981	4,582	61	14,992	77	6,003	2 8 0
44	First 4 days of Aug. ...	4,795	1,346	10,096	411	6	1,763	...	897	2 8 6
44	Week ended 11th ,, ...	8,687	2,378	13,991	909	10	3,297	75	1,322	2 11 2
44	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	7,952	2,004	14,844	876	10	2,890	66	1,322	2 5 10
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	9,274	2,418	15,457	1,094	10	3,522	80	1,322	2 14 1
44	,, ,, 1st Sept. ...	13,814	2,782	7,928	392	10	3,184	72	1,322	2 9 8
44	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	9,851	2,267	13,380	1,012	10	3,289	75	1,322	2 11 1
44	,, ,, 15th ,, ...	6,531	1,781	25,857	1,990	10	3,781	86	1,322	2 1 6
44	,, ,, 22nd ,, ...	6,798	1,773	20,373	1,314	10	3,097	70	1,322	2 8 7
44	Last 8 days of ,, ...	9,288	2,313	15,641	834	11	3,157	63	1,397	2 4 2
	Totals up to date ...	225,576	56 849	451,522	28,565	338	85,752	75	33,067	2 9 6

* Audited figures

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for period ending 30th September 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,931	13,502 0 0	42,064 0	15,602 0 0	104 0 0	29,208 0 0	2,887	3,076	5,963
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	265 0 0	.....	306 0 0	2 0 0	573 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	1,15,175½	3,24,321 0 0	678,437 0	2,83,365 0 0	4,314 0 0	6,11,900 0 0	62,716	89,755	1,52,471
Total traffic up to 30th September 1917 ...	1,21,106½	3,37,823 0 0	720,501 0	2,98,967 0 0	4,418 0 0	6,41,108 0 0	65,603	92,831	1,58,434
(183 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	254 0 0	.....	224 0 0	3 0 0	481 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	6,382	22,364 0 0	39,146 0	18,302 0 0	1,920 0 0	42,486 0 0	4,009	3,399	7,408
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	438 0 0	.....	357 0 0	38 0 0	833 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,22,419	3,59,214 0 0	849,900 0	3,59,343 0 0	6,331 0 0	7,24,888 0 0	74,787	97,136	1,71,923
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	269 0 0	.....	270 0 0	5 0 0	544 0 0	... ..	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week		— 8,862		— 2,600	— 1,916	— 13,378			
Difference up to date		— 21,391		— 60,476	— 1,913	— 83,780			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is in local and Foreign passengers and Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Iron, Sugar and Tea traffic.
The traffic during this month has not been satisfactory. The audited earning for the half-year might reach Rs. 6,45,000.
The total up-to-date decrease in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers, Military baggage and Parcel traffic.
The up-to-date decrease in Goods is mainly in tea, grains of all sorts, flour and attah, iron and salt.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for period ending 30th September 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,826	2,707 0 0	20,938 0	2,523 0 0	22 0 0	5,252 0 0	647	1,409	2,056
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	39 0 0	.....	36 0 0	.....	75 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	1,40,457	61,844 0 0	401,916 0	35,575 0 0	632 0 0	98,049 0 0	16,007	39,859	55,866
Total traffic up to 30th September 1917	1,45,313	64,551 0 0	422,854 0	38,098 0 0	654 0 0	1,03,301 0 0	16,654	41,268	57,922
(182 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ..	8,946	2,822 0 0	23,357 0	1,663 0 0	33 0 0	4,418 0 0	1,133	947	2,080
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	40 0 0	.....	23 0 0	1 0 0	63 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	1,58,751	53,494 0 0	385,979 0	31,549 0 0	645 0 0	85,688 0 0	24,077	26,762	50,839
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	29 0 0	.....	17 0 0	1 0 0	47 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week ...		— 115		+ 960	— 11	+ 834			
Difference up to date ...		+ 11,357		+ 6,547	+ 9	+ 17,613			

The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Potato traffic.
The traffic on this section during September 1917 has not improved. It is hoped that the audited earnings for the half-year will reach Rs. 1,05,000.
The up-to-date increase in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The up-to-date increase in Goods is mainly in Rice and Wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for period ending 30th September 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	771	478 0 0	2,886 0	576 0 0	4 0 0	1,058 0 0	227	275	502
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	16 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	35 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of the half-year	15,449	10,686 0 0	271,466 0	39,028 0 0	208 0 0	49,927 0 0	5,067	13,545	20,982
Total traffic up to 30th September 1917	16,220	11,174 0 0	274 052 0	39,599 0 0	212 0 0	50,985 0 0	5,314	16,120	21,434
(183 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	....	51 0 0	.....	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year .	411½	590 0 0	1,414 0	—33 0 0	10 0 0	547 0 0	107	90	197
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	20 0 0	.....	—2 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	14,078	10,343 0 0	188,269 0	28 977 0 0	462 0 0	45,782 0 0	5,414	9,709	15,123
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	13 0 0	.....	42 0 0	1 0 0	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES :—Difference for the week		— 113		+ 630	— 6	+ 511			
Difference up to date		+ 831		+ 5,022	— 250	+ 7,203			

The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Cardamom traffic
As last year this line was breached no the traffic during the month of September 1917 is good in comparison. It is expected that the audited earnings during this half year might reach to Rs. 52,000.
The up-to-date increase in Coaching is mainly in local passengers and parcel traffic.
The up-to-date increase in Goods is mainly in flour and atta, cement and wool traffic.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days of September.	7,300	3,140 0 0	40 028 0	5,893 0 0	(a)363 0 0	8,396 0 0	592	(d) 654	1,246
Or per mile of Railway per week.	...	52 0 0	...	148 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 196 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 26 weeks of half-year.*	175,336	49,708 0 0	1,931,583 0	2,59,695 0 0	10,617 0 0	3,20,020 0 0	13,685	21,746	35,431
Total for 26 weeks ...	182,636	51,948 0 0	1,971,611 0	2,65,588 0 0	10,980 0 0	3,28,416 0 0	14,277	22,400	36,677
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year.	7,415	3,388 0 0	75,829 0	13,986 0 0	(b)530 0 0	15,804 0 0	657	(e)737	1,394
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	55 0 0	...	216 0 0	7 0 0	(e 378 0 0	..	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	185,216	50,527 0 0	2 058,270 0	2,69,833 0 0	12,908 0 0	3 33,268 0 0	14,056	24,017	38,073

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 340.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 247.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles Nil.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 75.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of July 1917.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the last 8 days of September 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the last 8 days of September.	15,922	4,815 0 0	81,816 0	10,052 0 0	21 0 0	14,889 0 0	2,188	(a) 3,178	5,366
Or per mile of Railway per week.	...	36 0 0	...	75 0 0	...	111 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 25 weeks of half-year.*	372,542	1,20,701 0 0	2,765,068 0	3,81,002 0 0	7,407 0 0	5,09,110 0 0	48,566	94,852	143,418
Total for 26 weeks ...	388,464	1,25,516 0 0	2,834,886 0	3,91,055 0 0	7,428 0 0	5,23,999 0 0	50,749	98,025	148,774
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding 8 days of previous year.	17,689	5,361 0 0	122,785 0	20,417 0 0	252 0 0	26,230 0 0	1,715	(b)4,435	6,150
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	41 0 0	...	158 0 0	2 0 0	196 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	381,397	1,18,721 0 0	2,794,451 0	4,16,385 0 0	5,709 0 0	5,40,815 0 0	48,736	91,946	140,372

(a) Ballast train-miles, 864.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,323.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of July 1917.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2999.—His Excellency the Governor will leave Darjeeling at 9 A.M. on the 1st November 1917, and after visiting Namchi, Kewsing, Pemionchi, Temi and Rangpo, will arrive in Kalimpong on the 7th idem. He will leave Kalimpong Road by special train at 4 P.M. on the 10th November and arrive in Calcutta at 11-45 A.M. (standard time) on the 11th.

The party accompanying His Excellency will be:—

(1) Mr. W. R. Gourlay, C.I.E., I.C.S., Private Secretary (from Kalimpong).

(2) Captain D. Balfour, Extra Aide-de-Camp.

His Excellency's arrivals at and departures from all places will be private.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary, Bengal.

DARJEELING, *22nd October 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5139A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2404A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.*—Mr. Satis Chandra Mukerjee, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2425A.D.—The 3rd October 1917.—Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Jessore.

Hooghly.
Jessore.

No. 2646A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—The orders of the 7th August 1917, transferring Babu Abani Chandra Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, temporarily to the Bagerhat subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Khulna.

No. 2666A.D.—The 16th October 1917.—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 2694A.D.—The 19th October 1917.—Rai Suresh Chandra Sinha Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is appointed to have charge of the Lalbagh subdivision of the Murshidabad district.

Dacca.
Murshidabad.

No. 2703A.D.—The 18th October 1917.—Babu Harendra Nath Datta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Naugaon, Rajshahi, is transferred to the headquarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Rajshahi.
24-Parganas.

No. 2724A.D.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., to be Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 5101A.—The 17th October 1917.*—In modification of the orders, dated the 30th July 1917, Babu Topendra Kumar Ghose Chaudhuri, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is posted to the Munshiganj subdivision of that district and is appointed to have charge of the police work of that subdivision, with effect from the 3rd August 1917.

Dacca.

No. 5115A.—The 18th October 1917.—Mr. E. Hodson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Faridpur district.

Darjeeling.
Faridpur.

No. 5137A.—The 23rd October 1917.—Mr. S. S. Bellairs, Assistant Superintendent of Police, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Bakarganj.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 5135A.—The 22nd October 1917.*—Mr. W. Dods is appointed to be a member of the Committee of management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

CONFIRMATION.

POLICE.—*No. 5108A.—The 17th October 1917.*—Khan Sahib Ghulam Rabbani, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, fourth grade, is confirmed in that grade, with effect from the 14th September 1917.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5138A.—The 23rd October 1917.*—The following confirmations, promotions and appointments are sanctioned in the Indian Civil Service. The officers concerned will continue to act in higher grade or appointment until further orders :—

Confirmed in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges.

Mr. H. C. Liddell, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. J. C Twidell, I.C.S., deceased.

Confirmed in the third grade of District and Sessions Judges.

Mr. J. Johnston, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. H. C. Liddell, I.C.S., confirmed in the second grade.

Promoted substantively to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. J. R. Blackwood, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th September 1917, *vice* Mr. R. B. Hughes-Buller, C.I.E., I.C.S., resigned.
„ A. H. Clayton, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. J. A. Ezechiel. I.C.S., resigned.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. W. A. Marr, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. A. H. Clayton, I.C.S., promoted.
„ A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th October 1917, *vice* Mr. H. L. Stephenson, C.I.E., I.C.S., on deputation.

Promoted substantively to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. A. Marr, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. A. H. Clayton, I.C.S., promoted to the first grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. J. A. L. Swan, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th October 1917, *vice* Mr. A. N. Moberly, I.C.S., promoted.

Promoted substantively to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. H. E. Spry, I.C.S., with effect from the 30th June 1917.
„ W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th September 1917.
„ Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. A. Marr, I.C.S., promoted to the second grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.*

Mr. A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th August 1917, *vice* Mr. S. W. Goode, I.C.S., appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta.
Mr. J. C. French, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917.
„ E. M. Mannooch, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th October 1917, *vice* Mr. J. A. L. Swan, I.C.S., promoted.

Promoted substantively to the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. J. G. Drummond, I.C.S., with effect from the 30th June 1917. *vice* Mr. H. E. Spry, I.C.S., promoted to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th September 1917, *vice* Mr. W. H. Nelson, I.C.S., promoted to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

„ Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. J. Johnston, I.C.S., confirmed in the third grade of District and Sessions Judges.

„ F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917 *vice* Mr. Guru Saday Dutt, I.C.S., promoted to the third grade of Magistrates and Collectors.

Appointed substantively to the second grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. M. Thorp, I.C.S., with effect from the 30th June 1917, *vice* Mr. J. G. Drummond, I.C.S., promoted to the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

„ H. G. Blomfield, I.C.S., with effect from the 8th September 1917, *vice* Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., promoted to the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

„ W. A. C. Lothian, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., promoted to the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

„ J. A. Ross, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. F. W. Robertson, I.C.S., promoted to the first grade of Joint Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2661A.D.—The 16th October 1917.*—Mr. J. T. Rankin, I.C.S., is allowed leave for four days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

No. 2671A.D.—The 16th October 1917.—Babu Kumud Bandhu Das Gupta, Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 2697A.D.—The 18th October 1917.—Mr. Suresh Chandra Ghatak, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barasat, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave for seventeen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd October 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 5103A.—The 17th October 1917.—Mr. D. S. Fraser, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave, for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 5105A.—The 17th October 1917.—In modification of the orders of the 19th September 1917, Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, 24-Parganas, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 5th October to the 18th October 1917, inclusive.

24-Parganas.

No. 5126A.—The 18th October 1917.—Mr. S. S. Bellairs, Assistant Superintendent of Police, has been granted, by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, an extension of furlough on medical certificate for one month.

POWERS.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 2655A.D.—The 16th October 1917.*—Mr. H. Quinton, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of the Sub-Registry Office at Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling.

Darjeeling.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2032T.R.—The 17th October 1917.—Maulvi Afzalur Rahaman, Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bakarganj.

No. 2033T.R.—The 17th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungos are appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore, including the area recently transferred to Faridpur, by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a revenue officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Jessore.
Faridpur.

1. Babu Jogendra Kumar Datta. | Babu Siddheswar Haldar.
3. Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha.

No. 2034T.R.—The 17th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned settlement kanungos are appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a revenue officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Bankura.

1 Babu Rajendra Nath Banarji. | 2. Babu Prakriti Nath Basu.

No. 2059T.R.—The 18th October 1917.—Whereas in pursuance of section 12 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division has submitted, for the consideration of the Governor in Council, a report by the Collector of the Midnapore district, under clause (*b*) of section 11 of the Act, recommending that a drainage channel along the southern side pits of the Orissa Trunk Road for the better drainage of mauza Dehati and other villages in the said district shall be excavated and a regulator shall be constructed on the 31st mile, at a total estimated cost of Rs. 2,376, in accordance with plans prepared by the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, and approved and sanctioned by the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Bengal :

Midnapore.

And whereas the said Collector found it expedient to take immediate action for carrying out the said work in order to give relief to the water-logged area round the villages mentioned above, and accordingly took proceedings under section 25 of the said Act in respect of the said work :

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, having considered the said report and the Commissioner's recommendation, is pleased, under section 14 of the said Act, to order that the said channel be excavated and the said regulator be constructed at the said estimated cost and in accordance with the said plans.

II. Notification No. 1144L.R., dated the 3rd February 1917 (published at page 195 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th *idem*), is hereby cancelled.

No. 2083T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Collector, Malda, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Malda.
Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2029T.R.—The 17th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for an additional brick-field for the Jessore District Jail, in the village of Shekhati, pargana Isofpur, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 16 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·60 of an acre, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—By the land of Nagendra Nath Choudhuri,
East—By the land of Enatulla Shaikh,
South—By the Jail land,
West—By the Jail land and the land of Nagendra Nath Choudhuri.

is required within the aforesaid village of Shekhati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2058 T. R.—The 18th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for temporary residence of officers, in the village of Sonapur, pargana Bhullua, zilla Noakhali, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 76 bighas, 10 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Noakhali.

North—By the lands of Alexander Gonsalves, Joana Quiya and others, and the lands of Robert Gonsalves, Nur Mia and Abdul Majid.
East—By the District Board Road,
South—By the lands of Abdul Samad Hazi and of Beloo Rodrick, village path and khal,
West—By the lands of Keramat Ali Hazi, Baranica Penuro, Elizabeth Dutt, Joanes Gonsalves, Peter Rodrick, Daniel Rodrick, Beloo Rodrick and Robert Gonsalves.

is required within the aforesaid village of Sonapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Noakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2089T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Bhatpara Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a Muhammadan burial ground at Jagatdal in the village of Jagatdal, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas, 18 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North and East—By the lands of Raja Kesori Lal Goswami,
South—By the Municipal drain,
West—By the Eastern Bengal Railway land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jagatdal.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Bhatpara.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 2092T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Veterinary Dispensary and Veterinary Assistant's quarters at Patuakhali, in the village of Kalikapur, pargana Aurangpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and West—By the land of Ramjan Ali, Alam Taluqdar and others,

East—By the Patuakhali-Sheakati road, and land of Meheraddi,

South—By Meheraddi's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kalikapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Patuakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 2095T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Akraberia, pargana Shahapur; zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas, 6 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North.—By the lands of Akur Halder, Rai Charan Halder, Shambhu Halder, Hem Halder and Arun Nasker,

East.—By the lands of Arun Nasker, Hem Halder and Rai Charan Halder,

South.—By the Kulpi Road,

West.—By the lands of Shambhu Halder, Rasu Bose, Rai Charan Halder and Akur Halder,

is required within the aforesaid village of Akraberia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2108T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Maulvi Abu Abdulla Husain, Sub-Registrar of Kalihati, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Patarhat, in the district of Bakarganj.

Mymensingh. Bakarganj.

No. 2109T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Maulvi Ghulam Arab Ali Khan, Sub-Registrar of Balla, in the district of Mymensingh, who was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kalihati, in the district of Mymensingh, in Government notification No. 4577Regn., dated the 22nd June 1917, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mymensingh.

No. 2110T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Nalin Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar, grade II, of Howrah, is granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 2nd July 1917, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

2. This cancels notification No. 6437Regn., dated the 28th August 1917.

Howrah.

No. 2111T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Maulvi Mujibur Rahman, Sub-Registrar of Mollahat, in the district of Khulna, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, *vice* Maulvi Azizul Haq, about to retire.

Khulna. — Murshidabad.

No. 2112T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Bankim Chandra Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Assassuni, in the district of Khulna, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mollahat in the same district.

Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1171Mis.—The 17th October 1917.—During the Puja Holidays the Reading Room of the Imperial Library will be closed on the 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 25th October 1917. On all the other days it will open from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2442S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1915-16, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 6th November 1917, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 583 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 22nd December 1916, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*, except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 3,200 per chest from 1st April 1917 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 187S.R., dated the 23rd January 1917).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1917, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 12th November 1917, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1917.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory. Chests uncertified.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1917 ...	587

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD.
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1917.*

No. 2517T.-Mis.—The 16th October 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment be made in the rules for the regulation of appointments in the clerical service of the Secretariat of the Government of Bengal and attached offices, published under Government Notification No. 4122-Mis., dated the 24th November 1911, at pages 1619-22, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, as subsequently amended viz:—

For rule 21 *substitute* the following:—

"21. (1) The head of an office will also reserve the power of appointing suitable Muhammadans to either the Upper Division or the Lower Division. In the case of the Upper Division of the Secretariat every third appointment in each office made under rule 3 shall ordinarily be given to a Muhammadan, provided he possesses the educational qualifications required by rule 3 (*a*). In the Lower Division of the departments of the Secretariat every third appointment in each office shall ordinarily be given to a Muhammadan who possesses the educational qualifications required by rule 15 and furnishes the evidence required by rule 16. Before candidates are selected for appointments in either Division, all vacancies shall be advertised in Muhammadan papers and Muhammadan Anjumans shall be informed. In the Lower Division such selection shall be made only when there is no suitable Muhammadan candidate in the competitive examination to whom the post can be offered.

(2) Until the proportion of Muhammadans in the various offices reaches one-third, the claims of qualified Muhammadan candidates shall be considered in filling up all vacancies."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 522T.-Medl.—The 18th Octo er 1917.—Senior Assistant Surgeon Rai Hari Nath Ghosh Bahadur, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Rangpur, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the forenoon of the 12th September 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 524T.-Medl —The 18th October 1917.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Bepin Chandra Das Gupta is appointed to officiate as Civil Surgeon of Rangpur with effect from the forenoon of the 12th September 1917, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Senior Assistant Surgeon Rai Hari Nath Ghosh Bahadur.

Rangpur.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 517T.-Medl.—The 17th October 1917.—Under rule 20 of the rules promulgated with Government Notification No. 333Medl., dated the 29th January 1914, published on page 223 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th February 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Rev. Herbert Anderson to be a visitor of the Albert Victor Asylum for Lepers at Gobra.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5140A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 2686A.D.—The 17th October 1917.—Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to act temporarily as a Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 5116A.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Amrita Lal Hajra the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the 8th. November 1917, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Ulubaria subdivision of the said district,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Ulubaria Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5120A.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Ram Kumar Das the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the 13th November 1917, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Dacca.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 5122A.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Ashutosh Mukharji, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

Howrah.

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

No. 5124A.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Kanai Lal Sadhukhan, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

Howrah.

No. 5131A.—The 22nd October 1917.—Maulvi Abul Kasem Wajih-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate, Sirajganj, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Pabna.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3102J.—The 17th October 1917.—Babu Hem Kumar Neogi, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Rajshahi, from the 19th November 1917, the date on which the Civil Courts re-open after the vacation.

Rajshahi.

No. 3104J.—The 17th October 1917.—In modification of the Notification No. 2827J., dated the 10th September 1917, Babu Jamini Kishor Ray, Munsif, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Nabinagar, but for the present to be employed as an Additional Munsif in the district of Faridpur

Tippera.
Faridpur.

No. 3113J.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri Additional Subordinate Judge of Dacca and Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Bakarganj, from the 19th November 1917, the date on which the Civil Courts re-open after the vacation.

Dacca and Tippera.
Bakarganj.

No. 3117J.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Parada Kinkar Mukharji, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, from the date on which the Civil Courts re-open after the vacation, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Dacca and Tippera, but for the present to be employed at Dacca.

Dacca and Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3124J.—The 23rd October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*2*) of section 8 of the Reformatory Schools Act, 1897 (VIII of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower each of the following Presidency Magistrate to exercise the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) of the said section :—

(1) Mr. I. J Cohen.
(2) Babu Jatindra Nath Sen.
(3) Nawabzada Saiyid Husain Ali Nadir Jang.
(4) Rai Mani Lal Nahar Bahadur.
(5) Babu Panchanan Mukharji.
(6) Mirza Ahmed Ali.

No. 3127J.—The 23rd October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the following Presidency Magistrates, who are already authorized to sit singly for the trial of cases, to sit as a Bench for the trial of "juvenile offenders" in Calcutta, in accordance with the rules published under Notification No. 4913P., dated the 22nd May 1914 :—

Calcutta.

(1) Mr. I. J. Cohen.
(2) Babu Jatindra Nath Sen.
(3) Nawabzada Saiyid Husain Ali Nadir Jang.
(4) Rai Mani Lal Nahar Bahadur.
(5) Babu Panchanan Mukharji.
(6) Mirza Ahmed Ali.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 3130J.—The 23rd October 1917.—In Government Notification No. 3058J., dated the 8th October 1917, published at page 1627, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, appointing certain gentlemen to be Presidency Magistrates in Calcutta, delete the name of Mr. E. A. Kidman.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIO .

No. 4344P.D.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Atul Chandra Bagchi, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer and posted to the Sadar subdivision of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 16th October 1917.

No. 105.—Babu Sharat Chandra Sur, Assistant Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, is granted privilege leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th October 1917, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secretary.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th October 1917.

No. 106.—The following extract from a notification, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, is republished for information :—

No. 1701, dated the 5th October 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Govt. of India, Army Dept.

THE following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

* * * * * *

Second Lieutenant D. J. Blomfield, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, to be acting Captain while commanding a Company. Dated 1st June 1917, to fill an existing vacancy.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 15th October 1917.

No. 16R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 395T.-17, dated Simla, the 20th September 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is of opinion that coal is a product which can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of rule 11A.A. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to authorise the President, Railway Board, to exercise in respect of the said product, while in transit over a railway, the powers conferred on the Governor-General by sub-rules (1) and (5) of the said rule.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 18th October 1917.

No. 95Marine.—Mr. F. W. Moore, Branch Pilot, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India a further extension of furlough for three months from 17th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secretary.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5141A.

No. 2642A.D.—The 15th October 1917.—Babu Sharat Chandra Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Kurigaon, Rangpur, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 2683A.D.—The 17th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governer in Council hereby appoints Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, to be a special Magistrate for the districts of Khulna, Faridpur and Dacca for a term not exceeding two months and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code, within the said districts.

Khulna. Faridpur. Dacca.

No. 2728A.D.—The 18th October 1917.—Babu Phanindra Bhushan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Rajshahi Division, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Rajshahi Divn.

No. 2731A.D.—The 18th October 1917.—Babu Kali Charan Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan Divn.

No 2739A.D.—The 19th October 1917.—Babu Durga Mohan Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, Nilphamari, Rangpur, is allowed leave, on medical certificate, for three months, under article 335 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

Rangpur.

No. 2759A.D.—The 20th October 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the Burdwan Division on being relieved of his appointment as Chaukidari Circle Officer, Tippera, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Tippera. Burdwan Divn.

No. 5133A.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Monoranjan Chaudhuri, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Pabna.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16346, dated Calcutta, the 16th October 1917.—Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., took over the medical charge of the Dacca Central Jail from Lt.-Col. E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S., in the forenoon of the 26th September 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 13917, dated Calcutta, the 16th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 11th October 1917, until further orders.

No. 13919, dated Calcutta, the 16th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Rajani Kanta Chatarji is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 12th October 1917, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Nabajiban Banarji, transferred.

No. 1523-D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Naresh Chandra Das Gupta did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, from the 13th to the 18th September 1917, both days inclusive.

No. 1525-D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Naresh Chandra Das Gupta is appointed to the Bagerhat Subdivision and Dispensary, in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 26th September 1917, *vice* 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Brindaban Chandra Banik.

No. 1527-D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jagadispada Dutta did supernumerary duty at the Mitford Hospital, Dacca, on the 18th and 19th September 1917.

No. 1529-D., dated Darjeeling, the 17th October 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jagadispada Dutta is appointed temporarily to Mymensingh, in place of Assistant Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Barory appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of that district with effect from the 26th September 1917.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

EXAMINATION OF COMPOUNDERS AT THE DACCA MEDICAL SCHOOL.

IT is hereby notified, for general information, that the next Half-yearly Examination of Compounders will be held on the 1st November 1917 and subsequent days.

The examination will be conducted in accordance with Bengal Government Notifications Nos. 1410 and 1411Medical, dated the 7th July 1913 :—

(*a*) The Examination Committee will consist of—

President :

Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. R. Newman, M.D. (Cantab.), I.M.S.

Members.

1. Teacher of Surgery.
2. Teacher of Midwifery.

(*b*) No person will be admitted to this examination unless he produces certificates as required by rules 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Government Notification No. 1410Medical, dated the 7th July 1913.

(*c*) All male candidates must forward to the undersigned an examination fee of Rs. 5 at least one week before the commencement of examination ; a fresh fee must be paid on each occasion that the candidate enters for the examination ; but a candidate, who, after payment of the fee, is unable, through illness, to attend the examination will be allowed, on producing a satisfactory medical certificate to that effect, to attend the next examination without payment of a fresh fee.

NOTE.—Women candidates are examined free of charge.

(*d*) The students of the Compounder class of the medical schools at the end of the one year of study, and the students of the Licentiate class of these schools, on the completion of their Second Year's course, will be allowed to appear at an optional examination, to be conducted by the Committee of Examiners notified above in minor bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. No additional fee shall be charged for this optional examination.

This examination is also open to persons qualified for admission to the examination prescribed under the rules for the grant of certificates to compounders, on production of a certificate that they have received instruction in a hospital or dispensary recognised by Government in minor bandaging, preparation of antiseptic lotions and dressings, sterilization of dressings and instruments, and in all the minor duties of hospital work. Such persons shall be required to pay a fee of Rs. 2-8 for this examination, but no fee will be required from a candidate who appears at the combined Compounders' and Dressership Examination and who has paid the fee of Rs. 5 prescribed in paragraph (*c*).

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 31st August 1917.

NOTICE (2).

It is hereby notified, for general information, that the next examination for admission of students to the Compounder class, Medical School, Dacca will be held on the 1st November 1917, at 8 A.M.

E. A. R. NEWMAN, M.D. (Cantab.), LIEUT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Superintendent, Medical School, Dacca.

DACCA;
The 31st August 1917.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী দিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given under Act IX of 1887 that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the month of January 1918, sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Munshiganj Small Cause Court—From 14th January to the 19th January 1918.

Dacca Small Cause Court—During the rest of the days of the month, Sundays and holidays excepted.

R. C. SEN, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 13th October 1917.*

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio President of the Board of Examiners.

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4497J.—Babu Rajendra Lal Acharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Manikganj, Dacca, is posted temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4503J.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the Manikganj subdivision of that district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN. DACCA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4492J.—Babu Radhika Mohan Basak, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bhola, in the district of Bakarganj, is transferred to the Pirojpur subdivision of that district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4486J.—Babu Srimanta Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, is transferred to the Dakshin Shahabazpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4570G.—Under Government order No. 16-P.D., dated the 22nd April 1913, the gentlemen named below are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Feni Sub-Jail, in the district of Noakhali :—

(1) Babu Krishna Kishore Dutta, B.L.

(2) Maulvi S. M. Azizullah.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2793M.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the general election held on the 15th September 1917, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality, in the district of Malda :—

Ward No. I.

Babu Ram Krishna Mukherjee.
„ Romes Chandra Bagchi.
„ Sris Chandra Maulik.

Ward No. II.

Babu Ganga Charan Dutt.

Ward No. III.

Mahamed Majidulla.
Mahamed Piar Baks.

Ward No IV.

Mahamed Eakub Mian.
Babu Giris Chandra Sinha.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 20M.—It is hereby notified for general information that at the by-election held on 29th September 1917 in Ward No. I of the Krishnagar Municipality, in the district of Nadia, Babu Hari Mohan Mukharji, M.B., was duly elected to be a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Hari Prasad Chattarji, deceased.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected as members of the Sadar Local Board in the district of Hooghly :—

Name of thana.		Names of elected gentlemen
Hooghly	1.	Babu Satish Chandra Mukherjee.
	2.	,, Panchanan Biswas.
Polba	3.	Lala Bidhu Bhusan Babu.
	4.	Babu Bhudeb Mukherjee.
Pandua	5.	,, Binode Behari Palit.
	6.	Chowdhury Muhammad Abdulla.
Balagarh	7.	Babu Bhujendra Nath Biswas.
	8.	,, Nemai Chand Mukherjee.
Dhaniakhali	9.	,, Kshirode Krishna Biswas.
	10.	,, Amarendra Nath Singha Ray.

2. The following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the said Local Board under section 11 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885 :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Sadar.
2. Rai Saroda Prosad Rai Bahadur.
3. Babu Kali Das Banerjee.
4. Syed Enamal Karim.
5. Maulvi Khairat Ali.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 51L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20(*b*) of the Dispensary Manual, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Peara Gobinda Das Charitable Dispensary in the Basirhat subdivision of the district of 24-Parganas :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Basirhat .. *Ex-officio.*
2. Babu Sita Nath Das.
3. ,, Sasi Bhusan Banerji.
4. ,, Broja Mohan Das.
5. ,, Ram Taran Das.
6. ,, Matilal Chakarbarti.
7. ,, Gourhari Das.
8. Munshi Mobarak Ali.

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 50L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Municipal Charitable Dispensary at Chitpur, in the district of the 24-Parganas :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, 24-Parganas ... *Ex-officio.*
2. Rai Kripa Nath Datta Bahadur.
3. Rai Dr. Mati Lal Mukharji Bahadur.
4. Babu Karali Charan Chatarji.
5. „ Profulla Chandra De.
6. „ Promothonath Mukharji.
7. „ Paresh Nath Mukharji.
8. „ Girindra Nath Banarji.
9. „ Akhsay Coomar Chatarji.
10. Mr. Hafiz Mahomed Ismail.
11. The Chairman, Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality ... ... *Ex-officio.*

J. T. RANKIN, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 12th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4452J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20(*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Victoria Charitable Dispensary at Narainganj, in the district of Dacca :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Narainganj. *President* (*ex-officio*).
2. Babu Debendra Chandra Mazumdar, *Secretary.*
3. Chairman, Narainganj Municipality (*ex-officio*).
4. Assistant Surgeon, (*ex-officio*).
5. A J. Smith, Esq.
6. H. M Shircore, Esq.
7. Babu Pran Kumar Das.
8. Maulvi Pir Mahammad.
9. A. R. Watt, Esq.
10. W. G. Hutchison, Esq.
11. Babu Rai Mohan Poddar.
12. „ Nanda Kumar Choudhury.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 16th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4641G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries, Sreejut Kumud Ban Mahanta has been appointed to be a member of the Managing Committee for the Sitakund District Board Dispensary, in the district of Chittagong.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN, CHITTAGONG, *the 19th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power under section 6, clause (*c*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, 1 of 1885, delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated 1st December 1904, the establishment of a new public ferry, as an experimental measure, over the river Kana Damodar, at Sekandarpore, in thana Khanakul, in the district of Hooghly, has been sanctioned by me.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the powers delegated to me by Bengal Government Notification, dated the 9th May 1889 (published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 1889, Part IB, page 105), I do hereby define the boundary of the public ferry called Chhotu Char Jajira Ferry established over the Padma river, under clause (*d*), section 6 of the Bengal Ferries Act plying from Chhotu Char Jajira to Sagarkandi to be as follows :—

North—Govindapur, police-station Ratanganj, pargana Amirabad, district Pabna.

South—Kristapur, police-station Goalundo, pargana Nasibshahi, district Faridpur.

J. G. DUNLOP, *District Magistrate.*

FARIDPUR, *the 18th October 1917.*

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

ERRATUM.

No. 5272R., dated Calcutta, the 17th October 1917.—In line 2 of paragraph 3 of this Department Notification No. 4783-R., dated the 24th August 1917, published at page 1388, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 29th idem, relating to the liquidation of the Dakshin Janajat Gramya Dharma Bhandar, No. 2 (registered No. 148 of 1913), in thana Shibchar, in the district of Faridpur, for the name "Brajendra Nath Sen" *read* "Brajendra Nath Das Gupta".

J. T. DONOVAN, *Registrar.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 11Exc.—The 23rd October 1917.—Babu Raj Kumar Das, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, on leave, is attached to the Excise Intelligence Bureau.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of October 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th October 1917.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST OCTOBER TO THE 15TH OCTOBER 1917 INCLUSIVE. Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	111,168	...	111,168	26,490	30,843	39,460	8,940
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	26,429	...	26,429	31,240	...	...	27,350
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	53,758	...	53,758	85,986	...	...	132,296
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	120,912	...	120,912	88,820	...	...	88,702
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	37,724	43,025	80,749	86,500	78,945	...	80,726
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	349,991	43,025	393,016	319,036	109,788	39,460	338,014

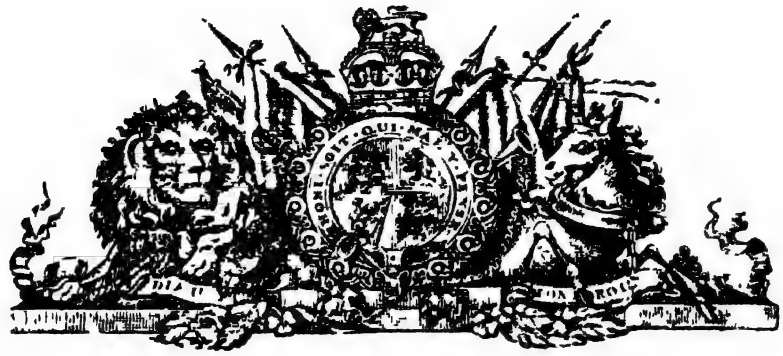
Written off during the half month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	4,158
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil
In transit—Massawah salt	35,920

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR.

Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 19th October 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 19th October 1917.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 1782.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Cavalry Branch.

1st September 1917.

Robert Balfour Steele.

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A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 13th October 1917.

No. E-185.—The designation of the appointment of Assistant Controller (Hides), Calcutta, held by Mr. F. J. G. Geary, I.C.S., is changed to Deputy Controller (Hides), Calcutta.

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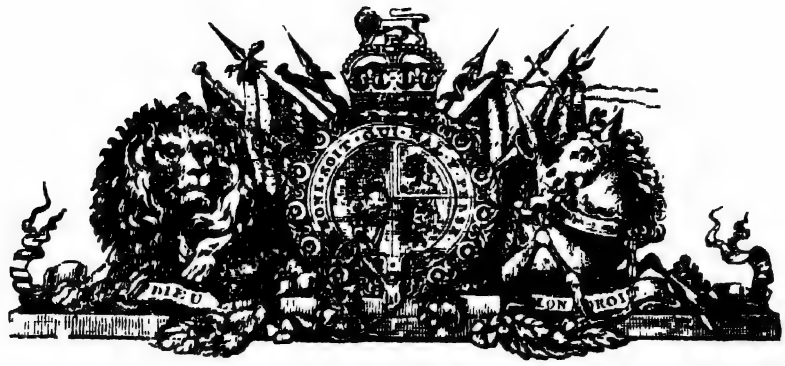
T. RYAN.
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 715T.M.—The 16th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Umacharan Ghosh to be a Commissioner of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Chakrabarti.

24-Parganas.

No. 723 T. M.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sub-section (*l*) of section 567 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules for the preparation and publication of the Municipal election-roll and the conduct of elections contained in Schedules IV and V, respectively, to the said Act:—

Calcutta.

(1) *For* rule 9 in Schedule IV *substitute* the following:—

> *9* If the name of a company, body corporate, firm, Hindu joint-family or other association of individuals has been entered in the list, then it shall be lawful for such company, body corporate, firm or other association of individuals to nominate any Member, Director, Secretary, Manager, or other responsible officer or employé thereof, and for such Hindu joint-family to nominate a member thereof, and to apply to the Chairman on or before the 1st January to have the name of such nominee entered in the list as the person qualified to vote or to be elected on behalf of such company, body corporate, firm, Hindu joint-family or other association of individuals.

(2) *For* sub-rule (*9*) of rule 10 in the same Schedule *substitute* the following:—

(*9*) If any company, body corporate, firm, Hindu joint-family or other association of individuals omits to apply to the Chairman under rule 9 nominating any member or other person as therein mentioned, the Chairman may, after such inquiry as he thinks fit, determine what member in the case of a Hindu joint-family, and in any other case what member, officer or employé, shall be entitled to represent such Hindu joint-family, company, body corporate, firm or association, and shall enter his name in the list as the person qualified to vote or to be elected on behalf of such Hindu joint-family, company, body corporate, firm or association.

(3) *For* clause (*5*) of rule 6 in Schedule V *substitute* the following:—

(*5*) No vote on behalf of any company, body corporate, firm, Hindu joint-family or other association of individuals shall be received from any person other than the person whose name has been entered in the Municipal election-roll as the representative of such company, body corporate, firm, Hindu joint-family or other association of individuals under the rules contained in Schedule IV.

Rajshahi.

No. 721T.-L.S.-G.—The 18th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 37 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of Chapter II of Part I of that Act relating to Union Committees to the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 1835L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union:—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in the jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Haibatkhan	9	Rambari	...	1	*North.*		
			Haibatkhan	...	2			
			Bedananda	...	3	Thana Lalmonirhat		
			Taibkhan	...	4			
			Gabur Helan	...	5	*East.*		
			Paitbhata	...	6			
			Rati	...	7	Chakirpasar Patha	...	31
			Par Maula	...	8	Chakirpasar	...	30
			Chatura	...	9	Somnarayan	...	17
			Dulalerkuti	...	10			
			Balikuti	...	11	*South.*		
			Mandir	...	12			
			Arazi Sukdeb	...	13	Ratideb	...	142
			Mansur	...	14	Durarkuti	...	143
			Sukdeb	...	15	River Teesta.		
			Manabari	...	16	*West.*		
						River Teesta.		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Haibatkhan Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1836L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Chakirpasar	9	Chakirpasar	...	30	*North*		
			Chakirpasar Patha	...	31			
			Jayram	...	32	Thana Lalmonirhat.		
			Arjun Misra	...	33	Thana Kurigram (Part).		
			Pir Mahammad	...	34			
			Madan Mohan	...	35	*East*		
			Chakirpasar taluk	...	36			
			Chakirpasar Upan Chauki		37	Thana Kurigram (part).		
			Phulbari	...	38			
			Gobardhan	...	39			
			Bhimbandari	...	40	*South.*		
			Taluk Jagatram	...	41			
			Khuliatari	...	42	Taluk Nakkati	...	59
			Taluk Pula	...	43	Ghumaru	...	57
			Taluk Asaru	...	44	Jaydeb Malsabari	...	55
			Baje Mujrai Upan Chauki		45	Kumarganj	...	28
			Chatu	...	46	Babsudai	...	29
			Jaydeb Haiat	...	47	Biru	...	60
			Pandabari Chat	...	48			
			Taluk Kalua	...	49	*West.*		
			Chak Nakkati	...	50			
			Taluk Sonabar	...	51	Somnarayan	...	17
			Taluk Sakua	...	52	Sukdeb	...	15
			Taluk Nij kismat	...	53	Thana Lalmonirhat.		
			Ratiram Kamalujha	...	54			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Chakirpasar Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1837L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Ratiram ...	9	Ratiram	...	24	*North*		
			Banchighat	...	25			
			Umar Marjit	...	26	Chakirpasar Patba (portion)	...	31
			Phukhan	...	27			
			Kumarganj	...	28			
			Babsudai	...	29	Ratiram Kamalujha	...	54
			Jaydeb Malsabari	...	55			
			Taluk Makar	...	56	Taluk Nij Kismat	...	53
			Ghumaru	...	57			
			Kismat Magha	...	58	Taluk Sakua	...	52
			Taluk Nakkati	...	59			
			Biru	...	60	Chak Nakkati	...	50
			Pandabari Umar	...	61			
			Panthapara	...	62	Taluk Kalua	...	49
			Dhananjay	...	63			
			Sethlata	...	64	Thana Kurigram (part).		
			Taluk Subal	...	65			
			Lakshmanerkhata	...	66			
			Lalabhat	...	67	*East.*		
			Mamal	...	68			
			Mahishmuri	...	69	Thana Kurigram (part)		
			Chorkata Nagarbandh	...	70			
			Mahishmuri	...	71	Balakandi	...	73
			Kismat Rajib	...	72			
						Pandul	...	125
						South.		
						Aphuarkhata	...	128
						Hitamrati	...	129
						Ramsingha	...	130
						Manidakua	...	134
						West.		
						Payodhar	...	135
						Mallikbeg	...	136
						Ramkrishna	...	22
						Gokula	...	23
						Ranjitsai	...	18
						Somnarayan	...	17
						Chakirpasar Patba (part)	...	31

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Ratiram Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1838L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in Thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Kapura ...	9	Somnarayan	...	17	*North.*		
			Ranjitsar	...	18	Sukdeb	...	15
			Aravi Raghab	...	19	Chakirpasar	...	30
			Murarideb	...	20	*East.*		
			Raghab	...	21	Chakirpasar Patba	...	31
			Ramkrishna	...	22	Babsudai	...	29
			Gokula	...	23	Ratiram	...	24
			Manidakua	...	134	Mamal	...	68
			Payodhar	...	135	Ramsingha	...	130
			Hallikbeg	...	136	Krishnai	...	131
			Manarkuti	...	137	Kazipara	...	132
			Dangarkuti	...	138	Abdul Hadi	...	133
			Joan Betubari	...	139	Daldali	...	153
			Mahadeb	...	140	*South*		
			Kismat Ganesh	...	141	Gorai Piar	...	150
			Ratideb	...	142	*West.*		
			Durarkuti	...	143	River Teesta.		
			Nelpha	...	144	Taibkhan	...	4
			Kapura	...	145	Rati	...	7
			Gabur Helan	...	146	Manabari	...	16
			Gabur	...	147			
			Kauahaga	...	148			
			Ramni Asha	...	149			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Kapura Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1839L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Goraipiar	9	Goraipiar	...	150	*North.*		
			Bengali	...	161			
			Kishorpur Sabek	...	162	Ramni Asha	...	149
			Joan Sutra	...	164			
			Khanija Natsala	...	165	Kapura	...	145
			Rayhat	...	166			
			Taluk Rahamat	...	167	Daldali	...	153
			Kishorpur Kismat	...	168			
			Taluk Hukadanga	...	169	Arjunkuti	...	151
			Nefra Kismat	...	170			
			Ramprasad Bajra	...	171	Arjun	...	152
			Mohandas Khamar	...	172			
			Gadiar Khamar	...	173	Kishorpur Dari	...	163
			Nefra Hara	...	175			
						Nefra Nandanga	...	160
						East.		
						Narikelbari	...	177
						Krishnarampur Bazar	...	176
						Kaludanga	...	174
						Nefra	...	204
						Nefra Nanda	...	205
						Kismat Titia	...	206
						South.		
						Santosh Abiram	...	207
						River Teesta.		
						West		
						River Teesta.		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Goraipiar Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1840 L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date, will be duly considered

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Daldalia ...	9	Aphuarkhata	...	128	*North.*		
			Hitamrati	...	129	Manarkuti (part)	...	137
			Ram Singha	...	130	Mallikbeg	...	136
			Krishnai	...	131	Manidakna	...	134
			Kazipara	..	132	Mamal	...	68
			Abdul Hadi	...	133	Mahishmuri	...	69
			Arjunkuti	...	151	*East*		
			Arjun	...	152	Pandul	...	125
			Daldali	...	153	Ramtanu	...	127
			Rajaram	...	154	Sibbari	...	178
			Sarifuddin	...	155	Sibbari Kismat	...	179
			Parasuram	...	156	*South.*		
			Nijai Khamar	...	157	Narikelbari	...	177
			Rajaram Kshetri	...	158	Nefra Hara	...	175
			Naudanga	...	159	Bangali	...	161
			Nefra Naudanga	...	160	Kishorpur Sabek	...	162
			Kishorpur Dari	...	163	*West.*		
						Joan Sutra	...	164
						Goraipiar	...	150
						Kapura	...	145
						Dangarkuti	...	138
						Manarkuti (part)	...	137

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Daldalia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1841L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union.

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Durgapur	9	Janjagir	117	*North.*	
			Kamal	118	Balakandi ...	73
			Gopinathpur ...	119	Gorai Raghu Ray ...	74
			Durgapur	120	Jamuna ...	75
			Lalkhantari	121		
			Dhenkiram Khamar ...	122	*East*	
			Dhenkiram ...	123		
			Raghab Nandi ...	124	Sadidigar ...	111
			Pandul	125	Madhupur Baka Ray ...	112
			Siddhanta Malibari ...	126	,, Khamar ...	116
			Ramtanu ...	127	Daldalia Bhaduri ...	183
			Sibbari	178	Dharanibari ...	182
			Sibbari Kismat ...	179		
			Malatibari ...	180	*South.*	
			Malatibari Digar ...	181		
			,, Kismat ...	184	Dharanibari ..	182
					Haiat Khan ...	185
					Narikelbari ...	177
					Rajaram Khetri ...	158
					West.	
					Nijai Khamar ...	157
					Aphuar Khata ...	128
					Mahishmuri ...	69
					Chorkata Nagarbandh ...	70
					Mahishmuri ...	71
					Kismat Rajib ...	72

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Durgapur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1842L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Jamuna ...	9	Balakandi	... 73	*North.*	
			Gorai Raghu Ray	... 74		
			Jamuna	... 75	Pandabari Umar	... 61
					Thana Kurigram.	
					East	
					Buraburi	... 79
					Botla	... 78
					Kamdeb	... 77
					Rameshwar Sarma	.. 76
					South.	
					Sadidigar	... 111
					Gopinathpur	... 119
					Durgapur	... 120
					Pandul	... 125
					Kismat Rajib	... 72
					West.	
					Mahishmuri	... 71
					Panthapara	... 62

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Jamuna Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1843L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union	
Rangpur ...	Buraburi...	9	Rameswar Sarma	.. 76	*North*	
			Kamdeb	... 77		
			Botla	... 78	Thana Kurigram'	
			Buraburi	... 79	Begamganj	... 80
			Fakir Mahammad	... 81	*East*	
			Dalan	... 82		
			Satbhita	... 83	Akil Mahammad	... 88
			Phulbari	... 85	Sheikh Palanu	... 86
					River Brahmaputra	
					South.	
					Kalakata	... 84
					Jalangarkuti	... 98
					Atharapaika	... 109
					Sadidigar	... 111
					West.	
					Jamuna	... 75
					Gorai Ragu Ray	... 74

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Buraburi Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act

Rangpur.

No 1844L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union		
Rangpur ...	Hijli ...	9	Hijli Goppara	...	108	*North.*		
			Atharapaika	...	109	Jamuna...	...	75
			Patranabish	...	110	Rameshwar Sarma	...	76
			Sadidigar	...	111	Kamdeb	...	77
			Madhupur Baka Ray	...	112	Dalan	...	82
			Madhupur Hijli	...	113	Satbhita	...	83
			Madartari	...	114	*East.*		
			Madhupur	...	115	Jalangarkuti	...	98
			Madhupur Khamar	...	116	Anantapur	...	99
						Shyampur	...	107
						Shyampur Kismat	...	106
						Ramrampur Kismat	...	105
						South.		
						Hatia Bhabesh	...	104
						Haripur Kasigari	...	237
						Dhamsani Janaidanga	...	233
						Madhupur	...	236
						West		
						Dharanibari	...	182
						Malatibari Digar	...	181
						Kamal	...	118
						Janjagir	...	117
						Gopinathpur	...	119
						Madhupur	...	236

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Hijli Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 1845 L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

2 The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Gunaigach	9	Kaludanga	...	174	*North.*		
			Krishnarampur Bazar	...	176	Nefra Kismat (part)	...	170
			Gauriballabh	...	195	Gadiar Khamar	...	173
			Baidyacharjya	...	196	Mohandas Khamar	...	172
			Katalbari	...	197	Nefra Hara	...	175
			Gunaigachha	...	198	Narikelbari	...	177
			Kaludanga	...	200	*East*		
			Krishnamohan Khamar	...	201	Ramdas Dhanram	...	199
			Gunaigachha Madhabram		202	Kasir Khamar	...	194
			Krishnamangal Khamar	..	203	Purirputul	...	193
			Nefra	...	204	Kismat Banna Charan	...	225
			Nefra Nanda	...	205	*South.*		
			Kismat Titia	...	206	Bajra	...	223
			Santosh Abhiram	...	207	Satya Laskar	...	221
			Dhamarhat Khamar	...	209	Berahim Khamar	...	208
			Kismat Anandi	...	210	*West.*		
			Chak Golami or Kazir Chak	...	211	River Teesta.		
			Sukdeb Kunda	...	212	Taluk Hukadanga	...	169
			Sibram Khamar	...	213	Nefra Kismat (part)	...	170
			Kebal Krishna Khamar	...	214			
			Nagdat or Kamal	...	215			
			Mahadeb	...	216			
			Rajballabh	...	217			
			Kismat Bhushi	...	218			
			Dhamarhat Sadua	...	219			
			Bagunakura	...	220			
			Kismat Ramdhan	...	224			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Gunaigach Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1846L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Bajra ...	9	Berahim Khamar	... 208	*North*	
			Satya Laskar	... 221		
			Trimohani	... 222	River Teesta	
			Bajra	... 223	Santosh Abhiram	... 207
					Dhamarhat Khamar	.. 209
					Bagunakura	... 220
					Dhamarhat Sadua	.. 219
					Kismat Ramdhan	... 224
					Kismat Banna Charan	... 225
					East.	
					Kismat Umananda	... 226
					Sadulla	... 246
					Revenue thana Ulipur.	
					South.	
					River Teesta.	
					West.	
					River Teesta	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bajra Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 1847 L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Rangpur.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st December 1917, and any objection or suggestion, which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date, will be duly considered :—

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council

is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Rangpur ...	Tabakpur	9	Bijayram ...	...	190	*North.*		
			Tabakpur ...	...	191	Ramdas Dhaniram	...	199
			Tabakpur Kismat	...	192	Bagchar Khamar	...	...
			Purirputul ...	...	193	Kalisankar ...	...	188
			Kasir Khamar	...	164	Bhadrapara ...	...	189
			Kismat Bauna Charan	...	225	Dhamsani Janaidanga	...	233
			Kismat Umananda	...	226	Kismat Bishnuballabh	...	241
			Kajaldanga ...	...	227	*East.*		
			Tabakpur ...	...	228	Kismat Radhaballabh	...	242
			Sriballabh ...	...	229	Tambakpur Bajra	...	244
			Kismat Dwarika	...	230	Kismat Banu	...	245
			Kismat Panchpara	...	231	Thana ...	...	252
			Bagchar Khamar	...	232			
			Tabakpur Barua	...	243	*South.*		
			Sadulla ...	...	246	Bajra (portion)	...	223
						West.		
						Bajra (portion) ...	...	223
						Kismat Ramdhan	...	224
						Katalbari ...	...	197
						Gauriballabh	...	195

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Tabakpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1848 L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :-

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
Rangpur ...	Hatia ...	9	Gujimari	100	*North.*	
			Ramkhana	101	Madhupur	115
			Nilkantadigar ..	102	Madarturi	114
			Hatia Baksi	103	Hijli Goppara ..	108
			Hatia Bhabesh ...	104	Anantapur	99
			Ramrampur Kismat ...	105	Kalakata	84
			Shyampur Kismat ...	106		
			Shyampur	107	*East*	
			Haripur Kasigari ...	237		
			Khoaj Khamar ...	238	River Brahmaputra.	
			Nauara	239		
			Abhiram	240	*South.*	
			Kismat Bishnuballabh ...	241		
					Kismat Radhaballabh ...	242
					West.	
					Kismat Panchpara ...	231
					Baghchar Khamar ...	232
					Dhamsani Janaidanga ...	233

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Hatia Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Rangpur.

No. 1849 L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 Ben. Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft order.

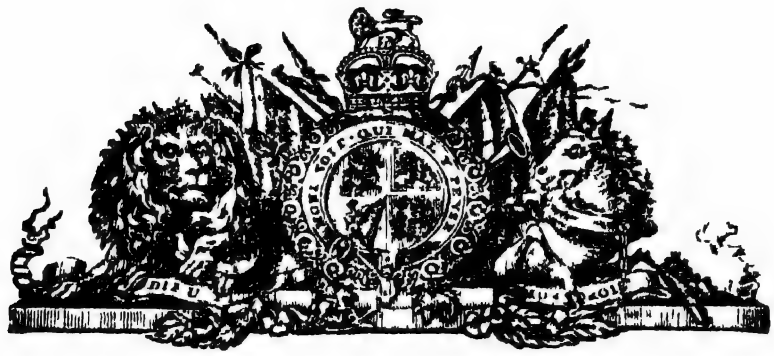
In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Ulipur, in the district of Rangpur, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages which constitute the Union with their numbers in jurisdiction list	Boundaries of the Union
				North.
Rangpur ...	Kalakata...	9	Kalakata ... ... 84 Jalangarkuti ... 98 Anantapur 99	Phulbari ... 85 River Brahmaputra Durgapur ... 95
				East.
				River Brahmaputra. Char Baghwa (portion) 96 Arazi Durgapur ... 97
				South.
				Char Baghwa (portion) 96 River Brahmaputra Gujimari ... ... 100 Ramkhana ... 101 Ramrampur Kismat ... 105 Shyampur ... 107
				West
				Hijli Goppara ... 108 Atharapaika ... 109 Satbhita ... ... 83 Fakir Mahammad ... 81

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Kalakata union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

L. S. S. O'MALEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.



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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS.

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS. 1. COUNCIL HOUSE STREET. CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th October 1917.

SUBJECT to the usual conditions of good conduct and satisfactory progress one junior "Muhammadan Education Fund" scholarship of Rs. 90 per annum is re-awarded to Muhammad Ismail, *vice* Muhammad Abul Khayer for one year, with effect from 1st June 1917.

The scholarship is tenable at the Dacca College.

W. W. HORNELL,

Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Junior Scholarships, 1917.

THE following students are awarded junior scholarships on the results of the Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University held in 1917. The scholarships take effect from 1st June 1917 for two years :—

(The Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarships can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship holder.)

A. 10 first grade scholarships of Rs. 20 a month each.

1.	Manoranjan Chattopadhyay ...	Dacca Collegiate School.
2.	Ramanimohan Ray ...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3.	Sarbbanisahay Guhasarkar ...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
4.	Bibhutibhushan Ray ...	Pabna Zilla School.
5.	Phanibhushan Pathak ...	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
6.	Jagadishchandra Bhattacharyya	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Sailendranath Maulik ...	Pabna Institution.
8.	Kumud Bandhu Chakrabarty ...	Feni High School.
	Dhirendranath Laha ...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Kaliprasad Ghosh ...	Ditto ditto.

B. 34 second grade scholarships of Rs. 15 a month each.

TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Sasadhar Goswami ...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
2.	Amarendranath Basu ...	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
3.	Bimalchandra Mitra ...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
4.	Matindradeb Das ...	South Suburban School. Bhowanipur.
	Chapalakanta Bhattacharyya ...	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
6.	Praphullakumar Sarkar ...	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

1.	Anilchandra Bandyopadhyay	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
2.	Khondkar Golam Murshid ...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.
3.	Biswanath Bhattacharyya ...	Harinavi A. S. School.
4.	Kalipada Dasgupta, I ...	Kalia R. H. E. School.
5.	Hariprasad Chattopadhyaya ...	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
6.	Rabindrachandra Guha ...	Ditto.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1.	Praphullakumar Chattopadhyay	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
2.	Narayanchandra Ghosh ...	Wesleyan Collegiate School.
3.	Pareschandra Datta ...	Howrah Zilla School.
4.	Sukumar Sen	Burdwan Municipal School.
5.	Rakhahari Chattopadhyay ...	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
6.	Dibakar Mukhopadhyay ...	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.

DACCA DIVISION.

1.	Phanindra Mohan Mitra	...	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
2.	Jogischandra Chakrabarty	...	Faridpur Zilla School.
	Usakanta Guha	...	Ditto.
4.	Taranikumar Ray	...	Kisori Lal Jubilee School, Dacca.
5.	Pareschandra Chakrabarty	...	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
6.	Susobhanchandra Sarkar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1.	Baradaprasad Brahma	...	Comilla Zilla School.
2.	Mizanur Rahaman	..	Nabinagar H. E. School.
3.	Niranjan Pal	...	Chittagong Municipal School.
4.	Manoranjan Dasgupta	...	Ditto.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1.	Kumudinikanta Chakrabarty	...	Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
2.	Harakumar Chakrabarty	...	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy
3.	Surajitchandra Lahiri	...	Pabna Zilla School.
4.	Sudhirchandra Ray	...	Dinajpur Zilla School.
5.	Mahtab Uddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
6.	Monsural Rahman	...	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.

C. 65 third grade scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Radhadamodar Bakshi	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
2.	Charuchandra Basu	...	Hare School, Calcutta.
3.	Azizul Haque	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
4.	Sudhansukumar Basu	...	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
5.	Amulyacharan Mitra	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
6.	Sudhirkumar Sen	...	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Umapada Nandi	...	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Bijaygopal Gangopadhyay	...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	Subodkumar Majumdar	...	St Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	Syamaprasad Mukhopadhyay	...	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur.
11.	Dhirendranath Ray	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
12.	Debabrata Mallik	...	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.

24-PARGANAS.

1.	Krishnachandra Maitra	...	Taki Government School.
2	Bhupendranath Basu	...	Bishtupur H. E. School.
3.	Debidas Brahma	...	Naihati Mohendra School.
4.	Lalitmohan Mandal	...	Bishtupur H. E. School

NADIA DISTRICT.

1.	Nrisinhaprasad Sen	...	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
2.	Dhirendranath Sinha	...	Ditto.

MURSHIDABAD DISTRICT.

1.	Bhabeschandra Bandyopadhyay.		Khagra L. M. S. School.
2.	Manomohan Sen	...	Krishnath Collegiate School. Berhampur.

JESSORE DISTRICT.

1. Satischandra Ray ... Kalia R. H. E. School.
2. Saratchandra Ghosh ... Bangaon H. E. School.

KHULNA DISTRICT.

1. Jogeschandra Basu ... Daulatpur H. E. School.
2. Janardan Chakrabarty ... Senhati High School.

BURDWAN DISTRICT.

1. Bimalacharan Chakrabarty ... Ukhara H. E. School.
2. Adityanath Bandyopadhyay ... Ukhra B. B. H. E. School.

BIRBHUM DISTRICT.

1 Kaliraman Bhattacharyya ... Labpur J. L. H. E. School.

BANKURA DISTRICT.

1. Jogeschandra Bandyopadhyay Wesleyan Collegiate School.
2. Ramranjan Mukhopadhyay ... Bankura Hindu H. E. School.

MIDNAPUR DISTRICT.

1. { Rashbihari Bankura ... Tamluk Hamilton High School.
   { Sajanikanta Bhaumik ... Ditto.
3. Nagendranath Sinha ... Garbeta H. E. School.

HOOGHLY DISTRICT.

1. Dhirendrachandra Kumar ... Arambagh H. E. School.
2. Nandadulal Das ... Chatra Nandalal Institution.

HOWRAH DISTRICT.

1. Sailendranath Chattopadhyay... F. R. Belilios Institution.

DACCA DISTRICT.

1. { Kalipada Basu ... Dacca Collegiate School.
   { Phanibhusan Chanda ... Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
3. Hiralal Saha ... Rowile High School, Dacca.
4. Prabhucharan Guhathakurta ... Ukil's Institution, Dacca.

MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.

1. Herambanath Bhattacharyya ... City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
2. Abdus Samed ... Kisorganj H. E. School.
3. Bhupendrakumar Som ... Dhalla H. E. School.

FARIDPUR DISTRICT.

1. Prasantakumar Haldar ... Madaripur H. E. School.
2. Kiranbihari Ghosh ... Bhanga High School.

BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.

1.	Mahendranath De	... Jhalakati Government High School.
2.	Hirendranath Guha	... Banaripar Union Institution.
3.	Debendranath Chakrabarty	... Patuakhali J. H. E. School.

CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.

1.	Dhirendralal Nandi	... Chittagong Municipal School.
2.	Jagatbandhu De	... Patiya High School.

TIPPERA DISTRICT

1.	Digindranath Datta	... Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Prabodhkumar Bhattacharyya	Nabinagar H. E. School.

NOAKHALI DISTRICT.

1.	Dineschandra Guha	... Arun Chandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
2.	Md. Ershad	... Noakhali Zilla School.

CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.

1.	Chandramohan Dewan	... Rangamati H. E. School.

RAJSHAHI DISTRICT.

1.	Akshaykumar Mandal	... Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
2.	Nareschandra Sarkar	... Nator Maharaja's High School.

DINAJPUR DISTRICT.

1.	Praphullachandra De	... Balurghat H. E. School.

JALPAIGURI AND DARJEELING DISTRICTS.

1.	Sadarali Ahamed	... Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
2.	Abaninath Bhattacharyya	... Ditto.

RANGPUR DISTRICT.

1.	Alim Uddin Khan	... Saidpur H. E. School.
2.	Ismail Mondal	... Gaibanda H. E. School.

BOGRA DISTRICT.

1.	Sachindrakumar Mazumdar	... Bogra Zilla School.

PABNA DISTRICT.

1.	Nirmalchandra Dasgupta	... Pabna Zilla School.

MALDA DISTRICT.

1. Praphullachandra Chakrabarty — Malda Zilla School.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR ABORIGINES IN BANKURA, BIRBHUM AND MIDNAPUR DISTRICTS.

1. Madhusudan Hembram ... Bankura Zilla School.

EVAN E. BISS,

Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th October 1917.*

NOTICE.

THE BIHAR AND ORISSA MEDICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

THE ensuing examinations of the Board will commence on Monday, the 26th of November 1917, simultaneously at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore, and the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack. Applications, accompanied with the prescribed fees, will be received by the Secretary up to Saturday, the 17th of November 1917, from candidates desirous of appearing at the examinations.

2. The order of examination for the written portion will be according to the following time-table:—

PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Anatomy.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physiology.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Materia Medica.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physics and Chemistry.

FINAL EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Medicine.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Surgery.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Midwifery.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Medical Jurisprudence.
Wednesday,	28th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Hygiene and Vaccination.
„	28th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Pathology.

The oral and practical examinations will commence at Cuttack on Monday, the 3rd of December 1917, on conclusion of which they will be taken up at Bankipore. The time-table for the oral and practical examinations will be notified beforehand at each centre, through the Superintendents of the respective Medical Schools.

I. H. ELIAS,

Secretary, Bihar and Orissa Medical Examination Board.

RANCHI SECRETARIAT,

The 22nd October 1917.

Result Statement of the Final Title Course (3rd-year class) Examination held in March 1917.

CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

(Arranged in order of merit.)

First Division.

1 Muhd. Jamil Ansari.
2 Abdul Haq.
3 Abu Tahir.

Second Division.

4 Syed Fazlul Haq.
5 Arifullah.

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Registrar, Central Examination of Bengal Madrasahs.

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CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

(Arranged in order of merit)

First Division.

1 Abul Ula Md. Nurullah.
2 Md. Habibur Rahman.
3 Md. Hashim.
4 Maqbul Ahmad.
5 Sharfuddin Ahmad (English and Persian).
6 Rahimullah.
7 Abdul Hamid, II.
8 Md. Salamatullah.
9 Serajuddin Ahmad. / Abdul Ghani. / Md. Abdur Rahman, II.
12 Muhd. Alam.
13 Rashidur Rahman.
14 Mujibul Haq.
15 Md. Abul Hasan.
16 Md. Shamsul Haq.
17 Md. Abdul Ghafur.
18 Ali Altaf Abdus Sub-han Chaudhry.
19 Abdul Hamid, I (English and Persian).
20 Md. Abdul Jabbar.
21 Md. Khalilullah.
22 Md. Nematullah (English).
23 Syed Muazzam Husain (English).

Second Division.

24 Ambar Ali.
25 Abul Hafiz Md. Tahir Chaudhry (English). / Syed Md. Ismail, I.
27 Mat-haruddin Ahmad (English.)
28 Md. Atiqullah.
29 Md. Mukhlisur Rahman.
30 Md. Abdul Majid.
31 Md. Umar. / Md. Aminullah.
33 Abdul Majid.
34 Md. Abbas Ali (English).
35 Fazlul Karim.

Third Division.

36 Abu Nasr Md. Hasan (English).
37 Abdun Nur.
38 Fazlur Rahman.
39 Ahmad Ali.
40 Abul Mubarrat Md. Saghir Ahmad.
41 Md. Mufizur Rahman.
42 Mulla Md. Abdur Rahman. / Md. Ismail, II.
44 Farman Ali.
45 Abul Fazl Md. Musa. / Md. Abdul Aziz.
47 Abdul Wahid.

PRIVATE CANDIDATES.

First Division.

1. Abul Fazl Md. Muinuddin

Second Division.

2 Mir Sadullah Md. Abdul Hai.
3 Safdar Husain.
4 Md. Ansarullah.

Third Division.

5 Syed Ahmad.
6 Abdul Jalil.

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CALCUTTA MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Nasir Ahmad.
2 Ibrahim Ali (English and Persian).
3 Muhd. Habibullah, II.
4 Md. Habibullah, I.
5 Abdul Wahhab (Section A).
6 Abdul Majid (Section B).
7 Muhammad Khan.
8 Muhd. Abul Mansur.
9 Md. Khabiruddin Ahmad.
10 Muhd. Abul Husain.

Second Division.

11 Muhd. Musharaf Ali.
12 Muhd. Azizur Rahman
Muhd. Faizul Haq.
14 Sharfuddin Ahmad.
15 Md. Siddiq Ahmad.
16 Abdul Awwal.
Md. Murtaza (English).
18 Abul Mahmud (English).
19 Abul Haris Sadruddin Muhammad (English).
20 Md. Abul Qasim, II (English).
Abul Malik Zahiruddin.
22 Gholam Rahman.

Third Division.

23 Md. Sa-idur Rahman.
24 Md. Ibrahim (Section B).
Abdul Ghani (Section B).
Muhd. Yakub (Section A) (English).
Md. Khaliluddin.
Syed Md. Nurul Haq.
29 Iskandar Ahmad, I.
Abul Khayr Md. Is-haq.
31 Md. Lutfur Rahman (Section B).
Nur Ahmad.
33 Abul Ihsan Md. Mahbubur Rahman.
34 Shaikh Ahmad.
Md. Iradat Husain.
36 Md. Zahurul Haq.
Md. Abdul Wahhab (Section B).
Md. Nurul Islam.
Iskandar Ahmad, II.
40 Abdus Samad.
41 Md. Abdul Wahid, I.
42 Raihanuddin Khan.
Md. Abdul Ghafur.
44 Md. Abdul Ghani, I (Section A) (English).
45 Abul Bashar Md. Adam Khan.
Md. Hasan.
47 Wajid Ali.
48 Md. Rahim Bukhsh.
49 Md. Tariqullah.

PRIVATE CANDIDATES.

Second Division

1 Md. Abdul Khaliq.
Md. Hasibul Hasan.
3 Syed Mushtaq Ahmad.

Third Division.

4 Amir Husain.
5 Md. Alimuddin.
6 Md. Bashiruddin.

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HOOGHLY MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Husamuddin.
2 Md. Fazlur Rahman.
3 Abu Raihan Md. Abdul Hakim Khan.
4 Mufizul Haq.

Second Division.

5 Mir Abdus Salam.
6 Qasimuddin. Muhd. Yusuf.
8 Hafizuddin Ahmad.
9 Shafiuddin.

Third Division.

10 Qazi Abdul Hakim.
11 Md. Abdul Munim.
12 Fazlul Kabir.
13 Muslehuddin Ahmad.
14 Faizuddin Ahmad.

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HOOGHLY MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Zill Ahmad.
2 Md. Abdul Latif (English and Persian).

Second Division.

3 Abu Abdus Samad Lall Muhammad.
4 Md. Abdul Jalil, I (English and Persian).
5 Md. Izharul Haq.
6 Md. Abdur Rahman.
7 Sahibzada Bahadur Shah (English)

Third Division..

8 Md. Najmul Haq.
9 Md. Abdul Wahid.
10. Md. Abdus Sattar (English).

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SASARAM MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

Second Division.

1. Ahmad Husain.

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FURFURA MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

Second Division.

1. Md. Hashim.

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FURFURA MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

Third Division.

1. Md Shafi.

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CHITTAGONG MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Ismail.
2 Badiur Rahman, I.
3 Nawabur Rahman.
4 Zainul Abedin.
5 Abdul Qadir.
6 Abul Khair.

Second Division.

7 Badiur Rahman, II.
8 Tamizuddin.
9 Abu Abdul Haq.
10 Saidur Rahman.
11 Niyazur Rahman.
12 Abul Khair Md. Salamatullah.
13 Nurul Haq.

Third Division.

14 Abdur Rahman.
15 Md. Sadullah.
16 Md. Is-haq.
17 Md. Danish.
18 Kalimullah.

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DACCA MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of Merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Muslehuddin.
2 Md. Abdul Aziz.
3 Abul Khair Md. Abdul Jabbar.
4 Abdul Ghafur
5 Md. Is-haq (Tippera).
6 Abdul Hamid.

Second Division.

7 { Md. Israil.
  Usman Ghani.
9 Md. Is-haq (Hajiganj).
10 { Mahtabuddin.
  Wajihullah.
12 { Md. Ayyub.
  Md. Abdul Wahid.
  Ahmad Ali.
15 { Md. Aqil Ali.
  Karamat Ali (Barisal).
  Hafiz Nur Muhammad.
  Syed Abdul Hai (Salawar).
19 { Abul Khair Muhammad.
  Gholam Kabir.

Third Division.

21 Abdul Majid (Noakhali).
22 Abdul Majid (Comilla).
23 { Fazlur Rahman (Tezkhali)
  Md. Abdul Bari.
25 Md. Yunus Khan.
26 { Abdul Majid (Dacca).
  Riyazuddin.
28 Safdar Ali.
29 { Md. Abdul Hai (Shahpur).
  Md. Usman Ali.
31 Md. Abdul Jabbar (Tangail).
32 Md. Idris.
33 { Abu Said Asaduzzaman.
  Raisuddin.

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SITAKUND MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

Second Division.

1 Gholam Rahman, II.
2 Abdul Aziz.

Third Division.

3 Gholam Majid.
4 Gholam Rahman, I.
5 Abdul Wahhab.

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HUSAMIAH MADRASAH, COMILLA.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Yasin.

Second Division.

2 { Daulat Ahmad
  Abdus Samad.
4 Altaf Ali.
5 Ali A'zam.
6 Ramizuddin.
7 Jamal Khan.

Third Division.

8. Abul Makarim.
9 Md. Is-mail.

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AHMADIAH MADRASAH, NOAKHALI.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Fazlul Karim.
2 Bashirullah, II.
3 Abdur Rahman.
4 Abdul Aziz.
5 Md. Is-mail.
6 Md. Aslam.
7 Hafizullah.

Second Division.

8 Abdul Haq.
9 Abdul Latif.
Lutfur Rahman.
11 Velayet Husain.
12 Ali A'zam.
13 Md. Abdul Qadir, I.
Fazlur Rahman, II.
15 Ahmadur Rahman.
16 Bashirullah, I.
17 Abdul Ghani.
18 Abdul Ghafur.

Third Division.

19 Md. Mabarak Ali.
20 Habibullah.
21 Abdul Qayyum.
22 Fazlur Rahman, I.
23 Mumtazuddin.
24 Md. Sabir.
25 Md. Asghar Ali.

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HAMMADIAH MADRASAH, DACCA.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Abdul Wahid.

Second Division.

2 Md. Abdul Jabbar (Islamabadi.).
3 Md. Tahiruddin.
4 Abul Husain.
5 Abu Sa'id Md. Abdush Shahid.
6 Zahiruddin Ahmad.
7 Hafizuddin.
8 Serajul Haq.

Third Division.

9 Azizur Rahman.
10 Md. Abdul Hamid, I.
11 Abdul Majid.
12 Md. Hasan Ali
13 Ahmad Husain.
14 Aminul Haq.
15 Md. Muzaffar Husain.
16 Zainul Abedin.
17 Md. Dalilur Rahman.
18 Rahasuddin.

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SERAJGANJ MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit]

Second Division.

1 Saman Ali.
2 Majid Ali.
3 Abdul Ghani.
4 Serajul Haq.

Third Division.

5 Hafizuddin, I.
6 Tahiruddin. / Jasimuddin.
8 Abdus Sattar. / Naimuddin.
10 Syed Mazharul Haq.
11 Muinuddin, II.
12 Sikandar Ali

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BASHIRIAH AHMADIAH MADRASAH, NOAKHALI.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Nur Ahmad.
2 Abdur Rouf.

Third Division.

3 Zainuddin.

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CHITTAGONG MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Abdul Majid.
2 Abdul Haq.
3 Abu Said.
4 Salimuddin.
5 Md. Munirullah.
6 Mujibur Rahman.
7 Fazlullah.
8 Md. Ubaidull Haq, I. / Rahimuddin.
10 Abdul Malik.

Second Division.

11 Fauzul Kabir.
12 Abdul Wahhab. / Zahurul Haq.
14 Abul Khair.
15 Nazir Ahmad, I.
16 Md. Yaqub, I. / Md. Faizullah.
18 Sultan Ahmad.
19 Abdul Qayyum.
20 Abdul Wahid, I.
21 Md. Yaqub, II.
22 Zahurul Alam.
23 Rashid Ahmad.
24 Abdus Sabur.

Third Division.

25 Farrukh Ahmad.
26 Aminul Haq.
27 Raihanuddin.
28 Md. A'zamullah.
29 Abdul Hakim, I.
29 Md. Muslehuddin.
31 Fazlur Rahman.

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DACCA MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Wafi.
2 Md. Abdul Qadir (Chandpur).
3 Syed Ahmad.
4 Md. Qasim.
5 Abdul Majid (Mymensingh).
6 Md. Shamsuddin.

Second Division.

7 Nawab Ali.
8 Elahi Bakhsh.
8 Mamtazuddin
10 Abdul Qadir (Noakhali).
11 Abul Fazail Burhanuddin.
12 Abdul Hamid (Mymensingh).
13 Abdur Rahman.
14 Abu Md. Fazlul Haq.
15 A. F. Fazlur Rahman.
16 Abdul Majid (Dacca).
17 Karamat Ali.
18 Tamizuddin Khan.
19 Mutiur Rahman.
19 Md. Asghar.

Third Division.

21 Harisul Haq.
22 Qurban Ali.
23 Badiuzzaman.
24 Mehrullah.
25 Abul Hasan.
26 Shamsul Haq.
27 Abdul Majid (Shibpur).
28 Mufizuddin.
29 Md. Safdar Husain.
30 Nizamuddin.
31 Sikandar Ali (Barisal).

PRIVATE CANDIDATES, DACCA CENTRE.

Second Division.

1 Md. Mahbubullah.
2 Abdul Wahhab.
3 Md. Is-mail.
4 Md. Abdul Jalil.

Third Division.

5 Md. Abdur Razzaq.
5 Md. Karam Ali.
7 Nasiruddin Ahmad.
7 Tofail Ahmad.

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SITAKUND MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Md. Amin.
2 Abdur Rahman.

Second Division.

3 Jalaluddin Mahmud.

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HUSAMIAH MADRASAH, COMILLA.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Abdul Karim.

Second Division.

2 Hasan Ali.
3 Murad Husain.
4 Nur Ahmad.

Third Division.

5 Sharafatullah.
6 Abdul Ali.
6 Laqitullah.
8 Raihanuddin.
9 Abdul Latif.
10 Mabarak Ali.

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HAMMADIAH MADRASAH, DACCA.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Abdus Salam.

Second Division.

2 Tabarak Husain.
3 Md. Hashimuddin, I.
4 Abdul Mabud.
5 Alimuddin, II.
6 Abul Khair Md. Siddiq.

Third Division

7 Mutiur Rahman
8 Mufizuddin, II.
8 Alimuddin, I.
10 Md. Idris.
11 Alimuddin, III.
12 Serajul Haq.
13 Md. Ismail, II.
14 Muhabbat Ali.
15 Ayyub Ali.
16 Hashmat Ali.

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SERAJGANJ MADRASAH.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Muhammad Ali.
2 Abdullah.

Second Division.

3 Abdus Salam.
4 Md. Nazim.
5 Abdur Rouf.
5 Kazimuddin.
7 Baitullah, I.
8 Abdul Aziz.
9 Buzurchemehr.

(Third Division.)

10 Qurban Hasan.
11 Abdur Rahim.
12 Janab Ali.
13 Baitullah, II.
14 Abdul Quddus, I.
15. Qudratullah.

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AHMADIAH MADRASAH, NOAKHALI.

[Arranged in order of merit.]

First Division.

1 Nasimul Haq.
2 Mutiur Rahman.
3 Ali Ahmad.
4 Md. Karamat Ali.
5 Md. Sharif.

Second Division.

6 Nurul Haq, II.
7 Maqbulul Haq.
8 Abdur Rashid, I. / Wali Nah Khan.
10 Aminullah / Abdul Ghafur.
12 Fazlur Rahman, I. / Kafiluddin Ahmad.
14 Sa'adatullah *alias* Suzan Ali.

Third Division.

15 Rahim Bakhsh. / Abdur Rashid, II.
17 Bazlur Rahman.
18 Fariduzzaman.

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BASHIRIAH AHMADIA.I MADRASAH, NOAKHALI.

[Arranged in order of merit]

First Division.

1. Abu Zafar Muhd. Mujibul Haq.

Second Division.

2. Abdul Qadir.
3. Bazlur Rahman.
4. Faizullah.

Third Division.

5. Md. Kalimullah.
6. Md. Muzzammilul Haq.
7. Muhd. Umar.
8. Rahmatullah.

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Registrar, Central Examination of Bengal Madrasahs.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Matriculation Examination held in August, 1917 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

	A. Abdur Rauf	16-5	Calcutta Madrassah.
	A. A. Najib Ashraf Syed	16-4	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	A. Ainul Haque	17-1	Gaya Zila School.
	Abbas Ali Ahamed	23-6	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Abbas Ali Ahmed	20-3	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	Abdar Rabban	18-1	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	Abdul Ali Choudhury	19	Sylhet Government High School.
	Abdul Audud Mian	17	Tangail Bindhubasini High School.
	Abdul Azim Mollah	18-2	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
10	Abdul Aziz	18-9	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	16-1	Bangora, Umalochan H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	19-5	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	16-8	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Abdul Aziz	17-3	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	19-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Abdul Aziz Behary	20-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	Abdul Aziz Joardar	19-1	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz Khan	20	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Abdul Aziz Khan	18-11	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
20	Abdul Aziz Pramanik	17-2	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz Talukdar	18-4	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Peltali.
	Abdul Baqui	16-3	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Abdul Basit	18-2	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Abdul Gaffur	20-7	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	Abdul Gani	20-7	Barisal Zila School.
	Abdul Gani	18	Purnea „ „
	Abdul Ghaffar	18-7	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Abdul Ghaffar Subhani	20-1	Govt. Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Abdul Ghafur	18	Patna City School.
30	Abdul Ghafur Gazi	17-1	Govt. Mo-lem H. E. School, Dacca
	Abdul Ghani	17-9	Muradnagar Durgaram H. E. School.
	Abdul Ghoni	21-1	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdul Goffer Dewan	19-8	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	Abdul Gofoor	18-1	Feni High School.
	Abdul Gofur	19-11	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdul Goni	20-10	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Abdul Guffar	16-2	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Abdul Hadi	16-11	Armenitola Govt. High School.
	Abdul Hafeez	17-2	Darbhanga North Brook School.
40	Abdul Hafiz	18-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy Bankipur.
	Abdul Hai	19-11	Kasba H. E. School.
	Abdul Hakim	17-9	W. H. E School, Supaul.
	Abdul Hakim Choudhury	19-8	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Abdul Halim	21-3	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 52.
	Abdul Halim	17-7	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Abdul Hamid Khan	16-1	Arrah K. J. Academy.
	Abdul Hannan Khan	18-10	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Haque	23-1	Ukils' Institution, Dacca.
	Abdul Haque	19	Monghyr Zila School.
0	Abdul Haque	18-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Abdul Haque Khan	16-7	Dacca Pagose School
	Abdul Hasib Khan	17-2	Kaligunj R. R. N. H. E. School.

	Abdul Hasaib Abou Azhar	.	17-1	Taltala High School.
	Abdul Jabbar	.	19-6	Araria H. E. School.
	Abdul Jabbar, I	.	17-1	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Jabbar, II	.	17-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Jalil	.	18-1	Chittagong Govt. Moslem High School.
	Abdul Jubber	.	18-11	Barasat Govt. School.
	Abdul Kader	.	20-8	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
60	Abdul Karim	.	16-1	Donough Govt. High School, Jamalpore.
	Abdul Khair	.	18-11	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Abdul Khaleque	.	20-1	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdul Khalik	.	16-5	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Abdul Khaliq	.	20-4	Monghyr Zila School.
	Abdulla Khan	.	16-3	Jangipur H. E. School.
	Abdulmajed Khanchoudhury	.	23-6	Babulia J. S. H. E. School.
	Abdul Majid	.	21-11	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Abdul Majid Khan	.	22-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Abdul Majid Khan	.	21-9	Jalpaiguri Zila School
70	Abdul Majid Khan, II	.	17	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Abdul Malek	.	19-1	Araihazar H. E. School.
	Abdul Malek Khadin	.	21	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	Abdul Maleque	.	17	Jhalakati Govt. High School.
	Abdul Mannan	.	19-6	Feni High School.
	Abdul Masawir Choudhury	.	18-2	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Abdul Mazid	.	21-2	Private Student, Roll Com., P. 4.
	Abdul Momin Khadim	.	17-2	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Abdul Monem	.	16-6	Chittagong Collegiate School
	Abdul Munim Chowdhury	.	17	Sylhet Govt High School.
80	Abdul Nabi Khan	.	17-9	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Abdulnoor Laskar	.	18-7	Sarail Annada H. E. School
	Abdul Quader	.	18-11	Comilla Zila School.
	Abdul Quadir	.	17-6	Monghyr Zila School.
	Abdul Quddus	.	16-10	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Abdul Rahaman Molla	.	19-1	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	Abdul Rajjak	.	17-3	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	Abdul Rashid Khan	.	18-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Abdul Waheb Miyan	.	16-8	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdul Wahed	.	18-9	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
90	Abdul Wahed	.	23-6	Teacher, Roll Bar, T. 4.
	Abdul Wahed Khan	.	16-2	Rangpur Zila School.
	Abdul Wadud	.	16-10	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Abdul Wakil Khan	.	16-1	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Zahir	.	16-9	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Abdur Rahman	.	18-1	Malda Zila School.
	Abdur Rahman	.	20-10	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Abdur Rahman	.	18-11	Satkania H. E School.
	Abdur Rahman	.	17-5	Lonsing H. E. School.
	Abdur Rahman Ahmad	.	19-4	P. M. Academy, Katak.
100	Abdur Rahman Khan	.	18-11	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Abdur Rahaman Miah	.	19-7	Datta Para Ramratan H. E. School.
	Abdur Rahim	.	24	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Abdur Rahim Khan Chowdhury	.	18	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Abdur Rasul	.	18-1	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	Abdur Rauf	.	16-7	Monghyr Zila School.
	Abdur Razzaq	.	19-1	M. Mohomedia Randeria High School, Rangoon.
	Abdur Razzaque Ahmed	.	17-6	Ramgopalpur P. J K. High School.
	Abdur Razzaque Khan	.	16-2	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Abdur Rouf	.	18-2	Chittagong Municipal School.
110	Abdur Rub	.	16-11	Taltala High School.
	Abdur Salam Khan	.	19-3	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Abdus Samad	.	16-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Abdus Samed	.	17-11	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	Abdus Sattar Tarafder	.	16-2	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Abdus Sobhan	.	16-7	Comilla Zila School.

	Abdus Subhan	16-11	Malda Zila School.
	Abidur Rahman	16-9	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Abil Hossain	17-4	Baburhat H. E. School.
	A. B. Md. Abdus Salam	20-9	Sitakunda H. E. School.
120	A. B. M. Moazzem Hossain	16-1	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Aboo Sayeed	19-3	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Aboul Khair Mohammad Hossain	20-11	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Abu Ahamed Mazhar Ali	16-5	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Abu Isa Mahmed Masiha	16-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Abul Fazal Badrazzaman	16-4	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	Abul Fazl Md. Ihsan Khan	16-5	Rangoon Government High School.
	Abul Hashem Khan	20-2	Bhola Govt. High School.
	Abul Hasun Abdul Bagi	17-6	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Abul Kasem	20	Pirojpur Government High School.
130	Abu Md. Abedali	19-1	Salap H. E. School.
	Acharyya, Atulchandra	19-4	Nakol R. C. Institution.
	,, Atulchandra	23-10	Teacher, Roll Mid. T. I.
	,, Banchhanidhi	20	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,, Bholanath	17-6	Syambazar Vidasagar School.
	,, Gopalchandra	16-11	Panditsar H. E. School.
	,, Jogindranarayan	16-1	Chaibasa Zila School.
	,, Jajneswar	16-1	Barisal Broja Mohan Institution.
	,, Narendranath	18-1	Palong H. E. School.
	,, Nityananda	22-3	Paschimgoan Badarunnessa High School.
140	,, Rabindranath	21-3	Tala B. De Institution.
	,, Rajendrachandra	20-6	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Sarbeswar	17-8	Mohisadal Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sarojranjan	17-11	Kushtia H. E School.
	,, Shreegopal	18-7	Sree Visudhanand Saraswatty Vidalaya.
	,, Taraprasanna	17-1	Banagram Century Institution.
	Acharyyachaudhuri, Bhupendranarayan.	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Adalat Sinha	16-2	Chapra Zila School.
	Adhikari, Akhilchandra	17-9	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,, Basudeb	18-6	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
150	,, Dwijendranath	18-8	Jamsherpur B. N. High School.
	,, Hrishikes	20-1	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,, Harekrishna	18-1	Bangaon H. E. School.
	,, Kanailal	17-3	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,, Khagendranath	16-3	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	,, Nabinchandra	18-2	Comilla Zila School
	,, Nripendrabhushan	17-4	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	,, Radhikacharan	18-9	Private Student Roll Bar. P. 6.
	,, Ramnarayan	20-9	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,, Sachinandandas	16-5	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
160	,, Satyendranath	16-11	Patna Institution.
	,, Saurendramohan	16-5	Dumkal H. E. School.
	,, Sureschandra	16-3	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	Adhya, Charuchandra	18-1	Kumar Radha Prasad Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Ganeschandra	18-2	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,, Gopendramohan	17	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,, Golokbihari	16-2	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	,, Isanchandra	17-11	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	,, Purnachandra	18-7	Salkia A. S. School.
	Aditya, Girijamohan	16-4	Karimganj Govt. High School.
170	Aditya Prasad	18-2	Arrah Town School.
	A. F. Habibar Rahman	22	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	A. F. M. Murshid Ali	21-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Aftabuddin Ahmed	18-11	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Aftab-ud-Din Ahmed	17-3	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Aftabuddin Ahmed	16-2	Dhalla H. E. School.
	Afzal Hossain Miah	17-4	Bogra Zila School.
	Ahadali Mandal	17-2	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	Ahasan Ali	16-7	Bhola Govt. High School.

	Ahasanullah Khan . . .	18	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
180	Ahmad	18-3	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Ahmad	18-1	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	Ahmad Ahad	23-2	Saran Academy, Chapra
	Ahmed Ali	17-4	Raipura R K. R. M. Institution.
	Ahmed Hossain	17-3	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Ahmed Mahtabuddin . . .	18-5	Kushtia H E. School.
	Ahmed Raza	16-1	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Ahsan Ali	22-1	Foley Rajput High School.
	Aich Kamalaprasad . . .	19-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
	Aijaddin Talukder . . .	18-11	Madaripur H. E. School.
190	Ainal Hoque Khan . . .	17-1	Sathkhira Prannath H. E. School.
	Akhowri Rekheshwariprasad Sinha. .	17-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Akhtar Hasan	16-9	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	A. K. M. Fokharuddin Ahmad .	16	Barisal Zilla School.
	A. K. Serajuddin Ahmed . .	16-3	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	A K. Sirajuddin Ahmad . .	16-7	Com lla Zilla School.
	Ali Ahmad Khan	18-11	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Ali Ahmed	20-8	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Ali Ahamed Khan	17-2	Shyamagram Mahinikisor H. E. School.
	Ali Akhtar	18-1	Private Student Roll Chap. P. 2.
200	Alial Haque	21-4	Barasat Government School.
	Ali Azim	18-5	Patna City School.
	Ali Didar	16-5	Barasat Government School.
	Ali Hafez	18-11	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	Ali Hossain	16-6	Comilla Zilla School.
	Ali Imam	18-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Ali Irshad	21-6	Ditto.
	Ali Karim	16-3	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
	Ali Miah	17-11	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Alim Uddin Khan . .	16-8	Saidpur H. E. School.
210	Ali Nawab	17-1	Chapra Zilla School.
	Alokuddin Ahmed . . .	20	Mekliguni H. E. School
	Amanuddin	17-4	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Altaf Ahmad Abbasi . . .	17-8	B. N Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Aminuddin	16-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Aminuddin Ahamed . . .	18-11	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca
	Aminuddin Ahmed . . .	19-11	Narayanganj H E. School.
	Amir Bahadur . . .	17	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Amirul Islam	17-7	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Amir Hossain . . .	17-11	Barisal Zila School.
220	Amir Hossain Ahmed . . .	17	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Amjad Ali Biswas . . .	16-2	Jangipur H. E. School.
	Amos Hembrom	18-1	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh
	A. Mozaffer	16-2	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	Anant Mishra	17-7	Madhepur Coronation H. E School.
	Anant Prasad Sinha . .	18-6	B N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Ansar Ali	16	Araihazar H. E. School.
	Anwaral Haque	16-11	Barasat Government School.
	Anwar Ali	18-2	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	Anwarul Hasan	16-5	Calcutta Madrassah.
230	Anwar Hussein	18	Jorhat Government High School.
	Arjan Ali	19-1	Silchar Government High School.
	Arjun Sinha	20-1	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Artinath Jha	16-11	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Arzan Ullah	18-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Asaruddin Ahmad	16-11	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Aseruddin Hawlader . . .	22-2	Banaripara Union Institution.
	Ash, Amulyakrishna . . .	17-1	Kalishpur H. E. School.
	Ashfaq Husain	20-9	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
240	Ashraf Ali	17-6	Feni High School.
	Ashraff Ali	21-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	Ashrafuddin Choudhury . . .	16-5	Habiganj Government High School.
	A. S. Madheo Moodliar . . .	21-7	B. N. Railway Indian H. E. School, Kharagpur.

	Atabuddin Sarkar	19-5	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	Atorthy, Bisweswar	16-4	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Herambachandra	16-4	Ditto.
	,, Nibaranchandra	17-6	itto.
	Aung Gywe	17-9	Rangoon Government High School
	Avadha Kisora Sahaya Varma	16-7	Palamau Zila School.
	Awadhesh Kumar	17-2	Arrah Zilla School.
250	Awadh Kishore	18-9	Private Student Roll Pat. P. 6.
	Aw. Joo Sein	16-9	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon
	Ayenuddin Ahamed	20-5	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	Ayen-ul Islam	19-6	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	A. Y. Md. Fyazul Islam	18-2	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca
	Ayodhya Prasad	16-1	Mission High School, Katak.
	Ayub Ali	19-10	Silchar Government High School.
	Ayubnabi Sarkor	17-4	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School
	Aziz Ahmad	19-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Aziz Ahmad	18-10	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
260	Aziz Ahmad	20-7	Kishanganj H. E. School.
	Azizal Haque	16-1	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	Azizal Haque Mallik	19-1	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Aziz Hasan	16-2	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Azizor Rahaman	18	Rangpur Zila School.
	Aziz Uddin Haider	19-5	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Azizul Haque	17-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Azizur Rahaman	18-7	Idilpur H. E. School.
	Azizur Rahaman Osmany	17-5	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	Bachu Lal	17-6	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
270	Badiazzaman	25-1	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Badiyajjaman Ahmed	17-4	Debigunj N. N. H. E. School.
	Badri Lal	18-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Badri Nath Sinha	18-10	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Badri Narayan Lal	19-6	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Badriprasad, H	20-?	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Badruddin Ahmed Azmir	17-9	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Badshauddin Miah	19-11	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	Bagh, Atulkrishna	17-1	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Dulalchandra	18-2	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
280	,, Gurudas	17-2	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Jogendranath	20	Midnapur Hindu School.
	Bagchi, Abinaschandra	18-8	Netrakona Dutt High School
	,, Dhirendranath	16-3	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Jajneswar	16-5	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,, Kalicharan	19-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Kalipada	16-8	Meherpur H. E. School.
	,, Kamakhyacharan	17-3	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Nanigopal	16-10	Benipur H. E. School.
	,, Nikhilchandra	18-4	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
290	,, Pitambar	20-2	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Bagiswari Pd.	16-11	Chapra Zila School.
	Ba Htin	18-2	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Baidyanath Prasad	16	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Baidyanath Prasad	16-7	Araria H. E. School.
	Baidyanath Prasad Deo	19-3	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	Baikunth Nath	16-8	Arrah Zila School.
	Baikunthnath Sarma	21-11	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Baisyasaha, Raicharan	16-6	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Bajpai, Charles Theophilus	17-11	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
300	Bajpeyi, Muralidhar	20-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	Ba Kin	18-9	Rangoon St John's College.
	Baksi, Charuchandra	16-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,, Debnath	16-7	Ikra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Gatikrishna	17-1	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,, Haranchandra	18-6	Barisal Zila School.
	,, Rabindramohan	17	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Radhadamodar	16-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Ba Kun	21-7	Teacher, Roll Mand. T. 5.

	Ba Kyine	18-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
310	Ba Kywa	22-1	Private Student Roll Bas. P. I.
	Bal, Harianauda	18	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Hemkamal	18-7	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Lalitkumar	19-11	Jhalakati Govt. High School.
	,, Tinkari	17-6	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution
	,, Mathuranath	18-2	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	,, Mohinimohan	21	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Saratchandra	23-1	Nandigram Carmichael Institution.
	Bala Purnachandra	16-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Sudhanwakumar . . .	19-1	Fakura Madanmohan Academy.
320	Balaram Prasad	16-3	Gaya Zila School.
	Baldeo Prasad	18-6	Matihari Zila School.
	Baldeo Sinha	17-2	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Baldeva Misra . . .	21-7	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Balgovind Sahai	19-1	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	Balkrishna Sahay	17-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	Ballabh, Satyakinkar . . .	23-8	Rayna H. E School
	Balmik Prasad	17-8	Mukherjee's Seminary, Muzaffarpur
	Balmunshi, Rajanikanta . .	21-3	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	Bam Bahadur Prasad . . .	20-7	Govt. Aided H. E. School Muzaffarpur.
330	Ba Mu	18	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Bandyopadhyay, Abanidhar . .	17-11	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Abanimohan . .	16-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Abhiram . .	16-2	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,, Abinaschandra .	19-7	Faridpur Ishan Institution
	,, Adityanath .	16-5	Ikra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Amarnath . .	16-1	Okersa H. E. School.
	,, Ambikacharan .	18-7	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	,, Amiyabhushan .	16-9	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Amulyabhushan .	19-9	Chinsurah Training Academy.
340	,, Amulyadhan . .	16-7	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	,, Anadikumar . .	18-5	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Anangamohan .	16-2	Kalighat High School.
	,, Anathbandhu .	16-8	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Anilchandra . .	16-11	Nakipur H. C. E. School.
	,, Anilchandra . .	20-11	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Anilkrishna . .	17-11	L. M S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Anukulchandra .	20-4	Janai Training School.
	,, Arabindaksha . .	17-1	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,, Atulkrishna . .	16-7	Serampur Collegiate School.
350	,, Baidyanath . .	16-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Baidyanath . .	19-1	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	,, Baidyanath . .	18-4	Sibpur H C. E. School.
	,, Bamandas . .	20-4	Bagati H. E. School
	,, Banabihari . .	16-11	Bhola Govt High School
	,, Banajkanta . .	17-3	Barisal Zilla School.
	,, Basantakumar .	16-8	Hetampur Raj H E. School.
	,, Bhabeschandra .	17-11	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Bholanath . .	18-1	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Bholanath . .	16-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
360	,, Bhubanmohan .	17	Kesorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Bhujangabhushan .	22	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath .	18-4	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath .	19	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,, Bhutnath . .	18-11	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan .	16-10	Garalgacha H. E. School
	,, Bibhutibhushan .	18-5	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan .	18-11	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,, Bidhubhushan .	16-2	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,, Bijalibhushan .	17-1	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
370	,, Bijaykumar . .	16-8	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,, Bimalkanti . .	17	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,, Binaykrishna . .	19-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Binaykumar . .	17-3	Kesab Academy.
	,, Binaykumar . .	16-8	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.

	Bandyopadhyay,	Birendralal .	18-8	Kalia R. H E. School.
	,,	Biswanath .	17-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Brajendralal .	21-7	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Chandrabhushan	16-4	Taltala High School.
	,,	Chandrakanta .	17	C. M. S. St. John's High School, Krishnagar.
380	,,	Charuchandra .	16	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Chintaharan .	16-2	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Dasarathi .	20-7	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	,,	Dasarathi .	17-3	Gushtia K. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Debabrata .	16-3	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,,	Debendranath	17-3	Kushtia H E. School.
	,,	Debendranath	17-4	Senhati High School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-10	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	19	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	,,	Digendrakumar	19-1	Munshiganj H. E. School.
390	,,	Dineschandra .	17-9	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,,	Durgacharan .	16-6	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	,,	Ganapati .	17	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Girijapati .	19-11	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Girindranath	16-5	Mahestala H. E. School.
	,,	Gopaldas .	16-11	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,,	Gurudas .	17-11	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Gurupada .	16-7	Monghyr Zila School.
	,,	Harakali .	17-11	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Haranchandra .	19-4	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
400	,,	Haraprasad .	16-2	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Harendranath	18-1	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Harendranath	21-1	Singur Mahamaya Institution.
	,,	Haribar .	17-5	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Harimohan .	19-9	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,,	Harinath .	17-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Hemchandra .	19-7	Pabna Zila School.
	,,	Hiranyakumar	16-9	Dacca Collegiate School
	,,	Hirendranath	16-1	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	,,	Jagadischandra	17	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
410	,,	Jagatbandhu	16-11	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Jagatchandra	16-8	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Jatindramohan	16-7	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Jitendrakumar	17-8	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	,,	Jitendramohan	20-10	Barisal Zilla School.
	,,	Jitenkumar .	16-11	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,,	Jogeschandra	16	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Jogeschandra	16-11	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jyotishchandra	16-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalidas .	16	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
420	,,	Kalipada .	16-1	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Kamalakanta .	16-7	Somra D. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kanailal .	17-10	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,,	Kanailal .	16-1	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Kedareswar .	16-5	Kesorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Kesabchandra .	17-9	Jalpaipuri Zila School.
	,,	Kesabchandra .	17-11	Bhandarhati B. M. Institution.
	,,	Khagendranath	16-11	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kirankumar	16-8	Puri Zila School.
	,,	Krishnadhan .	20-11	Serampur Union Institution.
430	,,	Krishnadhan .	18	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Krishnahari .	17-7	Ditto.
	,,	Krishnananda	16-2	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Kshetradas .	18-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Kshirodranjan	18-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Kshitischandra	16-11	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Labanyalekha .		Chota Nagpur Girls' H. School.
	,,	Lalgopal .	20-1	Naldah H. E. School.

	Bandyopadhyay,	Lalitkumar . .	19-3	Siddhakati H E. School.
	,,	Lalitkumar . .	18-6	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsura.
440	,,	Madanmohan . .	17-7	Jangipur H E School.
	,,	Mallinath .	17-5	Rammohan Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	,,	Manimohan .	17-1	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Manindralal . .	17-2	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath .	18	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,,	Manohar .	17-7	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,,	Manomohan .	17-4	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Manomohan . .	18-1	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Murarimohan . .	16-7	Diamond Harbour H. E School.
	,,	Nabakumar . .	17	Bankura Zila School.
450	,,	Nagendranath .	17-4	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	,,	Nakuleswar . .	19	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	,,	Nalinaksha . .	19-7	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Nanigopal . .	17-10	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,,	Narendrnath . .	16	Madaripur H. E School.
	,,	Narendranath .	16-9	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Nareschandra . .	21-3	Lakshmannath H E. School, Balasore.
	,,	Niharkumar .	16-1	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	,,	Nilmadhab	16-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nimaikrishna . .	17	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
460	,,	Nisakar . .	16-2	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	,,	Nripendranath* .	16-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Nutbihari .	16-3	Hare School, Calcutta
	,,	Paritosh . .	16-2	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Pasupati .	19-7	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Patakicharan .	16-7	Calcutta High School.
	,,	Phanindrabhushan .	16-5	St. Calumba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	,,	Prabhakar . .	17-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Prabhaschandra .	16-4	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,,	Prabodhchandra .	18-9	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
470	,,	Pradyotkumar .	16-5	Private Student Roll Ca'. P. 42.
	,,	Pramathanath .	17-3	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullakrishna .	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Praphullakumar .	17	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Praphullakumar .	17	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,,	Prasaddas . .	16-8	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Prasadkumar .	17-5	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Purnenduprakas .	16-11	Bolpur H. E. School
	,,	Rabischandra . .	16-1	Khurda H. E School.
	,,	Rabindranath .	18-4	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
480	,,	Radhakrishna .	16-11	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,,	Rajanimohan .	16-3	Uttarpara Govt High School.
	,,	Rajendralal . .	18-1	Kirtipasa P. K Institution.
	,,	Rajendrarayan .	17-11	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendranath .	17-1	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,,	Rajiblochan . .	16-2	Ram Mohan Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	,,	Rakhalchandra .	17-3	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,,	Ramagati . .	18-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Ramanath . .	17-11	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Ramanimohan .	20-2	Mahestala H. E School.
490	,,	Ramaranjan . .	17-1	Bangaon H. E. School.
	,,	Ramendranath .	17-10	Baharu H. E. School.
	,,	Rammohan . .	19-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	,,	Rasbihari . .	19-3	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Rasmohan . .	18-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School
	,,	Rasmohan . .	17-7	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,,	Sachindramohan .	17-7	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Sachindranath .	17-1	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School
	,,	Sachindranath .	16-6	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.

	Bondopadhyay,	Satischandra	21	Santipur Municipal School.
500	,,	Sailendrachandra	16	Hare School, Calcutta
	,,	Saileskumar	18-2	Fakura Madanmohan Academy.
	,,	Sambhunath	16	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Santoshkumar	17-8	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	,,	Santoshkumar	17-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sasadhar	17-9	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Sasankasekhar	16-2	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Satindrachandra	16-11	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Satyacharan	19-4	Saidpur H. E. School.
	,,	Satyacharan	20-3	Bagati H. E. School.
510	,,	Satyagopal	18	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Satyahari	19-7	Behala H. E. School.
	,,	Satyendranath	19-3	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Sibanath	16-7	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Sisirkanta	16-8	Rai K. P. Pal Bahadur's Sekandarpur Free H. E. School.
	,,	Subodhlal	16	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,,	Sudhamay	16-11	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Sudhamay	19-11	Meherpur H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhansukumar	16-11	Swarnagram R. N H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhansumohan	18-8	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
520	,,	Sudhindrakumar	16-1	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-4	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,,	Surapati	17-4	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,,	Surendrachandra	19	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	20-2	Babulia J. S. H. E. School.
	,,	Susilkumar	17-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Suryyakumar	20	Bowbazar High School.
	,,	Swaprakas	17-1	Santipur Municipal School.
	,,	Syamakanta	17-11	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Tarakumar	19-6	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
530	,,	Tarapada	17-3	Calcutta High School.
	,,	Tarapada	17	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Tulsicharan	18-7	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Tulsicharan	16-3	Konnagar H. E. School.
	,,	Upendranath	16-2	Senhati High School.
	Bania, G. K.		20	St. Anthony's A. V. High School, Kandwaglay.
	Bankey Behari		16-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Bankey Behary Varma		16-9	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Rasbihari Bankura		19-3	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Banik Anantakumar		19-3	Banaripara Union Institution.
540	,,	Basantakumar	19-1	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Jatindramohan	19-1	Donough Govt. High School, Jamalpur.
	,,	Nitaichand	20-2	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Priyabhushan	16-3	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Sribibas	16-10	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Bansidhar Lala		17	Puruila Zila School.
	Matiram Barah		16-8	Noagong, Govt. H. E. School.
	Baral, Baidynath		16-1	Khagra L. M S. School.
	,,	Bijaybhushan	17-2	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Satyacharan	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
550	,,	Satyendranath	17-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	Baranasiprasad	Jhunjhunwala	17-3	Raniganj H. E. School.
	Barat, Chittaranjan		16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prabhatranjan	17-11	Jorasanko High School.
	Bardhan, Chittatosh		16-2	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Debendrachandra	16-10	Ujanchar K N. H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	18-5	J. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Harendrachandra	16-3	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	18-10	Dutta Para Ramratan H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendrachandra	17-3	Kasba, H. E. School.
	,,	Raghunath	18-5	Hare School, Calcutta.

560	Bardhan, Rasbihari	22-1	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	Bardolai, Birendranath	16-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Hemchandra	19-11	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	,, Kamalakanta	17-7	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Barma Rajendranarayan	20-7	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	,, Umananda	19-7	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	Barmanray Amritagopal	17-5	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	Barui, Manmathanath	19-4	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	Baruya, Atulchandra	17-11	Patiya High School.
570	,, Baikunthanath	18-7	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	,, Bangschandra	18-2	Noapara H. E. School
	,, Biman	16	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Dwarikamohan	17-6	Mahamuni Anglo-Pali Institution.
	,, Gunjanan	16	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Jogendralal	16-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Maharaj	20	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,, Muralidhar	18-3	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Phanidhar	18-11	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	Ba Sain	16-10	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
580	Basak, Daibakilal	17-7	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Dulalchand	16-7	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Gaurgopal	19-10	Armenitola Govt. High School
	,, Girindramohan	20	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Golaknath	17	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Gopipada	18-2	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,, Kaliprasanna	17-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Kamalakanta	20-1	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Kisoriballabh	20-4	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Kisorimohan	18-11	Nator Moharaja's High School.
590	,, Madhusudan	16-7	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Manomohan	18	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Naresnath	17-5	Ukil's Institution, Dacca
	,, Nityananda	18-10	Nator Maharaja s High School.
	,, Radhakanta	19-7	Dinajpur H E. School.
	,, Raimohan	17-7	Manikganj H E School.
	,, Ramchandra	18-7	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Surathlal	19-3	Manikgunj H E. School.
	Basharat Ulla	17 2	Noakhali Zila School
	Ba Shin	19-8	Moulmein Govt. High School.
600	Bashiruddin Ahmed	19-11	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	Basishtha, Jogindrakumar	16-6	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,, Rohinikumar	17-6	Ditto.
	,, Syamadas	19-3	Ditto
	Basu, Abanikanta	19-4	Giridih H. E. School.
	,, Abhaypada	17-8	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur,
	,, Abinaschandra	18-9	Faridpur Zila School.
	,, Ajitkumar	19-1	K. M. D. M Institution, Telirbag.
	,, Akshayakumar	16-3	Bhola Government High School.
	,, Amarendranath	20-3	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
610	,, Amarendranath	17-4	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Amiyakumar	18-6	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,, Amiyakumar	16-2	Bongaon H. E. School.
	,, Amulyacharan	16-6	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Anathbandhu	17-3	Lohajang High School.
	,, Anathnath	17	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,, Anilkrishna	18-10	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,, Aswinikumar	16-3	Indas H. E. School.
	,, Baradaprasad	17-6	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Basantakumar	18-5	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
620	,, Bhabesnarayan	16-1	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,, Bhudebchandra	17-2	Rai K. P. Pal Bahadur's Sekandarpur Free H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath	16-2	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Bhupendranath	19-6	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath	17-11	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath	16-1	Bistupur H. E. School.
	,, Bijanbihari	18-11	Baruipara Purna Chandra Institution.
	,, Bijaykrishna	16-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.

	Basu,	Bijaymadhab	20 7	Taki Government School.
	,,	Bimalendubhushan	16-8	Burdwan Municipal School.
630	,,	Bipinbihari	16-11	Dumka Zila School.
	,,	Birendrachandra	20-10	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Birendralal	18	Pingna H E School.
	,,	Bishnupada	18-4	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri. H. E. School.
	,,	Chandicharan	16-7	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,,	Charuchandra	21	Hare School, Calcutta
	,,	Chiraprabha		Chotanagpur Girls' H. School.
	,,	Debakikumar	16-11	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Debendranath	17-8	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	,,	Debendranath	17-2	Khulna Zila School.
640	,,	Debendranath	17-6	Tamluk Hamilton High School
	,,	Debipada	16-4	Metropolitan Institution Calcutta.
	,,	Dhirendranarayan	18-3	Bharenga H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath II	18	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-1	Howrah Zila School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	16-11	Indas H. E. School.
	,,	Digindrakumar	18-10	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Dulalkrishna	16-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Gauriprasad	16-1	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Girindrachandra	17-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
650	,,	Girindrakumar	18-10	Manikganj H E. School.
	,,	Girindranath	19	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School
	,,	Gopalchandra	16-10	Serampur Collegiate School.
	,,	Gosthabihari	16-11	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Haranchandra	16-10	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Harendranath	18-2	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Haripada	17-8	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	,,	Hariprasanna	18-7	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Himansukumar	16-7	Hindu School, Calcutta
	,,	Hirendranath	18-8	Banaripara Union Institution.
660	,,	Jagamohan	17-4	Town School, Calcutta
	,,	Jaminikumar	20-6	Feni High School.
	,,	Jatindrakumar	18	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	16-1	Senhati High School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	18-8	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindranath	17-8	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jatindranath	17-11	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,,	Jatindranath	16-2	Calcutta Training Academy
	,,	Jitendrachandra	17-1	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendranath	18-11	Manikganj H E School.
670	,,	Jogeschandra	19	Dinajpur H. E School.
	,,	Jogeschandra	16-4	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Jyotischandra	18-7	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,,	Jyotsnakumar	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalidas	18-10	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Kalipada	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Kalipada	19-3	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kiranchandra	18-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary
	,,	Krishnagopal	18-6	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidar School.
	,,	Kshetramohan	20-1	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
680	,,	Kshitischandra	16-10	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Kshitischandra	17-9	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Kshitischandra	16-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta
	,,	Lalitamohan	19-6	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Lalmohan	16-4	Mymensingh Zila School.
	,,	Madhusudan	17-10	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Mahendranath	16-8	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	,,	Manindramohan	16-3	Comilla Zila School
	,,	Manindranath	19-9	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Mannathanath	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
690	,,	Matilal	17-9	Idilpur H E. School.
	,,	Matilal	17-4	Mymensingh Zila School.

	Basu, Matilal	19-3	Baisari H. E. School.
	„ Muralimohan	16-5	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nagendranath	16-2	Garalgacha H. E. School.
	„ Nalinikanta	17-3	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School.
	„ Nalininath	16-6	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	„ Narayanchandra	17-11	Giridih H. E. School.
	„ Narendrakumar	16-3	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	„ Nirmalkumar	16-1	Puri Zila School.
700	„ Nripendramohan	16-7	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	„ Nrisinhachandra	17-1	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	„ Nrityagopal	16-1	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	„ Pabitranath	18-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Panchanan	18-3	Kalaskati H. E. chool.
	„ Panchanan	17-11	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Panchugopal	16-4	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Paritosh	16-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Prabhashchandra	17-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Prabodhkumar	17	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
710	„ Pradyotkumar	17-11	Mymensingh Zila School.
	„ Pramathanath	18-5	Rangdia H. E. School.
	„ Praphullachandra	16-1	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Praphullakumar	17-4	Bhaita H. E. School.
	„ Priyanath	16-7	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	„ Purnachandra	19-1	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Ranajitkumar	16-5	Jagabandhu Institution, Ballyganj
	„ Sachindramohan	19-10	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	„ Sailendrakumar	20-6	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sailendramohan	16-6	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
720	„ Sailendranath	16-8	Satkhira Pran Nath H. E. School.
	„ Samarendranath	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate, School, Calcutta
	„ Sarojkumar	17-8	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Sarojkumar	19-1	Mahespur H. E. School.
	„ Sarojranjan	18-9	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	„ Sasankasekhar	16-11	Taki Govt. School.
	„ Satischandra	16-4	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Satyagopal	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Satyapriya	17-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Satyendrakumar	16-4	Rammohan Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
730	„ Satyendranath	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Saurendranath	17	Magura H. E. School.
	„ Sibanikinkar	16-1	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Sibnath	17-3	Kotchandpur H. E. School.
	„ Sitansusekhar	18-10	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	„ Sitaram	16-10	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Siteschandra	18-3	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Snehendu	16-7	Comilla Zila School.
	„ Stutischandra	16-5	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	„ Sudhansukumar	16-4	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
740	„ Sudhanwakumar	16-3	Nilphamari High School.
	„ Sudhirkumar	18-1	Jaynagar Institution.
	„ Sudhirkumar *	16-1	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	„ Sukumar	16-4	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	„ Sunilchandra	16-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	„ Surendranath	16-1	Barrackpur Govt. School.
	„ Sureschandra	18	Baisari H. E. School.
	„ Sureswar	16-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School Calcutta.
	„ Susilkumar	18-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Upendrakumar	16-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
750	„ Upendranath	20-11	Banaripara Union Institution.
	Basuchaudhuri Amulyakanta,	19-4	Faridpur Zila School.
	„ Kanailal	17-4	Kidderpur Academy.
	Basudeb Narayana	18-1	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Basumallik, Harendranath	18-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.

	Basumallik, Jamunajiban	17-6	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Sankardas	18-7	R. Mitra H. E. School, Deoghar.
	Basuray, Prophullachandra	17-1	Bhanga High School.
	Basu-arbhadhikari, Gangesprasad	16	Chanchal Siddhaswari Institution.
	Basuthakur, Naresnath	18-6	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
760	,, Sudhirkumar	17-4	Ditto.
	Batabyal, Benugopal	19-1	Basirhat H. E. School.
	,, Narendranath	19-3	Serampur Collegiate School.
	Ba Than	22	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 2.
	Ba Thoung	16-6	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Ba Tin	19-5	Ditto.
	Ba Yi	19	Ditto.
	Ba Win	18	Ditto.
	Bazlor Rahaman	20-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Behara, Chakradhara	19-11	Bhadrak H. E. School
770	,, Hrishikes	21-11	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	,, Sasikanta	18-3	Mission High School, Katak.
	Bera, Gajendranarayan	16-8	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Snehalata	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	Bhadra, Birendrachandra	17	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,, Haradhan	18-11	Banwaribad H. E. School.
	,, Jamunamohan	22-4	Nawgaon K. D. H. E. School.
	,, Radhikaranjan	19-1	Kagram H. E. School.
	Bhaduri, Banbihari	16	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,, Dineschandra	16-5	Serajganj B. L. High School
780	,, Jatischandra	18-5	Bogra Zila School.
	,, Karunamay	20	Natuda H. E. School.
	,, Labanyakumar	16-6	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,, Nandagopal	16	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,, Nanibilas	18-4	Shikarpur H. E. School.
	Bhagirath Prasad	18-4	Chapra Zila School.
	Bhagwati Prasad	21-3	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Bhagwatprasad Srivastava	23-1	Private Student, Roll Chap. 74.
	Bhairon Dayal	19-8	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Bhaita, Aswinikumar	16-2	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
790	Bhandari, Gurudas	16-5	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	Bhanja, Harida	17-8	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Keshabchandra	19-1	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 13.
	Bhar, Haricharan	17-6	Dupleix College.
	,, Mahitkumar	19-5	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Bharati Bhattacharyya, Lokendranath	20-7	Baruipara Purnachandra Institution.
	Bhatt, Ramanikanta	17-7	Noakhali Zila School.
	Bhattacharyya, Abaninath	16-5	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,, Abhayapada	18-2	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,, Abinaschandra	17-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
800	,, Abinaschandra	19-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Achyutananda	17-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Ahibhushan	16	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Akshaykumar	17-10	Shikarpur H. E. School
	,, Akshaykumar	16-3	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,, Amalendumohan	18-6	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Amarendranath	16	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur
	,, Amareschandra	17-8	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Amarnath	19-11	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,, Amiyanath	16-3	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 6.
810	,, Anantakumar	17-9	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Anantakumar	17-10	Dhalla H. E. School
	,, Anukulchandra	17-5	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,, Apurbakumar	16-1	Karakdi R. B. H. E. School.
	,, Apurbamohan	18-7	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,, Arunodaya	18-6	Hughli Collegiate School
	,, Asutosh	17-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Asutosh	19	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Asutosh	17-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Asutosh	17	Patiya High School.
820	,, Aswinikumar	20	Baghbazar High School.
	,, Atindrachandra	18-2	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Atulchandra	20-2	Bidyakut Amar H. E. School.

	Bhattacharyya,	Atulkrishna	17-9	Jaynagar Institution.
	,,	Baidyanath	20	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Bankimchandra	16	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Benimadhab	18-1	Patiya High School.
	,,	Bhabeschandra	18-7	Tezpur Government H. School.
	,,	Bhubanmohan	16-10	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Bhupatimohan	17-6	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
830	,,	Bibhucharan	17-2	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Bibhutinath	16-3	Krishnanagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Bidhubhushan	16-2	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Bijaykrishna	17-2	Bally Rivers-Thompson School.
	,,	Bijaykumar	17-3	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Bimalendumohan	18-6	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Bireschandra	21	Chetla Boy's H. E. School.
	,,	Bishnupada	16-1	Nar't Nyayaratna Institution.
	,,	Bishnupada	17-9	Calcutta High School
	,,	Biswanath	16-2	Harinavi A. S School.
840	,,	Brajendrachandra	16-11	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,,	Brajendrakumar	16-8	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,,	Chapalakanta	16-2	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,,	Debendranath	16-11	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	,,	Debendranath	21	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendrachandra	16-7	Habiganj Government High School.
	,,	Dhirendrachandra	17	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-1	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	16-10	Nator Moharaja's High School.
	,,	Digindrakumar	19-1	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
850	,,	Dinesbandhu	18-9	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,,	Durgamohan	17-4	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Durgaprasad	17-5	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Durgaprasanna	22	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. I.
	,,	Ganganath	20-10	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	,,	Girijabhushan	16-2	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Girindramohan	17-3	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,,	Gopinath	17-1	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,,	Gopinath	18-7	Jhikra H. E. School.
	,,	Gurudas	19-4	Hare School, Calcutta.
860	,,	Haranath	19-6	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School.
	,,	Harendranath	18-8	Sylhet Government High School.
	,,	Haribhushan	18-2	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	,,	Harihar	16	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	,,	Harimaya	17-6	Dhaukuria H. E. School.
	,,	Haripada	16-10	Paigram Kasba H. E. School.
	,,	Harisadhan	17-7	Gushtia K. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Hemantakumar	17-4	Tulasor Gurudas H. E. School.
	,,	Hemchandra	16-11	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Hemchandra	16-11	Serampur Union Institution.
870	,,	Hemchandra	17-4	Hare School, Calcutta
	,,	Herambachandra	17-1	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Herambanath	18-10	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Herambanath	17-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensigh Branch.
	,,	Himansubhushan	16-8	Barisal Zila School.
	,,	Hrishikes	16-10	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,,	Hrishikes	17-1	Kishoreganj H. E School.
	,,	Jagadischandra	18-7	Dumka Zilla School.
	,,	Jagadischandra	17-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Jagannath	16-3	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
880	,,	Jagatchandra	17-4	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Jajneswar	19-8	Salkia A. S. School.
	,,	Jatindrachandra	17	Netrokona Dutt High School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	16-11	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-2	Chatmohar S. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-1	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	,,	Jitendrakumar	18-4	Bogra Zila School.
	,,	Jitendranath	18-4	Harinabhi A. S. School.

	Bhattacharyya,	Jitendranath	17-1	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendranath	18-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
890	,,	Jyotirmay	18-7	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,,	Jyotischandra	16-4	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	,,	Kalinarayan	16-7	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Kalipada	18	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Kalipada	18-3	Katwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Kalipada	17-1	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School
	,,	Kaliraman	18-1	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,,	Kamalaksha	19-10	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,,	Kanailal	18-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Kanakchandra	18-10	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
900	,,	Kisorikumar	17-1	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnadas	19-4	Bagra Zila School.
	,,	Krishnadhan	16-9	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,,	Kshemadakanta	18-9	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	,,	Kshetramohan	20-5	Rai K. P. Pal Bahadur's Sikanderpur Free H. E. School.
	,,	Kumareschandra	17-3	Magura H. E. School.
	,,	Kunjalal	19-3	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Mahadeb	17-3	Paigram Kasba H. E. School.
	,,	Manimohan	18-10	Itna H. E. School.
	,,	Manimohan	17-3	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
910	,,	Manmathanath	17-11	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,,	Manmohan	21-2	Tangail Bindubasani High School.
	,,	Manranjan	17-1	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Manoranjan	17-2	Taki Government School.
	,,	Mohininath	19-6	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	,,	Nabakrishna	19-10	Puri Zila School.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-3	Rowile High School
	,,	Nalinibhushan	16-1	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Naliniranjan	17-6	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Naliniranjan	16-6	Bogra Zila School.
920	,,	Nandalal	18-1	Patiya High School.
	,,	Narayandas	16	Santipur Municipal School.
	,,	Narendranath	22-2	Private Student, Roll Bur. P. 6.
	,,	Narendranath	19-11	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Nepalchandra	17-2	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nepalchandra	19-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	19-7	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	19-2	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	18	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	,,	Niradbaran	16-5	Andul H. C. E. School.
930	,,	Nirapada	17-11	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	,,	Nirmalendumohan	16-3	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Nisithanath	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Palanchandra	18-4	South Goria Bompas Institution.
	,,	Panchanan	16-4	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Panchanan	16-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Panchanan	20-10	Bainchi B. L. Mukherjee's Free Institution.
	,,	Phanindranath	17	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Prabodhkumar	16-10	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,,	Prabodhkumar	16	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
940	,,	Pramathanath	19-4	Hatiya Union H. E. School.
	,,	Pramodchandra	18-10	Karimganj Government High School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	16	Patiya High School.
	,,	Praphullakisor	18	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,,	Priyanath	19-11	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,,	Purnachandra	17-1	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rabindranath	16-1	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,,	Rajendrakumar	18	Karimganj Govt. High School.

	Bhattacharyya	Rajendrachandra	22	Haris Chandra High School, Baniyachong.
	,,	Rajendranarayan	24-2	Private Student, Roll Jor P. 6.
950	,,	Rakhalraj	16-7	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramanimohan	22-7	Jamsherpur B. N. High School.
	,,	Rambhritya	21-1	Birsinha Bhagabati Vidyalaya.
	,,	Ramchandra	19-1	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Ramendunath	16-2	Parjana M. N. High School.
	,,	Rameswar	19-1	Nazira Govt. Aided High School.
	,,	Ramsasi	19-2	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	,,	Rasendranath	18-2	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,,	Sachikanta	17-4	SouthSuburbanSchool, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Sachindrachandra	18-1	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
960	,,	Sailendrachandra	18	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Sailendranath	21	Tala B. De. Institution.
	,,	Saileswar	16-3	Karakdi R. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Saktipada	17-6	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Saktipada	16-5	Raniganj H E. School.
	,,	Sanatkumar	17-6	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	,,	Sarojkumar	16-3	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Sasibhushan	19-8	Khanakul Krishnagar Jnanada Institution.
	,,	Sasibhushan	19-4	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sasisekhar	16-9	Hughli Branch School.
970	,,	Satchidananda	19	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-9	Feni High School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Shashticharan	16-10	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Sibaram	17-3	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,,	Sibchandra	17-1	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sibendrasundar	16-1	Gonlanda H. School, Rajbari.
	,,	Siddheswar	17	Mahima Ranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakina.
	,,	Srinarayan	17-6	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,,	Srisankar	16-1	Hughli Collegiate School.
980	,,	Sudhansumohan	17-3	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Sudhindranath	19-5	Teota Academy.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	18-3	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	18-3	Jhenidah H E. School.
	,,	Suhridranjan	20 7	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	,,	Sukritiswar	23-8	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.
	,,	Sukumar	16-5	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	,,	Surendranath	16-2	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	,,	Surendranath	19-6	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-3	Dhubri High School.
990	,,	Sureschandra	18-4	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	19-10	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	,,	Susilchandra	20-3	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Susilkumar	16-8	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Syamapada	20-4	Arambagh H. E. School.
	,,	Syamnirad	19-2	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,,	Tarapada	19-11	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,,	Tarapada	17-2	Dasghara H E. School
	,,	Tarapada	16-11	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Taraprasanna	16-7	Serampur Union Institution.
1000	,,	Umeschandra	16-5	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	Bhaumik,	Annadacharan	18-4	Lingua H. E. School.
	,,	Ardhendusekhar	17-2	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Bharatchandra	19-11	Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,,	Biharilal	18-8	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Dhirendrakumar	16-5	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Durgamohan	17-2	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Hiralal	18	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindra prasad	18-1	Ditto.
	,,	Krishnasundar	21-2	Lakshimpur H. E. School.

1010	Bhaumik, Nanigopal	17-1	Pabna Institution.
	,, Nareschandra	17-10	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,, Nibaranchandra	19-4	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Niranjan	16-7	Pabna Institution.
	,, Raimohan	17-10	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Rajmohan	23-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Sajanikanta	16-6	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Satyendrakumar	17	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	,, Surendrachandra	19	Tangal Bindubasini High School.
	,, Surendrakumar	18-9	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
1020	,, Upendrachandra	16-1	Narayangunj H. E. School.
	Bhowal, Debendrachandra	17-11	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	Bhunia Barendrakumar	18	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Bhagbatchandra	22-6	Mugberia G. H. E. School.
	Bhuyian, Praphullakumar	16-2	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
	Bilayet Hossain	17-2	Baburhat H. E. School.
	Binda Pd., II	20-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur
	Bindheswari Dutt Misra	16-1	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Bindeshwari Prosad	19-5	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Bindeshwari Prosad Misra	17-6	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
1030	Bishnu, Debendrakumar	17-10	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	Bishwa Mohan Kumar Sinha	16-11	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Biswanath Panday	24	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Bishwanath Prasad	21	Private Student—Roll chap. 307.
	Biswas, Akshaykumar	17-3	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	,, Amarnath	18-5	Barisa H. E. School.
	,, Amiyaprabha	...	Mymensigh Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls
	,, Amulyaranjan	16-6	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Atalbihari	20-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 51.
	,, Bholanath	16-1	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
1040	,, Bholanath	19-3	C. M. S. St. John's High School, Krishnagar.
	,, Biharilal	23-6	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	,, Bijaykumar	16-9	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Bimalendubhushan	16-3	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Binodbihari	19-10	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Birendranath	18-1	Itachuna Sriharayan Institution.
	,, Charuchandra	20-2	Natuda H. E. School.
	,, Dhirendranath	16-3	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Dwarkanath	19-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Dwijendranath	17-8	Hindu School, Calcutta.
1050	,, Gaurchandra	18-6	Shikarpur H. E. School.
	,, Gokulchandra	18-5	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Goshthabihari	18-7	Salkia A. S. School.
	,, Haricharan	20-0	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,, Haripada	16-2	St. Mary's School, Bhawanipur.
	,, Hemendramohan	16-2	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Jagatbhushan	17-11	St. Mary's School, Bhawanipur.
	,, Jitendrakumar	20-1	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	,, Jumbad	17-5	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Jotirmaya	17-11	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
1060	,, Kesablal	19-8	Satkhira Prannath H. E. School.
	,, Khudiram	18-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Krishnachandra	16-4	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj
	,, Krishnendramohan	17-2	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Krishnendranath	20-5	Dumkal H. E. School.
	,, Kshitischandra	18-2	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,, Kumudkantha	16-2	Fukara Madanmohan Academy.
	,, Mahendralal	21-2	Saidpur H. E. School.
	,, Murarimohan	16-11	Ditto.
	,, Nogendrachandra	17-1	Habiganj Govt. High School.
1070	,, Nagendragopal	16-8	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Nanigopal	20-1	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,, Nilmani	19-6	Meherpur H. E. School
	,, Niradranjan	16-3	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	,, Nityananda	17	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Panchkari	19-2	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.

	Biswas, Phanibhushan	20-4	Shakhala H E School.
	„ Prabhakar	17-5	Lalgola M N. Academy.
	„ Purnachandra	17-4	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Radkakrishna	18-9	Satkhira Prannath H. E. School.
1080	„ Rajendranath	20-8	Khulna Zila School.
	„ Rajendranath	17	Bhanga High School.
	„ Ramanath	21-1	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	„ Ramchandra	17-1	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	„ Sachindramohan	16-5	Naihati Mahendra School
	„ Sarojballabh	16-8	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Satyendranath	17-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Sisirkumar	18-3	Satkhira Prannath H. E School
	„ Sudhansuranjan	16-4	Habiganj Govt. High School
	„ Sukumar	16-2	Manbhum Victoria Institution
1090	„ Upendrakumar	17-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Bit, Abhaypada	16-4	Kidderpur Academy.
	Bodiuzzaman	16-7	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E. School
	Bohidar, Harischandra	17-2	Sambalpur H E School.
	Bora, Kesabram	18	Dibrugarh Govt. H. E School.
	Bose, Labanyaprobha	...	Maharani H. School, Darjeeling.
	„ Lila	..	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Boytulla Mondol	19-9	C. M. S St. John's High School, Krishnagar.
	B. P. Jaitli	19-10	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Brahma, Baradaprasad	16-8	Comilla Zila School
1100	„ Debidas	17-7	Naihati Mahendra School.
	„ Shobharam	20-2	Dhubri High School.
	Brahmachari, Durganath	17-6	Serajganj B. L High School.
	Brahma Deo Narayen Gupta	17-5	Patna City School.
	Brahmadeo Prasad Singha	19-7	Patna Collegiate School.
	Brahmadeva Lal	20	Chapra Zila School.
	Braja Nandan Prasad Verma	17-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Brajnandan Lall Bhatnagar	19-11	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	Braj Nandan Prasad Sinha, II	19-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Brindaban Prosad Sinha	18-7	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
1110	Budar Uddin	16-7	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School
	Bujarbaruya, Upendramalla	19-9	Sonaram Aided High School.
	Bunyad Hosain Warsi	23-5	Private Student—Roll chap.75.
	Burhan Uddin	19-5	Baldeva's Academy, Dinapur.
	C. Kim Shain	17-5	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Cassim Ahmed Soorma	18-8	M Mohomedia Randeria High School Rangoon.
	Chaki, Ahibhusan	17-8	Pabna Institution
	„ Kiranchandra	17-1	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur
	„ Munidramohan	20-11	Pingna H. E School.
	„ Srischandra	18-5	Pabna Institution.
1120	Chakladar, Kumudananda	20-6	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Chakrabarti Abanikumar	19-2	Sinhergaon Gobinda High School.
	„ Abanimohan	21-10	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh
	„ Akhilchandra	17	Mymensingh Zila School.
	„ Akhilchandra	20	City Collegiate School Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Amarchandra	17-3	Ditto.
	„ Amarnath	23-1	Bolpur H. E. School.
	„ Amiyachandra *	16-3	Hara School, Calcutta.
	„ Amulyacharan	18-6	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„ Anangamohan	19-1	Dattapara Ramratan H. E School
1130	„ Anantakumar	16-10	Baisari H. E School.
	„ Asutosh	19-1	Digapatiya P. N. High School
	„ Asutosh	24-1	Baisari H. E. School.
	„ Asutosh	18-1	Perojpur Government High School.
	„ Atulchandra	17	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	„ Atulyachandra	17-6	Potajia H. E. School.
	„ Baidyanath	16-2	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Bankimchandra	18-2	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Baradacharan	25-2	Teacher, Roll Sil. T. I.
	„ Baradakanta	21-10	Brojamohan Institution, Barisal.

1140	Chakrabarti,	Barunoday	16-10	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,,	Basantakumar	16-3	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	,,	Benimadhab	18-6	Lohajang High School.
	,,	Bhabaranjan	17-6	Pabna Zilla School.
	,,	Bhubanmohan	18-1	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School.
	,,	Bhudebchandra	18-11	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Bhupatiranjan	18-4	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Bidhubhushan	16-10	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Bijaykumar	18-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Bikaschandra	18-7	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
1150	,,	Bimalacharan	18-2	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Bimalacharan	16-7	Ukhara H. E. School.
	,,	Binodbihari	20-1	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	,,	Binodkrishna	17-2	Sylhet Government High School.
	,,	Birendrakumar	18-2	Goalundo H. E. School.
	,,	Birendranath	18-1	Brojomohan Institution, Barisal.
	,,	Birendranath	17	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,,	Birendranath	16-7	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	,,	Bishnucharan	17-11	Faridpur Isban Institution.
	,,	Brahmanath	17	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
1160	,,	Brindabanchandra	20-1	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Chandrakanta	19-6	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Charucharit	21-1	Victoria High School, Barahanagar.
	,,	Chunilal	16-7	Taltala High School.
	,,	Debendrachandra	17-7	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Debendranath	16-3	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	,,	Dharanidhar	18	Birsingha Bhagabati Vidyalaya.
	,,	Dhirendrachandra	17-8	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-5	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Digendranath	17-10	Jhalakati Govt. High School.
1170	,,	Digindranath	17-10	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Dineschandra	17	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	,,	Dineschandra	16-8	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,,	Durgaprasanna	17	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,,	Dwarakanath	17-1	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Dwijendrachandra	16-7	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Dwijendra Kumar	20-2	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Ganeschandra	19-7	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Giridhar	16-11	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,,	Giteschandra	16-7	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
1180	,,	Gobindacharan	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Gopendrachandra	17-5	Sonarang High School.
	,,	Harakumar	16-10	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Harendrachandra	18-10	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Haricharan	18-4	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 20.
	,,	Haricharan	16-4	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,,	Haridas	18-6	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	,,	Harihar	17-10	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Harikanta	19-1	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Hariprasad	17-11	Harinavhi A. S. School.
1190	,,	Hemendramohan	18-1	Amta H. E. School.
	,,	Hemendranarayan	17-4	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,,	Herambanath	17-4	Noakhali Chalkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,,	Hiralal	18-11	Makhanagar H. E. School.
	,,	Hiteschandra	16	Nawadah George Cornation H. E. School.
	,,	Jagadischandra	16	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Jagadischandra	19-2	Goforgaon Islamia H. E. School.
	,,	Jagadischandra	17	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,,	Jajneswar	20-2	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Jaminimohan	18-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
1200	,,	Janardan	16-10	Senhati High School.
	,,	Jatindrachandra	18-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Jatindrachandra	16-2	Idilpur H. E. School.

	Chakrabarti,	Jatindrachandra	18-3	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	,,	Jatindrachandra	17-3	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	18-2	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Jatindranath	17-9	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet
	,,	Jatisachandra	16-6	Magura H. E. School
	,,	Jitendrachandra	17	Lohajang High School.
	,,	Jnanendrachandra	16-2	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
1210	,,	Jnanendranath	17	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Jnanranjan	18-7	Private Student, Roll Ber. P. 1.
	,,	Jogendralal	17-1	Patiya High School.
	,,	Jogeschandra	19-1	Uttarshahazpur George Institution.
	,,	Jogeswar	16-8	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Jogischandra	17-7	Faridpur Zila School.
	,,	Jyotischandra	16-9	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Jyotischandra	17-5	Faridpur Zila School.
	,,	Jyotischandra	20-1	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Kalibhushan	18-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
1220	,,	Kalidas	17-2	Khulna Zila School
	,,	Kalipada	16-2	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Kalipada	16-1	Nilphamari High School.
	,,	Kamaleschandra	18-1	Magura H. E. School.
	,,	Kaminikanta	18-5	Bidyakul Amar H. E. School.
	,,	Kaminikanta	16-6	Brojomohan Institution, Barisal.
	,,	Kanakeswar	18-7	Dibrugrah George Institution.
	,,	Karalikinkar	16-4	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Karunamay	19	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Khagabhushan	17-2	Dinhata H. E. School.
1230	,,	Kisorimohan	18-7	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Krishnabihari	16-9	Ditto.
	,,	Krishnachandra	22-6	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary
	,,	Krishnadhan	17-5	Arambagh H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnamohan	20-5	Ukil's Institution, Dacca
	,,	Kshitindramohan	16-10	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Kshitischandra	16-3	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Kumudbandhu	16-7	Feni High School.
	,,	Kumudeswar	18-3	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Kumadinikanta	18-6	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
1240	,,	Kusumkumar	16	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	20-5	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	17-10	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	19-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Madhusudan	16	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,,	Mahadeb	18-4	Khasial H. E. School.
	,,	Mahendrakumar	19-6	Mangal Kandi H. E. School.
	,,	Mahendranath	17-10	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Makhanlal	18	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,,	Makhanlal	17-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
1250	,,	Manadacharan	17	Sarail Annada H. E. School
	,,	Manibhushan	16-1	Buruipara Purna Chandra Institution.
	,,	Manimohan	16-6	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,,	Manindrachandra	18-6	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Manindranath	16-8	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath	17-3	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,,	Manoranjan	16-4	Ditto.
	,,	Manoranjan	18-2	Brojomohan Institution, Barisal.
	,,	Manoranjan	19-4	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Mathuramohan	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1260	,,	Mathuranath	20-10	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Matilal	18-10	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,,	Matilal	16-10	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,,	Mohinimohan	16-5	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	,,	Mohinimohan	18-9	Arunchandra H. E. School Noakhali.
	,,	Mohinimohan	17-7	Ukils' Institution, Dacca.

	Chakrabarti,	Mukundamurari	16-1	Senhati High School.
	,,	Munindrakumar	16-9	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,,	Nabakumar	18-3	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nagendrachandra	19-2	Nabinagar H. E. School.
1270	,,	Nagendranath	17-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	21-6	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	,,	Nakuleswar	17-3	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinikanta	16-5	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Narendrachandra	20-5	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	16-6	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Nareschandra	16-1	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	17-7	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	17-4	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Nishibushan	19-7	Private Student Roll Cal. P. 63.
1280	,,	Nishibushan	18-11	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School
	,,	Nisikanta	18-3	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Nityakisor	17-3	Ukils' Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Nripendrachandra	18-9	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Nripendrachandra	16	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendranath	16-2	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,,	Panchugopal	19	Kotalpur H. E. School.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-6	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-2	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
1290	,,	Parikshitchandra	16-9	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Pasupati	20	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,,	Pasupati	16-7	Ethora S. C. Institution.
	,,	Prabirkumar	16-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	,,	Pramadakanta	16-2	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	,,	Pramathanath	16-6	Puthia P. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Pramathanath	16-9	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Prankrishna	20	Midnapur Town School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	16-1	Malda Zila School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	19-11	Ichhapura H. E. School.
1300	,,	Praphullaranjan	19-9	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Purnachandra	18-3	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,,	Radhanath	16-7	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,,	Radhikalal	16-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Raicharan	19-10	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendrakumar	18-7	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendranath	20-1	Shohagpur Syamkisor H. E. School.
	,,	Ramanath	19-3	Memari V. M. Institution.
	,,	Ramanimohan	21-4	Kalwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Ramaranjan	18-10	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution
1310	,,	Ramchandra	17	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	16-11	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,,	Ramlal	18-9	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Rampran	17-9	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Rasikranjan	21-6	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	,,	Sachindrakumar	17-10	Aruuchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Sachindrakumar	16-6	R. K. Jubilee High School, Noakhali.
	,,	Sadhanchandra	18-2	Budge-Budge P. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Sailajakumar	16-8	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendrachandra	18	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
1320	,,	Sailendranath	18-5	Andul H. C. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	18-1	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Saileshchandra	16-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Sarajubhushan	16-7	Howrah Zilla School.
	,,	Saratchandra	17-2	Victoria H. E. School, Barahanagore.
	,,	Sasadhar	19	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,,	Sasadhar	21-9	Syehet Government High School.
	,,	Sasibhusan	19-9	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chowdhuri H. E. School.
	,,	Sasikanta	16-1	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.

	Chakrabarti,	Satischandra	18-11	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
1330	,,	Satischandra	20	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School
	,,	Satischandra	19-1	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Satyendrakumar	19-3	Gauripur P. C. Institution
	,,	Satyendranath	19	Bahara H. E. School.
	,,	Siddheswar	18-2	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	16-1	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,,	Sitanath	21-2	Baruipara Purna Chandra Institution.
	,,	Sriram	18-11	Karapara H. E. School.
	,,	Srischandra	17-7	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Srischandra	16-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
1340	,,	Sudhakana	...	Chota Nagpur Girls' High School.
	,,	Sudhanyakumar	16-1	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	17	Private Student. Roll Birb. P. 7.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Sukumar	17	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	,,	Surendrachandra	19-10	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,,	Surendrakisor	17-7	Bhola Government High School.
	,,	Surendrakumar	18-1	Silchar Government High School.
	,,	Surendranath	17-3	Bogra Zila School.
	,,	Surendranath	16-9	Siddhakati H. E. School.
1350	,,	Sureschandra	17-7	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	18-6	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Sureschandra	18-2	Arunchandra H. E. School Noakhali.
	,,	Sureschandra	19-1	Rowile High School.
	,,	Sureschandra	18-3	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,,	Suryyakanta	17-1	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,,	Suryyakumar	20	Ditto.
	,,	Suryyakumar	17-2	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Sushama	...	Bankipur Girls' High School.
	,,	Syamakanta	19-3	Baburhat H. E. School.
1360	,,	Syamakanta	16-11	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Tarakeswar	18-9	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Taranath	17-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Tarangamohan	19-2	Raiganj Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Tarinicharan	18-11	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Timirharan	17-4	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Tripuranath	18-10	Sunamganj Jubilee High School
	,,	Umeschandra	17-8	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,,	Upendrachandra	17-1	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,,	Upendrakisor	20	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
1370	,,	Upendralal	16-3	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,,	Upendramohan	16-4	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	,,	Upendramohan	22	Hassam Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Upendranath	16-1	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	Chakrabartithakur,	Girijaprasanna	20-11	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	Chakradhar Prasad		16-2	Ram Mohon Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	Chaliha,	Khagendranath	16-1	Golaghat Government Bezbarua High School.
	Champa Lall Vyas		19-7	Sri Vishudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Chamroo Dash		20-5	Sambalpur H. E School.
	Chand,	Brajanandan	16-6	Bhadrak H. E. School.
1380	Chand Meah		19-9	Nibinagar H E. School.
	Chanda,	Phanibhushan	16-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Prasannachandra	18-11	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Saratchandra	18-4	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Sasibhushan	17-1	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Chandra,	Asutosh	18-4	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	,,	Baidyanath	17-4	Boinchee B. L. Mukerji's Free Institution.
	,,	Bhupatikumar	17-9	Barisa H. E. School.

	Chandra, Dhananjay	. . .	17-11	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	„ Dhirendrakrishna	.	18-1	Kesab Academy.
1390	„ Jatindranath	. . .	16-9	Serajganj B L. High School.
	„ Makhanlal	. . .	20-6	Khulna Zila School.
	„ Manmathanath	. . .	19-4	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	„ Phanibhushan	. . .	18-7	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	Chandramohan Lal	. .	19-3	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Chandrasekhar Prasad	. . .	16-4	Arrah Zila School.
	Chandreshwari Pd. Sinha	.	16-1	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Chandrika Prasad	.	19-1	Patna City School.
	Chandrika Prasad	. . . .	18-1	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Changdar, Satischandra	. . .	19-1	Garbeta H. E. School.
1400	Chatterjee, Dibendranath	. . .	16	Shillong Government High School.
	„ Gita	. . .	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Chatterji, Monica	. . .	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Sudha	. . .	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Aghorchandra	. .	19-11	Kalighat High School.
	„ Amarnath	. .	16	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Amulyachandra	. .	17	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Amulyakumar	. .	16-8	Bogharhat H. E. School.
	„ Anilkumar	. .	16	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Anilkumar	.	18-9	Bankura Zilla School.
1410	„ Annadakanta	. .	16-4	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Atulchandra	.	19-7	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	„ Baidyanath	. .	17-4	Hare School, Calcutta.
	„ Bankimbihari	. .	18-8	Serampur Union Institution
	„ Bankimchandra	.	19-11	Baghbazar High School.
	„ Baridbaran	.	16-1	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Basantakumar	. .	18-3	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.
	„ Becharam	. .	16	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutibhusan	. .	17-5	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutibhusan	. .	17-1	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch.
1420	„ Bijaychandra	. .	17-8	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Bijaychandra	. .	16-4	Birbhum Zilla School.
	„ Bijaycharan	.	16	Darjeeling High School.
	„ Bijaylal	. . .	17-5	C. M. S. St. John's High School, Krishnagar.
	„ Bijayram	. .	17-7	Nasigram High School.
	„ Bireswar*	. .	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Chapalapada	.	18	Malda Zila School.
	„ Chintaharan	. .	17-10	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	„ Dhabaleswarprosad	.	16-6	Ravenshaw Collegiate, School, Katak.
	„ Dharanidhar	.	18-6	Palasdanga H. E. School.
1430	„ Dhiendramohan	.	18-10	Faridpur Ishah Institution.
	„ Dwijendranath	.	18-1	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	„ Dyotinath	. .	16-1	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	„ Gaganendranath	.	18-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Gangadhar	. .	17-9	Private Student, Roll Mal. P. 6.
	„ Gopipada	. .	17	Kustia H. E. School.
	„ Harendranath	. .	16-4	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Haribinod	. .	17-8	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	„ Haricharan	. .	19	Chetla Boys' High School.
	„ Haridas	. .	17	Hughli Branch School.
1440	„ Harideb	.	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	„ Harihar	. .	18-4	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Harihar	. .	20-2	Jharia H. E. School.
	„ Harikumar	. .	16-11	Uttarpara Government High School.
	„ Haripada	. .	16-4	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Hariprasad	. .	16-9	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	„ Hemchandra	. .	16-11	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	„ Hiralal	. .	20	Khaneswar Shyamacharan Edward Institution.
	„ Hrishikes	. .	20-2	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	„ Indubhushan, II	.	17-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.

1450	Chattopadhyay,	Jagadiswar	17-2	Baidyapur George Institution.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-7	Panitras H. E. School.
	,,	Jibandhan	17-2	Arbalia J. V. H. E. School.
	,,	Kalidas	19-4	Dupleix College.
	,,	Kalikumar	16-1	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Kalinarayan	16-10	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Kalisankar	17-5	Barasat Government School.
	,,	Kamalapada	24	Private Student, Roll Mal. P. 2.
	,,	Kasinath	16-8	Bally River's Thompson School.
	,,	Kasinath	19-1	Dupleix College.
1460	,,	Khagendralal	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Khagendranath	17	Taltala High School.
	,,	Krishnadhan	18-7	Bally River's Thompson School.
	,,	Kshetramohan	17-6	Rammohan Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	,,	Kshitischandra	17-5	Palamau Zila School.
	,,	Manaskamaneshwar	16-1	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	,,	Munibhushan	18-9	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Manikchandra	22-5	Private Sudent, Roll Cal. P. 62.
	,,	Manindranath	16-2	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-4	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
1470	,,	Manoranjan	16-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Mohinimohan	19-2	Serampur Collegiate School.
	,,	Mohitnath	16-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School
	,,	Mrityunjay	17-4	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,,	Mukulbhushan	16-1	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	,,	Mukundadeb	16-11	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Nagendranath	17-11	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinchandra*	16-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nandadulal	18	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Nandadulal	18-8	Kaikala H. E. School.
1480	,,	Nandalal	18-11	Sagore Dutt Free H. E. School.
	,,	Nandalal	16-4	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	,,	Naranarayan	17-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Narayanchandra	16-1	Siddhakate H. E School.
	,,	Narayanchandra	18-4	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 1.
	,,	Narayandas	17-7	Jagatballavpur H. E. School.
	,,	Narendrakrishna	16-4	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Nikunjabihari	18-10	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 16.
	,,	Nilansubibhab	20-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Nirajabandhab	18-1	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1490	,,	Nirmalchandra	17-1	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Panchanan	18	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,,	Pasupatinath	16-1	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Phanindramohan	17-6	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Phanindranath	18-6	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	,,	Prabhatkumar	17	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	17	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,,	Pramodkumar	16-1	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	,,	Prangopal	18-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 75.
	,,	Praphullakumar	21	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
1500	,,	Praphullakumar	16-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Praphullakumar	19-7	Garbeta H E. School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	20-2	Brojamohan Institution Barisal.
	,,	Praphullanath	18-3	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,,	Pratulchandra	17-2	Raja Giris Chandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Radhikaprasad	17	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,,	Rakhahari	16	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Rakhalchandra	17	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E School, Beltali.
	,,	Ramanikanta	18-3	Bolpur H. E School.
	,,	Ramanimohan	16	Brojamohan Institution, Barisal.
1510	,,	Rameshchandra	17-3	Puruha Zilla School.
	,,	Rameshchandra	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.

	Chattopadhyay,	Ramgopal	18-9	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,,	Rampada	17-11	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,,	Rampada	17-1	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendrakumar	20	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-4	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidhar School.
	,,	Sailendranath	16-1	Sheakhala H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-5	I. R. Belilious Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-8	Hindu School, Calcutta.
1520	,,	Sajanikumar	16-4	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,,	Saktipada	16-5	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Sambhucharan	16-1	Baidyabati B. M. Institution
	,,	Santoshkumar	16-5	Bally River's Thompson School.
	,,	Sasankasekhar	16	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,,	Sasankasekhar	18	Garbeta H. E. School.
	,,	Sasikumar	17-1	Brojamohan Institution, Barisal.
	,,	Satchidananda	17-4	Bankura Zilla School.
	,,	Satikumar	16-6	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Satischandra	16-3	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1530	,,	Satyanarayan	18-8	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 18.
	,,	Satyapriya	19-7	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Satyendranath	16-4	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,,	Saurendranath	17-3	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Sudhamay	16-10	Dainhat H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhansusekhar	16-10	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	,,	Sudhindranath	16-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Sukumarchandra	16-1	Badanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Surendranath	22-1	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-5	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
1540	,,	Susilkumar	18-11	Balurghat H. E. School.
	,,	Syamapada	17-2	Serampur Collegiate School.
	,,	Syamasaran	16-3	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,,	Tarakdas	16-8	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	,,	Taraknath	16-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 39.
	,,	Tinkarinath	17-7	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Tulsidas	19-5	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	Chattoraj,	Jagadischandra	18-8	Saktipur K.M.C. Institution.
	,,	Ramkisor	18-11	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	Chaturanon	Lal Das	16-1	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani
1550	Chaudhuri,	Abanimohon	16-1	Krishnanagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Abirashchandra	18-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Ajitnarayan	18-1	Armenitola Govt. High School.
	,,	Amiyachandra	16-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Amulyacharan	22	Gobordanga H. E. School.
	,,	Anilkrishna	17-4	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Apurbakumar	17-3	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Asataru	18-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Banajaksha	19-8	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Banbihari	18-1	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution
1560	,,	Bholanath	18-4	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Bhupatiranjan	20	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Bibhutibhusan*	16-3	Bangaon H. E. School.
	,,	Binaybhusan	17-6	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara
	,,	Binaykrishna	16-2	Pandra H. E. School.
	,,	Binaykrishna	18-10	Bally River's Thompson School.
	,,	Birendramohan	20-1	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 15.
	,,	Brajendralal	16-9	Satkania H. E. School.
	,,	Chandraprasad	18-1	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Dasarathi	19-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
1570	,,	Dayananda	16-10	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,,	Dhirendrachandra	16-11	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-2	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Dineschandra	19-2	Silchar Government High School.
	,,	Durganath	20-3	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,,	Girischandra	16-2	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,,	Haranchandra	19-1	Bhagyakul Harendralal H.E. School.
	,,	Hari Har Prasad Sinha	18-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	,,	Hemantakumar	18-6	Patajia H. E. School.
	,,	Hrishikes	16-5	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.

1580	Chaudhuri,	Jatischandra . . .	16-6	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,,	Jitendranath . . .	21-7	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Jyotsnakumar . .	16-2	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Kalikrishna . . .	18	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Kamalacharan . .	17-2	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	,,	Kamalkrishna . .	17-7	Morton Institution.
	,,	Kaminiranjan . .	17-11	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,,	Kanailal .	17-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Kanailal . . .	18-11	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,,	Kartikchandra . .	21	Pabna Zila School.
1590	,,	Kedareswar . . .	16	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,,	Kisorimohan . . .	17-4	Pabna Zila School.
	,,	Krishnakumar . .	19-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Krishnamohan . .	16-1	Ranchi Zilla School.
	,,	Kshirendranath . .	19-7	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Kshitischandra . .	18-1	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,,	Kshitischandra . .	16-5	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Kumudbandhu . .	17-2	Nabadwip Hindu H. E School.
	,,	Kunjalal . . .	21-4	Rajbari Raja S. K. Institution.
	,,	Lalitkisor . . .	16	Ranchi Zilla School.
1600	,,	Madhusudan .	18-4	Siddheswari Ac. Institution.
	,,	Mahendranath . .	18-1	Dinajpur Zilla School.
	,,	Mahendranath . .	17-6	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Manindralal . .	19-8	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Manoranjan . . .	16-2	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Matilal . . .	17-6	Dumka Zilla School.
	,,	Nabinchandra . .	16-2	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,,	Nagendrakumar . .	21-3	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Nagendrakumar . .	17	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,,	Nanigopal . . .	19-5	Pabna Institution.
1610	,,	Nakuleswar . . .	16	Naogaon Krishnadhan H E. School.
	,,	Narendranarayan . .	20	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Nilratan . . .	17-7	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	,,	Niradchandra . .	19-11	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,,	Nirajakanta . .	16	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Niranjan . . .	16-4	Comilla Zilla School.
	,,	Nisakar . . .	16	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Nripendranarayan . .	17-6	Dinajpur Zilla School.
	,,	Pitambarchandra . .	18-11	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Pyarimohan .	19-6	Tezpur Govt. High School.
1620	,,	Prabodhchandra . .	18-1	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Pramodkisor . .	17-2	Bishnupur H. E. School
	,,	Praphullachandra . .	19-1	Bhanga High School.
	,,	Rabindranath . .	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rabindranath . .	16-1	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rabindranath . .	16-1	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur
	,,	Radhasyam . . .	17-1	Lousing H. E. School.
	,,	Radhikamohan . .	17-8	Bogra Zilla School.
	,,	Rajendrakumar . .	16-2	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,,	Ramapati . . .	17-7	Tiluri Kripamayi H. E. School.
1630	,,	Ramrenu . . .	17-7	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,,	Sachimohan . . .	16-11	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Sailendramohan . .	19	Kishoregong H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath . .	16-11	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Saileschandra . .	16-11	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,,	Sarada Prasad . .	17-7	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	,,	Saradindu . . .	19-2	Itachuna Srinarayan Institution.
	,,	Sarojpani . . .	17-4	Pingna H. E. School.
	,,	Sasankamohan . .	16-7	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Sasankasekhar . .	18	Bishnupur H. E. School.
1640	,,	Satischandra . .	18-8	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,,	Satyahari . . .	20-11	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,,	Sibakumar . . .	16-4	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Sisirkumar . . .	18-6	Midnapur Town School.
	,,	Sitanath . . .	18-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Sitanath . . .	18-1	Orakandi H. E. School.

	Chaudhuri, Subodhgobinda	16-3	Bogra Zila School.
	,, Subodhnarayan	16-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Sudhirkumar	18-5	Naldanga Bhusan H. E. School.
	,, Sukhendubikas	16	Patiya High School.
1650	,, Sureschandra	16-3	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	,, Sureschandra	18-1	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Sureschandra	20-7	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Tariniehandra	16	Sylhet Government High School.
	,, Upendramohan	18-1	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,, Upendranath	19	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Vaidyanath Nanda	16-9	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Chawdhury, Md. Abdul Aziz	18-5	Private Student, Roll Ber. P. 8.
	Dalai, Madanmohan	18-6	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	Dalal, Nabadwipchandra	18-7	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
1660	,, Prabodhchandra	16-7	Badangang H. E. School.
	,, Radhaballabh	18-4	Bolpur H. E. School.
	Daljit, Man Singh	19-9	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Dalmia, Madanlal	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Dalui, Bijaykrishna	17-2	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,, Ramkrishna	18-11	Howrah Zila School.
	Dan, Kamalaksha	18-8	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	21-11	Midnapur Town School.
	Das, Abhaycharan	18-4	Karimganj Government High School.
	,, Abinashchandra	17-1	Bajitpur H E. School.
1670	,, Adwaitachandra	20-8	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,, Adwaitalal	17-1	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Agadhucharan	19-2	Puri Zila School.
	,, Akshaykumar	17-1	Barpeta Government High School
	,, Amarsankar	18-8	Kharana H. E. School.
	,, Amulyacharan	18-8	Barisa H. E. School.
	,, Amulyakrishna	17-4	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,, Anangamohan	18-2	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Anantacharan	19-8	Khurda H. E. School.
	,, Anantakumar	16-1	Gaila H. E. School.
1680	,, Anantakumar	17-10	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,, Anukulchandra	18-4	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Asitranjan	16-9	Uttar Shabazpur George Institution.
	,, Asutosh	21-4	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,, Aswinikumar	17-11	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,, Atulchandra	16-8	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. School.
	,, Atulchandra	17-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Balahari	21-6	Paigram Kasba H. E. School.
	,, Banchhanidhi	17-2	Balasore Zila School.
	,, Bankabihari	18-5	Araihazar H. E. School.
1690	,, Bankimbihari	16-5	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Bankimchandra	16-6	Satkania H. E. School.
	,, Basantakumar	17-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Basantakumar	18-7	Srikrishna Patsala.
	,, Basantakumar	17-6	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,, Basudev	19-1	Sagore Dutt Free H. E. School.
	,, Benibhushan	17-7	Sylhet Government High School
	,, Benimadhab	22-7	Comilla Zilla School.
	,, Benimadhab	16-10	Kishanganj H. E. School.
	,, Bhagabanchandra	17-11	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
1700	,, Bharatchandra	19-4	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School
	,, Bhushanchandra	18-6	Bolpur H. E School.
	,, Bhupendranath	17	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibushan	19-11	Bowbazar High School.
	,, Bidhubushan	19-10	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,, Bijaykrishna	16-3	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Bijaykrishna	17-3	Kalighat High School.
	,, Binodbihari	16	Senhati High School.
	,, Binodeswar	19-10	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,, Birendrakumar	17-7	Bowbazar High School
1710	,, Birendrakumar	17-10	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Birendranath	16-3	Satkania H. E. School.
	,, Bishnupada	16-11	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.

	Das, Biswanath	16	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Bisweswar	20-6	Kirtipasa P K. Institution.
	„ Brahmananda	16	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	„ Brajendrachandra	17-3	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Brajendrakumar	20	Silchar Government High School.
	„ Brajendralal	18	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Brajendranath	19-10	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
1720	„ Brajnath	18-4	Maharani Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
	„ Byomkes	16-5	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	„ Chandrakanta	20-1	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Chandramohan	18-1	Chittagong H. E. School.
	„ Chintaharan	19-1	Gangaprasad Jagannath H E. School, Beltali.
	„ Chintamani	20-7	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	„ Debendrachandra	16-11	Kasba H. E. School.
	„ Dharanidhar	17-3	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Dharanidhar	16-7	Private Student, Roll Mid. P. 2.
	„ Dharanikanta	17-8	Abhayapuri Abhayeswari High School.
1730	„ Dharmeswar	17-7	Sonaram Aided High School.
	„ Dhireschandra	16-1	Patiya High School.
	„ Dineschandra	16-2	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Durgacharan	19-3	Rangdia H. E. School.
	„ Ganeschandra	21-11	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	„ Gobindachandra	16-3	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Gobindachandra	18-8	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	„ Gobinchand	18	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Gopalchandra	16-1	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Gopalchandra	16-2	Dacca Pogose School.
1740	„ Gopalchandra	18-7	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Gopikrishna	17-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
	„ Gorachand	20-10	Contai H. E School.
	„ Haragobinda	21-5	Dinhata H E. School.
	„ Haraprasanna	16-9	Sandwip Cargill High School
	„ Harendralal	16-1	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	„ Harendranarayan	17	Goalpara Govt. High School.
	„ Harendranath	17-6	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur
	„ Haripada	18-9	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Hemchandra	18	Bhola Government High School.
1750	„ Hemchandra	18-6	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„ Indragopal	19-11	Lousing H. E. School.
	„ Indranarayan	16 6	Irphala K. M. Institution.
	„ Indubhushan	17-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Indubhushan	16-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	„ Jagadischandra	23-3	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	„ Jaganmohan	18-1	Barisa H. E. School.
	„ Jaigobindalal	19-9	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	„ Jaminibhushan	16-3	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	„ Jaminimohan	16-6	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
1760	„ Janakinath	18-8	Baisari H. E. School.
	„ Jatindranath	17-10	Banagram Century Institution.
	„ Jatindranath	16	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	„ Jogendrachandra	21-4	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	„ Jogendralal	17-2	Chittagong National Institution.
	„ Jogendranath	16-2	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	„ Jogeschandra	18-8	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	„ Jogeschandra	16-6	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Jogibhushan	16-1	Raja Suryakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	„ Jyotischandra	17-6	Dupleix College.
1770	„ Kailaschandra	20-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Kailaschandra	18-5	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Kalikanta	16	Lousing H. E. School.
	„ Kalikumar	19	Sandwip Cargill High School.

	Das,	Kalinath	17-7	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Karunasindhu	17-6	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	,,	Kedarchandra	18-7	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,,	Kesablal	17-11	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Khagendrakumar	19-3	Sinhergaon Gobinda High School.
	,,	Khagendranath	20-3	Howrah Zila School.
1780	,,	Kiritibhushan	17-7	Kirnahar Sibchandra H. C. E. School.
	,,	Krishnahari	19-1	Dinhata H E. School.
	,,	Kumudlal	17-2	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	,,	Kunjabihari	16	Kendrapara H. E. School.
	,,	Lakshmikanta	18-5	Barapeta Government High School.
	,,	Lalitchandra	18-5	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	17-5	Balasore Zila School.
	,,	Lalmohan	19-6	Habiganj Government High School.
	,,	Lalmohan	17	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Madhusudan	18-2	Balasore Christian High School.
1790	,,	Mahendrachandra	21-11	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Mahendrachandra	18-9	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Mahendrakumar	17	Sylhet Moulvibazar Government High School.
	,,	Mahendranath	19-10	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Mahendranath	17-2	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,,	Mahimchandra	18-8	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Mohinimohan	16-6	Kendrapara H. E. School.
	,,	Manomohan	20-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Matilal	17-2	Basirhat H. E School.
	,,	Matindradeb	16-5	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
1800	,,	Mohanlal	16-11	Baruipur H. E. School.
	,,	Muralimohan	19-6	Balasore Zila School.
	,,	Nabinchandra	18-8	Berpeta Govt. High School.
	,,	Nabinchandra	16-7	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,,	Nagendrachandra	20-11	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Nagendranath	20-6	Nawabganj Harimohan Institution.
	,,	Nakulchandra	18-1	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nakulchandra	18-6	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Nakulchandra	16-11	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nandadulal	17-10	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
1810	,,	Nandakumar	19-1	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Nanibhusan	17-1	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Nanigopal	18-5	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Narayanchandra	18	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Narendrachandra	17	Araihazar H. E. School.
	,,	Narendrachandra	18-11	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,,	Narendrakumar	20-10	Private Student, Roll Sil., P. 15.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	22	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	,,	Nidhiram	25-1	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Nikunjabihari	18-1	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
1820	,,	Nilmani	18-11	Victoria Sattyabadi H. E. School.
	,,	Niranjanbihari	18-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	16-8	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Nityalal	18-2	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,,	Nityananda	18-7	Baripada H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendranarayan	16-9	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nrusinhacharan	16-11	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,,	Panchanan	16-11	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	,,	Panchkari	20-3	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,,	Paresranjan	19-8	Dacca Collegiate School.
1830	,,	Prabhatranjan	20-3	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	16-3	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Pramathanath	21-1	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	,,	Pramodabhiram	16-3	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	19	Gabha H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	19-6	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Prasannakumar	16-6	Mission High School, Katak.
	,,	Prasantakumar	16-8	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Pratapchandra	19-9	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Preeti	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1840	,,	Pritikona	...	Ravenshaw Girls' School, Katak.

	Das, Priyabrata	16	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Pulinbihari	16-6	Habiganj Govt. School.
	„ Pulinbihari	16-1	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	„ Pulinbihari	19-1	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Pyarilal	23-9	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Pyarimohon	20-1	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	„ Rabindranath	17-8	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Radhab Ilabh	17-9	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	„ Radhakushna	20-1	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
1850	„ Rajendranath	16-2	Kotchandpur H. E. School
	„ Rajkisor	18-7	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Ramendrakumar	16-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Rameschandra	17-4	Agartala Umakanta Academy
	„ Rasikchandra	17-7	Katwalipara Union Institution.
	„ Rebatikanta	17	Pabna Institution.
	„ Sachindranath	16-9	T K Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Sahadeb	16-4	R. Mitra H. E School, Deoghar.
	„ Sailendranath	16-10	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	„ Sanatkumar	17-4	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
1860	„ Santimayee	...	Chotonagpur Girls' H. School
	„ Santoshkumar	16-6	Taltala High School.
	„ Saradakumar	17	Raipur K C. H. E. School
	„ Saratchandra	17-1	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Saratchandra	16-6	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Sarojkumar	16-4	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sarojkumar	17-7	Shillong Government High School.
	„ Sasibhusan	19-11	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	26-1	Datta Para Ramratan H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	21-9	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
1870	„ Satyanarayan	22-2	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 15.
	„ Satyendranarayan	17	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Shyamdulal	18-6	Bagnan H. E. School.
	„ Sibcharan	18-11	Goalpara Government High School.
	„ Sisirkumar	17-4	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sitanath	19-7	Dhalla H. E. School.
	„ Sribas	16-8	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Srischandra	18-11	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	„ Srischandra	17-9	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	„ Subodhchandra	17-9	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
1880	„ Sumatibala	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	„ Surendrachandra	18	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Surendrakumar *	16	Gaila High School.
	„ Surendramohan	16-1	Abhayapuri Abhayaswari High School.
	„ Sureschandra	18-2	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur
	„ Sureschandra	17-5	Raipura R. K. R. M. Institution.
	„ Sureschandra	18-10	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	„ Tarapada	19-5	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Tulsinarayan	18-3	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	„ Udayachandra	18-2	R. K Jubilee High School, Noakhali.
1890	„ Udaycharan	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Umacharan	19-5	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	„ Umeschandra	22-11	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	20-3	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	Dasain Ram	17-6	St Johns H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Dasbhaumik, Nibaranchandra	17	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	„ Pratulchandra	16-11	Ujanchar K. N H. E. School.
	Daschaudhuri, Brajanath	17-2	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	Dasde, Bireswar	16-10	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Santoshkumar	17-4	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
1900	Dasgupta, Abinashchandra	16-5	Senhati High School.
	„ Akshayakumar	19	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„ Bankimchandra	18-2	Barisal Zilla School.
	„ Bhupendranath	20	Dinhata H. E. School

	Dasgupta,	Bimalkumar	19-8	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Binaybhushan	17-6	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Binaybhusan	16	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Binaykumar	17-3	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Binodbihari	17-7	Bankipur A. S. School.
	,,	Binodlal	17-7	Kalighat High School.
1910	,,	Chittaranjan	17-6	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	,,	Debabrata	17	Bagra Zila School.
	,,	Debendranath	19-5	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Dwijendramohan	19-11	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School
	,,	Dwijendranath	16-9	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Ganeshchandra	16-6	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Ganeshchandra	18-4	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Gangacharan	16-2	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Girijakanta	20	Araihazar H. E. School.
	,,	Gopalchandra	17-3	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
1920	,,	Gopalchandra	16-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Harendranath	19-4	Goila H. E. School.
	,,	Hemantakumar	18-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Hemchandra	18-5	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Hemendranarayan	17-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Hirendrakumar	17-5	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Hirendrakumar	18-3	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,,	Indubala		Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	,,	Jaminikanta	16	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Jayantakumar*	16-3	Brajamohan Institution, Barisal.
1930	,,	Jitendranath	17-2	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Jnanendranath	19-4	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,,	Jogeskamal	17-8	Bagribari H. N. Seminary.
	,,	Kalipada I	16-5	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Kalipada II	16-8	Ditto.
	,,	Kshitischandra	16	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kumarlal	16-4	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,,	Mahendranath	16-9	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Makhanlal	18-1	SholakBatajor Union Institution.
	,,	Manindranath	17-1	Comilla Zilla School.
1940	,,	Manoranjan	16	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Nagendranath	17-5	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinikanta	18-1	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Nanilal	17-7	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Niharranjan	17-8	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,,	Niharranjan	17-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	16-4	Pabna Zila School.
	,,	Pareschandra	16	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,,	Promodkumar	16-4	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-7	Kalighat High School.
1950	,,	Purnananda	16-1	Ichapura H. E. School.
	,,	Rabindrachandra	16-7	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	17	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Rameschandra	19-7	Private Student Roll Bar. P. 5.
	,,	Rohinikumar	19-1	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Sachindrakumar	19-1	Swarnagram R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	16-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Saratchandra	18	Barisal Zilla School.
	,,	Sarojkanti	20-1	Lakshikanta H. E. School. Kalma
	,,	Sasankasekhar	18-5	Kagram H. E. School.
1960	,,	Satyaranjan	19-8	Perojpur Government High School.
	,,	Satyendranath	16-1	Ditto.
	,,	Sidheswar	16-1	Hatiya Union H. E. School.
	,,	Sobodhchandra	16-6	Comilla Zilla School.
	,,	Subodhkumar	17-9	Kalia R. H. E. School
	,,	Sudhansubhusan	17-2	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	19-4	Gaila H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-11	Shillong Government High School.
	,,	Surendranath	18	Khulna Zilla School.
	,,	Surendranath	18-8	Bogra Zilla School.
1970	,,	Susilmohan	17-11	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Tattweschandra	17-5	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,,	Upendrachandra	16-8	Sylhet Moulvibazar Government High School.
	,,	Upendranath	17-11	Kalia R. H. E. School.

	Dasmunshi, Saratchandra	. .	16-11	Kirtiposa P. K Institution.
	Daspurkyastha, Debendrabejay	.	18-10	Raja Girishchandra High School, Sylhet.
	Dastidar, Binaykrishna	. . .	17-3	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,, Jagatbandhu	. . .	16-4	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Datta, Abaniprasad	. . .	17-1	Bankura Zila School.
	,, Abhaycharan	. . .	18-4	Morton Institution, Calcutta
1980	,, Abinaschandra	. . .	19-3	Jamsherpur B. N. High School.
	,, Abinaschandra	. . .	16-1	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	,, Amarendranath	. . .	17-11	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,, Amiyaranjan	. . .	17-4	Oriental Senitary, Calcutta.
	,, Amritalal	. . .	16-9	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Amritalal	. . .	16	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,, Amulyakumar	. . .	18-2	Digapatya P. N. High School.
	,, Anandachandra	. . .	17-5	Karapara H. E. School.
	,, Anathnath	. . .	16-5	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.
	,, Anilendranath	. . .	16-3	Babulia J. S. H. E. School.
1990	,, Aswinikumar	. . .	18-3	Takur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Basantaranjan	. .	21-4	Salkia Hindu School.
	,, Bhakripada	. . .	19-4	Birbhum Zila School
	,, Bharatchandra	. . .	19-7	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohoni Institution.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	. . .	18-3	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhury H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	. . .	16-10	Barrackpur Gov. School.
	,, Bijaychandra	. . .	18-7	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,, Binayendramohan	. . .	16-2	Silchar Govt. H. School.
	,, Binodbihari	. . .	17-1	Khagole E. I. R. Indian School.
	,, Bipinbihari	. . .	17-1	Private Student, Roll Com. P. 2.
2000	,, Bipinbihari	. . .	18-2	Dupleix College.
	,, Birendrakumar	. . .	18-2	Datta Para Ramratan H. E. School.
	,, Birendrakumar	. . .	21	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,, Birendramohan	. . .	17-4	Barisal Broja Mohan Institution.
	,, Bireswar	. . .	16-3	Taltala High School.
	,, Brajendrachandra	. . .	19-10	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Charuchandra	. . .	16-11	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Chintaharan	. . .	16	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Chunilal	. .	19-6	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,, Dakshinaranjan	. . .	17-2	Panditsar H. E. School.
2010	,, Debendrachandra	. . .	17	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,, Debendrakumar	. . .	18	Bribhum Zila School.
	,, Dhirendramohan	. . .	19	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	,, Digindranath	. . .	16-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,, Dineschandra	. . .	17-1	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,, Ganeschandra	. . .	18-11	Jagatballavpur H. E. School.
	,, Gaurhari	. . .	20-1	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,, Gobardhan	. . .	18-8	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,, Gopalchandra	. . .	21	Private Student Roll Cal. P. 18.
	,, Gopendrakrishna	. . .	19-8	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
2020	,, Gopindrakrishna	. . .	16-6	Monghyr Zila School.
	,, Gorachand	. . .	19-11	Dhankuria H. E. School.
	,, Goshthabihari	. . .	19-7	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Gurudas	. . .	17-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Haralal	. . .	21-2	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Haricharan	. .	16-7	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Harigopal	. . .	19-2	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,, Haripada	. . .	17	Bankura Zila School.
	,, Himansusekhar	. . .	18-10	B. M Institution Sankori.
	,, Jagatbandhu	. .	18-1	Goalunda H. E School.
2030	,, Jajneswar	. . .	17-5	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Jaminimohan	. . .	16-6	Panditsar H. E. School.
	,, Jatindramohan	. . .	19-3	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Jatindranath	. . .	18	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Jatindranath	. . .	17	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,, Jatishchandra	. . .	16	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Jatishchandra	. . .	17	Naldah H. E. School
	,, Jnanaranjan	. . .	20-5	Barisal Broja Mohun Institution.
	,, Jogeschandra	. . .	17-7	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.

	Datta,	Kalikrishna	16-9	Dhankuria H. E. School.
2040	,,	Kamalkrishna	16	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Krishnasadhan	17-2	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	,,	Kshitischandra	21-10	Silchar Government High School.
	,,	Kunjalal	17-2	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Lalitmohan	18-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Mahendranath	17-1	Goila H. E. School.
	,,	Mahilaranjan	16-3	Bera Bipinbihari H E. School.
	,,	Manimohan	16-1	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Manindralal	17-11	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Manindramohan	17-1	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
2050	,,	Manindranath	16	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-11	Kidderpore Academy.
	,,	Manotosh	16-2	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Mohanchandra	19-2	Jorhat Government High School.
	,,	Nagendrakumar	17-7	Ukils' Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Nagendranath	19-2	Bawali H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-11	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Nagendranath	17-7	Senhati High School.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-9	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nanigopal	19-3	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
2060	,,	Narendranath	17-1	Dupliex College, Chandernagore.
	,,	Nikunjabihari	16-7	Satkaina H. E. School.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	16-6	Patiya High School.
	,,	Niranjanprasad	16-1	Patiya High School.
	,,	Nripendranath	18-5	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,,	Panchanan	16-6	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-1	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-1	Howrah Zila School.
	,,	Pareschandra	17-1	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Parimalchandra	16	Dhubri Govt. H. School.
2070	,,	Prabhaschandra	16-1	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	17	South Suburban, School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Praphullachandra	16-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Praphullachandra	18	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-7	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Pratapchandra	16-11	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Pulinbihari	16-11	Mangal Kandi H. E School.
	,,	Pyarilal	18-11	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Radhasundar	19	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Radhasyam	19-8	Bhadrak H. E. School.
2080	,,	Raghunath	20-5	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Rajendralal	18-10	Uttarshahabazpur George Institution
	,,	Ramakanta	17-7	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,,	Ramananda	17-8	Ranchi Zila School.
	,,	Ramendrachandra	16-11	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rameschandra	18-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Rameschandra, I	16-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Rameschandra	16-8	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	17-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,,	Ratischandra	18-1	Sylhet Moulvibazar Govt. High School.
2090	,,	Sachindrakumar	17-5	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Sachindramohan	16-6	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendramohan	18-8	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,,	Santakumar	16-6	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Santalal	18-7	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
	,,	Santasaran	18-3	Howrah Zila School.
	,,	Saratchandra	18-2	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,,	Saratchandra	16-6	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Saratkumar	17-5	Barisal Zila School.
	,,	Sasibhushan	18-1	Chaibassa Zila School.
2100	,,	Satischandra	20-9	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Saurendrakumar	19-2	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Satyahari	16	Jaynagar Institution.
	,,	Satyaranjan	17-5	Gabha H. E. School.
	,,	Satyendranath	19-1	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,,	Sibaprasad	17-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudha		Maharani H. School, Darjeeling.

	Datta, Sudhirkumar	16-1	Brajamohan Institution, Barisal.
	,, Sukhendubikas	17-8	Patiya High School.
	,, Suklal	16-10	Khalishpur H. E. School.
2110	,, Surendranath	19-6	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	,, Sureschandra	19-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Sureschandra	17-5	Silchar Government High School.
	,, Sureschandra	19	Private Student Roll Com. P. 8.
	,, Susilkrishna	17-2	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Susilkumar	17-1	Perojpur Government High School.
	,, Tarakdas	17-4	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,, Taraknath	18-6	Kumar Radha Prasad Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Taraknath	16-2	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,, Tinkari	17-1	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
2120	,, Tribenicharan	19-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Upendranath	20-1	Telinipara-Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,, Upendranath	17-11	Perojpur Government High School.
	Dattachaudhuri, Ajaykrishna	19-3	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Anathbandhu	16-6	Palamau Zila School.
	,, Mrinalmohan	17-1	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Sambhunath	17-1	Oriental Seminery, Calcutta.
	,, Sarojmohan	16	Sylhet Government High School.
	Dattagupta, Bharatchandra	18-11	Feni High School.
	,, Bhubanmohan	18-11	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
2130	,, Bhupendramohan	18-2	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Jatindralal	16-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Jogeschandra	17	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath	17	Faridpur Zila School.
	,, Nirapada	18-2	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	Dattamajumdar, Jitendranath	23-11	Private Student, Roll Bar., P. 2.
	Dattaray, Lalanaranjan	18-2	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Manmathanath*	16-3	Mritunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Manindranath	16-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	David Premprasad Singh	16-1	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
2140	De, Abinaschandra	16	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,, Ajitsankar	16-2	Victoria H. E. School, Baranagore.
	,, Amalchandra	17	Kesab Academy, Calcutta.
	,, Amiyanath	17-4	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Amritalal	17	Perojpur Government High School.
	,, Amritalal	16-2	Sonarang High School.
	,, Anadinath	16-9	R. Mitra H E. School Deoghar.
	,, Arabinda	17-4	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,, Baradakumar	20-1	Private Student, Roll Nos. P. 2.
	,, Basantakumar	18-8	Dupleix College.
2150	,, Basantakumar	16-1	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Bhabanicharan	16-10	Serajganj B. I. High School.
	,, Bhabanicharan	16-4	T. K. Ghosh Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Bhabanikisor	21-9	Kisoregang H. E. School.
	,, Bhabaranjan	17	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	,, Bhagabatprasad	18-5	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,, Bibutibhushan	16-1	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Bijaykumar	16-7	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Binaykrishna	20-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Bipinchandra	18-2	Panditsar H. E. School.
2160	,, Birendramohan	19-2	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Chandrasekhar	18-3	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Debendrachandra	17-5	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Debendrachandra	16-7	Sinhergaon Govinda High School.
	,, Debendranath	19-4	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,, Debiprasad	18-4	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,, Dhirendrakumar	19-6	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Dineschandra	17-10	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Gobindraprasad	17-4	Jharia H. E. School.
	,, Gopinath	19-1	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
2170	,, Haraprasad	17-6	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.

	De,	Herambalal	19-6	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Herambanath	17-5	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Indubhushan	16-11	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,,	Indrakumar	17-1	Patiya High School.
	,,	Indranath	16-2	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,,	Jadugopal	17-6	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbagh.
	,,	Jagannath	18	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,,	Jagatbandhu	17-4	Bhola Government High School.
	,,	Jagatbandhu	23-11	Patiya High School.
2180	,,	Jagatchandra	24-3	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Jajneswar	19-7	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Jajneswar	18-9	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbagh.
	,,	Jaminikumar	19-7	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Janakinath	16-5	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Jatindramohan	20-11	Mymensingh Zila School.
	,,	Jatindranath	17	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jitendrachandra	17-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Jitendranath	16-5	Collins Institute Calcutta.
	,,	Jitendranath	16-7	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
2190	,,	Jnanendrachandra	17-11	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendranath	17-1	Raja Girishchandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Jugalkisor	16-2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Jyotiprakas	16-10	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalicharan	16	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Kalikrishna	20-2	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Kamakhyacharan	18-9	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Khagendranath	17-2	Private Student, Roll Birb., P. 12.
	,,	Kiranchandra	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
	,,	Kshitishchandra	19-6	Kartikpur H. E. School.
2200	,,	Kshitishchandra	16-4	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch.
	,,	Lalmohan	19-1	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	19-2	Sonarang High School.
	,,	Lakshmanchandra	17-9	Salkhia A. S. School.
	,,	Madangopal	18-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Mahendrakumar	17-11	Patyiga High School.
	,,	Mahendranath	16-7	Jhalakati Govt. High School.
	,,	Mahimaranjan	22-10	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,,	Makhanlal	16-6	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Manmathanath	18-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
2210	,,	Manmathanath	20-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nabangalal	16-4	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	,,	Nadiyachand	18-1	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Nagendrachandra	17-7	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,,	Nagendrachandra	23-2	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,,	Nagendrakumar	17-5	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Nagendranath	21-10	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Nalinikanta	17-3	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Narendramohan	17-4	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	18-1	Bhanga High School.
2220	,,	Nibaranchandra	17-1	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Nityananda	17-7	Wesleyan Collegiate School Bankura.
	,,	Pareschandra	17	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Phanindranath	16-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	17-7	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Prabirchandra	17-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,,	Prankumar	17-10	Kirtiposa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Praphullachandra	16-3	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	19	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	18-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
2230	,,	Praphullakumar	17-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Prasannakumar	17-8	Habiganj Govt. High School.

	De, Purnachandra	19-10	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	„ Priyabhusan	19	Barisa H. E. School.
	„ Rabindrakumar	16-11	Private Student Roll Chi. P. 9.
	„ Rabindralal	18-7	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Radhasyam	16-9	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	„ Rashbihari	19-4	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	„ Rasikchandra	17	Pandit-ar H E. School.
	„ Sailendrakumar	16-2	Kumar Radhaprasad Institution, Calcutta.
2240	„ Saradacharan	18-3	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution.
	„ Saratchandra	22-1	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Saratchandra	20	Private Student Roll Com. P. 6.
	„ Saratchandra	18-9	Raghunathbari R. T. H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	17-2	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Satischandra	16-3	Netrakona Dutt H. School, Mymensingh.
	„ Sripaticharan	17	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	„ Subodhchandra	16	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	„ Sudhirkumar	16-8	Kesab Academy, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhirkumar	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch.
2250	„ Surendrachandra	17-2	Comilla Zila School.
	„ Surendrachandra	24-7	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Surendralal	19-1	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Sureshchandra	19-11	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Sureshchandra	17-10	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	„ Sureshchandra	18-8	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	„ Tulsicharan	17-2	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Umaprasanna	17	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	„ Umeshchandra	19-2	Noapara H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	16-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
2260	Deb, Atulgobinda	16-8	Kurigram H. E. School.
	„ Anilkumar	16-11	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	„ Chittaranjan	19-1	Narayinganj H. E. School.
	„ Gopalchandra	18	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	„ Guruprashad	16-10	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Haribhusan	16-3	Jaynagar Institution.
	„ Jatindramohan	18-7	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Jogeschandra	17-1	Silchar Govt. High School.
	„ Kshirodhbihari	17-11	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-3	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
2270	„ Krishnadhan	18-9	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	„ Kumudkanta	17-11	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	„ Malaykumar	16	Town School Calcutta.
	„ Manmathanath	18-4	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Narendrachandra	17-11	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	„ Narendralal	17-7	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	„ Nripendramohan	19-1	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	„ Sailendrakrishna	16-9	Madhupur Edward George School.
	„ Sureschandra	22-7	Private Student Roll Sil. P. 1.
	„ Tarinicharan	17-10	Silchar Govt. High School.
2280	„ Upendranath	17-11	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School.
	Debanath, Gopalchandra	20-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Sukhlal	20-7	Pingna H. E. School.
	Debchaudhuri, Indubhushan	17-6	Agartola Umakanta Academy.
	„ Nagendrakumar	16	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	Debi, Chapala	...	Dr. Khastgir's Girls' School, Chittagong.
	Debmaulik, Praphullachandra	16-11	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur.
	Debnath, Debendramohan	17-7	Gaffargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Debsarkar, Nalinikanta	16	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	Debsarma, Homeswar	17-11	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
2290	Dechaudhuri, Jaminikantha	18-1	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Kiranchandra	17-8	Mortom Institution, Calcutta.
	Deemarayan Panday	18-2	Private Student Roll Bha., P. 26.
	Deghoria, Manindranath	17-8	Jharia H. E. School.

	Deka, Mahendranath	18-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Dellington	18-5	Shillong Government High School.
	Delwar Hossain Ahmed	19-7	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Depattanayak, Jibeschandra	18	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Deray, Sukumar	17-7	Goalundo H. E. School.
	Desarkar, Birendralal	18-11	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution.
2300	,, Meghanarayan	18-3	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Deuri, Danendranath	17-10	Serampur Collegiate School.
	Devidutt	21-8	M. M. Randeria High School Rangoon.
	Dewan, Asutosh	17-2	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Chandramohan	22-2	Rangamati H. E. School.
	Dewan, Nazib Hussain	19-11	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Dhal, Gopinath	17	Baripada H. E. School.
	Dhandania, Radhakrishna	18	Private Students Roll Cal., P. 83.
	Dhannalal Lohia	20-4	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	Dhar, Anukulchandra	17	Dacca Pogose School.
2310	,, Aswinikumar	19	Hailakandi V. M. H. E. School.
	,, Balaram	20-5	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,, Bankachandra	19	Silchar Government High School.
	,, Barispada	16-8	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,, Brajendranath	16-9	Hughli Branch School.
	,, Hemchandra	19-1	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Jatischandra	20-8	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,, Kalipada	18-1	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Kanakkumar	16-11	Private Student Roll Kri. P. 4.
	,, Makhanlal	16-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
2320	,, Maniudrachandra	17-4	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Matilal	16-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Nabadwipchandra	18	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	,, Nalininath	17-1	Silchar Government High School.
	,, Narendrachandra	18	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Pareschandra	18-4	Habiganj Government High School.
	,, Rajendrachandra	19-1	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E School.
	,, Ramaniranjan	17-2	Karimganj Government High School.
	,, Saratchandra	17-6	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sasankabhushan	18-10	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
2330	,, Sukumarchandra	18-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	,, Surendrakumar	18-11	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,, Upendralal	18-8	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	Dhara, Satyeswar	17-8	Raghu Nath Bari R. T. H. E. School.
	Dharani Dhar Mishra	16-8	Patna City School.
	Dhargupta, Saileschandra	19-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Dharkhan Sinha	16-7	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Dharmajumdar, Pulinbihari	19-4	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Dhol, Girindramohan	19-10	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	Dholakia, Kantilal	17-3	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
2340	Digambar Jha	17-3	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Digamber Chand	16-2	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	Dikpati Nrisinhachandra	22-8	Hughli Branch School.
	Din Mohammad Mia	20-10	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	Dineshwar Prasad	17-7	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Dineshvar Prasad	20	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Dirghangi, Kuladacharan	18-1	Amta H. E School.
	Doulat Ali Sarkaer	17-9	Pabna Institution.
	Dowerah, Saradananda	18-1	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	,, Satyananda	17-6	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
2350	,, Susilchandra	20-4	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	Duara, Gauriprabha	...	Chotanagpur Girl's High School.
	,, Govin	16-9	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Dubey, Audhprasad	19	Mukherji's Seminary Mozaffarpur.
	Durga Prasad	18-6	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Dutta, Lalmohan	17	Karapara H. E School.
	,, Sumatibala	...	Chotanagpur Girl's High School. Giridih.
	Dwarika Pershad Pandey	17-8	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Earlington	18-8	Shillong Govt. High School.

	Edbar, Upendranath	17-10	Baisari H. E. School.
2360	Ejaz Uddin Ahmed	16-3	Bogra Zila School.
	Ehsanul Haque	18-1	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Enayet Ali	21-4	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur
	E. Pe	17-11	Maulmein Govt. High School.
	Eusufali Mian	22-10	Nilphamari High School.
	Fahimuddin Ahmed	19-7	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
	Faiz Ahamed	18-8	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Farid Boktha	16-6	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	Fariduddin Ahmed	25-2	Private Student Roll Chap. 259.
	Fateh Bahadur Sinh	19	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
2370	Fayez Ahmed	16-5	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Fazilat Hossain	18-7	Kishanganj H. E. School.
	Fazilat Hussain	17-3	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Fazil Miah	21-7	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	Fazla Ulla	16-11	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Fazley Haque	18-6	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Fazlur Rahman	18-9	Govt. Aided H.E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Fazlur Rahman Khan	17-3	Mymensingh Zila School.
	F. K. Shamsuddin Ahmed	16-6	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Furkan Ali	16-5	Karimganj Govt. High School.
2380	Gadadhar Prasad	16-10	Hatwa Eden School.
	Gangopadhyay, Abanikanta	22-1	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,, Alinchandra	17-2	Kalighat High School.
	,, Amiyalal	17-2	Sthal Pakrasi Institution.
	,, Anilkanta *	16-2	Dhubri Government High School.
	,, Asimakumar	17-1	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,, Bankimchandra	16-5	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Bijaygopal	17-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Bimaladas	16-11	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	,, Birendramohan	19-11	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
2390	,, Bhubanmohan	16-3	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Bhupaticharan	16-1	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,, Chandrakanta	18-1	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	,, Charuchandra	17-7	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	,, Debendrakumar	22-7	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,, Dhirendranath	17-1	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Durgapada	19-3	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Dwijendranath	19	Saidpur H. E. School.
	,, Haridas	16-1	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Haripada	16-6	Gobindaganj H. E. School.
2400	,, Haripada	19-10	Puri Zila School.
	,, Hemantakumar	20-6	Kukutia K. K. Institution.
	,, Herambachandra	16-10	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Jatindramohon	16-5	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution
	,, Jatiprasad	17-8	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	,, Jiteschandra	17-4	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,, Kalipada	17	Hatuganj M N. K. H. E. School.
	,, Kanailal	17	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidhar School.
	,, Kesablal	18-2	Dattapura Ramratan H. E. School.
	,, Krishnakisor	19	Goalunda H E. School.
2410	,, Krishnendranath	17-5	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Kumudnath	16-4	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Manoranjan	16-10	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,, Mohinimohan	16-2	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur.
	,, Nandalal	19-7	Deoghar R. Mitra Institution.
	,, Nanigopal	28-4	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,, Narendranath	16-7	Samastipur H. E. School.
	,, Nareschandra	17-2	Feni High School.
	,, Nripendranath	16-1	P. M. Academy Katak.
	,, Panchanan	17-1	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
2420	,, Paresmo an	16-6	Raja Giris Chandra High School, Sylhet.

	Gangopadhyay, Phanibhushan	16-6	Senhati High School.
	,, Pramathanath	16-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,, Rabindranarayan	16-6	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,, Rabindranath	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendrachandra	21-2	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	,, Sailendranath	17-7	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	,, Sambhunath	16-11	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sambhunath	16	Rajsahi Bohlanath Academy.
	,, Santiram	16-10	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
2430	,, Shorashinath	17-2	Kagram H. E. School.
	,, Suhdikumar	16-6	Lalgola M N. Academy.
	,, Surendramohan	17	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,, Upendramohan	20-5	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Gauri Shanker	20-4	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Genendra	17-5	Shillong Government High School.
	Ghatak, Jatindranath	18-2	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	,, Jitendrachandra	18-6	Swarnagram R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jnanchandra	17-3	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdul Gani H. E. School.
	,, Kshetramohan	17-3	Comilla Zila School.
2440	,, Mahendranath	18	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,, Sasankamohan	17-1	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdul Gani H. E. School.
	Ghengi, Haranath	17-6	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	Gholam Sattar	19-2	Private Student Roll Muz. P. 42.
	Ghosh, Akhilpada	20-2	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	,, Amarnath	17-2	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,, Amulyachandra	16-5	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Amulyachandra	16-10	Taki Government School.
	,, Amulyakrishna	19-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Howrah Branch.
	,, Amulyaratan	20-4	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
2450	,, Anadinath	16-1	Binodpur B. C. High School.
	,, Anilendranath	17-3	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,, Apurbaratan	16	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Ardhendusekhar	18-2	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Atulkrishna	19-5	Gushtia K. N. H. E. School.
	,, Atulkrishna	17-10	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Atulkrishna	17-6	Labpur J. L. H E. School.
	,, Adinath	16-7	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.
	,, Badalchandra	17-2	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,, Bankimchandra	18-6	Jagabandhu H. E. School, Torkona.
2460	,, Bansibadan	16-3	Calcutta Academy.
	,, Batakrishna	16-1	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Bhabanicharan	16-4	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,, Bhabanisankar	16-9	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Bholanath	17-10	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,, Bhudhar	20	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Bhupatibhushan	17-6	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bhupendranath	16-11	Rammohon Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	,, Bibhutibhusan	17	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	17-3	Jangipur H. E. School.
2470	,, Bibhutibhushan	18	Howrah Zila School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	17	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Bibhutcharan	16-4	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,, Bijanbihari	18-6	Indas H. E. School.
	,, Bijyachandra	17-5	Dhubri High School.
	,, Bijaychandra	17-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Bijyachandra	17-9	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Bijaykrishna	19-5	Itachona Srinaryan Institution.
	,, Bijaykumar	18-1	Barrackpur Govt. School.
	,, Binaybhushan	16-4	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
2480	,, Binaykrishna	17-10	Rajibpur A. V. High School.
	,, Binodbihari	16-7	Howrah Zila School.
	,, Birajmohan	18-3	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,, Birendranath	16-1	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Birendrakumar	19-11	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.

	Ghosh,	Chandrakanta	17-7	Birsingha Bhagabati Vidyalaya.
	,,	Charuchandra	17-7	City Collegiate School, Mymensigh Branch.
	,,	Charuchandra	17	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Dhananjay	16-1	Salkia A. S. School.
	,,	Dharmdas	16-7	Khagra L. M. S. School.
2490	,,	Dhirendranath	18-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-6	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Digendranath	17-2	Dacca Collegiate School
	,,	Dineshchandra	21-2	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Diptendramohan	16-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Dwijendrachandra *	16-3	Mitra Institution, Bhawnipur.
	,,	Dwijendranath	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,,	Gadadhar	18-5	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	,,	Ganeschandra	17-6	Rangoon H. E. School.
	,,	Gaurchandra	18	Itachuna Srinarayan Institution.
2500	,,	Gobindalal	16-4	Memaria V. M. Institution.
	,,	Gobindapada	18	Birsinga Bhagabati Vidyalaya.
	,,	Gokulchandra	19	Baidyapur George Institution.
	,,	Gopikisor	20-10	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Harendranath	20-2	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Harendranath	18	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Haridas	21-5	Bantra Madhusadan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,,	Haridayal	22-2	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Harisankar	16-8	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Hemangachandra	17-10	Narayanganj H. E. School.
2510	,,	Hemchandra	16-3	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Hemendranath	16-2	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	,,	Hiranchandra	18-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Hirendranath*	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Hrishikesh	17-6	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,,	Jadugopal	17-2	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Jagadbandhu	17	Taki Govt. School.
	,,	Jaminikanta	17-8	Khararia H. E. School.
	,,	Jaminimohan	17-10	Dacca Pagose School.
	,,	Jatindrakumar	17-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
2520	,,	Jatindramohan	18-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-11	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,,	Jayantakumar	18-2	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,,	Jitendranath	19-1	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	,,	Jitendranath	17-11	Narail Victoria Collegiate School
	,,	Jitendranath	18-11	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	,,	Jnanendrabhushan	17-11	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,,	Jnanendranath	20-3	Seuhati High School.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	22-2	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Jogendrakumar	17-5	Sylhet Govt. High School.
2530	,,	Jogendrakumar	17-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Jogeschandra	17-2	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Jyotishchandra	17-11	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	,,	Kalikaranjan	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalipada	16-10	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Kalprasad	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kamalkrishna	16-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Kanailal	18-10	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kanailal	16-1	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	,,	Kanailal	19-1	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
2540	,,	Kanaubihari	16	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Karunakumar	17-6	Khararia H. E. School.
	,,	Kesabchandra	20-2	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Kesabchandra	17-11	Jharia H. E. School.
	,,	Khagendrakrishna	16-11	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,,	Kiranbihari	16	Bhanga High School.
	,,	Krishnagobinda	20-1	Raja Surya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.

	Ghosh,	Kshirodchandra	16	Patiya High School.
	,,	Kshitendranath	16	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,,	Kuladaprasad	18-3	Pabna Zila School.
2550	,,	Kumarischandra	17-10	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,,	Kumudranjan	16-11	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,,	Lakshminarayan	18-3	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Lalitmohan	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Maniklal	17-9	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	,,	Manindranath	19	Baghutia Bhagdi H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-4	Bagnan H. E. School.
	,,	Manomohan	16-3	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,,	Matilal	17-11	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Matilal	18-8	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
2560	,,	Mohitkumar	16-2	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 84.
	,,	Nagendrakumar	19-4	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,,	Nagendraprasad	16-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,,	Naliniranjan	17-1	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nandakumar	16-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	,,	Nanigopal	20-1	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,,	Narayanchandra	17-11	Andul H. C. E. School.
	,,	Narayanchandra	16-3	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Narendranath	17-5	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Narendranath	19-1	Chakdaha Kamlal, Academy.
2570	,,	Nareschandra	16-1	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Naresnath	16-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	18-1	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Niradbihari	17-3	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Niradranjan	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	16	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nitaichandra	17-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nityananda	17	Khoksa Janipur H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendramay	17-1	Sylhet Government High School.
2580	,,	Nripendranath	18-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Nripendranath	19-7	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Panchanan	18-11	Dumka Zilla School.
	,,	Pankajkumar	18-3	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrasi.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Paresnath	18-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Paresnath	18-4	Rajibpur A. V. High School.
	,,	Pasupati	17-1	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,,	Patitpaban	17-10	Jansi Training School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	16-4	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	21-7	Bistupur H. E. School.
2590	,,	Phanindranath	16-6	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Phanindranath	23-3	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Pradyotnarayan	17-6	Rungpur Zilla School.
	,,	Prakaschandra	16-6	Harinavi A. S. School.
	,,	Prakaschandra	16-10	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Prakaschandra	16-10	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Pramathanath	16-6	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Pramodkumar	16-8	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prankrishna	16-4	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
2600	,,	Prankumar	16-7	Noakhali Zilla School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	17	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-4	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,,	Praphullakumar	17	Panjia H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullanath	19-2	Donough Govt. High School, Jamalpur.
	,,	Prasadchandra	16-2	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,,	Priyagopal	16-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Priyanath	17-9	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,,	Promilabala	...	Chota Nagpur Girls' High School, Giridih.

	Ghosh,	Radhagobinda	18-8	Pabna Zilla School.
2610	,,	Radhajiban	16-6	Kirnahar Sibchandra H. C. E. School.
	,,	Radhasyam	16	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,,	Radhikamohan	18-3	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Rajendralal	16-7	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,,	Rajendranath	18-1	Netrokona Dutt High School.
	,,	Rajnarayan	17-9	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Rakhaldas	16-4	Mukherjis Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	,,	Rameschandra	16-1	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Rameschandra	17-1	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	16-7	Woolpur P. C. H. E School.
2620	,,	Rebatiraman	16-11	Potajia H. E. School.
	,,	Sachindranath	17-5	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Sailendrakumar	17-9	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-6	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,,	Sailendranath	18-2	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-6	Shillong Government High School.
	,,	Saktikumar	17-2	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Salilprokas	19-6	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sanatkumar	17-6	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Santoshkumar	16-6	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
2630	,,	Santoshkumar	16-7	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Saradindubhushan	18-2	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Saratchandra	17-5	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Saratchandra	17-5	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Saratchandra	18-3	Bangaon H. E. School.
	,,	Sarojbhushan	16-8	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,,	Sarojkumar	19-4	Private Student, Roll Nos. P. 4.
	,,	Satipada	17	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Satischandra	18-2	Dumka Zilla School.
	,,	Satischandra	21-2	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
2640	,,	Satischandra	20-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Satischandra	16-1	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Satischandra	16-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Satyakinkar	21	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,,	Satyaranjan	17-10	Dacca Kishorilal Jubilee School
	,,	Satyaranjan	16-3	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Satyasadhan	17-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Satyasakha	19-7	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Saurindrakumar	17-1	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Saurindramohan	16-9	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
2650	,,	Sindhubhushan	19-7	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sisirkumar	20-8	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	16-8	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Srikanta	16-10	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Sripada	16	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Sripatilal	18-9	Ukhura H. E. School.
	,,	Sriprasanna	16-3	New Indian School, Calcutta
	,,	Sudansasi	19-7	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	,,	Sudarsanchandra	17	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Sudhahari	17-7	Rampurhat H. E. School.
2660	,,	Sudhindranath	18-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	16-11	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-6	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-9	Dumka Zilla School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-7	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sukumar	16-1	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Sukumar	17-1	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Sukumar	17-6	Hugli Collegiate School.
	,,	Surendrachandra	17-4	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	,,	Surendranath	18-4	Saidpur H. E. School.
2670	,,	Surendranath	17-11	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-9	Bahirdia High School.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-8	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Sureschandra	17-10	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Susilchandra	16-3	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.

	Ghosh, Susilkrishna	16-2	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Susilkumar	16-11	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Susilkumar	16-6	Giridih H. E. School.
	„ Stephan s Nirmalendu	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Tarakdas	16-2	Town School, Calcutta.
2680	„ Taraknath	16-10	Goalundo H. E. School.
	„ Tarapada	16-1	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	„ Tarapada	16-3	Hindu School, Calcutta
	„ Tarunkumar*	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Trailokyanath	17-9	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Trijanmohan	17-1	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	„ Tulsicharan	16-3	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Tulsicharan	17-8	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Umasankar	16-3	Barrackpur Govt. School.
	„ Umeschandra	17-4	Jenkins School, Cooch-Behar.
2690	„ Umeschandra	21-2	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	17-8	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	20-1	Bhandarhati B M. Institution.
	Ghosha, Bhagwatiprasad	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	Ghoshal, Achintyakumar	16	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 18.
	„ Amulyakumar	17-1	Panitras H. E. School.
	„ Asutosh	18-3	Bankura Zilla School.
	„ Bholanath	17-11	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Durgapada	16-3	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	„ Girijaprasanna	16-5	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
2700	„ Gobindalal	16-11	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	„ Haridas	18-5	Salkia Hindu School.
	„ Hemchandra	18-8	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Hrisikes	16-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Kalipada	18-11	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	„ Karalipada	18-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranath	17-1	Ajagorah H. E. School.
	„ Prabodhchandra	16-5	Sagore Dutt Free H. E. School.
	„ Sarojaksha	17-4	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	18-8	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
2710	„ Satischandra	16	Ajagorah H. E School.
	„ Sibadas	16	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	„ Surendralal	16-7	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	„ Sureschandra	19-11	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	„ Tirthabihari	16-1	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	Ghoshdastidar, Dharaniranjan	20-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Gangasagar	19-2	Gabha H. E. School.
	„ Jitendranath	20	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	„ Umeschandra	16-6	Gabha H. E. School.
	Ghoshchaudhuri, Debendranath	19-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh
2720	Ghoshmaulik, Kalikrishna	20-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Ghoshray, Anileswar	16-6	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	„ Indubhushan	19	Baisari H. E. School.
	Ghyasuddin Pathan	16-10	Gaffargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Girdhari Lall Jouhri	21-6	B. N Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Giri, Baikunthanath	21-2	Bahiri Bradley-Birt H. E. School.
	Girija Prasad	20-11	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	G. M. Farrukh Ahmad	17-2	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	G. Nezammuddin	16-5	Patna Collegiate School.
	Gobinda Prasad	18-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
2730	Gogai, Batrishchandra	16-7	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	„ Siddeswar	16-10	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	Golam Ali Faquir	21-2	Gaffargaon Islamia H. E. School
	Golam Martoza	17-4	Pabna Zilla School.
	Goldsmith, Kamal	16-10	Private Student, Roll Jor. P. 19.
	„ Kumund	17-10	St. Paul's High School, Calcutta.
	Gop, Dhirendrachandra	19-6	Lakshmikanta H. E School, Kalma.
	Gopi Lall	21	Palamau Zilla School.
	Gopi Mohan	23-10	Private Student, Roll Chap. 79.
	Goswami, Abinashchandra	17-8	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
2740	„ Adharchandra	19-10	Habiganj Government High School.

	Goswami, Basudeb	. .	17-4	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Binaybhushan	. .	18-7	Kesorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Bishnuchandra	. .	17-1	Golaghat Government Bezbarua High School.
	,, Dhirendramohan	. .	18-10	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	,, Gaurkisor	. .	18	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,, Golapchandra	. .	18-1	Jorhat Government High School.
	,, Indranath	. .	17-2	Shillong Government High School.
	,, Jogeschandra	. .	22-2	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Kanailal	. .	18-9	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
2750	,, Kantibhushan	. .	18-4	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali High School.
	,, Lalitmohan	. .	17-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,, Nagendrachandra	. .	19	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Nalinimohan, II	. .	16-6	Nabadwip Hindu School.
	,, Nanigopal	. .	19-3	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur.
	,, Nilmani	. .	16-7	Nabadwip Hindu School.
	,, Patitpaban	. .	18-5	Balagarh H. E. School.
	,, Rabindramohan	. .	19-2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sasadhar	. .	16-6	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Saurendramohan	. .	17-7	Ranchi Zila School.
2760	Guchait, Makhanlal	. .	19-4	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,, Ramjiban	. .	19-6	Mahisadal Raj H. E. School.
	Guha, Amritalal	. .	19-2	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,, Anilmohan	. .	16	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	,, Aswinikumar	. .	19-5	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Bijaykumar	. .	19-9	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Birendranath	. .	17-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Bisweswar	. .	16-1	Patiya High School.
	,, Bhupendranath	. .	19-10	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	,, Brajakanta	. .	16-7	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
2770	,, Dineschandra	. .	16	Aruncbandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Girijaprasanna	. .	16-6	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Haripada	. .	16-8	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,, Hirendranath	. .	17-1	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,, Jagadishchandra	. .	17-1	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,, Jatindrakumar	. .	18-4	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Jogajiban	. .	16-6	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Jyotischandra	. .	21-3	Private Student, Roll Chi. P. 3.
	,, Kalimohan	. .	17-6	Dhubri High School.
	,, Kamakhyacharan	. .	16-2	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E. School.
2780	,, Manindranath	. .	16-9	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Munindrachandra	. .	17-2	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Nalinikumar	. .	16-8	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,, Narendranath	. .	21	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Narendranath	. .	19-7	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Nisibhushan	. .	17-7	Aruncbandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Parimalchandra*	. .	16-2	Noakhali Zilla School.
	,, Praphullakumar	. .	17-5	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,, Praphullakumar	. .	16-4	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Pratulchandra	. .	17-8	Baisari H. E. School.
2790	,, Prithwischandra	. .	16-1	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,, Rabindrachandra	. .	16-1	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,, Rajendrakumar	. .	21-10	Private student, Roll Noa. P. 5.
	,, Rohinilal	. .	17-2	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Sailendranarayan	. .	17-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Satischandra	. .	18-4	Khulna Zilla School.
	,, Satischandra	. .	17-7	Aruncbandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Shamirendranath	. .	16-2	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Sisirkumar	. .	17-10	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Sudhansukumar	. .	16-10	Barisal Zilla School.
2800	,, Sudhansumohan	. .	18-11	Noakhali Zilla School.
	,, Sudhirabala	. .	...	Brahmo Girl's School, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhirchandra	. .	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Sudhircharan	. .	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.

	Guha, Sudhirchandra	. .	20	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Sudhirchandra	. .	16-6	Union Institution, Pailpara.
	„ Sumatibala	. . .	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	„ Suraranjan	. . .	17-3	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	„ Sureschandra	. . .	19-8	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	„ Susilkanta	. . .	17-8	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
2810	„ Susilchandra	. .	18-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	„ Susilranjan	. .	18-7	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	„ Trailokyanath	. . .	20	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Upendramohan	. . .	17-1	Madaripur H. E School
	„ Ushakanta	. . .	16-2	Faridpur Zila School.
	Guhamaulik, Pritilata	. . .	...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	Guhaniyogi, Surendrasundar	. .	19-3	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Guharay, Brajendrakumar	. .	16-1	Talasar Gurudas H. E. School
	„ Jatindranath	.	16-8	Comilla Zila School.
	„ Satyendrakumar	. .	16-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
2820	„ Sibdas	. . .	17-1	Goalunda H. E. School.
	Guhasarkar, Sarbbanisahay	. .	17-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Guhathakurta, Bhabataran	.	18-6	Ulipur M. S. H. E. School.
	„ Kunjalal	. .	18-8	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Prabodhchandra	. .	16-1	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Prabhucharan	. .	16-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	„ Sukumar	. .	16	Bajrojogini H. E. School
	Guin, Asutosh	. .	16-7	Baidyabati B. M. Institution.
	„ Radhagobinda	. . .	18-3	Natuda H. E. School.
	Gulam Mohiudeen Khan	.	18-3	B. N. Ry. Indian School, Kharagpur.
2830	Gun, Kanaibhari	. . .	26-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Syamendrakisor	. . .	18	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Gupta, Ajitbandhu	. .	16-9	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	„ Akshaykumar	. . .	16	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Atulchandra	. .	18	Cotton Collegiate School.
	„ Balaichand	. . . .	18-6	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Baradaprasanna	. . .	19	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	„ Bijaykumar	. . .	16-6	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	„ Binaybhushan	. .	20-1	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„ Bhabanicharan	. . .	19-4	Private Student, Roll Bal. P. 4.
2840	„ Bharatbandhu	. . .	16-9	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	„ Bhupendranath	. . .	16	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	„ Bhuteschandra	. . .	17-8	Kumar Radhaprasad Institution, Calcutta.
	Debendranath	. . .	17-5	Sheakhala H. E. School.
	„ Debiprasanna	. .	18	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Dilipkumar	. . .	16-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 8.
	„ Dhirendranath	. . .	16	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	„ Domanchandra	. . .	17-7	Malda Zila School.
	„ Dwijeschandra	. .	16-8	Dinajpur Zila School.
	„ Dwijeschandra	. . .	19-1	Darjeeling High School.
2850	„ Gopinath	. . . .	16-6	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	„ Harendranath	. . .	16-7	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	„ Kumudnath	. . .	18-2	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	„ Manindrabhushan	. .	18-9	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 5.
	„ Manindranath	. . .	18-7	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nikhilbala	. . . .	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	„ Parbatisankar	. . .	16	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Phanindranath	. . .	18-11	Kesab Academy.
	„ Phulabala	. . . .	...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	„ Prabhaschandra	. . .	16-3	Armenitola Govt. High School.
2860	„ Pramodchandra	. .	17-3	Gaila H. E. School.
	„ Pratulchandra	. . .	17-7	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Priyabandhu	. .	17-2	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	„ Priyanath	. . . .	16-7	Silchar Govt. High School.
	„ Radhaprasad	. . .	16-2	Jangipur H. E. School.
	„ Ramaniranjan	. . .	20-2	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Ramapati	. . . .	18-9	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	„ Rameschandra	. . .	18-3	Goalunda H. E. School.
	„ Rameshvarprasad	. .	16-2	Arrah Zila School.
	„ Sailabala	. . . .	...	Victoria Institution, Calcutta.

2870	Gupta, Sailadhar	17-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Sanatkumar	16-8	Arrah Zila School.
	„ Sanatkumar	17-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Sasankamohan	16-1	Silchar Government High School.
	„ Sudhansukumar	16-1	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	„ Sudhirchandra	19-3	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.
	„ Sudhirkumar	17-6	Dhanbad H. E. School.
	„ Sujaykrishna	16-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Surendranath	19-1	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	„ Sureschandra	18-7	Sylhet Government High School.
2880	„ Umeschandra	17-11	Gaila H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath II	18-1	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	Guptabhaya, Satyendrakumar	16-10	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Guptachaudhuri, Kshitis Chandra	17	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Habibar Rohman	19-10	Teacher, Roll Dac, T. 4.
	Hafiz Abdul Halim	18-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Hafiz Md. Abdullah	16-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Hafiz Sharfuddin Ahmad	16-1	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Hafiz Syed Abdur Rahman	16-10	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Hait, Santiram	16-3	H. E. School, Mahishadal.
2890	Hajarika, Baparam	18-2	Tezpur Government High School.
	„ Sulabhchandra	16-2	Sibsagar Government High School.
	„ Kirtiprasad	16-8	Cotton Collegiate School.
	„ Thaneswar	16-11	Sibsagar Government High School.
	Hajra, Atulkrishna	16	Dhankuria H. E. Scoool.
	„ Atulkrishna	18	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	„ Bimalchandra	17-3	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	„ Harisadhan	18-8	Rai K. P. Pal Bahadur's Sekandarpur Free H. E. School.
	„ Nabagopal	17-7	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Prakaschandra	16-7	Ditto.
2900	„ Radhagobinda	18-9	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	„ Radhagobinda	19-6	Maliara H. E. School.
	„ Ramdulal	20-7	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Sachindranath	20-1	Jagatballavpur H. E. School.
	„ Sukumar	16-4	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
	Haldar Amritalal	17	Bahirdia High School.
	„ Baradakanta	21-1	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Bimalananda	18 6	Serampur Collegiate School.
	„ Chunilal	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Dhirendranath	17-6	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
2910	„ Dinanath	20-1	Pirojpur Government High School.
	„ Gaurchandra	18-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Mohinimohan	19-2	South Subarban School, Bhawanipur.
	„ Murarimohan	16-4	Calcutta High School.
	„ Nandakisor	20	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Nimaichandra	21-10	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Praphullachandra	16	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Prasantakumar	16-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	„ Rasamay	20-2	Sarisa H. E. School.
	„ Renupada	19 1	C. M. S. St. John's High School, Krishnagar.
2920	„ Syamsundar	16-5	South Goria Bompas Institution.
	Guy Hallifax	18-2	Shillong Government High School.
	Hamid Hasan	17-9	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Hamidulla Sarker	18-4	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Hanuman Prasad Poddar	16-8	Sri Vishuddhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Hargbans Lall	21-2	Arrah Town School.
	Hargauri Sharan	18-6	Jamui H. E. School.

	Hargobind Prasad	17-8	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Hariballabh Narain	16-5	Baldev's Academy, Dinapur.
	Harihar Prosad	16-5	Behar H. C. E. School.
2930	Harihar Prasad Bhagat	16	Cuttuck Town Victoria High School.
	Hari Nandan Prasad	17-1	Araria H. E. School.
	Hariprasanna Tamuli Phukan	17-2	Nowgong Govt. H. E. School.
	Hari Shanker Lal	16-10	Patna City School.
	Harnam Singh	18-11	B. N. Ry. Indian H. E. School, Khargpur.
	Hazaratulla Sardar	20-3	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School
	Hasan Ahmad	17-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Hatemuddin Biswas	16-2	Kushtia H. E. School.
	Hatial Sarbeshwar	17-6	Baripada H. E. School.
	Hedayetullah	16-7	Calcutta Madrassah.
2940	Hemayet Husan	18	Ditto.
	Hembram Madhusudan	17 3	Bankura Zila School.
	Himmat Bahadur Sinha	16-10	Motihari Zila School.
	Hisabia Surendranath	19-6	Dinhata H. E. School.
	Hitalal Jha	20-6	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Hla Tun Aung	19-8	Akayab Govt. High School.
	Homchaudhuri, Hemantakumar	16 10	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	Homray, Brajendrakisor	19-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Hor, Debendralal	16-3	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Debendranath	16-3	Irphala K. M. Institution.
2950	„ Durgakripa	16-1	Patiya High School.
	„ Jaminijiban	16-3	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Nakulchandra	16-1	Senhati High School.
	Horo, Manmasih	19-8	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Hota, Balmukund	19-4	Balangir H. E. School.
	„ Girischandra	16-6	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Hreawva	23	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Hui, Kapildas	19-4	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-4	Baidyapur George Institution.
	Hukum Nikary	18-10	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School.
2960	Iftikharul Haque	19-7	T. K. Ghose's Academy Bankipur.
	Imdad Ali	18-7	W. H. E. School, Supaul.
	Imtajali Sarkar	18-8	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Indra, Murarimohan	19-6	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	Islamali Tarafder	17-1	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	Ismail Mondal	17-2	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Iswari Misra	21-1	Private Student, Bol Chap. P. 12.
	Jadunandan Prasad	20-5	Palamau Zila School.
	Jadunandan Prasad	16-5	Patna Collegiate School.
	Jadunandan Prosad Verma	19-4	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
2970	Jagdeo Mandal	19-2	Monghyr Zila School.
	Jagadishnarayan Sinha	20-8	Chapra Zila School.
	Jagadish Sahay	16-10	Ranchi Zila School.
	Jagatram Sarma	21-2	Howrah Zila School.
	Jagdeva Sahai	18-11	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Jageshawar Pershad	21-6	Hatwa Eden School.
	Jag Narayan Prasad	18	Hajipur H. E. School.
	Jahiruddin Ahmed	18	Nawabganj Harimohan Institution.
	Jahnavi Charan	16-5	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	Jalal Ahmed	20-10	Noakhali Zila School.
2980	Jalesh Chandra	16-10	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Jamil Akhter	17-1	Kishenganj H. E. School.
	Jamiruddin Ahamed	16-1	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	Jamna Prasad Sinha	17-2	Palamau Zila School.
	Jamshed Ali	16-6	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Jamuna Persad	17-6	Buxar H. E. School.
	Jamura Prasad	18	Motihari Zila School.
	Jamuna Prasad	18-6	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Jamuna Prasad	17-2	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Jamuna Prosad, I	18-11	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
2990	Jamuna Prasad Sinha	18-6	Purnea Zila School.
	Janaki Kumar Misra	17-4	Ram Mohan Roy's Seminary, Bankipur.

	Jana, Bankimchandra	17-10	Contai Model Institution.
	„ Bholanath	17-1	Nandigram Carmichael Institution.
	„ Harekrishna	17-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jatadhari	19	Mugberia G. H. E. School.
	„ Kumarchandra	22-3	Teacher, Roll, Cal. T. 4.
	„ Satischandra	20-8	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	Janki Prasad Singh	18	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Janardan Dwivedi	17-1	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
3000	Jarma Sinha	19-10	Silchar Government High School.
	Jasimuddin Miah	20-2	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Jay Narayan Prasad	17-9	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	Jena, Achyutananda	19-2	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	„ Gurucharan	18-5	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Jerjish Ahmad	16-1	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Jitendranandan Sahai	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Jivanatan Singh Verma	18-2	Gaya Zila School.
	Joardar Jnanendranath	17-5	Kushtia H. E. School.
	„ Khelendranath	17-10	Amlasadarpur H. E. School.
3010	„ Manindranath	17-10	Kishenganj H. E. School.
	„ Nabagaur	17-9	Raiganj Coronation H. E. School
	Jogi Ram	19-2	K J. Academy, Arrah.
	Johiruddin Chowdhury	16-2	Habiganj Government High School.
	Jugjiwan Lall	17-4	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	Kabir Ahamed	18-8	Noakhali Zila School.
	Kabiraj, Harendranarayan	21-9	K. J. Academy, Arrah
	Kabyatirtha, Abhilashchandra	24-11	Teacher, Roll Pab. T. 5.
	Kachchhap, P. C. P.	17-8	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Kafil Uddin Ahammad	19-2	Sonkanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
3020	Kahali, Bireswar	16-7	Palong H. E. School.
	Kailash Behari Sinha	23	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 16.
	Kailash Pati Varma	20-3	Teacher, Roll Chap. T. 1.
	Kailash Prosad	17-4	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Kakati, Indranath	17-1	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	Kalika Prasad	16-7	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Kalisaday Paschima	17-9	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	Kalita, Bapuram	18-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Kamar Uddin Khan	19-2	Naogoan Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	Kameswar Prashad	18-3	Patna Collegiate School.
3030	Kameshwar Prasad Sinha	17-6	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Kameshwar Prasad Sinha	16-6	Patna Collegiate School.
	Kanango, Lakshmidhar	18	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	„ Saurindranath	16-4	Patiya High School.
	Kanhaimohan Lall	19	Monghyr Zila School.
	Kanjilal, Asitaranjan	18-8	Rahamatpur H. E School.
	„ Sasadhar	18-10	Baisari H. E. School.
	Kantha, Sasinath	16-4	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Kapali, Premananda	17-2	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	Kapileshwar Pd. Sinha	17-1	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
3040	Kapildeo Narayan	19-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Kar, Anadinath	16-6	Calcutta Training Academy
	„ Aswinikumar	16-3	Private Student, Roll Com. 12.
	„ Atulchandra	17-4	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	„ Bijaykrishna	16-2	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Chintamani	21-2	Sambalpur Zila School.
	„ Dinanath	17	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	„ Dineschandra	19-7	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Dwarkanath	18	Sylhet Govt High School.
	„ Hricayananda	17-1	Mission High School, Katak.
3050	„ Jagatbandhu	16-5	Puri Zila School.
	„ Jatindramohan	18-1	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	„ Jitendrakumar	18-11	Bhanga High School.
	„ Jogeschandra	18-10	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Karunakar	17-7	Mission High School, Katak.
	„ Manomohan	18	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.

	Kar, Nagendramohan	18	Balurghat H. E School.
	,, Nalinimohan	16-6	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Narendranath	17-11	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Pabitraranjan	16-6	Dacca Collegiate School.
3060	,, Priyanath	18	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,, Ramchandra	16-10	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	,, Sanatkumar	18-1	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Sasadharkumar	17-10	Balasore Christian High School.
	,, Subarnakumar	18-6	Habiganj Government High School.
	,, Suprobha	...	Ravenshaw Girls' School, Katak.
	,, Surendranath	18-7	Baghbazar High School.
	,, Taranath	19-1	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	Karak, Jibankrishna	16-10	Calcutta Academy.
	Karpha, Gangapada	17	Raina H. E School.
3070	Kargupta, Jatindranath	19-2	Barisal Broja Mohan Institution.
	,, Nagendranath	18-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	Karim Baksh	17-11	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	Karmahapatra, Kisoriranjan	18-8	Panchetgarh H. E. School.
	Karmakar, Amarchandra	16-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Basantakumar	17-4	Kalai High School.
	,, Basantakumar	25-7	Karapara H. E. School.
	,, Debendranath	19-10	Baisari H. E. School.
	,, Gobindachandra	16-11	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,, Gosthabihari	17-4	Badanganj H. E. School.
3080	,, Haranchandra	16-8	Silchar Government High School.
	,, Haridas	17-8	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,, Hemchandra	20-10	Pingna H. E School.
	,, Jaminilal	18-7	Sheakhala H E. School.
	,, Jnanendranarayan	21	Salap H. E. School.
	,, Kalidas	16	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Lalitmohan	20-10	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Mohanbasi	22-1	Harina Chalitatali Edward Institution.
	,, Nagendranath	19-1	Pabna Institution.
	,, Prabhanjan	17-10	Bankura Zilla School.
3090	,, Prasadchandra	16-11	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,, Purnachandra	17-8	Jamirta H. E. School.
	,, Purnacasi	17-2	Bankura Zilla School.
	,, Radhaballabh	20-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Radhacharan	17-9	Jenkins School, Cooch-Behar.
	,, Rajendrachandra	20-2	Panditsar H. E. School.
	,, Rampada	19-7	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,, Rohinikumar	17-6	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,, Sricharan	22-1	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,, Taranath	18-7	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
3100	,, Upendrachandra	16-11	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Upendranath	21	Lonsing H. E. School.
	Kasimuddin Mandal	19-5	Kalai High School.
	Kashinath Prasad	16	Darbhanga Northbrook School
	Kasiruddin Talukdar	17-11	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Kawar, Gaurpada	19-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	Kayal, Pulinbihari	17	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	Kazi Abdus Sajed	18-7	Northbrook School, Darbhanga.
	Kazi Ali Mahomed	19-3	Kidderpur Academy.
	Kazi Habibor Rahman	19-5	Jessore Zila School.
3110	Kazi Rostom Ahmed	19-2	Khalispur H. E. School.
	Keramatullah Ahmed	20	Kailasranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	Kerketta, Raphael	19-2	G. E. L. Mission School.
	Kesamuddin Mondal	21-6	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Khabir Uddin Mondal	17-6	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	Khan, Amarnath	19-7	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Kasemuddin	18-8	Magura H. E. School.
	,, Sisirkumar	17-3	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	Khan laker Abdul Rasid	16-8	Palong H. E. School.
	Khandaker Atawar Rahman	18-11	Sukhanpukur H. E. School.
3120	Khandaker Mohialdin	20	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	Khandker Azizur Rahman	22-1	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Khara, Bibhutibhushan	16-3	Shashati-Nahala Abinas H. E. School.
	Kharag Singhkuthari	18-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Khasnabis, Bimalchandra	16-5	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.

	Khasnabis, Birendranath		17-7	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	Khastgir, Asokranjan		16-5	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Kanaklata		..	Brahmo Girl's School, Calcutta
	Khaund, Jatindraram		16	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	Khawaja Mohammad Ali		16-2	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
3180	Khin Maung		23	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 1.
	Khoda Baksha Shah		17-6	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Khondaker Moula Hafiz		18-7	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	Khondkar Golam Murshid		16-1	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Khowaj Ali Miah		21	Yusuff H E. School, Comilla.
	Khub Lal Singh		22-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Khuda Nowaz		26-3	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	Khursheed Husain		24-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Banki pur.
	Khursheid Ahmad		16-1	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Khurshid Uddin Ahmed		18-5	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
3140	,, Ali Khandkher		20-8	Karimganj Government High School.
	Kin Maung		21-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	Kisno Roydiengdoh		17	Shillong Government High School.
	Koar, Anantaranjan		16-4	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	Kolay, Madhusudan		16-1	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Kole, Pundarikaksha		17-6	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	Kolya, Srischandra		21	Jhikra H. E. School.
	Komaruddin Miah		18-11	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	Korban Ali Khan		16-11	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Kowar, Gobindachandra		17-7	Bolpur H. E. School.
3150	Krishnadeo Narayan Sinha		17-8	Gaya Zila School.
	Krishnamohan Lall		18-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Krishnanand		16-8	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Kshetrabasi Swain		18-1	Mission High School, Katak.
	Kubir Uddin		16-10	Patna Collegiate School.
	Kujur Harischandra		18-11	G. E. L. Mission School.
	Kuldeep Lal		20-3	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Kumar, Bidhubhushan		17-7	Malda Zila School.
	,, Chunilal		18-2	Baidyapur George Institution.
	,, Dhirendrachandra		17	Arambagh H. E. School.
3160	,, Jogendanath		17-9	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Krishnachandra		17-11	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Prabodhkrishna		16	Bowbazar High School.
	,, Saileschandra		18-10	Malda Zila School.
	,, Srikanta		16-11	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	Kum Ngyi Paik		18-2	Rangoon Baptist Collegiate Anglo-Vernacular School.
	Kundu, Bhupendrakrishna		16-11	Barisal Zila School.
	,, Hiralal		16	Doveshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	Kundal, Jatindranath		19-4	L. M S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Kundu, Girindranath		16-2	Pabna Zila School
3170	,, Kamakhyaprasad		16	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Kunjabihari		18-9	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution
	,, Makhanlal		16-2	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali High School.
	,, Manindranath		19-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Nilmani		16-4	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	,, Nirapada		18-11	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,, Nisikanta		18-2	Pabna Zila School.
	,, Praphullakrishna		17-2	Tulasar Guudas H. E. School.
	,, Satyacharan		20 11	Teota Academy.
	,, Srimantakumar		18-1	Dinajpur Zila School.
3180	,, Upendranath		17-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Kusari, Kshitischandra		18	Panditsar H. E. School.
	Kuseshwar Prosad		18-2	Samastipur H. E. School.
	K. W George		17-3	St. Anthony's A. V. High School, Kandwaglay.
	Kyaw Mya		18-7	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Kyaw Mya		17	Rangoon Govt. High School.

	Kyaw Zaw	18-4	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Laha, Abanibhushan	16-10	Bogra Zila School.
	,, Dhirendranath	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Goshthabihari	16-3	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
3190	,, Jatindrakumar	16-4	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Pasupati	16-8	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,, Sudhirchandra	16-6	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Lahiri, Anukulchandra	16 2	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,, Atulchandra	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Bimalaprasad	16-5	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Karunamay	16-7	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,, Nanigopal	16-6	Krishnanagar Collegiate School.
	,, Pramatheswar	17-7	Pabna Institution.
	,, Praphullachandra	16-3	Armanitola Govt. High School.
3200	,, Mangalmay	17-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Santoshkumar	17-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Surajitchandra	16	Pabna Zila School.
	Laksman Lal Lala	18-11	Purulia Zila School.
	Lakshman Prasad	16-10	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Laksman Roy	21	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Lakshmiprasad Misra	16	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Lala Madan Gopal Mohatha	16-3	Palamau Zila School.
	Lala Nagendrakumar Ray	16-8	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak
	Lala Rajendra Nath	16-9	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
3210	Lala Ramabahadur Prashad	16-7	W. H. E. School, Supaul.
	Lal Bahadur Sinha	24-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Lal Prasad	16-4	Matihari Zila School.
	Laljee Sahay	18-7	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 2.
	Lalla Hari Vans Sahay	16-1	Monghyr Zila School.
	Lallchand Prosad	20-7	Monghyr Zila School.
	Lal Mia	20-1	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	Laskar, Nisikanta	18-6	Hassen Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Purnachandra	17-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Surendrachandra	17-5	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
3220	,, Surendranath	19-4	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Law, Santoshcharan	16-9	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Layaqut Hussain	18-4	Aryan Anglo-Sanskrit School, Dinapur.
	Leon Kim Htwai	18-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Lim Sein Yaung	18-8	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Lodhvyakarantirtha, Kalimohan	26-10	Teacher, Roll Com. T. 2.
	Lokanath Sharma	17-11	Darbar School, Nepal.
	Loon Pe	19-6	Moulmein Government High School
	Lu Pe Win	16-4	Ditto.
	Lutter, W.	19-6	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School
3230	M. Abdus Subhan	24-9	Teacher Roll Ran. T. 3.
	Mabud Baksh	16-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	Ma Chit May	...	A. B. M. Girls' School, Kemmendine.
	Madan Mohan Choubey	17-2	Sree Visudhyananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Madhava Prosad Gaur	18-6	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Sasibhushan Madhu	16-7	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	Madhusudan Prasad	18-6	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 44.
	Mafizuddin Moah	23-7	Teacher, Roll Mym. T. 1.
	Maganlal Kapur	16-1	Balasore Zila School.
	Mahabir Prosad	16-1	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
3240	Mahabir Ram	16-8	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Mahakal Bhadreswar	20-1	Singur Mahamaya Institution.

	Mahaliram Bajoria . . .	17-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Mahamad Wajed Ali Khan . .	19-8	Rangpur Zila School.
	Mahamad Aftabuddin Ahmad Choudhury.	18-1	Karimganj Government High School.
	Mahamed Amir Uddin . . .	17-8	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Mahamed Ibrahim . .	16-5	Noakhali Zila School.
	Mahamed Husen Ali . . .	18-2	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School
	Mahamed Joynal Abdin Khan . .	19-9	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Mahamed Sakayetullah . . .	21-1	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
3250	Mahammad Abbas Ali . . .	16-2	Rajshahi Collegiate School
	Mahammad Abdul Oli . . .	17-10	Nawgong Government H. E. School.
	Mahammad Aduddin . . .	20	Kushtia H. E. School.
	Mahammad Hossain . . .	16-1	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	Mahammad Ibrahim . . .	17-8	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	Mahammad Matiar Rahman . .	21-7	Kurigram H. E School
	Mahammad Shahidullah . . .	19-1	Jessore Zila School.
	Mahammad Siddiker Rahman . .	17-11	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	Mahammad Solaiman . . .	21	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	Mahammad Zeqaul Hoque . .	19-2	Chittagong Municipal H. E. School.
3260	Mahammed Abdul Halim . .	19	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Mahammed Akhtaruddin . .	19-3	Kisoreganj H. E. School.
	Mahammed Azizur Rahman Chowdhury	16-5	Habiganj Government High School.
	Mahammed Faez	21-6	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Mahammed Golam Mowla . .	18-3	Dhalla H. E. School.
	Mahammed Ibrahim . . .	19-3	Kendua Spry Institution.
	Mahammed Ilias	21-9	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	Mahammod Saadatullah . . .	17-11	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Mahanta, Kabichandra . . .	17-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Mahanti, Akulicharan . . .	19-11	Kendrapara H. E. School.
3270	„ Bamkimchandra . .	17-11	Panchetgarh H. E. School.
	„ Batakrishna . . .	17-4	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Batakrishna . . .	16-1	Puri Zila School.
	„ Bishwambhar . . .	16-5	Khurda H. E. School.
	„ Dayanidhi . . .	19	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	„ Gobindchandra . . .	19-6	Private Student, Roll Kat , P. 3.
	„ Jagannath . . .	20-7	Private Student, Roll Kat., P. 4.
	„ Rajkisor	17-1	Mission High School, Katak.
	„ Raj Kishore . . .	17-10	Kendrapara H. E. School.
	„ Sitanath	16-8	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
3280	„ Sriramchandra . .	16-8	Khurda H. E. School.
	„ Syamsundar . . .	18-5	Balasore Zila School.
	„ Udayanarayan . . .	19-9	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	„ Upendraprasad . .	17-11	Ditto.
	Mahapatra, Bhagawan . . .	19-11	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Girischandra . . .	17-11	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Haradhan . . .	20-4	Sambalpur Zila School.
	„ Jadumani . . .	17-7	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Jaykrishna . . .	19-11	Puri Zila School.
	„ Phakircharan . .	17-6	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
3290	„ Raghunath . . .	17-7	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Rajkisor . . .	17-9	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Ramchandra . .	17-4	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	„ Sauriprasad . . .	16-1	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Somanath . . .	17-7	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	„ Srikrishna . . .	17	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Sriramchandra . .	16-6	Mission High School, Katak.
	Maharana, Bholanath . . .	17-2	Kendrapara H. E School.
	Mahatab, Harekrishna . . .	17-3	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	Mahatab Uddin Khan . . .	17-10	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
3300	Mahatta, Nalinikanta . . .	17-6	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.

	Mahavidya Prosad Sinha	16-6	Chapra Zila School.
	Mahendra Pandeya . . .	16-3	Ditto.
	Mahesh Chandra . . .	16-4	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Maheshwari Prasad Varma . .	17-6	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Mahindar Mrityunjoy . . .	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Mahiuddin Ahmed . . .	23-7	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Mahmed Sekendar . . .	19-1	Noakhali Zila School.
	Mahomed Abdul Quader . .	17-9	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
	Mah'ab Uddin Ahmed . . .	16-8	Dinajpur Zila School.
3310	Maiti, Bipinbihari	18-8	Panskura Bradley-Birt High School.
	,, Dhrubacharan . . .	20-1	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Hansadhwaj . . .	17-5	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Kalipada	16-11	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Khagendranath . . .	17-7	Mahisadal Raj H. E. School.
	,, Mrityunjay . .	19-2	Contai Model Institution.
	,, Pulinbihari . . .	16-4	Panskura Bradley-Birt High School.
	,, Satischandra . . .	16-3	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Sripaticharan . . .	16-6	Lakshmannath H. E. School.
	Maitra, Abinaschandra . . .	18-8	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
3320	,, Atindrakumar . . .	17	Pabna Zila School.
	,, Bijaykrishna . .	16-3	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Dharanimohan . . .	16-1	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Haridas	19-7	Kurigram H E. School.
	,, Haripada	17-4	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	,, Jogendranath . . .	17-10	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	,, Jyotischandra . . .	17-1	Pabna Zila School.
	,, Kalipada	17-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Howrah Branch.
	,, Krishnachandra . . .	16-4	Taki Government School.
	,, Kshitischandra . . .	18-7	Bogra Coronation Institution.
3330	,, Manindranath . .	16-5	Raja Suryakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,, Manindranath . . .	20-4	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Manindranath . . .	18-8	Islampur H. E. School.
	,, Narendrakumar . . .	19-1	Pabna Institution.
	,, Narendramohan . . .	16-8	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Panchanan	18-4	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	,, Santoshkumar . . .	16-11	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Subodhkumar . . .	16-5	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Susilchandra . . .	19-2	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	,, Tarapada	19-1	Taki Govt. School.
3340	,, Upendranath . . .	16-10	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	M. A. Jalil	21-11	Private Student Roll. Hug. P. 1.
	Majhi, Krishnaprasad . . .	19-5	Contai H. E. School.
	Maji, Jogendranath . . .	20-1	Gar Bhowanipur H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath . . .	19-6	Nandigram Carmichael Institution.
	Majumdar, Abalakanta . . .	22-10	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Abanikumar . . .	19-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Abinaschandra . .	19-2	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,, Anadinath . . .	16	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
	,, Arunranjan . . .	17-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
3350	,, Asutosh . . .	20-6	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Atulchandra . . .	17-6	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Bagalakumar . . .	17-7	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,, Basantakumar . .	20-1	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	,, Bholanath . . .	17-3	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	,, Bibhabchandra . .	18-6	Tezpur Govt. High School.
	,, Bidyaram . .	17-1	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Bijaykumar . . .	16-5	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Bimanbihari . . .	17-2	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Birendrachandra . .	18-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
3360	,, Birendrakumar . .	18-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Brajendrakumar . .	21-11	Teachers Roll Jes. T. 2.
	,, Chandrakisor . . .	19-5	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,, Chandranath . . .	17-3	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.

	Majumdar,	Chittaranjan . . .	20-10	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Debendrachandra . .	16-9	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara
	,,	Debendrakrishna . .	19-6	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendranath . .	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Dhirendranath . .	17-5	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Dhirendranath . .	17-8	Hindu School, Calcutta.
3370	,,	Dhirendranath . .	17-7	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Dhirendranath . .	16-7	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Dineschandra . .	18-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Dineschandra . .	18-4	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Dwijendrachandra . .	18	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,,	Gaurgopal . . .	19-8	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	,,	Girijabhushan . .	19-3	Fakura Madanmohan Academy.
	,,	Girindrachandra . .	18-4	Naogaon - Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	,,	Goshthabihari . .	16	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Hemantakumar . .	16-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School
3380	,,	Himajasankar . .	17-8	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Indumadhab . . .	16-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Jagadischandra . .	16	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Janakinath . . .	17-3	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Jogendranath . .	18-8	Dacca Pagose School.
	,,	Jogeschandra . . .	19-8	Sonatala H. E. School.
	,,	Jyotischandra . .	16-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Kanakchandra . .	20-3	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kartikchandra . .	18-6	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,,	Karunasindhu . .	17-1	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
3390	,,	Khagendrachandra .	21-11	Uttar Shahabazpur George Institution.
	,,	Khagendrakumar . .	18-11	Noakhali Zila School
	,,	Krishnakanta . .	16	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath . .	17-8	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Manmohan . . .	16-11	Bhanga High School.
	,,	Manoranjan . . .	17-6	Bogra Zila School.
	,,	Mohitkumar . .	16-2	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	,,	Murarimohan . .	19-4	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath . .	16-8	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Nanilal . . .	17	Calcutta High School.
3400	,,	Nirmalchandra . .	16-8	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Nripendranath . .	17-11	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	,,	Pabitrakumar . .	16-10	Bajrajogini H E. School.
	,,	Parameschandra . .	20-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Phanibhushan . .	16-3	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prankumar . . .	16 6	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Prithwischandra . .	17-3	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,,	Prithwischandra . .	20-7	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh
	,,	Ramanimohan . .	17	Sinherganon Gobinda High School.
	,,	Ramanimohan . .	18-2	Narikeldanga George High School.
3410	,,	Rameschandra . .	17-4	Baburhat H. E School
	,,	Rameschandra . .	17-11	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra . .	19-7	Kisorganj H. E. School
	,,	Ramnarayan . .	16-8	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,,	Rasaraj . . .	18-2	Harina Chalitatali Edward Institution.
	,,	Sachindrakumar . .	16-4	Bogra Zila School.
	,,	Sailajaranjan . .	18-5	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Sasibhushan . .	17-11	Feni High School.
	,,	Satischandra . . .	19	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
3420	,,	Satischandra . . .	17-9	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sibadas . . .	20-1	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,,	Sibdas . . .	17-6	Monghyr Zila School.
	,,	Subodh Kumar . .	16-10	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipore.
	,,	Sudhirchandra . .	16-4	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.

	Majumdar, Sudhirchandra	. .	19-7	Malda Zila School.
	,, Surendranath	. .	17-2	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sureschandra	. .	18-1	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	,, Surhitkumar	. . .	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Susilkumar	. . .	20-3	Tulasar Gurudas H. E School.
	,, Syamacharan	. .	19	Shikarpur H. E. School.
3430	,, Syamasankar	. .	16-1	Raja Suryakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,, Syamlal	. . .	17-10	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Upendranath	. . .	16-11	Feni High School.
	Makhan Prasad	. . .	23	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Malakar, Anantakumar	. . .	23-4	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdul Elani H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	.	18	Beldanga G. S. H. E. School.
	,, Kumudkanta	. . .	16-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manimohan	. .	16-7	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	Malek Uddin Tarafdar	.	17-2	Bogra Zila School.
	Mallabarman, Murarimohan	. .	20-2	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
3440	Mallik, Adwaitacharan	. . .	18-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Bibhutibhusan	. .	20-2	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Bishnupada	. .	17-2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Debabrata	. . . .	16-8	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath	. . .	17-3	Kiddarpur Academy.
	,, Harekrishna	. . .	16-1	Hughli Branch School.
	,, Kalachand	. . . .	18	Hughli Branch School.
	,, Madhusudan	. . .	17-9	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Narendranath	. . .	18-2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nimaichand	. . . .	16-5	Hughli Branch School.
3450	,, Nripendranath	. . .	16-8	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	,, Pulinbihari	. . . .	16-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Radhanath	. . . .	16-7	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Radharaman	. . . .	16-7	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,, Ramendranath	. . .	16-6	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Sachindranath	. .	18-2	I. R. Belilio Institution, Howrah
	,, Saurindrachandra	. . .	17-1	Dhanbad H. E. School.
	,, Mamtazul Huq	. . .	18-9	Feni High School.
	,, Man Bahadur	. . .	16-4	Darbar High School, Nepal.
	Mandal, Abhaycharan	. . .	22-7	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
3460	,, Ajablal	. . . .	16-2	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Akshayakumar	. . ..	19	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	,, Anantakumar	. . .	17-6	Fakura Madanmohan Academy.
	,, Anantamohan	. . .	17-4	Jaynagar Institution.
	,, Bankimchandra	. . .	18-1	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,, Bholanath	. . .	19-4	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Bhushanchandra	. .	19-3	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	. . .	17-2	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Bishnucharan	. . .	25-3	Itna H. E. School.
	,, Debendranath	. . .	18-2	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
3470	,, Dhananjay	. .	17-5	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,, Dharanidhar I	. .	17-9	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Girindramohan	. . .	17	Itachuna Srinarayan Institution
	,, Haripada	. . . .	17	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Himansubhushan	. .	16-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Hrishikes	. . . .	20	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Jatindranath	. . .	18-8	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Jaykrishna	. . .	18-7	S. C. Institution, Udayanarayanpur.
	,, Judhishthir	. . .	18-1	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Jugalkisor	. .	21-1	Bantra Madhusudan Palchaudhuri H. E. School.
3480	,, Kunjabihari	. . .	21-1	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	,, Lalitmohan	. . .	18-7	Bistupur H. E. School.
	,, Lakshmanchandra	. .	18-6	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Mahananda	. . .	18-1	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Matilal	. . . .	17-8	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	,, Narendranath	. . .	19-2	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Nandalal	. . . .	18-10	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 28.
	,, Nilmadhab	. . .	17-8	S. P. Institution, Chakdighi.

	Mandal, Nityananda	16-6	Cantai Model Institution.
	,, Nrisinhachandra	19-3	Dumka Zila School.
3490	,, Nrisinhapada	18-7	Okersa H. E. School.
	,, Nrityagopal	16-10	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Phanibhushan	18-10	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Phanindranath	18-4	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Rajkumar	20-5	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,, Sasadhar	18-1	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,, Satischandra	18-8	Nibadhai H. E School.
	,, Satischandra	18-5	Gopalnagar Kerr H E. School.
	,, Srinath	18-5	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,, Sripaticharan	19	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
3500	,, Sudhakar	16-8	Ukhara H. E. School.
	,, Sureschandra	16-9	Pabna Institution
	,, Taraprasad	18-7	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Tribhangamurari	17-11	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Tulsidas	16-4	Victoria H. E. School, Barnagore.
	Manghla Prashad	18	Arrah Zila School.
	Manipuri, Raman Sinha	17-9	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	Mangal Prasad	21-9	Private Student, Roll Muj. P. 50.
	Manji, Kaliprasanna	17	Bantra Madhusudan Paul Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	Manna, Harekrishna	17-3	Parbatipur Patitpabani H. E. School.
3510	,, Nanigopal	18-7	Taltala High School.
	,, Nilmadhab	18	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Panchkari	17	Behala H. E. School.
	,, Phakirchandra	16-11	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H. E. School.
	,, Phanibhushan	16-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Saratchandra	19-11	Jhikra H. E. School.
	Manzar Ahsan	20-5	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Manzoor Ahmed	17-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Manzur Ahsan	17-1	Pusha High School.
	Maqsood Ali	16-3	Patna Collegiate School.
3520	Masaddar Ali	16	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Ma Shu	...	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Mashuq Ahmad	20-11	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Masihur Rahman	19-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Mastafizer Rohman Chowdhury	17-11	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Mastakim Ali	19-11	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	Matadin Prasad	19-1	Haranchandra H. E. School, Gaya.
	Ma Thein Myint	...	A. B. M. Girls' School, Kemmendine.
	Mathura Prasad	16-3	Chaibassa Zila School.
	Mathura Prosad Verma	17-5	Private Student Roll. Cal. 3765.
3530	Mathura Prasad Verma	17-1	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Ma Tin	...	A. B. M. Girl's School, Kemmendine.
	Maulik, Amritalal	16-3	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,, Anileschandra	17-2	Nawabganj Harimohan Institution.
	,, Atulchandra	16-7	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,, Bijayranjan	19-1	Barisal Braja Mohan Institution.
	,, Pramathabhusan	17-1	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,, Sailendranath	16	Pabna Institution.
	,, Saurindranath	16-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhansusekhar	17-9	Ulipur M. S. H. E. School.
3540	,, Sudhirendra	19-1	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	Maung Aye Maung	18-1	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Ba Dan	18-3	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	,, Ba Khin	18	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon
	,, Ba Maung	20-6	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	,, Ba Maung	17-3	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	,, Ba Ohn	22-6	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ba Saw	18-10	Prome Government A. V. High School.
	,, Ba Su	22-2	E. W. M. High School, Pakokku.
	,, Ba Than	17-4	Rangoon Government High School.
3550	,, Ba Thaw	20-4	Rangoon Government High School

	Maung Ba Thein, I	18-8	Buddha Thathana Naggath Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mandalay.
	,, Ba Thike	18-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ba Thoung	18	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	,, Ba Tin, II	20-5	Rangoon Government High School
	,, Ba Yin	20	Teacher Roll Ran. T. 9.
	,, Ba Yu	19-6	E. W. M. High School, Pakokku.
	,, Chit	16-10	Rangoon Baptist College, A. V. High School.
	,, Glay	18-2	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 20.
	,, Gyi	21-6	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 5.
3560	,, Hone	17-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School
	,, Kin Maung	18-9	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	,, Kyan Su	16-8	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	,, Kyaw Aye	19-10	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Kyaw Zan	20-1	Akyab Government High School.
	,, Kyaw Zan	16-7	Mandalay St. Peter's High School
	,, Kyin Soe	18-7	Mandalay St. Peter's High School
	,, Lay Nwe	17-10	Mandalay E. W. M. Boy's High School.
	,, Lun Pe	26-2	Teacher, Roll Moul. T. 3.
	,, Maung	23-2	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. No. 25.
3570	,, Myit	21-2	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ni	20-9	Buddha Thathana Naggatha Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mandalay.
	,, Nyun Tin	16-9	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ohn Pe	19-7	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, On Tin	21-2	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Po	18-8	Akyab Government High School.
	,, Po Ohn	18-5	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Po Thein	20-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Po Thon	17-8	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	,, Sandlu	20-7	E. W. M. High School, Pakokku.
3580	,, San Hlaing	18-8	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, San Pone	17-1	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Saw	20-7	Buddha Thathana Naggatha Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mandalay.
	,, Saw Lwin	16-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Sein, II	19	Rangoon Baptist College A V. High School.
	,, Shwe Saw	20	Akyab Government High School.
	,, Tin	17-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Tha Doe U	16-6	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Tha Noe, II	19-11	Akyab Government. High School.
	,, Than Sein	17-5	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
3590	,, Tha Soe	18-5	Mandalay E. W. M Boy's High School.
	,, Thin	18-3	Moulmein Government High School.
	,, Tsoe	21-5	Moulmein Government High School.
	,, Tun	17-10	Bassein Government High School.
	,, Tun Lwin	17-9	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Tun Pe	19-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Tun Win	17-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	Mazharul Huque	16-2	Satkania H. E. School.
	M. Azizul Haque	16-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	M Badruddin	18-2	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.

3600	Md. Abbas Ali Miah	23-4	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,, Abdul Jolil	22-6	Patiya High School.
	,, Abdul Kaddus	16-4	K. M. D M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,, Abdul Latif	16-2	Banwarinagar C. B H. School
	,, Abadullah	18-11	Raja Girish Chandra High School, Sylhet.
	,, Abdul Habib	17-1	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Abdul Jabbar Khan	16-1	Sasaram H. E. School
	,, Abdul Makit	16-2	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,, Abdul Mannan	17-9	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Abdul Mojid	16-1	Naokhila P. N. H E. School.
3610	,, Abdul Mozid Khan	21-11	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Abdur Rahman Bhuian	17-2	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Abdur Rahman	16	Sylhet Govt. H. School.
	,, Abdur Rashid	17-6	Mymensingh Zila School.
	,, Abdul Rahman	19-9	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	,, Abdus Sattar	17	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	,, Abdus Sobhan	16	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,, Abed Ali	16-9	Pabna Institution.
	,, Akbar Raza	16-11	Chapra Collegiate School.
	,, Abul Bashar	17-1	Sylhet Govt. High School.
3620	,, Afaque	17-11	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Ahsan Ali	16	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,, Amir Hashmi	16-5	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,, Amin Uddin	17-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	,, Amirali	17-5	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Ayajuddin	18-8	Meherpur H. E. School.
	,, Badrudduja Chaudhuri	17-6	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	,, Bashirul Huq	18-11	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	,, Dabir Uddin	19-11	Sonatala H. E. School.
	,, Ekramuddin Khan	18	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
3630	,, Enus Meah	16-5	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	,, Ershad	18-2	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Gholam Rasul	18-3	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	,, Habibar Rahman	17	M. L Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Hafiz Uddin	19-1	Kishreganj H. E. School.
	,, Hamid Ali	18-2	Sonatala H. E. School.
	,, Ilyasainnuzzoha	18-10	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Ishaq, I	18-1	Ditto.
	,, Ishaque	16-10	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Ismail	17-11	Muradnagar Durgaram H E School.
3640	,, Ismail Khan	20-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Kaem	17	Hajipur H. E. School.
	,, Kashem Uddin	16-4	Tajhat H. E. School.
	,, Khabiruddin Sirdei	18	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Mahfoozul Haque	17-5	Patna City School.
	,, Mahmood Ahsan	16-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Manzoor Ahsan	17-11	Ditto.
	,, Manzur Hasan, II	19-6	Ditto.
	,, Mazibal Haque	16-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Minhaj Uddin	19-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
3650	,, Misir Ullah	18-6	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Mojeeb Raza	16	Patna Collegiate School.
	,, Muhsin	21-1	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Mumtazul Islam	17	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Munzoor Hassan	17-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Nisar Ali	16-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Rafiquar Rassul	22 9	Private Student Roll Gau. P 5.
	,, Razik	21-11	Monghyr raining Academy.
	,, Saleh Hashmi	16-7	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Samuel	16	Arrah Zila School.
3660	,, Sekandar Ali	17-4	Chaubari Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Sekendarali Sarkei	22-6	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Serajul Hoque	16	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Serajul Huque	18	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Serajul Islam	21-2	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	,, Shahid Khan	19-3	Behar H. C. E. School.
	,, Sharafat Ullah	17-8	Calcutta Madrassah.

	Md. Syeder Rahman	19-11	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Usman Khan	19-4	Chapra Collegiate School.
	„ Wajihuddin	20-2	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 13.
3670	„ Wali Ullah	21-1	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Yasin	19	Patna City School.
	„ Zahirul Haque	16-2	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Mefazuddin Khan	17	Jhalakati Govt High School.
	Mehta, I. C.	18	St. Anthony's A. V. High School, Kandwaglay.
	Metya, Maheschandra	19-6	Mahisadal Raj H. E. School.
	Mg. Ba Shin	19-8	Akyab Govt. High School.
	„ Ba Taw	20-7	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	„ Bo Gyi	17	Private Student, Roll Ran. P 26.
	„ Kyaw Tun	21-10	Akyab Govt. High School.
3680	„ Lwin	19-5	Maulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	„ Mg. Gyi	19-8	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	„ On Khin	20-5	Maulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	„ Po Htaik	20-7	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 24.
	„ San Hla	18	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School
	„ Shwe Wain	18	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	„ Thant	19-3	Prome Govt. A. V. High School.
	„ Thein Mg.	18-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Tun Min	20-10	Teacher, Roll Mand. T. 2.
	„ Tun Myaing	19-1	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
3690	Minj, Benjamin	22	G. E. L. Mission School, Ranchi.
	Mir, Abdool Mazid	19-3	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Ahammed Ali	18-1	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	„ Ali Gazi	19-10	Basirhat H. E. School.
	„ Asgar Ali	18-11	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	„ Fazlo Ali	16-9	Barisal Zila School.
	„ Kadar Ali	19-1	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School
	„ Kefayetali	16-8	Naokhila P. N H. E. School.
	„ Kohrshed Ali	17-1	Sibsagar Govt High School.
	Mirza, Abbas Hussain	18-1	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
3700	„ Dara Bakht	21-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Hyder Hosain	24-10	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	„ Mahmud Isfahani	17	Calcutta Madrassah.
	„ Mohammad Wasi	16-5	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Misir Ali Munshy	18-2	Siddheswari A. C Institution.
	Mizanor Rahamn Mia	18-4	Sirajganj Victoria High School.
	Mishra, Madho Prosad	18-9	Monghyr Zilla School.
	„ Markanday	19-4	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	„ Upendranath	19-10	Ditto.
	Misra, Anadiprasad	18-6	Bhagalpur Zila School.
3710	„ Bamadeb	25	Private Student, Roll Sam. P. 3.
	„ Banchhanidhi	18-7	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Bishnucharan	16-4	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Byomk's	17	Midnapur Collegiate School
	„ Dakshinaranjan	16-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Gopinath	20-8	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	„ Gourishankar	16-5	Sambalpur Zila School.
	„ Harendranath	18-1	Kirnahar Sisichandra H. C. E. School.
	„ Herambachandra	21-8	Basantia H. E. School.
	„ Indubbhushan	17-2	Dinajpur Zila School.
3720	„ Karunamay	17-11	Tiluri Kripamaye H. E. School.
	„ Kasinath	18-10	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Krishnapada	18-11	Burdwan Municipa School.
	„ Lingaraja	19-9	Khurda H. E. School.
	„ Lokanath	18-10	P M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Madhusudan	16-10	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Maheswar	19-1	Ditto.
	„ Prajapati	16-6	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	„ Prasannakumar	18-2	Maharaja H. E. School, Shonepur State.

	Misra,	Raghunandan	22-2	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 9.
3730	,,	Rajanikanta	17-5	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,,	Rajendrachandra	17-8	Harishchandra High School, Baniyachong.
	,,	Somanath	21-2	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,,	Srigobind	16-10	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Surendrakumar	16-2	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Upenchandra	16-4	Mission High School, Katak.
	Mitra,	Abanikanta	16-4	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,,	Abinaschandra	16-6	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,,	Akshayakali	16-6	Basirhat H. E. School.
	,,	Amarendramohan	16-8	Comilla Zila School.
3740	,,	Amarendranath	16-10	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,,	Amulyacharan	16-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Anathnath	17	Amta H. E. School.
	,,	Anilchandra	25-9	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 18.
	,,	Anupchandra	16-10	Kishanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Atulkrishna	19-10	Satkshira Prannath H. E. School.
	,,	Bhupendranath	16-7	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Bijaykumar	18-8	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Bijaykumar	20	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,,	Bimalchandra	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
3750	,,	Bimalendubhushan	17-2	Panitras H. E. School.
	,,	Binaybhushan	17-7	Malda Zila School.
	,,	Binaybhushan	20-1	Gokarna P. M. H. E. School.
	,,	Binaykumar	18-4	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,,	Binaykumar	17-3	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Binaykrishna	16-11	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Bimalkrishna	16	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Birendralal	16-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Chandrasekhar	18-4	Dupleix College, Chandernagore.
	,,	Dakshinaranjan	16-8	Arbalia J. V. H. E. School.
3760	,,	Dhirendranath, II	17	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Durgadas	16	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Gaganchandra	25-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 12.
	,,	Gobindachandra	18-1	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	,,	Gobindalal	17-3	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Gopalchandra	19-2	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Gopeswar	18-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,,	Govindaprasad	17-1	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
	,,	Haribhushan	18-2	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Haricharan	17-3	Srikrishna Pathsala.
3770	,,	Haricharan	19-2	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Haripada	18	Miksimil Rudaghara H. E. School.
	,,	Herambakumar	20-7	Raja Suryyakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,,	Himansukumar	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-11	Private Student, Roll Jes P. 6.
	,,	Jnanendranath	17-5	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,,	Jugalkisor	18	Dhanbad H. E. School.
	,,	Kalicharan	19-7	Arbalia J. V. H. E. School.
	,,	Kalikrishna	16-2	S. P. Institution, Chakdighi.
	,,	Kalipada	16-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
3780	,,	Kalipada	16-10	Bahirdia High School.
	,,	Kamakhyakinkar	19	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Kamalakanta	17	Harinabhi A. S School.
	,,	Kartikchandra	16-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kasisankar	16-10	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kshetranath	16-5	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kshitischandra	17-1	Dinhatta H. E. School.
	,,	Lakshmikanta	17-2	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Lalitkumar	19-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Mahendranath	16-10	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta

3790	Mitra, Manindranath	18-8	Hare School, Calcutta
	„ Manindranath	16-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Murarimohan	18-1	Natuda H. E. School
	„ Nagendranath	18	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School
	„ Nalinimohan	19-8	Natuda H. E School.
	„ Nandakisor	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nanigopal	19-1	Dupleix College.
	„ Nanigopal	16-2	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Niharranjan	16-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nirabindu	17-6	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3800	„ Nirmalchandra	20-8	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Nirmalkumar	17-1	Tezpur Government H. School.
	„ Nirmalkumar	19-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nirmalkumar *	16-2	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	„ Panchkari	16-8	Jhikra H. E School.
	„ Pareschandra	17-3	Mugkalyan H. E. School
	„ Pasupati	20-8	Jharia H. E School
	„ Phaninradmohan	16-5	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	„ Prabhaschandra	16-8	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Prakaschandra	17-4	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
3810	„ Prankumar	25-2	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	„ Prangobinda	20-9	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Praphullachandra	16-1	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	„ Praphullakumar	16-6	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School
	„ Pulinendralal	19-7	Baghbazar High School.
	„ Radhanath	18-2	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Rameschandra	19-2	Barasat Government School.
	„ Ramgopal	16-1	Hatwa Eden School.
	„ Riponchandra	17-7	Hindu School, Calcutta
	„ Sachindranath	18	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutt
3820	„ Sailabhushan	17-10	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
	„ Sailendrakissen	17-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Sanatkumar	16-11	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Saratchandra	20-1	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	„ Satischandra	17-5	Bahirdia High School.
	„ Satischandra	17-1	Brahmo Boys' High School.
	„ Satischandra	19-2	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrashi.
	„ Satischandra	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch
	„ Satyendranath	17-4	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Satyendranath	16-6	Burdwan Municipal School.
3830	„ Saurendrakrishna	18-3	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sisirkumar	16-10	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Sripatinath	17-10	Kisorilall Jubilee School, Dacca
	„ Subodhchandra	17-5	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	„ Sudarsan	16-7	Kisorilall Jubilee School, Dacca
	„ Sudhendunath	17-5	Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
	„ Sunilkrishna	16	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	„ Taranimohan	21	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	Mizanur Rahman	16-3	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	M. N. Abul Khairat	20-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
3840	Moayyidul Islam Borrah	16-1	Sibsagar Government High School.
	Moazzem Hossain	16-5	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Mobarak Hossain Chowdhury	17-10	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Mobarok Ali Mian	16-9	Bogra Coronation Institution
	Modak, Asutosh	19-5	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	17-4	Ilsoba Mondlai H E. School.
	Mod. Narayan Lal Das	16-5	W. H. E. School, Supau
	Mode Narayana Lal	16-10	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Mofizal Haque Chowdhury	16-11	Feni High School.
	Mofizuddin Ahmed	20-1	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
3850	Mofiz Uddin Joardar	19-1	Naogaon Krishnadhan H E. School.
	Mofzolar Rahoman	20-11	Yusuff H E. School, Comilla.
	Mohamed Fazla Hoque	17-9	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Mohamed Mohataj Ali	18-8	Krishnagar Collegiate School.

	Mohamed Sofiullah . . .	16-8	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	Mohammad Abdul Hannan . .	16-3	Khurda H. E. School.
	,, Abdul Jabbar . .	16-5	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Abdul Latiff . . .	20-10	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	,, Abdul Wahid . .	23-1	Katak Moslem Seminary.
	,, Abu Rashid . . .	17-1	Bhagalpur Zila School.
3860	,, Ahmad . . .	19-7	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	,, Amin	22-7	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 13.
	,, Aqil Ansari . . .	22-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Azizur Rahman Yasihi .	20-6	Private Student, Roll Chap. 325.
	,, Ekram	18-9	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Fazalor Rohoman . .	18-7	Hathazari Parbati Institution.
	,, Habibur Rahman Choudhuri.	16-4	Habiganj Government H. School.
	,, Hanif	21-3	Private Student, Roll Chap. 313.
	,, Hasib	18	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Hassain Ali . . .	19-9	Armenitola Government H. School.
3870	,, Hassan . . .	18-9	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Ismail	16-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	,, Molazim . . .	24-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Moosa . . .	17-7	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Nasir	19-10	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,, Nasir Uddin . .	18-3	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	,, Nazim . . .	17-4	Pusha High School.
	,, Nurul Hassan . .	17-4	Araria H. E. School.
	,, Obaid . . .	16-5	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	,, Obedur Rahaman Ansary	18-10	Ramgopalpur High School.
3880	,, Quasim . . .	18-2	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	,, Raz	17-11	Behar H. C. E. School.
	,, Saeed Khan . .	19-6	Private Student, Roll Chap. 308.
	,, Sami	18-7	Ditto.
	,, Shamsuddin Ansari	19-4	Ditto.
	,, Shamsuzzoha . .	17-1	Chapra Zila School.
	,, Sharfuddin Fasihi .	22-8	Private Student, Roll Cal 3766.
	,, Sher Khan . . .	17-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	,, Sulaiman . . .	21-7	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 17.
	,, Tozammel Hauque	17-5	Babulia J. S. H E. School.
3890	,, Wajahat . .	16-4	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,, Waliul Huq* . .	16-6	Rammohan Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	,, Yaseen . . .	17	Patna Collegiate School.
	,, Yasin Azmi . .	16-7	Chapra Collegiate School.
	,, Younus . . .	19-6	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Yunus . . .	18-5	Maldah Zila School.
	Mohammed Abdul Mohi .	17-9	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Alefuddin . .	21-2	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School
	,, Ansar Khan . .	17-11	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Bashir Uddin . .	17-3	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
3900	,, Easin . . .	19-8	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Golam Hussain . .	18-1	Dhubri Government High School.
	,, Habibur Rahman .	18-2	Matihari Zila School.
	,, Idris	17	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Ishaque . . .	16	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Ismael . .	17-5	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Israil . . .	16-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Abdus Sabur .	20-6	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Mahfuzul Haque . .	16-7	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	,, Mujtaba . . .	19-6	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
3910	,, Najmul Hoda .	18-7	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,, Omar Khan . .	16-4	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Rahamat Ullah	24-2	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Roufique . . .	18-3	Nabgong Govt. H. E. School.
	,, Shamsuddin . .	19	M A. A. School, Patna City.
	,, Tofazzel Hossain . .	19-4	Amla Sadarpur H. E. School.
	,, Wazhi Ullah . .	19-7	Chittagong H. E. School.
	Mohd., Abdul Azim Khan . .	18-7	M L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Ahmad Ali . . .	18-4	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Mushtaq Ahmad Khan .	18-2	Ditto.

3920	Mohammed, Mustafa	19-1	T. K. Ghose's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Younus	22-11	Private Student, Roll Chap. 315.
	,, Zahir Uddin	17-8	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Mohebbor Rahaman	21-11	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Mohibur Raza Choudhuri	17-6	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Mohomud Latifur Rahaman	16	Khurda H. E. School.
	Mohummad Salim	16-3	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Moizuddin	19-10	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Mojaher Ulla Sarder	25-3	Tala B. De Institution.
	Mojibur Rahman	16-5	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
3930	Molla Abdul Rahim	20-1	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	Momtazuddin	16-6	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Mousural Rahman	17-1	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Montechha Moddin Biswas	24-7	Babulia J. S. H. E. School.
	Moslemuddin Ahmad	17-5	Nilphamari High School.
	Motahar-ul Islam	21-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Moung Ba Ba	18	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Moyeenuddin Ahmad	19-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Moyen Uddin Mian	16-7	Bagra Zila School.
	Mozaffar Ahmad	17-1	Patna Collegiate School.
3940	Mozibar Rohoman Talukdar	18-1	Ullapara Merchants' H. E. School.
	M. Rafiullah Khan	18-6	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	M. Rahim Baksh Chowdhury	17-5	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	M. Saidul Haque	21-1	Feni High School.
	M. Taqi Qais	18-11	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Muazzum Sheakh	20-1	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	Muhammad Abdul Hannan	19	Amla Sardarpur H. E. School.
	,, Abdulla	20-6	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 9.
	,, Abdur Rauf	16-9	Bankura Zila School.
	,, Abul Hares	16	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
3950	,, Anis	16-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Arif	17-2	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Baksh	19	Government Moslem H. E. School Dacca.
	,, Habib	16-6	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	,, Jain Uddin	19-1	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur.
	,, Kafiluddin	17-7	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,, Mafiz	20-9	Raja Giris handra High School, Sylhet.
	,, Mujibul Huq	20-1	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Reazuddin	18-6	Donough Government High School, Jamalpur.
	,, Rohim Boks Mia	22-2	Kushtia H. E. School.
3960	,, Serajul Islam	17	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,, Shamsuddin	17-9	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Sulaiman	22-2	Private Student, Roll, Cal. 3758.
	,, Taleb Hossain*	16	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Zinat-ullah	24-8	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Muhammed Abdur Rahim	20-5	Ramgopalpur P. J. R. High School.
	,, Alimuzzaman	16-5	Amla Sadarpur H. E. School.
	,, Hossain	18-9	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Muhammeder Rahman	19-3	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation, H. E. School.
	Mujeebur Rahman	19-3	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
3970	Mujib-ul Rahman	24-7	Private Student, Roll Chap. 258.
	Mujibur Rahman	16-1	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	Mukhopadhyay, Abanimohan	18-1	Baghbazar High School.
	,, Abinaschandra	17-2	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,, Ahibhushan	18-6	Santipur Oriental Academy.
	,, Ajaykumar	16	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Ajitkumar	16-1	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Akshaykumar	18	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,, Akshaykumar	16-5	Dacca Pagose School.
	,, Akshaykumar	16-7	Midnapur Collegiate School.
3980	,, Amarnath	17-1	Ranchi Zila School.
	,, Amulyachandra	19	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 7.
	,, Amulyachandra	17-5	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Amulyachandra	16-6	Munshiganj H. E. School.

	Mukhopadhyay,	Amulyachandra	22-4	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Amulyachandra	18-7	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	,,	Amulyakumar	20-1	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	,,	Amulyakumar	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Anadikumar	19-5	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,,	Anadinath	16-3	Jhapardha Duke Institution.
3990	,,	Anandinath	18-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Anadiprasanna	17-6	Budge Budge P. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Anathbandhu	16	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Apurbakumar	16-1	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	,,	Arunchandra	16-9	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak
	,,	Asokjiban	16-5	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Asutosh	17-2	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,,	Asutosh	18-2	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,,	Atulchandra	19-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Baidyanath	17-4	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
4000	,,	Banamali	18-5	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Banbihari	16-7	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Bankimbihari	17-2	Konnagar H. E School.
	,,	Bankimchandra	22-11	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Baradaprasanna	16-2	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Basudeb	18-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,,	Bhupendranath	19-5	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Bhutnath	17-4	Samastipur H. E. School.
	,,	Bibhutibhushan	18-7	Balagrah H. E. School.
	,,	Bibhutibhushan	19-3	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
4010	,,	Bibhutibhushan	18-5	Konnagar H. E. School.
	,,	Bibhutikumar	17-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Bijaykrishna	16-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Bijaymohan	16-3	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Bilasmohan	17-5	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Binaybhushan*	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	,,	Binaykrishna	17-7	Bowbazar High School.
	,,	Binaykrishna	16	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Birendranath	17-3	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Birendranath	19-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
4020	,,	Biswanath	17-3	Private Student, Birb. P. 3.
	,,	Brajeswar	17-3	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Chakradhar*	16-2	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Chandanbhushan	17-6	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,,	Chintaharan	16	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Chintamani	16-2	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Chittaranjan	18-6	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Dakshinapada	17-10	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Debidas	18-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School Bhagalpur.
	,,	Debidas	16-8	Behala H. E. School.
4030	,,	Dhirendrachandra	16-11	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	18-11	St. Mary's School, Bhawanipur.
	,,	Dibakar	19-6	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Durgapada	16-3	Darjeeling High School.
	,,	Durgapada	18-7	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Dwijendranath	16-4	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
	,,	Ganeschandra	17	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Gaurgopal	18-5	Salkia Hindu School.
	,,	Girijabhushan	16-7	Behala H. E. School.
	,,	Gopendranath	17-7	Baidyabati B. M. Institution
4040	,,	Haraprasad	17-10	Uluberia H. E. School.
	,,	Harendranath	16-8	Baluti H. E. School.
	,,	Harendranath	16-3	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
	,,	Haridas	17-1	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Haridas	16-11	Town School, Calcutta
	,,	Haridhan	16-6	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.

	Mukhopadhyay,	Haridhan	18-6	Pusha High School.
	,,	Harihar	17-1	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,,	Haripada	21	Nakipur H. C. E. School.
	,,	Haripada	16-1	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
4050	,,	Hemchandra	17-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Hiralal	18-1	R. K Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Hiralal	17	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Hirendralal	20	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Hrishikes*	16-3	Boinchee B. L Mukherjee Free Institution.
	,,	Indubhushan	17-7	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,,	Indubhushan	16-7	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	,,	Indubhushan	20-5	Dhankuria H. E. School.
	,,	Jagadindranath	17-6	Bowbazar High School.
	,,	Jagadindubhushan	17-3	Ranchi Zila School.
4060	,,	Jagajjyoti	18	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jagannath	17-3	Jaynagar Institution.
	,,	Jagatkisor	17-1	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,,	Jasodanandan	16-1	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindralal	18-4	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-7	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	,,	Jatindranath	20-2	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,,	Jatischandra	18	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,,	Jibankrishna	18-2	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Jibankrishna	18	Andul H. C. E. School.
4070	,,	Jitendranath	16-3	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Jogeschandra	17-8	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,,	Jyotishchandra	17-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalidas	18-7	Taltala High School.
	,,	Kalinath	16-1	Satkhira Prannath H. E School.
	,,	Kalipada	17-6	Dhanbad H. E. School.
	,,	Kaliprasad	16-6	Halisahar H E. School.
	,,	Kaliranjan	16-11	Barisal Brojamohan Institution
	,,	Kalichandra	17-9	Kumar Radhaprasad Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Karunamay	17	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch
4080	,,	Kisoribilas	16-8	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	,,	Kisorimohan	17-2	Jagadbandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,,	Krishnajiban	16-7	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnamohan	17	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Kshetramohan	16-4	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kshetramohan	17-10	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Kshitischandra	20-6	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,,	Kumudbandhu	20-2	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Kunjabihari	17-7	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,,	Kunjalal	20	Balagarh H. E. School.
4090	,,	Lakshmikinkar	16-6	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Lakshmis	16-7	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,,	Lalitmohan	16-6	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	,,	Lalmohan	16-2	Panditsar H. F. School.
	,,	Loknath	16-10	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	,,	Madhusudan	17-2	Feni High School.
	,,	Mahakalprasad	18	Garbata H. E. School.
	,,	Manimohan*	16	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Manimohan	17-1	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,,	Manindranath	17-3	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
4100	,,	Manomohan	16-5	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	18-5	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,,	Nalinikanta	19-1	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,,	Nandagopal	16	Taltala High School.
	,,	Nanigopal	18-5	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,,	Nanigopal	18	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Naranath	16-1	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	17-6	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Narendranath	16	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Narendranath	17-11	Ukhara H. E. School.
4110	,,	Nibaranchandra	19-1	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	,,	Nilkanta	17	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.

	Mukhopadhyay,	Nikhilkumar	18-4	Boinchee B. L. Mukerji's Free Institution.
	,,	Nilkantha	16-5	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nilmani	16-9	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Nilratan	17-1	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,,	Nilratan	18-4	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	,,	Niranjanprasad	16-3	Barisal Broja Mohan Institution.
	,,	Nityahari	18-4	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,,	Nripendrakumar	18	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
4120	,,	Nripendrakumar	18	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nripendranath	16-3	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy
	,,	Nripendranath	17-1	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Pabitralal	17-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Panchugopal	16-2	Contai H. E. School.
	,,	Pareschandra	16-6	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Paresnath	16-3	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,,	Paritosh	17-3	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Pasupati	16-3	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Phanibhushan	20-2	Kesab Academy.
4130	,,	Phanindranath	18-8	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	,,	Pinakimohan	16-3	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,,	Prabalchandra	17-1	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	16-6	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Prabhatkumar	17-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	16-11	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	16-3	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,,	Prahladchandra	18-9	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-5	Sheakhala H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	18-9	Narikeldanga George High School.
4140	,,	Pratulyakumar	16-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Premlal	16-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Pulinbihari	21-9	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Purnendunath	16	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,,	Rabindrakrishna	17-6	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Radhagobinda	16-11	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendranath	16-4	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,,	Rajendranath	19	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramanikanta	17-7	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,,	Ramanimohan	20	Hindu School, Calcutta
4150	,,	Ramanimohan	17-1	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	,,	Ramendranath	21-1	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,,	Rameschandra	19-7	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Ramgati	16-7	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,,	Ramlal	16-1	Midnapur Collegiate School
	,,	Ramranjan	16-6	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Rebatiraman	18-6	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	,,	Rennpada	16-3	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Sachchidananda	16-1	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,,	Sachindralal	18-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
4160	,,	Sachindranath	17-4	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Sailendranath	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Saileswar	17-1	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Sanatkumar	16-7	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,,	Santinath	17-4	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Santoshkumar	17-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Sasadhar	16-7	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Satchidananda	19-7	Darjeeling High School.
	,,	Satchidananda	16-2	Bankura Zila School.
	,,	Satiprasanna	18-4	Birbhum Zila School
4170	,,	Satyacharan	16-1	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Satyacharan	16-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Satyakinkar	18-11	Garbeta H. E. School.
	,,	Satyakinkar	18-4	Bagati H. E. School.
	,,	Sibchandra	18-11	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	,,	Sitalakanta	16-2	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Sitalchandra	16-9	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Somendranath	16-2	Calcutta High School.

	Mukhopadhyay, Srimohan	19-9	Raigunj Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Srischandra	16-1	Lakshmipasha Durgacharan Institution.
4180	„ Subalchandra	16-6	Bhaira H. E School.
	„ Subodhchandra	18-1	I. R. Belilious Institution, Howrah.
	„ Subodhkumar	19-7	Sibpur H. C E. School.
	„ Suchitchandra	17-5	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta
	„ Sudhirkumar	17-6	Jorasanko High School.
	„ Sunilchandra	16-1	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch.
	„ Surendranath	16-4	Kalighat High School.
	„ Sureschandra	21-1	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Sureschandra	18-1	Munshiganj H. E School.
	„ Suryyakumar	17-10	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
4190	„ Susilchandra	16-1	Chapra Zila School.
	„ Syamakanta	16-5	Itachuna Srinarayan Institution.
	„ Syamapada	20-9	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	„ Syamapada	16-11	Hughli Branch School.
	„ Syamaprasad*	16	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur.
	„ Tarakdas	17-1	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Tarapada	17-1	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	„ Taraprasanna	16-1	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Trishtup	16-3	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	„ Umapada	20-3	Balagarh H. E. School.
4200	„ Umapati	17-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Umaprasana	19-2	Birbhum Zila School.
	Mukhoti, Ratischandra	17-4	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh
	Mukter Ali	19-10	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Mumtazuddin Ahamed	20-8	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Mundle, John N. K.	18-4	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Mukund Mishra	21	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Munsi, Jogeschandra	16	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	„ Kumudnath	28-5	Private Student, Roll Baul. P. 2.
	„ Nawsherali	18-2	Serajganj Victoria High School.
4210	Murlidhur Kejriwala	16-10	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Musayaib Mollah	19-1	Sarisha H. E. School.
	Mustaphi, Rameschandra	17-9	Somra D. C. H. E. School.
	Mushtaq Ahmad, H	18-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Mushtaq Hussain	21-2	Private Student, Roll Cal. 3762.
	Mutiur Rahman	17-1	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Myint Thein	17-1	Rangoon Government High School.
	Nabir Uddin Talukdar	16-5	Bogra Zila School.
	Nader Ali Rarhi	16-3	Banari H. E. School.
	Nafizuddin Ahmed	17-2	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
4220	Nag, Bijaykumar	19-1	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	„ Hemchandra	20-7	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Jogendrakumar	16-8	Faridpur Zila School.
	„ Lilabati	..	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	„ Nirmalchandra	16	Barisal Zila School.
	„ Pradyotkumar	16-4	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Praphullachandra	18-1	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Rasikchandra	17-3	Dacca Pagose School.
	„ Sanatan	19-11	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Saratchandra	21-6	Senhati High School.
4230	„ Satischandra	17-1	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Satischandra	20-8	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	„ Sitansukumar	17	Ikhia B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Sukhamay	16-5	Sylhet Moulvibazar Government High School.
	„ Surendrakumar	16-5	Kishoreganj H E. School.
	„ Syamapada	17-1	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	Nagchadhuri, Sudhirkumar	16-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Nageshwari Prashad	16-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Nag Narain Sinha	17-6	Sitamarhi H E. School.

	Naha, Manindrachandra	17-6	Lonsing H. E School.
4240	„ Narendrachandra	18-1	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	„ Narendrakumar	16	Mekligunj H E. School.
	Naik, Banshidhar	19-6	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	„ Madanmohan	19-11	Sambalpur Zila School.
	Naibuddin Bapery	17-3	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	Nandagopal Ojha	16-1	Purulia Zila School.
	Nand Kishore Lal	17-5	Arrah Town School.
	Nand Kishore Prasad	19-3	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	Nanda, Baikuntha	16-6	Mission High School, Katak
	„ Kartikchandra	20-1	P. M. Academy, Katak.
4250	„ Krittibasa	19-11	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 11.
	„ Manomohan	17	Balasore Zila School.
	„ Nagendranath	16-7	Contai H. E. School.
	Nandi, Amritkumar	17-5	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	„ Amulyakumar	16-1	Harinavi A. S. School.
	„ Annadacharan	18-3	Gouripur P. C. Institution.
	„ Atindranath	17-6	Jagabandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	„ Bidhubhusan	18-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	„ Bimalkrishna	17-7	Chesta Boys' H. E. School
	„ Binodlal	18-3	Bogra Coronation Institution.
4260	„ Birendrakumar	17-10	Taltala High School.
	„ Brajagopal	21	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Chandrakanta	20-4	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Dhirendralal	16-10	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Dhirendranath	21-4	Dhankuria H. E. School.
	„ Jatischandra	19	Magura H. E. School.
	„ Manmathanath	19-5	Ilsoba Mondlai H. E. School.
	„ Nanigopal	16-5	Weslevan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	„ Narendrakisor	16-4	Mekliganj H. E School.
	„ Nikunjabihari	21-3	Chittagong H. E. School.
4270	„ Pulinbihari	17-7	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	„ Radhikanath	18-11	Pargana M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Rajendrachandra	20-6	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrashi.
	„ Santoshkumar	16-10	Garbati H. E. School.
	„ Saratchandra	18-3	Baluti H. E. School.
	„ Satyaranjan	21-5	Baidyapur George Institution
	„ Srimantalal	18	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
	„ Subalchandra	18	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Syamsundar	17-11	Ilsova Mondlai H. E. School.
	„ Umapada	18-1	Hare School, Calcutta.
4280	Nand Lal, II	18-2	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Narayan Prasad	18-7	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Narendra Bhusan Sahay	16-1	Arrah Zila School.
	Narmadeshwar Sahai	19-6	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Nasiruddin Ahamed	19	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Nasir Husain	20-11	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Nasiruddin Khan	16-1	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Naskar, Amarendranath	17-10	Baharu H. E. School.
	„ Becharam	18	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	„ Bhushanchandra	18-3	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
4290	„ Ramlal	20-8	Jaynagar Institution.
	„ Surendranath	17-11	Budge Budge P. K. H. E. School.
	Nath, Abinaschandra	16-6	Teota Academy.
	„ Bipinchandra	16-9	Sylhet Government High School.
	„ Debendrachandra	19-10	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Dinabandhu	18-2	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	„ Gaganchandra	17-7	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	„ Gobindacharan	17-10	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Gupteshwar	16-11	K. P. Academy, Arrah.
	„ Harakumar	17-2	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
4300	„ Harendrachandra	19-4	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	„ Jaychandra	17-1	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	„ Kanailal	17-7	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Kshetramohan	20-7	Idilpur H. E. School.
	„ Kuseshwar	16-8	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	„ Manikyachandra	19-1	Silchar Government High School.
	„ Nandalal	17-6	S. P. Institution, Chakdighi.
	„ Narendrakumar	18-5	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.

	Nath, Purnachandra	18-5	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	„ Rajkumar	18-7	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
4310	„ Satindranath	16-6	Gobardanga H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	18-4	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	„ Sudhanshuprasad	17	Hailakandi V. M. H. E. School.
	Nathmajumdar, Satyakumar	16-11	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	Natta, Gurudas	19-9	Dacca Pogose School.
	Navnit Prasad Dass	17-11	Patna City School.
	Nayak, Ekadasichandra	17-6	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	„ Kalipada	19-2	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Prabodhchandra	19-9	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	„ Radhabinod	16-10	P. M Academy, Katak.
4320	Nawab Rafiul Hussain	16-1	Jorhat Government High School.
	Nazib Ali	19-8	Sylhet Government High School.
	Nazmal Huda	16-10	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	Niyogi, Anangakumar	18-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	„ Binaybhushan	19-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Chandicharan	17-1	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Jadunath	17-7	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach
	„ Jatindrakumar	19-4	Kalai High School.
	„ Nripendraprasad	21-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Prabhatchandra	16-7	Bowbazar High School.
4330	„ Praphullakumar	18	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Rakhaldas	17-5	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Ramprasad	17-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Satyendraprasad	17-7	Kurigram H. E. School.
	„ Sudhindraprasad	16-9	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Surendranarayan	17-5	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Noor Mohamed	16	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Nosibulla Biswas	16	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	Nural Alam Choudhury	18-4	Bogra Zilla School.
	Nural Haque Mian	20	Bhanga High School.
4340	Nurejjaman	17-2	Feni High School.
	Nurul Alom	17-3	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Nuruddin Ahmad Malik	16-2	Gaya Zila School.
	Nuruddin Ahmed	19	Faridpur Zila School.
	Nur Hussain Ahamed	17-1	Jamirta H. E. School.
	Nurul Haq	25-7	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Nurul Hussain	19-1	Barasat Government School.
	Nurur Rahman	18-10	Jorhat Government High School.
	Nuruz Zaman	17-8	Fatehpur K. G. H. E. School.
	Nuruzzomane	18-8	Nabinagar H. E. School.
4350	Nuzmas Haque	16-6	Bhola Government High School.
	Obaidullah Khan	21-7	Jhalakati Government High School.
	Obaidus Subhan	17-1	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Ojha, Ramtarak	18-4	Purulia Zila School.
	Osman Ali	18-1	Comilla Zila School.
	Osman Goni	16-2	Narayanganj H. E. School
	Padhi, Jagannath	19-8	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	Pain, Indubhushan	17-1	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Jatindranath	19-5	Salkia A. S. School.
	„ Kanailal	18	Ditto.
4360	„ Santoshkumar	16-11	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	Pait, Suryyakanta	17-4	Dacca Pogose School.
	Pakrasi, Dwijeschandra	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Hemchandra	16-6	Sihal Pakrasi Institution.
	„ Narendranath	17-8	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	Pal, Akhilchandra	17-11	Bhola Govt. High School
	„ Akhilchandra	17-5	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Ambikacharan	18-4	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Ambikacharan	17-3	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Amiya	...	Girls' High School, Bankipur.
4370	„ Annadakisor	19-3	Dacca Collegiate School.

	Pal, Asutosh	18-5	Konnagar H. E. School.
	„ Aswinikumar, I	17-8	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	„ Aswinikumar, II	16-8	Ditto.
	„ Aswinikumar	21-2	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	„ Atulkrishna	18-8	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Br.
	„ Balaram	17-6	Andul H. C. E. School.
	„ Basantakumar	16-4	Basirhat H. E. School.
	„ Batakrishna	17-3	Okersa H. E. School.
	„ Bhagirathi	17-9	Baripada H. E School.
4380	„ Bhupendranath	17-3	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Bibekananda	16-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutikumar	17	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Bimalchandra	17-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Binaykrishna	19-7	Nutuda H. E. School.
	„ Bipinbihari	17-6	Andul H. C. E. School.
	„ Bipinbihari	18	S. P. Institution, Chakdighi.
	„ Bisweswar	18-2	Pabna Institution
	„ Brindabanchandra	17-7	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	„ Dasarathi	17-2	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
4390	„ Debendrachandra	16-5	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Debendranath	23-2	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	„ Debendranath	17-4	K. M. S C. Institution, Khulna.
	„ Debendranath	20-7	Ukhara H. E. School.
	„ Dhirendralal	17-11	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E School.
	„ Dhirendralal	18-10	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	„ Dwijendranath	18-9	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hasbara.
	„ Gaurchand	19-10	Kendua Spry Institution.
	„ Girischandra	19-5	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„ Gokulchandra	19-11	Hindu School, Calcutta.
4400	„ Goshthabihari	17-7	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Indrachandra	20-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Jadabchandra	21-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Jadunath	18-1	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Jagatbandhu	20-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Jatindranath	17-8	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„ Jitendranath	18	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	„ Judhisthirchandra	19-5	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Kalisankar	17-2	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-7	Ukhara H. E. School.
4410	„ Kunjamohan	19-4	Silchar Govt. High School
	„ Kusumranjan	16-1	Sylhet Moulvibazar Govt. High School.
	„ Lakshminarayan	16-7	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Madanmohan	17-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Mahendrabijoy	17-11	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Makhanlal	17	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Manomohan	17-11	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Nabinchandra	19-1	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H. E. School.
	„ Nagendrachandra	16-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Nagendrakumar	17-6	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
4420	„ Nagendranath	17-7	Harinarayanpur H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	20-6	Mugkulyan H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	16-4	Shikarpur H. E. School
	„ Nakulchandra	16-4	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	„ Nandakumar	18-2	Sylhet Moulvibazar Govt. High School.
	„ Nikunjalal	19-1	Kesorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Niranjan	16-4	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Niranjankrishna	17-5	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Panchanan	19-2	Baidyabati B. M. Institution.
	„ Prabhatkumar	19-1	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
4430	„ Prabodhchandra	16	Kesab Academy.
	„ Prakaschandra	19-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	„ Praphullakumar	18	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Prasannakumar	19-5	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	„ Prasannakumar	16-7	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„ Pulinbihari	19-2	Damshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Purnachandra	18-10	Dhalla H. E. School.
	„ Rabindranath	16-4	Kustia H. E. School.
	„ Raimohan	19-1	Shilchar Nandakumar Institution.

	Pal, Rajanikanta	19-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
4440	„ Rajmohan	21-2	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Ramanimohan	21-2	Dattapara Ramratan H. E. School.
	„ Ramranjan	22-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Rasbihari	17-1	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	„ Rasbihari	16-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Rasikchandra	19-2	Adha chandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	„ Santoshchandra	18-1	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	„ Santoshkumar	17-5	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Saradacharan	19-2	Silchar Government High School.
	„ Saradaranjan	17-11	Ditto.
4450	„ Saratchandra	17-10	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	„ Satischandra	19-7	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Satischandra	19-7	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Satischandra	18-3	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	„ Satyacharan	16-8	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Satyaranjan	16-8	Banari H. E. School.
	„ Subodhchandra	16-1	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	„ Subodhkrishna	16-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhamayee		Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	„ Sudhirkumar	16-10	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
4460	„ Sudindranath	17-10	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	„ Surendranath	19-4	K. M S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	„ Sureschandra	19-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School Chandpur.
	„ Upendrachandra	19-10	Silchar Government High School.
	„ Upendrakumar	17-1	Baruipur H. E. School.
	„ Upendrakumar	18-3	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	20-3	Andul H. C. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	17-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Palchaudhuri, Birendrakrishna, I	17-10	Lohajang High School.
	„ Birendrakumar	17	Shillong Government High School.
4470	„ Goshthabihari	18-6	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Nagendramohan	19-1	Lohajang High School.
	„ Sudhirranjan	16-5	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	Palit, Basantakumar	17	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Gobindaprasad	16-2	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	„ Jitendranath	16-7	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Khudiram	17-5	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Palye, Parabhatkumar	16-2	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	Pancham Prasad	16-6	Araria H. E. School.
	Panda, Asutosh	18-3	Midnapur Collegiate School.
4480	„ Bhabagrahi	16	Baripada H. E. School.
	„ Bhagirathi	19-3	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	„ Bhubanananda	20-2	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Kunjabihari	18-8	Sambalpur Zila School.
	„ Mayadhar	20-2	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Mukundacharan	17-5	Jajpur H. E. School.
	Pande, Debanandan	17-1	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Panika	16-11	Sambalpur Zila School
	Pandey, Sukhdeo Prasad	17-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. 3764.
	Pandit, Ajitnath	17-5	C. M.)S. St. John's High School Krishnagar.
4490	„ Bipinchandra	18	Kishoregung H. E. School.
	„ Jatindranath	18-10	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Mahimohandra	16-9	Hasanali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Saratchandra	22-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	„ Tarapada	18-2	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	Pani, Satyabadi	17-9	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	Panja, Bhutnath	18-11	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Kamakhyapada	17-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	Parbat, Nripendrabhushan	18-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Paria, Bhuteswar	18-1	Contai Model Institution.

4500	Parmanand Sinha	18	Muzaffarpur Zilla School.
	Parmeshwar Prasad Sinha	19-1	Dumka Zilla School.
	Parmeshwary Prasad	16-3	Patna City School.
	Pasupati Natha Sinha	16-11	Palamau Zilla School.
	Patait Sudhansusekhar Singh Deo.	17-6	Maharaja H. E. School, Shonepur State.
	Pathak, Dasarathi	17-5	Okersa H. E. School.
	,, Harilal	16-2	Shillong Government High School.
	,, Jatindranath	17-1	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Phanibhushan	18-5	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Satyacharan	17	Itna H. E. School.
4510	,, Subodhchandra	17-10	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Pati, Arttatrana	17-6	Jajpur H. E. School.
	,, Bholanath	17-5	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,, Gopinath	17-4	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Makaradhwaja	20-8	P M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Mrutunjaya	17-1	Private Student, Roll Sam. P. 8.
	Patnaik, Sasibhusan	17-9	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	Patni, Jogendranath	16-11	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Patoi, Kuskanta	17	Debrugarh Government High School
	Patra, Bholanath	19	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
4520	,, Haripada	16-1	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,, Sadhanchandra	19-11	Salkia A. S. School.
	Pattadar, Jyotischandra	17-8	Ranchi Zila School.
	Pattak, Gangadhar	19-1	Birbhum Zila School.
	Pattanaik Bishnucharan	17-9	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	,, Pranballabh	17-7	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Pattanayak, Adharchandra	16-10	Baripada H E. School.
	,, Dibyasinha	18-1	Khurda H. E. School.
	,, Kalicharan	17-7	Ditto.
4530	,, Lingaraj	18-9	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	,, Narayan	19-6	Khurda H. E. School.
	Permeshwari Prasad Singh	18-2	Jamui H. E. School.
	Pha Htaw U.	20-11	Akyab Government High School.
	Phazar Ali	17-9	Muradnagar Durgaram H. E. School.
	Phukhan, Gopalchandra	20-3	Jorhat Government High School.
	Phulena Prasad	20-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Phuleshwar Prashad	24-8	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Po Lat	18-1	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Poddar, Bipinbihari	19-1	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,, Indralal	19-1	Ditto
4540	,, Indubhushan	17-2	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Jogendrachandra	18	Habiganj Government High School.
	,, Krishnalal	19-6	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Krishnamohan	18-7	Pingna H. E. School.
	,, Matilal	22	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution
	,, Radhakrishna	18-6	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	,, Satischandra	21-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Surendrakumar	21-4	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution.
	Pradhan, Amarnath	17-4	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Brajamohan	16-8	Sambalpur Zila School.
4550	,, Hrishikes	17-7	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	Pitabas Pradhan	17-11	Sambalpur Zila School.
	Pramanik Aswinikumar	21	Sutiagarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jitendranath	17-7	Kumakhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath	17-11	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Prasadchandra	18-9	Dasghara H. E. School.
	,, Radharaman	17-7	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Surendramohan	17-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Pratapray	17-4	M. L Jubillee Institution, Calcutta.
	Pratihar, Satischandra	19	Rai K. P. Pal, Bahadur's Sekanderapur Free H. E. School.
4560	Prem Ranga Bihari Lall*	16-3	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 56.
	Premlall Thakur	19	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Purkait, Sailendranath	17-11	Magrahat A. O. Institution.
	Purkayastha, Bipulchandra	17-8	Habiganj Govt. High School.

	Purkayastha, Satyendramohan	17-7	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	Purohit, Rameschandra	18-7	Patiya High School.
	Purshottam Das Burman	17-11	Sree Vishudananda Saraswaty Vidyalaya.
	Purushottam Prosad Verma	17-5	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Putatunda Niradbhushan	18-11	Brojomohan Institution, Barisal.
	Qamrul Heda	17-4	Gaya Haranchandra H. E. School.
4570	Quamruddin Ahmed	16-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Quamrul Hasan	19-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Quazi Abdur Rauf	20-10	Panchthubi T. N. Institution.
	Quazi Md. Abdur Raschid	16-2	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	Quazi Najm Uddin Ahmad	21-1	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	Qubbad Ahamad Chowdhary	18-3	Taltala High School.
	Quorban Khan	16-8	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	Rabha, Dwarikanath	18-1	Abhayapuri Abhayeswari High School.
	Rabinandan Prasad Verma	20-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Radhakrishna Prasad	17-2	Haran Chandra H. E. School, Gaya.
4580	Radhamohan Prosad	17-6	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Radhika Ballava	18-3	Giridih H. E School.
	Rafaqut Husain	16-4	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Rafiqueuddin Ahmed	16-7	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	Raghunandan Prasad	18-10	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Raghunath Prasad	17	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Raghunath Sahay	16-4	Chapra Zila School.
	Raha, Abinaschandra	21-1	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,, Amalkumar	19-7	Midnapur Collegiate School
	,, Bidhubhushan	17	Daulatpur H. E. School.
4590	,, Ramdas	16-1	Bishnupur H. E. school.
	,, Sucreteakumar	16	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Sudhirchandra	16-8	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	,, Surendrakumar	18-6	Banarepara Union Institution.
	Rahut, Upendranath	18-1	Bhanga High School.
	Rai Malcolm James Persad Sinha	16-5	Patna City School
	Raisuddin Ahmed	17-10	Sonatola H. E. School.
	Rais Uddin Ahamad	16-4	Bogra Zila School.
	Rajendrakishore Prasad	19-6	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Rajeshwari Prasad	16-4	Gya Town H. E. School.
4600	Rajkishore Narayan	18-1	Hatwa Eden School.
	Rajkishore Sahay	17-6	Arrah Zila School.
	Raj Narayan Lall	16-1	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	Rakibulla Ahmed	19-4	Kurigram H. E. School.
	Rakshit, Bamanpada	18-11	Brahma Boy's High School, Calcutta.
	,, Bodhendubikas	19-10	Chittagong H. E. School
	,, Debendralal	16-6	Dupleix College.
	,, Gopalchandra	16-4	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	,, Mahendralal	18-2	Dupleix College.
	,, Nalinikanta	21-10	Durgapur H. E. School.
4610	,, Nibaranchandra	19-8	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,, Sailendramohan	18-7	Malkhanagar H. E School.
	,, Upendrachandra	16-2	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Ramachandra Prosad Verma	18-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur
	Rama Charan	16-8	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Ramanand	17-9	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Rama Nand	19-7	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Rama Narayan Sinha	19-3	Bagusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Ramanugraha Prasada	17-10	Palamau Zila School.
	Ramashray Lal	19-3	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
4620	Ramasis Sinha	17-9	Foley Rajput High School.
	Ramasis Sinha	20-7	Arrah Town School.
	Ramawtar Pathak	18-10	Ranchi Zila School.
	Ramayan Prasad Sinha	19-6	Samastipur H. E. School.
	Ram Balak Singha	17	Gaya Zila School
	Rambaran Lal	16-2	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Rambehari Sahai	16-2	Chapra Zila School.
	Rambilas Lal	17	Arrah Zila School
	Rambujhwan Jha	18-4	Darbhanga Northbrook School.

	Ram Daihn Singh	16-8	Sri Vishudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
4630	Ramdass Deva	19-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Ramesh Singh Jayaswal . . .	16-4	Ram Mohon Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	Rameshwar Prosad	16-6	Darjeeling H. E. School.
	Ramizuddin Ahmed Khan . .	17-6	Muradnagar Durgaram H. E. School.
	Ramjee Prasad	19-1	Arrah Town School.
	Ramji Chaudhary	20-2	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Ramjiban Himmat Singka . .	16	Dumka Zilla School.
	Ram Kishore Narayan . . .	16-4	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Ramkrishna Agarwala . . .	17	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Ramkrishna Sahay . . .	21	Saran Academy, Chapra.
4640	Ram Lall	21-3	Tikari Raj H. C. E. School.
	Ram Nagina Tiwari . . .	19-2	Khagole E. I. R. Indian School.
	Ramnarayan Dwbedi . . .	20-11	Bamra Rajkumar H. E. School.
	Rampadartha Lal	19	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Ramprasad	18-3	Chapra Zila School.
	Ram Prasad	16-1	Gaya Zila School.
	Ram Prosad	17-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	Ram Prasad Bajpai . . .	20	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Ram Raj Sinha	17-10	Chapra Zila School.
	Ram Ratan	20-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
4650	Ram Sewak Lall	17-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ramzan Ali	18	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Rana Digambar	16-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Ras Bihari Pandey	19-11	Patna City School.
	Rath Baidyanath	17-3	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Biswanath	18-11	Balasore Zila School.
	„ Radhanath . . .	19-3	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	„ Udaynath	18-10	Ditto
	Ratha Narayana	18-4	Denkanal H. E. School.
	Ratna Deva Sinha	17-7	Government Aided H. E. School. Muzaffarpur.
4660	Ravi Sharan Verma . . .	19-8	Gaya Zila School.
	Ray, Abalakanta	21-5	Aranchandra H. E. School Noakhali.
	„ Abanikanta	20-2	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	„ Abinaschandra . . .	20-4	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Akshaykumar	17-6	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	„ Amalendu	16-9	Jugirsa Prannath Manna Institution.
	„ Amarendrakumar . . .	18	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Amarendranath . . .	19-1	Kotalpur H. E. School.
	„ Amiyamadhab . . .	16-1	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	„ Amritananda	18-6	Bogra Zila School.
4670	„ Amulyacharan . . .	19-1	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Amulyaratan	16-11	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Anilchandra*	16-1	Dacca Collegiate School
	„ Anilkumar	18-5	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Anilkumar	16-7	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Asutosh	17-9	Tiluri Kripamayi H. E. School.
	„ Asutosh	19-1	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Asutoshnath	19-9	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	„ Atulchandra	17-1	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	„ Atulchandra	19	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
4680	„ Banamali	16-6	Brojo Mohun Institution, Barisal.
	„ Banbihari	16-11	Garbeta H. E. School.
	„ Bankubehari	21-11	Taki Government School.
	„ Basudeb	17-2	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Bhabaranjan	20	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Bhupendrachandra . . .	18-11	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Bibhutibhushan . . .	17-2	Pabna Zila School.
	„ Bibhutibhushan I . . .	18-11	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Bibhutibhushan II . . .	18-9	Ditto.
	„ Bijaychandra	18-11	Kalighat High School.
4690	„ Bijaykesab	23-5	Maju R. N. Basu High School.

	Ray, Bimalapada	17-6		Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Bimanbilas	16-5		Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Binaykumar	16-1		Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Binaykumar	16-1		Basirhat H. E. School.
	,, Binaykrishna	17-2		P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Birendrachandra	17-8		Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Birinchibilas	17-1		Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Bishnupada	17-11		Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Brindaban II	23-4		Saran Academy, Chapra.
4700	,, Chandrabinod	17-7		Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,, Chandramohan	19-9		Arun Chandra H. E. School, Noakhal.
	,, Chittaharan	18-5		Uttar Shabazpur George Institution.
	,, Dasarathi	16-6		Saidpur H. E. School.
	,, Debendrakisor	18-5		Kendua Spry Institution.
	,, Debendrakisor	22-1		East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,, Debendrakumar	23-1		R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Debendranath	19		Banaripara Union Institution.
	,, Dharanisanker	17		City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Dhirendranath	18		Hindu School, Calcutta.
4710	,, Dhirendranath	18-1		Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Digendrachandra	19		Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Dineschandra	18-1		Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,, Durgadas	18-5		Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Durgapada	16-7		Purulia Zila School.
	,, Dwijendranath	16-3		Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Ganapati	17-9		City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Ganeshchandra	16-10		Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Ganeshchandra	18-1		Jaypur Phakirdas Institution.
	,, Gangadhar	17-3		Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
1720	,, Gaurisankar	18-11		Jara H. E. School.
	,, Gobindaprasad	19-10		Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,, Gokulchandra	19-2		Goalunda H. E. School.
	,, Gokulkisor	17		Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Goloknath	16-11		Krishnanath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Hajaricharan	16-10		Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Harakumar	17-3		Bhola Government High School.
	,, Harendrakumar	19-8		Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,, Harendranath	18-7		Rai K. P. Pal Bahadur's Sekanderpur Free H. E. School.
	,, Haricharan	18-2		Jamtara J. B. C. School.
4730	,, Harihar	16-10		Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,, Hariprasanna	16-7		Dhalla H. E. School,
	,, Hemchandra	19-11		Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Hemchanda	18-1		Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Hridayranjan	18-9		Barasat Government School.
	,, Indramohan	17-1		Rowila High School.
	,, Jagadish	16-6		Bhagalpur Zila School.
	,, Jagadischandra	19-4		Rangpur Zilla School.
	,, Jagadischandra	20-3		L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Jaminikanta	20-8		Faridpur Ishan Institution.
1740	,, Jatindramohan	17-2		Sonarang High School.
	,, Jatindranaran	20-9		Kesab Academy.
	,, Jatindranath	20-4		Krishnagar A. V. School.
	,, Jatischandra	16-9		Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Jibanath	24		Teacher Roll Muz. T. I.
	,, Jitendrachandra	19		Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,, Jitendramohan	17-6		Gar Bhowanipur H. E. School.
	,, Jnanendrakumar	16-3		Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
	,, Jnanendranath	18-7		Katwalipara Union Institution.
	,, Jogendrachandra	18-4		Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
4750	,, Jyotibhusan	16-8		Kushtia H. E School.
	,, Jyotisenandra	17-5		Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Kalidas	17-3		Pabna Institution.
	,, Kalidas	17-9		Jamsherpur B. N. H. E. School.
	,, Kalipada	17-9		Silchar Government High School.

	Ray, Kaliprasanna	16-6	Mitra Institution Bhownipur Branch.
	,, Kamakhyapada	21-10	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Kamalaksha	17-7	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Karunasankar	17-8	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Kedarprasanna	16-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
4760	,, Khagendrajiban	17	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Kisorimohan	21	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Krishnalal	16-7	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Kshitidhar	17-10	Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Kshitischandra	16-3	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	,, Kshitischandra	17-3	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,, Kshitischandra	18	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	,, Kshudiram	16-11	Ghatal Municipal H. E. School.
	,, Kumudkumar	17-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Kumudnath	19-2	Kurigram H. E. School.
4770	,, Lalitmohan	22-6	Gar Bhownipur H. E. School.
	,, Lalmohan	18-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Lilamay	20-4	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Mahendralal	17-11	Braja Mohun Institution, Barisal.
	,, Mahendranath	17-8	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	,, Manasranjan	18-4	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,, Manmathakumar	16-7	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,, Manomohan	19	Elhotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,, Mukundachandra	16-9	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	,, Munischandra	16-8	Gokorna P. M. H. E. School.
4780	,, Nabagopal	16-11	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,, Nagendramohan	23-3	Private Student Roll Cal, 67.
	,, Nagendranath	21-4	Bahirdia High School.
	,, Nagendranath	17-3	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Naliniranjan	19-8	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,, Narendrakrishna	18	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Choudhuri H. E. School.
	,, Narendramohan	18-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nibaranchandra	17-8	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,, Niharkumar	18-10	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,, Nimchand	17-8	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
4790	,, Niradbaran	20-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Nirajaranjan	16-10	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Niranjan	16-2	Amta H. E. School.
	,, Nirmalchandra	19-11	Dasghara H. E. School.
	,, Nirmalkumar	18-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Nripatikanta	17-6	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,, Padmalochan	17-2	Dasghara H. E. School.
	,, Panchanan	16-8	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,, Panchanan	17-2	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Parameschandra	19-3	Srikrishna Pathsala.
4800	,, Pareschandra	16-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Parimal	16-9	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Phanibhushan	17-2	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Prabodhchandra	16-5	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Probodhchandra	18	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Prakashchandra	17-1	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	,, Prakritiranjan	16-10	S. C. Institution, Udaynarayanpur.
	,, Pramadaranjan	16-6	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Pramathanath	20-5	Shikarpur H. E. School.
	,, Pramathanath	19-2	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
4810	,, Pramathanath	16-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Pramodchandra	16-11	Habiganj Government High School.
	,, Praphullachandra	20-7	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,, Praphullakumar	16-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Prasadkumar	16-6	Panitras H. E. School.
	,, Priyanath	18	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Purnachandra	18-4	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	,, Purnendunath	17-1	Birsingha Bhagabati Vidhalaya.

	Ray, Rabindranath	.	18-6	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Radhagobinda	.	16	Hazaribagh Zila School.
4820	,, Radhikaranjan	.	17-6	Pabna Zila School.
	,, Radhikaranjan	.	16-2	Naogaon K. D. H. E. School
	,, Raghunath	.	17	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Raimohan	.	24-11	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Rajendranath	.	16-3	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	,, Rajendunath	.	16-5	South Suburban School, Bhawanipur.
	,, Rajgobinda	.	18-2	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,, Rakhalraj	.	17	Guptipara H. E. School.
	,, Rakhalraj	.	18	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Ramanimohan	.	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
4830	,, Ramanath	.	19-8	Araihazar H. E. School.
	,, Ramaprasanna	.	17-2	Banwaribad H. E. School.
	,, Rambrahma	.	19-5	Tiluri Kripamayi H. E. School
	,, Ramchandra	.	19-8	Nawabganj H. E School.
	,, Ramranjan	.	17-8	Banwaribad H. E. School
	,, Rasbihari	.	18-1	Calcutta Training Academy
	,, Rohinikanta	.	16	Debrugarh Government High School.
	,, Rohinikumar	.	17-10	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Sachindrakumar	.	18	Sinhergaongobinda High School.
	,, Sachindranarayan	.	17-5	Somra D. C. H. E. School.
4840	,, Sachipati	.	16-5	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,, Sailendranath	.	18-7	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Saileshchandra	.	17-5	Amta H. E. School.
	,, Saileswar	.	18-10	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamal, High School.
	,, Saileswar	.	16-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	,, Saktipada	.	19-7	Bhaita H. E. School.
	,, Saktipada	.	16-5	Kalna Maharaj's School.
	,, Samiran	.	16-3	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Sanatkumar	.	17-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Santoshprasad	.	16	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
4850	,, Sarojbandhu	.	16-10	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,, Sasibhushan	.	19-1	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Sasikanta	.	17-1	Barisal Zilla School.
	,, Satischandra	.	18-4	Therpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Satischandra	.	17	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,, Satyendrakisor	.	17-3	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Satyendranath	.	16-3	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Satyendranath*	.	16-2	Brojamohan Institution, Barisal
	,, Sephalika	.		Brahmo Girl's School, Calcutta.
	,, Sibendranath	.	16-5	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution
4860	,, Sitalkumar	.	22-2	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,, Sitanath	.	17-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	,, Subodhbala	.	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,, Subodhchandra	.	16-5	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Subodhchandra	.	16-6	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Subodhkumar	.	16-1	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta
	,, Sudhansubhushan	.	18-3	Daulatpur H E. School.
	,, Sudhansusekhar	.	16	Mission High School, Katak.
	,, Sudhindranarayan	.	16-6	Lakshman Nath H. E. School.
	,, Sudhirchandra	.	17	Netrakona Dutt High School
4870	,, Sudhirchandra	.	16-4	Dinajpur Zila School
	,, Sudhirchandra	.	16-6	Dupleix College.
	,, Sudhirchandra	.	16-8	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Sudhirkumar	.	17-7	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,, Sukumar	.	19	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	,, Sukumarchandra	.	18-2	Bankura Zilla School.
	,, Sunitibala	.	...	Mymensingh Vidyamoyie H E. School for girls.
	,, Surendrabhushan	.	16-2	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.

	Ray, Surendrachandra	. . .	20-8	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,, Surendrakumar	. . .	17-1	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
4880	,, Surendrakumar	. . .	18-11	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	,, Surendramohan	. .	17-7	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Surendranath	. . .	16-2	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Surendranath	. . .	16-8	Salkia A. S. School.
	,, Sureshchandra	. . .	18	Kasba H. E. School.
	,, Sureshchandra	. . .	19	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Sureshchandra	. .	21-1	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Sureshchandra	.	18 10	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Suryyakumar	. . .	17-4	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidhar School.
	,, Syamalananda	. . .	20-8	Kendua Spry Institution.
4890	,, Tapanath	. . .	16-8	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,, Taranikanta	. . .	19-6	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	,, Taranikumar	. . .	16-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Tridaseswar	. . .	17-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Upendrachandra	. . .	17-11	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Upendrakisor	. . .	19-10	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Upendranath	. . .	17-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Raybandyopadhyay, Jogeschandra		17-10	Hughli Branch School.
	Raybarman, Chandranath	.	17-11	Mitra Institution, Calcutta
	Raychaudhuri, Adityaranjan	. .	20-8	Raipur G. C. H. E. School.
4900	,, Amiyamohan	.	17-11	Taki Govt. School.
	,, Anilchandra	. .	17-3	Mahespur H. E. School.
	,, Bhubanmohan	. .	16-8	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,, Bhupendranarayan	.	24-9	Teacher Roll Baul. T. I.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	.	17-2	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Birendrachandra	.	16-2	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Chakrapani	.	18-4	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Dwijendrakumar	.	16-4	Baripur H. E. School.
	,, Haricharan	. .	18-11	Barasat Govt. School.
	,, Hariprasad	. .	18-1	Seal's Free College, Calcutta
4910	,, Himansuprakas	. .	16-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Hiranmay	. .	16-1	Ditto.
	,, Hirendrakisor	. .	20-8	Private Student Roll Myn. P. 4.
	,, Jatindrachandra	. .	16-1	Rampur Zila School.
	,, Jatindranath	. .	20	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Jatischandra	. .	19-4	Kirtibasa P. K Institution.
	,, Jitendranath	. .	17-1	Taki Govt. School.
	,, Kaliprasanna	. .	16-4	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Kalisankar	. .	22-1	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Kesabchandra	.	17-5	Barisa H. E. School.
4920	,, Makhanlal	. .	16-8	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Manindranarayan	.	18-1	Khulna Zila School
	,, Manindranath	. .	18-1	B. K. Union Institution Khulna.
	,, Manindranath	. .	17	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Naudadulal	. .	17-11	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,, Netraranjan	. .	16-2	Madaripur H. E School.
	,, Nibaranchandra	. .	17-10	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,, Nripalchandra*	. .	16-2	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Nripendrakumar	. .	18-2	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	,, Panchugopal	. .	17-1	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
4930	,, Prodoshchandra	. .	16-8	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	,, Praphullakumar	. .	17-6	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,, Ramanimohan	. .	18-6	Taki Govt. School.
	,, Rameschandra	. .	16-4	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Rameschandra	.	16-4	Kalighat High School.
	,, Rasmohan	. .	18-5	Kartikpur H. E School.
	,, Sachindrakumar	.	16-1	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Santoshkumar	. .	16-1	Kidderpur Academy.
	,, Surendralal	. .	16-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Sureswar	. . .	19-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
4940	,, Syamapada	. .	19-6	Birbhum Zilla School.
	,, Triptikumar	. .	16-6	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Upendranath	. .	16-11	Barisal Zilla School.
	Raydastidar Ranadhirkrishna	.	16-1	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	Raygupta Asimkrishna	. . .	16-3	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.

	Raymahapatra, Basantakumar	20-9	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	Raysarma, Baidehiballabh	27	Private Student, Roll Mal. P. 7.
	Raysinha, Rajanikanta	22-8	Nilphamari High School.
	Razi Uddin Mahammad Idris	16-2	Bogra Zila School.
	Reazuddin Ahmad	17-1	Malda Zila School.
4950	Rajeshwary Prasad Sinha	16-1	Monghyr Zila School.
	Richard Augustine	18-7	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Rishi Narayan Bajpeyi	18-5	Patna City School.
	Routra Somanath	19-1	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Rowi Jitendranath	16-3	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Rudra Amalendranath	16-3	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Usharanjan	17-3	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	S. A. Maiz	24-4	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	S. A. Siddique	17-7	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. 5.
	S. Afzal Husain	23-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy Bankipur.
4960	S. Ahmad Husain	16-2	Ditto.
	S. Jembunathan	16-3	M. Mohamedia Randeria High School, Rangoon.
	S. M. A. Gaffar	16-11	U. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	S. M. Asgar Hussain	20-5	Private Student, Roll Bba. P. 28.
	S. Mozaffaruddin	17-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	S. M. Yousuf	19	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	S. M. Noorul Hoda	21	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	S. Noor Mohammad	17-11	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	S. M. Khalilur Rahman	18-11	Khagole E. I. R. Indian School.
	S. M. Sahebjan Siddique	24	M. A. A School, Patna City.
4970	S. Sadruddin Ahmad Ansari	22-3	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 3.
	S. M Younus Iman	19-5	Behar H. C. E. School.
	S. Shwe Ni	16-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	S. M Zakaria	18	Gaya Zila School.
	S. M. Zahir-ullah	16-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	S. Subrahmanyam	18-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	Sa-adat Ali Pramanik	17-8	Naogaon Krishnadhon H. E. School.
	Sabdarali Ahmed	19-3	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	Sachidanand	16-9	Bayley H. E. School, Barh.
	Sadasivo Tripathy	18-9	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
4980	Sadat Hossein Mandal	19-8	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	Sadhu, Jotindramohan	16-7	Ethara S. C. Institution.
	,, Jalitkumar	16-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	Sadrul Haque	19-4	Saran Academy, Chapra
	Sael Uddin Ahamed	18-3	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	Safer Uddin Mondal	17-4	Bogra Zila School.
	Safiruddin Ahmed	19-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	Safiruddin Ahmed	17-1	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Saha, Akhilchandra	18-7	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Amarendranath	18-10	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
4990	,, Amritalal	18-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Amritalal	16-1	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	,, Anathbandhu	17-2	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Anilchandra	19-1	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,, Bansimohan	18-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Bholanath	19-2	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,, Birendramohan	19-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 38.
	,, Biswambarchandra	18-11	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Chandramohan	20-1	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	,, Damodarprasad	17-6	Pabna Institution
5000	,, Debendralal	16-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Gopeswar	18-2	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Harendralal	17-11	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Hiralal	21-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,, Hiralal	16-1	Rowile High School.
	,, Jagatchandra	19	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	,, Jitendrachanda	20	Ditto.
	,, Jnanadaprasanna	18-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Jogendrakumar	18-11	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Jogendramohan	20-2	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdul Gani H. E. School.
5010	,, Jogeschandra	19-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.

	Saha, Jogeslal	18-5	Tangail Bindubhaseni H. E. School.
	„ Kalicharan	16-1	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	„ Kalipada	20-5	Rajshahi Collegiate School
	„ Kedarnath	18-2	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	„ Kesablal	17-1	Narikeldanga George High School.
	„ Khagendranath	17-10	Hughli Branch School.
	„ Krishnachandra I	17-2	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	„ Krishnachandra II	21-4	Ditto.
	„ Kshetramohan	16-7	Dacca Pogose School.
5020	„ Lalchand	17-3	Baburhat H. E. School
	„ Lakshminarayan	18-8	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Lallmoheswar	17-6	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	„ Mahadeb	17-9	Dumka Zilla School.
	„ Mahananda	20-2	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	„ Mahendranath	20-2	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrashi.
	„ Mahimchandra	17-8	Comilla Zilla School.
	„ Makhanlal	17	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Manmathanath	19-5	Tangail Union H. E School.
	„ Mathuramohan	20-8	Paschimgoan Badarennessa High School.
5030	„ Mukundachandra	19-1	Holy Cross B. G. H. E. School, Hushnabad.
	„ Nabadwipchandra	18-1	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	„ Nanigopal	18-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nikunjabihari	18	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	„ Phulchand	19-4	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Pramathanath	17-5	Pabna Institution.
	„ Pramathanath	18-10	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	„ Purnachandra	17-5	Jangipur H. E. School.
	„ Purnachandra	19-7	Pabna Institution.
	„ Pyarimohan	20-7	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
5040	„ Radhabihari	16-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	„ Radharaman	16-7	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	„ Raimohan	17-9	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	„ Rakhaldas	18-1	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Ramanimohan	16-8	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	„ Ramlal	18-9	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Rameshchandra	20	Majdia Rail Bazar H E School.
	„ Sachinath	19-8	Shibchar Nanda Kumar Institution.
	„ Santoshkumar	16-11	Joypur Lohagara Institution.
	„ Sasadhar	17-3	Beldanga G. S. H. E. School.
5050	„ Sasibhusan	16-6	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Srischandra	18-3	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„ Sudhansuranjan	17-8	Pabna Zila School.
	„ Sudhirchandra	16-10	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	„ Surathkumar	18	Hare School, Calcutta.
	„ Surendrakumar	20-1	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	„ Surendrakumar	17-6	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Syamlal	16-2	Barisal Zila School.
	„ Syamsundar	18-1	Shahazadpur H. E. School.
	„ Taraprasanna	17-3	Harinarayanpur H. E. School.
5060	Sahachandhuri, Jitendramohan	16-6	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Prabodhchandra	17-8	Pabna Institution.
	Sahamandal, Jatindramohan	16-5	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Sahana, Debeshijay	16-7	Giridih H. E. School.
	Sahapoddar, Meghlal	19-1	Jamursai Sir Nawab Abdul Gani H. E. School.
	Saharay, Anathbandhu	17-2	Goalundo H. E. School.
	Sahadat Ali Mollah	17-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Sahu, Dayanidhi	16-4	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Gopinath	17-1	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Gunanidhi	19-9	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
5070	„ Prankrishna	18-1	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	„ Prankrishna	19-1	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Sadhucharan	16-6	Manbhum Victoria Institution.

	Sahu, Sridhar	21	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Upendranath	18-10	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	Said Badruddoja	16-11	Patna Collegiate School.
	Said Uddin Khan	20-8	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Saikh Abul Bashar	19-2	Howrah Zila School
	Saikia, Jibakanta	17-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	Saiyed Mohammad Ahmad	19-2	Sasaram H. E. School.
5080	Sajid Ali	24-6	Private Student Roll Chap. 311.
	Salahuddin Ahmad	16-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Saleh Ahmad II	17	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Salequsuddin Ahmed	16-3	Naokhila P. N H. E. School.
	Samaddar, Kshitischandra	16-3	Patuakhali J H. E School.
	Samanta, Binodbihari	16-9	Debigunj N. N. H E. School.
	„ Charuchandra	18-10	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E School.
	„ Debendranath	19	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E School.
	„ Jogeshchandra	18	Contai H. E School.
	„ Manmathanath	17-7	Itachunasrinarayan Institution.
5090	„ Sridharchandra	16-2	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Samantaray, Jadunath	20	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Upendrakisor	19-1	Raghunathbari R T. H E. School.
	Samin Ahmad	18-4	Private Student Roll Pat. P. 28.
	Sami Ahmad	17-1	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Sami Uddin	18	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Sami Ahmed	17-2	M. L. Jubilee Institution Calcutta.
	Samsam Ali	24-8	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Samsaraddin	19-11	Ujanchar K. N. H. E School.
	Samsuddin Ahamed	17	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
5100	Samsuddin Biswas	17	Kotchandpur H. E. School.
	Samsukha, Rishabhchand	16-2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	Samuel Nirmalkumar Mivah	19-1	St. Paul's High School, Calcutta.
	Sangiri, Surendranath	18-8	Midnapur Hindu School.
	Sanktha Prasad	20-10	Private Student, Roll Chap 308.
	Sant Prasad	17-3	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Santra, Gaurmohan	17 3	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	„ Manikchandra	18-4	Singur Mahamaya Institution.
	„ Panchanon	16-1	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
	Sanyal, Abanimohan	17-4	Santipur Municipal School
5110	„ Ahibhusan	16-2	Dumkal H. E. School.
	„ Amalendubhushan	16	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Anantalal	16-4	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Binaykumar	18-2	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak
	„ Gopijiban	17-3	Srikrishna Pathsala
	„ Hemendranath	16-2	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Hrishikes	16-2	Pabna Zila School
	„ Jatindranath	16-7	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	„ Jitendranath	16-10	Salap H. E. School.
	„ Jyotischandra	16-1	Sherpur D. J. H. E. School.
5120	„ Jyotischandra	19-9	Raja Surya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
	„ Manindralal	17-2	Madaripur H E. School.
	„ Mohinimohan	19-4	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	„ Niradbandhu	17-6	Rajshahi Collegiate School
	„ Nirmalendusundar	18-1	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	„ Nrisinhaprasad	17-7	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Prabhatchandra	16-3	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	„ Pramadakanta	17	Dubalhati Raja Haronath H. E. School.
	„ Prabodhnath	16-7	Muktagacha R. K. H E School.
	„ Rabindranath	18-11	Narail Victoria Collegriate School.
5130	„ Sasankasekhar	16-9	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur
	„ Sukumar	16-7	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta
	„ Syamaprasanna	18-7	Salap H. E. School.
	„ Tarakchandra	19-3	Bogra Zila School
	Saran Lall	19-6	B. N. Ry. Indian H. E. School, Kharagpur.
	Sarjoo Prosad	16-4	Gaya Zila School
	Saraju Sharan Sinha	17-6	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.

	Saraju Prasad, II		19-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Saraju Prasad, III		19-7	Ditto.
	Saraswati, Jibankisor		19-4	Puthia P. N. H. E School.
5140	Sarbadhikari, Sudhendukumar		17-3	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Sarbajna, Bimalakanta		16	Rangdia H. E. School.
	„ Haribar		20	Senhati High School.
	Saren, Jitendramohan		19	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	Sariat Ulla Biswas		16-2	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	Sar, Madhabanand		19-10	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	Sarkar, Abanibhushan		18-8	Jenkins School Cooch Behar.
	„ Amarendrakumar		16-5	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Amulyachandra		16-3	Rajshahi Collegiate School
	„ Anantakumar		18-9	Khagra L. M. S School.
5150	„ Anilkumar		16-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Anilkumar		16 1	Jaynagar Institution.
	„ Anilkumar		17-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Asutosh		18-5	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Atulkrishna		17-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Bhabataran		17	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Baishnabcharan		16-2	Ukhora H. E. School.
	„ Bameschandra		21-1	Chaugram H E. School, Rajshahi.
	„ Bhudebchandra		19-8	Birbhum Zila School
	„ Bhujangabhushan		19	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
5160	„ Bibhutibhushan		20-1	Private Student, Roll Bur. P. S.
	„ Bijaykrishna		16-2	Jhenidah H. E. School
	„ Bijaykrishna		16-2	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Binaykrishna		18-6	Bolpur H. E. School.
	„ Binaykumar		18-4	Bomchee B. L. Mukerji's Free Institution.
	„ Birendranath*		16	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Brajabasi		17-4	Shohagpur Syamksor H E. School.
	„ Dharanidhar		18-2	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	„ Dhirendranath		16-2	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	„ Dhrubendranath		16-7	Bowbazar High School.
5170	„ Dineschandra		16-11	Barisal Zila School.
	„ Durgadas		17-3	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Ganeschandra		19-5	Shahzadpur H. E School.
	„ Gangacharan		19-9	Muktagacha R. K. H. E School.
	„ Gaurchandra		17-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	„ Harekrishna		21-10	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Haripada		18-9	Ukhara H. E. School.
	„ Haripada		17-5	Chaibasa Zila School.
	„ Harisadhan		17	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	„ Jagadischandra		16	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
5180	„ Jaladhar		20-4	Fardipur Zila School.
	„ Jatindranath		17-6	Howrah Zila School.
	„ Jitendranath		16-5	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jnanendranth		16-2	Naihati Mahendra School.
	„ Jogendranath		17-7	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Jogendranath		18-1	Jhalakati Government High School.
	„ Jogindranath		19-5	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	„ Jogeshchandra		18	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Kalikrishna		18-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Kanailal		16	G. D Lang Institution, Raghunathpur.
5190	„ Kedarchandra		19-8	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalna
	„ Kisorimohan		16-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Krishnakumar		21-2	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	„ Krishnaprasad		17-6	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	„ Kulabala			Mymensingh Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls.
	„ Kumarkrishna		17-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Kunjabihari		19-4	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Lakshminarayan		16-7	Dinajpur Zila School.
	„ Makhanlal		21-8	Tangail Bindubasini High School.

5200	Sarkar,	Manimohan	18-10	Basirhat H. E. School.
	,,	Manindralal	16-9	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Manindranath	16-11	Patuli H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath	19-5	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E School.
	,,	Manmahanath	16-6	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Manmathakumar	16-3	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,,	Manomohan	16-10	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Mukundamohan	17-1	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	,,	Narayanchandra	20-6	Saidpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nareschandra	16-7	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	,,	Narottamdas	18-7	Ikhra B. B. H. E School.
5210	,,	Nisikanta	17-10	Gaila H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendranath	16-5	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,,	Paresnath	21-3	Feni High School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	16-3	Mankar H. E. School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	17-6	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	18-11	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prangopal	20-2	Manikgunj H. E. School.
	,,	Prankumar	17-2	Dinhata H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-5	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Praphullakumar	16-2	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
5220	,,	Praphullakumar	18-5	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,,	Prasaddas	17-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Prasannakumar	17-9	Raina H. E. School.
	,,	Priyanath	16-11	Teota Academy.
	,,	Priyanath	18-3	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,,	Purnachandra	17-6	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Radhagobinda	20-5	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	,,	Radhakanta	17-9	Amla Sadar Pur H. E. School.
	,,	Radharaman	16-10	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Radharaman	19-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
5230	,,	Rajendrakisor	19-1	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	17-11	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Rameschandra	19	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Ranadakanta	18	Gangaprasad Jaganuath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-8	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sambhunath	19-8	Raina H. E. School.
	,,	Santoshkumar	18-5	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Saratchandra	16-11	Bahirdia High School.
	,,	Saratchandra	27-3	Guptipara H. E. School.
	,,	Sarojkumar	20-6	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
5240	,,	Sasibhushan	17	Chatmohar S. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Satischandra	16-8	Syambazar Vidya Sagar School.
	,,	Satkari	16-2	Mankur H. E. School.
	,,	Satyagopal	18-8	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,,	Saurindramohan	16-10	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
	,,	Sibnath	17-6	Khararia H. E. School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	18-8	Moulmein Govt. High School.
	,,	Sita	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sitalchandra	17-11	Kidderpur Academy.
	,,	Snehaprabha	...	(Mymensingh) Vidyamoyee H E. School for Girls.
5250	,,	Subodhkumar	17-6	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	16-9	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Sujanranjan	18-1	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	,,	Surendramohan	17-2	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Surendranath	21	Faridpur Zilla School
	,,	Sureshchandra	18-2	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
	,,	Susobhanchandra	16-6	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Syamsundar	18-4	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali High School.
	,,	Umeschandra	17-3	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,,	Upendranath	20-2	Bhola Govt. High School.
5260	Sarma,	Anandakumar	20-8	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 18.
	,,	Bipinchandra	18-1	Sylhet Moulvibazar Govt. High School.

	Sarma,	Dharmajay	19-11	Muktagachia R. K. H E. School.
	,,	Dinanath	18-11	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
	,,	Dwijendrachandra	21-10	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	,,	Gunjanan	17-2	Jorhat Bezbarua High School.
	,,	Hareswar	17	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Iswarchandra	18-1	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Jaminikanta	18-11	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	,,	Jatindrachandra	20-8	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
5270	,,	Kumudchandra	16-10	Tezpur Govt. High School.
	,,	Narahari	20-3	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	,,	Narendrakumar	19-1	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Padmanath	18-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,,	Pareschandra	18	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,,	Pinakpani	18	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	,,	Purnachandra	16-5	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendrachandra	17-4	Habiganj Govt. High School
	,,	Sadayananda	19-10	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-3	Chittagong Collegiate School
5280	,,	Upendramohan	17-11	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	Sarmaadhikari,	Rajendranarayan	19-5	Comilla Zila School.
	Sarmabardolai,	Debendrakumar	16-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Sarmabhagoti,	Phanidhar	19-3	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	Sarmachaudhuri,	Sasibhushan	17-7	Silchar Govt. High School.
	Satapathi,	Rakhalchandra	16-6	Nandigram Carmichael Institution
	,,	Krupasindhu	16-4	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Satya Narayan Prasad		18	Purnea Zila School.
	Saw Hline		19	Rangoon Govt. High School
	Sayed Abdul Hai		16	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
5290	Sayed Baksha		23	Feni High School
	Sayed Md. Abdul Halim		21-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Sayed Mohammed Abdul Halim		22-8	Jamui H. E. School.
	Sayed Mohammed Abdul Nayim		18-2	Ditto.
	Sayedur Rahman		18-11	Fatikchari Coronation H. E. School.
	Sayedur Rahaman		22-5	Sitakunda H. E. School.
	Sayeeduddin Ahmad		18-11	Watson H. E School, Madhubani.
	Sayeeduzzaman Khan		17-1	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Sayud Mohammed Azeem		18-1	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	Sekander Ahamed		17-3	Feni High School.
5300	Sen,	Akshaykumar	17-1	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Amalchandra	16-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Amiyanath	17-10	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Amulyachandra	18-1	Mission High School, Katak.
	,,	Anilkumar	16-2	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Anilkumar	17-2	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Asitkumar	16-1	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Atindranath	16-9	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,,	Bamapada	18-10	Panchetgarh H. E. School.
	,,	Bhupalchandra	17-7	City Collegiate School, Calcutta
5310	,,	Bibhuti Bhushan	19 4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Bimalchandra	16-5	Pingna H. E. School.
	,,	Binaybhushan	16-5	Ranchi Zila School.
	,,	Binaykrishna	16-7	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	,,	Binaymohan	19-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,,	Binithchandra	16-5	Bidyakut Amar H. E. School.
	,,	Binodbihari	18-2	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Binodkumar	17-2	Noapara H. E. School.
	,,	Birendrachandra	21	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Birojacharan	19-11	Sylhet Govt High School.
5320	,,	Chandrakumar	19-10	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,,	Chandramadhab	20	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Chinuram*	16-1	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Dineshchandra I	16-3	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,,	Dhirendrachandra	17-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Durgeschandra	16-5	Roll Birb. P. 2.
	,,	Girindranath	18-1	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,,	Gopalchandra	18-2	Abdullapur H E. School.
	,,	Harakali	18-6	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.

	Sen,	Haripada	16-3	Dinajpur Zila School.
5330	„	Harischandra	17-7	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	„	Indranarayan	19	Garbeta H. E School.
	„	Jaminikumar	18-1	Sylhet Moulvibazar Government High School.
	„	Jatindranath	17-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„	Jnanendranath	16-7	Habiganj Government High School.
	„	Jyotirmay	16-4	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	„	Kaminikumar	17-1	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	„	Kartikchandra	18-3	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	„	Kesabchandra	16-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	„	Kesablal	17-4	Bagherhat H. E. School.
5340	„	Kshirodkamal	17-3	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„	Kunjamohan	17-4	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	„	Lalbihari	16-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	„	Mahendranath	20-1	Gaila H. E. School.
	„	Mahendranath	21-2	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„	Makhangopal	17-1	Malda Zila School.
	„	Manindranath	20-1	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School.
	„	Manindranath	16-5	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„	Manmathanath	16-2	Harinarayanpur H E. School.
	„	Manomohan	16-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
5350	„	Mononit	16-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„	Nagendranath	21-11	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„	Nagendranath	17-1	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„	Nakshatralal	17 4	Balurghat H. E. School.
	„	Nanigopal	28-4	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 10.
	„	Nirmalkumar	16-2	Barisal Zila School.
	„	Nitailal	16-5	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„	Nrimalkumar	16-1	Khulna Zila School.
	„	Nripendranath	17-5	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„	Nrisinhaprasad	18	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
5360	„	Phatikchandra	16-6	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	„	Prahladchandra	16-8	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	„	Pramathanath	16	Pabna Institution.
	„	Pramodbihari	16-5	Silchar Government High School.
	„	Pramodkumar	16-1	Jessore Sanmilani Institution.
	„	Pramodranjan	17	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„	Praphullachandra	16-5	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„	Praphullchandra	17-3	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	„	Praphullakumar	16	Jagabandhu H. E. School, Torekona.
	„	Prasaddas	17-5	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
5370	„	Pulinbihari	18-8	Lakshmannath H. E. School.
	„	Rabindranath	16 2	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„	Radhakanta	17-6	Hare School, Calcutta.
	„	Rajendranarayan	18-10	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„	Sailendramohan	18-11	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„	Sailendranath	16-3	Gobindganj H. E. School.
	„	Saileschandra	17-5	Khulna Zila School.
	„	Sanjibprasad	16-8	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„	Satischandra	19-1	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„	Satyaprasanna	17-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
5380	„	Satyaranjan	17-7	Barisal Zila School.
	„	Srishtidhar	21-2	Kuchikol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„	Subodhchandra	17-3	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	„	Sudhindranath	16-6	Senhati High School.
	„	Sudhirchandra*	16-3	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„	Sudhirkumar	16-3	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	„	Sudhirkumar	16-8	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„	Sukhamaya	17-5	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	„	Sukumar	18-1	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„	Sunilkumar	17	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
5390	„	Surendranath	21-2	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„	Susilkumar	16-9	Hare School, Calcutta.

	Sen, Syamapada	. . .	17	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Upendranath	. . .	16-7	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Senapati, Chakradhar	. .	18-2	Kendrapara H. E. School.
	Senchaudhuri, Jatischandra	. .	20-1	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	Sengupta, Abanibhushan	. .	19-2	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
	,, Akhilananda	. . .	17-10	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,, Amiyakumar	. . .	17-7	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Anantakumar	. . .	18-11	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
5400	,, Anantamohan	. . .	16-3	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	,, Anathbandhu	. . .	18-11	Baidyapur George Institution.
	,, Asutosh	. . .	17	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	,, Aswinikumar	. . .	20	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,, Bhabataran	. . .	16-11	Jamuki Sir Nawab Abdul Gani H. E. School.
	,, Bhagabaticharan	. .	17-2	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Bhupatibhushan		18-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Bidhubhushan	. . .	19-1	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	,, Bijaykumar	. .	16-2	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Bimalendu	. .	19-9	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
5410	,, Binaykumar	. . .	17-3	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	,, Binodbihari	. .	18-6	Barisal Zila School.
	,, Bireswar	. . .	17-5	Palong H E. School.
	,, Chittaranjan	. . .	17-2	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Chittaranjan	. . .	19-8	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	,, Debendrachandra	. .	18	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Debendranath	. .	17-1	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Debendranath	. .	21	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Dipendramohan	. .	20-4	Dhubri Govt. H. School
	,, Digindranath	. .	17-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
5420	,, Dineshchandra	. .	19-5	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,, Girijaprasanna	. .	16-11	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Girischandra	. .	17-1	Palong H. E. School.
	,, Gopalchandra	. .	20-2	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,, Gouricharan	. .	16-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Gunendubhushan	. .	16-1	Kesab Academy.
	,, Haradhan	. .	16-11	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Harendrakumar	. .	20-9	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Hemantakumar	. .	17-1	Kalighat High School.
	,, Hemantakumar	. .	16	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
5430	,, Hemendranath	. .	16-6	Ichhapur H. E. School.
	,, Hirankumar	. . .	17-1	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Hirendranath	. . .	19-3	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,, Jatindranath	. . .	17-8	Senhati High School.
	,, Jatishchandra	. . .	16-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Jitendramohan	.	18	Taltala High School.
	,, Jitendranath	. . .	20-3	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jnanendranath, I	. .	16-5	Barisal Brajamohan Institution
	,, Jogeshchandra	. .	16-5	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Jyotishchandra	. .	17-1	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
5440	,, Kalicharan	. .	17-6	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Kasiswar	. .	17	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Kiranchandra	. .	16-11	Khararia H. E. School.
	,, Kshitindrakumar	. .	17-6	Uttarpara Government High School.
	,, Kumudranjan	. .	20-1	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Lalmohan	. . .	18-5	Central Coronation School, Duptara.
	,, Makhanchandra	. .	16	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Manindralal	. . .	17-6	Araria H. E. School
	,, Mohinimohan	. . .	19-4	Teota Academy.
	,, Nagendranath	. .	16-6	Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
5450	,, Niradbihari	. . .	16-5	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,, Niranjan	. . .	16-6	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Nirmalchandra	. .	16-6	Pabna Zila School.
	,, Nirmalchandra	. .	16-11	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	,, Nisibhushan	. .	17-1	Birbhum Zila School.
	,, Nripendranath	. .	16-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Nripendranath	. .	18-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.

	Sengupta, Parbatiprasanna	17-8	Bhadrak H. E. School.
	,, Pareshchandra	17-7	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Phanindrakumar	20-1	Victoria H. E. School, Baranagore.
5460	,, Prabhatnath	17-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Pramodranjan	19-1	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Praphullakumar, I	16-10	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Rajendranath	19-2	Abutorab R. L. H. E. School.
	,, Rame chandra	18 2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Rameschandra	18-8	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Saileschandra	16	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Santibhushan	17-1	Barisal Zila School.
	,, Santimay	16	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,, Satindranath	17-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
5470	,, Sibendrakumar	16-2	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Snehansukumar	16-10	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,, Subodhchandra	17-1	Comilla Zila School
	,, Subodhkumar	16-7	Bankura Wesleyan Collegiate School.
	,, Sudhansukanta	16-3	Sonhati High School.
	,, Sudhanyakumar	17-11	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Sukumar	16-2	Comilla Zila School
	,, Sukumar	17-3	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School
	,, Surendranath	17-3	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Surendranath	22	Barisal Zila School.
5480	,, Surendranath	16	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	18-1	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sureschandra	19-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	,, Susilkumar	16-11	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,, Syamalendubhushan	19-7	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,, Tarakrishna	18-6	Santosh Jalmavi H. E. School.
	,, Upendranath	17-3	Ilsoba Mandlai H. E. School.
	,, Upendranath	16	Mahimaranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakina.
	Seuniogy, Jagadischandra	17-1	Bogra Zila School.
	Seraj Uddin	18-7	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
5490	Serajal Haque, I	18	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	Serajuddin Mondle	16-8	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Set, Chandrabhushan	17-4	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,, Chandrasekhar	18-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Madanmohan	16	Ditto.
	,, Prabhatkumar	16-7	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Satischandra	17-5	Jagatballavpur H. E. School.
	Shah Ali Hoosain	18	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Shah Fazlur Rahman	18-2	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Shah Khaibar Ali	16-2	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
5500	Shah Mohammad	17-4	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Shah Mohammadan Ahsan Khanasani	20-8	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	Shahamat Hussain	16-2	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Shahar Uddin Miah	18-1	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	Shaharuddin Ahamed, I	16-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	Shahebulla Khan	16-7	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	Shahed Ali	16-10	Comilla Zila School.
	Shaik Abdul Aziz	19-5	Monghyr Zila School.
	Shaik Abdul Hai	16-1	Athenæum Institution, Calcutta.
	Shaik Ali Karim	18	Barasat Government School.
5510	Shaik Enamulla	18-5	Balasore Zila School.
	Shaik Faim Uddin	16-3	Bogra Zila School.
	Shaik Hakim	19-11	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 9.
	Shaik Sherajuddin Ahammad	18-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Shaikh Abul Alam	16-10	Satkhira Prannath H. E. School.
	Shaikh Abdul Alim	18-10	Mahimaranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakina.
	Shaikh Abdul Gani	18-5	Kushtia H. E. School.
	Shaikh Abdul Quader	16-6	Ramgopal High School.
	Shaikh Afzlul Huq	17-3	Basirhat H. E. School.
	Shaikh Ahmad	19-2	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
5520	Shaikh Bande Ali	17-11	Pabna Institution.

	Shaikh Elahi Bokhsh	18-11	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Shaikh Irteza Ali	20-1	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
	Shaikh Mahammad Ali	19-11	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Shaikh Mohammad Taohid Chaudhuri	16-8	V. M. H. F. School, Sewan.
	Shaikh Rahim Baksh	17-3	Raniganj H. E. School.
	Shaikh Samiruddin Ahmed	18-11	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	Sham Bahadur	18-1	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Shams-ud-din	19-4	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Shamsuddin Sikdar	19	Khasial H. E. School.
5530	Shamsul Huda	21-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Shamsul Huque	23	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	Shamsul Huque	16-4	M. L Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Shamsur Rahman	17-1	Jessore Zila School.
	Sharafuddin Shaikh	16-5	Serajganj B. L High School.
	Sharfud-Din Khan	16-3	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Shashinath Jha	18-2	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Shatapathi, Hrudananda	16	Mission High School, Katak.
	Shaw, Madanmohan	16-7	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Sheik Abdul Rasid	18-11	Teota Academy.
5540	Sheikh Abdul Hakim	19-3	Beldanga G. S. H. E. School.
	Sheikh Bodaruddin Ahmed	21-1	Mangaldai Govt. High School.
	Sheo Govinda Rai	18	Palamau Zila School.
	Sheoballabh Pd.	18-2	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Sheodhari Prasad	18-3	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Shoojatan Rai	25	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Sherbahadur Prasad	17-4	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Shitla Bakhsh Lal	24-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Shiva Balak Sinha	33	Teacher, Roll Chap. T. 2.
	Shivagulam Prasad	18-7	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
5550	Shivanandan Prashad	18-2	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Shivanandan Prosad Sinha	18	Palamau Zila School.
	Shivanandan Prosad Sinha	16	R Mitra H. E. School, Deoghar.
	Shofiquddin Ahamed	18-6	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Shri Ranjan	17-2	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Shyambehari Prasad	17	Matihari Zila School.
	Shyam Narayan Ray	16-5	Arrah Zila School.
	Siadot Hossain	23-3	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	Siddhanta Bhabanicharan	19-9	Badla H. E. School.
	„ Sailendranath	16-7	Nator Maharaja's High School.
5560	Sidheshwar Nath Verma	17	Private Student, Roll Sam. P. 4.
	Sikandar Bakht	18	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	Sikdar, Brajendrachandra	17	Manikganj H. E. School.
	„ Kshetramohan	16-7	Madaripur H. E. School.
	„ Lakshminarayan	18-1	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	Sil, Debendranath	18-7	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	„ Girishchandra	18-10	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„ Hrishikes	16-2	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	„ Janendranath	17	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Jnanendranath	19-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
5570	„ Kaliprasad	16-3	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Madhusudan	18-3	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Madhusudan	16-2	Hughli Branch School.
	„ Mahendranarayan	18-4	Goalpara Govt High School.
	„ Maniklal	16-8	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Paresnath	16-5	Kishorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Prasaddas	17	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Ramchandra	16-11	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Saratchandra	18-5	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	„ Syamakanta	19	Chaugram H. E. School, Rajsahi.
5580	„ Syamsundar	16-4	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	Simlai, Nalinibhushan	16	Gaila H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	16-1	Gaila H. E. School.
	Singh, Akshayalal	24-8	Chapra Collegiate School.
	„ Binaprasad	17-5	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Singha, Chandramukhi	...	United Missionary Girls' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Nandi	17-1	Silchar Govt. High School.
	„ Sanjenbam Nodia	20-1	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Singhamahapatra, Madangopal	16-10	Bankura Zila School.

	Singh, Saran	20-7	T K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur
5590	„ Sureshwar Narain	16-1	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Sinha, Abanikumar	17-8	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Amarkrishna	16-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Asutosh	16-9	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Asutoshnarayan	18-3	Srikrishna Pathsala
	„ Bhabatoshnarayan	16-7	Kesab Academy.
	„ Bhairabcharan	16-1	Dumka Zilla School.
	„ Bijaynarayan	16-5	Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Brajendranath	16-7	Tala B. De Institution
	„ Brijbihari	16-1	Chapra Zila School.
5600	„ Dhirendranath	16-10	Nabadwip Hindu H E. School
	„ Dhireschandra	16-11	Mymensingh Zila School.
	„ Devanandan	17-9	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	„ Dwijendranath	17-9	Midnapur Town School.
	„ Gaurikinkar	16-8	Birbhum Zila School.
	„ Girijanath	17-2	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	„ Haricharan	16-6	Foley Rajput High School.
	„ Haribar	20-5	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	„ Jasadadulat	16-5	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	„ Jnanananda	16-10	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
5610	„ Jatindranath	24	Private Student, Roll Mal. P. 3.
	„ Kameswar	19-2	Sylhet Government High School.
	„ Kedarnath	17-5	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	„ Krishnadas	17-6	Calcutta Academy.
	„ Kshirodnath	19-10	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Lakshminarayan	17-6	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	„ Lalmohon	18-10	Swarnagram R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Madangopal	17-7	Krishna Kamini Institution, Pingla.
	„ Manasaram	19-2	Kishanganj H E. School
	„ Manindrabhushan	17-4	Nawabganj Harimohan Institution.
5620	„ Manindrakumar	16-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Manindranath	17-9	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	„ Manmathanath	19-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	„ Manojmohan	16-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Mohinimohan	18-2	Brahma Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Nagendranath	18-3	Garbeta H. E. School.
	„ Nalinbihari	16-1	Ukhara H. E. School.
	„ Naliniranjan	17-6	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Nandakisor	18-11	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	„ Narottam	16-5	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
5630	„ Nisikanta	21-3	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Parmeshwar	19-1	Monghyr Zila School.
	„ Pramathagobinda	17-2	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	„ Premamala	...	Mymensing Vidyamoyee H. E. School for girls.
	„ Rajendrachandra	20-5	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Rajendraprasad	17-1	Chapra Zila School.
	„ Rameshchandra	16-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Sachchidananda	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Sachinandan	17-3	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	„ Sambhunath	17-7	Rammohon Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
5640	„ Sambhunath	19	Ukhara H. E. School.
	„ Satishchandra	16-1	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	„ Satyendramohan	16-5	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Satyanarain	16-2	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	„ Sibnarayan	17-1	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Srischandra	17-8	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Sudhirchandra	19-1	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Sudhindranath	16-11	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Surapati	18-11	Arambagh H. E. School.
	„ Surendranath	17-6	Balurghat H. E. School.
5650	„ Susama	...	Private Student, Roll Ber. F. P. 1.
	„ Taraprasad	17-2	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	„ Tarun	18	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 86.

	Sinha, Upendranath	19-3	Purulia Zila School.
	„ Upendranarain	16-9	Srikrishna Pathshala.
	Sinhabiswas, Debendranath	18-5	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	Sinharay, Jogendranath	18	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
	„ Prabhatkumar	17-5	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Pratibhaprakas	16-9	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	„ Sureschandra	18-2	Adharchanda H. E. School, Sabhar
5660	Sinhasarkar, Khagendra	21-11	Pabna Institution.
	Sinhasarma, Manindranath	17-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Sirazuddin Ahmed	16-10	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	Sircar, Malotimala	...	United Missionary Girl's High School, Calcutta.
	Siri Narayan	18-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Siromani, Tarakchandra	16-2	Rangpur Zila School.
	Siva Narain Prosad	19-5	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	Smarhar Prasada	22-2	Arrah Town School.
	Soffeuddin Shaikh	17	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	Soleman Biswas	18-6	Jangipur H. E. School.
5670	Soleman Biswas	18-11	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	Som, Amiyanath	17-2	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Bhupendrakumar	17-4	Dhalla H. E. School.
	„ Bijaykumar	19-2	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	„ Nakuleswar	16	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	„ Nripendrachandra	19-4	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	„ Nripendranarayan	16	Chinsura Training Academy.
	„ Pabitrakumar	16-7	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Sisirkumar	16-9	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Surendramohan	18-5	Kartikpur H. E. School.
5680	„ Susilkrishna	16-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Upendrachandra	17-8	Syhlet Moulvibazar Govt. High School.
	Sonawar Ali	20	Private Student Roll Sil. P. 10.
	Sonnigrihi, Gobindalal	19	Garbeta H. E. School.
	Sribastaba, Girishchandra	20-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. 3759.
	Srivastav, Rajendrapd.	20-2	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 4.
	Sridhar Prasad	17-9	Hazaribagh Zila School.
	Srikant Sahai	19-3	Arrah Town School.
	Srikantha Madhusudan Rao	18-2	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
5690	Srimani, Bankimchandra	16-8	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
	„ Susilkumar	16-4	Hindu School, Calcutta
	Sriram Tuckeru	21-9	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Anthony Stephen	17-8	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Sthanopati, Abanikumar	17-5	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	Subh Narain	18-3	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Sukhlal Bakal	17-2	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	Sukul Shib Sagar	20	Private Student, Roll Pur. P. 3.
	Sukdeva Narayan	16	Muzafferpur, Zilla School.
	Sulaiman Khan	16	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Sultan Ahmad	16-4	Saran Academy Chapra.
5700	Sultan Ali Ahmed	19-11	Mekligunj H E. School.
	Sultan Bahadur	19-1	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Sultan Alam Khan	16-1	Dumraonraj H. E. School.
	Sultan Meah	17-10	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	Sunder Jha	17-7	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Sur, Bhutnath	16	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	19-11	Sodepur H. E. School
	„ Birendrakumar	18-11	Lakshmipur H E. School.
	„ Chandrabhushan	17-9	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Krishnadas	19	Itachona Srinarayan Institution.
5710	„ Narendranath	18-4	P. M Academy, Katak.
	„ Phanibhushan	16-3	Barrackpur Government School.
	„ Sasibhashan	18-5	Barrackpur Government School.
	Sural, Radhagobinda	19	Bishenpur H. E. School.
	Surajnarayan Lall	17-8	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Suraj Singha	19-1	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Surat Lal Jha	19-1	Banka M. K. H. E. School.

	Sureshwari Prasad	16-1	Gaya Zila School
	Surooj Ali	18-10	Sylhet Government High School.
	Surujdeo Narain	19-3	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
5720	Sutradhar Kshetramohan	18-9	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	„ Tarakeswar	22-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Suryya Kant Jha	18-4	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Surya Narayan	21-3	George Coronation H. E. School, Nawadah.
	Syam, Jaminikumar	17-1	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	„ Nandakumar	17-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	Syed, Abu Abdullah	18-1	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Abdul Ahad	18-10	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	„ Abdul Aziz	17-7	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Abdul Goffer	20-1	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali Institution.
5730	„ Abdul Hafiz	19-1	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	„ Abdul Hameed	16-2	Sasaram H. E. School.
	„ Abdul Haque	17-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	„ Abdul Hasan	16-2	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	„ Abdul Jalil	17	Patna City School.
	„ Abdul Mannan Gilani	19-1	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	„ Abdul Wadood	18	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 56.
	„ Abul Hasan	16-7	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzuffer-pur.
	„ Ahmad	18-2	Araria H. E. School.
	„ Ahmed Ali	20-7	Karapara H. E. School.
5740	„ Akbul Yusoof	16	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Akter Ali	18-3	Karapara H. E. School.
	„ Alley Nabi	16-4	K. J. Academy, Arrah
	„ Ali Akhter	18	Gaya Zila School.
	„ Ali Zamad	18-8	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	„ Ali Raza	18-7	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	„ Azimul Huque	19-6	Private Student Roll. Chap, P. 5.
	„ Aziz Ahmad	19-8	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Azizar Rahaman	17-3	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Azizur Rahman	16-3	Jorhat Government High School.
5750	„ Bazlul Haque	19-8	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Erfan Ali Mian	17-1	Bogra Zila School.
	„ Forman Ali	20-1	Arambagh H. E. School.
	„ Habib Asghar	17-10	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 45.
	„ Habeebul Haq	20-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Habibul Haque	16	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	„ Husain	17-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Ibnul-Hasan	16-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Fazal Imam Razies	19-8	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	„ Izhar Husain	21-7	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 25.
5760	„ Jafforuddin Ahamed	17-1	Pirojpur Government High School.
	„ Karimazzaman	16-11	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	„ Kazim Hussain	22-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Khairat Ahmad	19-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffar-pur.
	„ Khoda Rakha	18-5	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	„ Korban Ali	18-7	Basirhat H. E. School.
	„ Mahammad Abdul Mannan	18-4	Samastipur H. E. School.
	„ Mahammad Faizul Haque	21-9	Yusuff H. E. School. Comilla.
	„ Mahmood Azam	19-3	Private Student. Roll Pat. P. 44.
	„ Makarim Ahsan	17-3	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School
5770	„ Manzur Ullah	18-2	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Banki-pur.
	„ Mehdi Hossain	16-1	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	„ Meheen Akhtar	19-4	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 23.
	„ Md. Imamal Haque	17-6	Chittagong H. E. School.
	„ Md. Masoodul Haque	16-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Md Sharafat Hussain	17-5	Ditto.
	„ Mohammad Fazlur Rahman	16-2	Khurda H. E. School.
	„ Mohammad Ismail	18-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Mohammad Munim	16-4	Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Mohammed Sabih	16-9	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
5780	„ Mohammed Musa	20-8	Hare School, Calcutta.

	Syed, Mohammed Quoraish	16-2	Gaya Town H. E. School
	„ Mohammad Zamir Abidi	21	Govt. Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	„ Mokhtar Ahmad	18-2	Gaya Zila School.
	„ Moqaddas Hassain	22-2	T. K. Ghosh's Academy.
	„ Motiur Rahaman	20	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Muhammed	16-8	Raja Surya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
	„ Mustafa	18-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Nabib Ali	19	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	„ Najeeb Hossain	16-2	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
5790	„ Nesar Ahmad	16-5	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	„ Qamrul Hoda	17-7	Ram Mohon Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	„ Qasim Abbas	19-10	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Sajjad Hussain	18-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Salamat Ali	19-2	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 6.
	„ Shafique Ahmed	18-5	Kishenganj H. E S hool.
	„ Shaibatul Humd Nuqvi	16-1	Murzaffarpur Zila School.
	„ Shah Abdus Subhan Abu Hamid	16-5	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Uzzaman	16-11	Calcutta Madrassah.
	„ Wahid Asghor Mohammed Abdul Halim Rasulpuri.	16 2	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
5800	„ Wajih Uddin Ahmad	16-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Wali-Ullah	19-2	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	„ Wazir Hosain	19-10	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	„ Yusuf Ali Naqvi	21	Private Student Roll Pat. P. 26
	„ Zahiruddin Ahmad	18-5	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur
	Syeed Mohammad Sheriff	18-2	Purnea Zila School.
	Ta, Gobindapada	21-11	Jagabandhu H E. School, Torekona.
	Tagore, Saumyendranath	16-4	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	Tahazzud Ali Sircar	17-3	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	Tahir Uddin Khan	16-3	Dhalla H. E. School.
	Tahsin Husain Khan	20	Private Student Roll Pat, P. 21.
5810	Talukdar, Bihariranjan	17-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	19-4	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	„ Jatindramohan	16-8	Barisal Brojomohan Institution.
	„ Jogeskrishna	18-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Upendranath	18-8	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	Talukder, Ahmed Ali	18-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Tamizuddin Ahmed	18-10	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	Tapadar, Nikunjabihari	18	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	Taraphdar, Debendranath	16-11	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Harendranath	18-3	Jessore Sammilini Institution.
5820	„ Jadukanta	21-10	Dhalla H. E. School.
	„ Kalipada	17	Kishenganj H. E. School.
	„ Priyanath	17-3	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	„ Sibapada	20-3	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Tayez Uddin Pramanik	18-11	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School.
	Tayyab Ali	20-1	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Teja Singh	16-10	B. N. Ry. Indian H. E. School, Khargpur.
	Tewary, Nagendranath	19	Banagram Century Institution.
	Thakurprasad Khan	18-8	Hatwa Eden School.
	Thakur, Indubhusan	16-1	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
5830	Thakurchaudhuri Jatindramohan	17-9	Mymensingh Zila School.
	Tha Kyaw	18-4	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Tha Lu	21 9	Ditto.
	Thanu Ram Patgiri	19-11	Teacher, Roll Gau. T. 1.
	Tha Nyun	19-4	Moulmein Govt. High School.
	Tha Tun	17	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Thomas, Mabel Katharine	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Toazuddin Ahmed	16-5	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	Torabuddin Sheikh	17-5	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	Toral Narya in Pd.	19-8	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
5840	Tozammal Hossain Khan	16-4	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	Tribeni Prasad Verma	17-3	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzafferpur.
	Tribhuban Lal	20-7	Dumka Zilla School.

	Tripathi, Hrishikes	17-2	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Tripathy Raghunath	18-1	Sambalpur Zila School.
	Trivedi, Sahdeonarain	16-10	Foley Rajput High School.
	Trophilla Shullai		Private Student, Roll. Shi. F. P. 4.
	Tun Shein	20-2	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Ukil, Dhirendranath	17-2	Kalighat High School.
	,, Priyanath	16-1	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
5850	Ukilbandopadhya, Pankajchandra	16-9	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Umeschandra Prasad	16	Gaya Town U. E. School.
	Umeswar Prasad	16	Gaya Haranchandra H. E. School.
	Upadhyay, Amalendranath	16-11	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	17-1	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Rajkumar	18-5	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	Vidya Nand Sinha	16-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	Vakil, Hariprasad	16-7	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	Vedagiri, P.	18-5	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Veerasawmy, P.	17	St. Anthoney's A. V. High School, Kandawglay.
5860	Vinayak Narayan Shitut	19	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Vindheshoari Pathaka	18-5	Palamau Zila School.
	Vishwambhar Prasad	17-6	Patna City School.
	Vyasmuni Kumar	16-8	Buxar H. E. School.
	Wali Ahmad	16-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Wali Miah	20-6	Kasba H. E. School.
	Wali Ullah	17	Private Student, Roll Com. P. 10.
	Wazuddin Ahamed	17-1	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Welayet Husain	16	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Wilayat Ali	20-2	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
5870	Wiskot	16-7	Shillong Government High School.
	W. Kyin Maung	19-9	Rangoon Government High School.
	Yandan, Bholanath	19-9	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Yar Mohammed	18-6	Rampurhat H E. School.
	Yousuf Mirza	18-7	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipore.
	Zahurul Huque	23-6	W. H. E. School, Supaul.
	Zainul Abdin	16-4	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Zakriah Bhengraz	16-1	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Ziauddin Ahmed	16-1	Comilla Zila School.
5879	Z. R. Faruqi	17-2	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In Alphabetical Order.)

	Abdul Ahad	22-5	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Abdul Alim	21-9	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	19-11	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	Abdul Aziz	19-6	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	19	Naldanga Bhushan H E. School.
	Abdul Aziz	16-9	Sherpur Victoria Academy
	Abdul Aziz	21-4	Noakhali Zila School.
	Abdul Aziz	19-5	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Abdul Aziz Choudhury	18-10	Kasba H. E. School.
10	Abdul Aziz Khan	16	Kajirpagla A T. Institution.
	Abdul Aziz Khan	21-5	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	Abdul Bari	21-1	Chittagong H. E. School.
	Abdul Bari	19-1	Fatehpur K. G. H. E. School.
	Abdul Bari Khan	17-7	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	Abdul Bari Mia	21	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Abdul Bary	17-4	Nibadhai H. E. School.
	Abdul Currim	16-2	Calcutta Madrassah.
	Abdul Gaffar	18-11	Pabna Zila School.
	Abdul Gani	17	Taltala High School.
20	Abdul Ghafur	18-2	Jessore Zila School.
	Abdul Goffur Khan	20-6	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Abdul Hafeez	21-3	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Abdul Hafiz	17-1	Sylhet Government High School
	Abdul Hakim Mina	17-11	Fukura Madanmohan Academy.
	Abdul Hameed	16-3	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Abdul Haleem	23-1	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 71.

	Abdul Hamid	20-5	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Abdul Hamid Miah	20-9	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	Abdul Hamid Talukder	17-11	Serajganj B. L. High School.
30	Abdul Haque	17-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Abdul Haque	19-1	Lakshmipur H E. School
	Abdul Hashem Khan	18-3	Gaffargaon Islamia High School.
	Abdul Huq	18-3	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Abdul Hye Miah	18	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	Abdul Jabbar	19-11	Taltala High School.
	Abdul Jabbar Khan	19-10	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	Abdul Jabber	17-8	Lakshmikanta H. E School Kalma.
	Abdul Jalil Khan	19-1	B. N. Ry Indian H. E. School, Khargpur.
	Abdul Kader	18-2	Rampurhat H. E School.
40	Abdul Kader Khan	19	Bharenga H. E. School.
	Abdul Karim	18-4	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Abdul Khaleque	20-3	Baburhat H. E. School.
	Abdul Khaleque	19-2	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Abdul Khaleque Khan	19	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Abdul Khaleque Mian	21-11	Bhanga High School.
	Abdul Lateef Chowdhry	16-1	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Abdul Latif	16-5	Malda Zila School.
	Abdul Latif	20	Arrah Town School.
	Abdul Latif	18-11	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
50	Abdul Latif	21	Barasat Government School.
	Abdul Latiff	16-1	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Abdul Latif Sarkar	20	Pabna Zila School.
	Abdul Majid	18	Comilla Zila School.
	Abdul Majid	18-8	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 13.
	Abdul Majid Hunphy	21-6	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Majid Khan, I	21-6	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Abdul Malek	16-10	Bhola Government High School.
	Abdul Malik	17-11	Arrah Zila School.
	Abdul Mannan	18-4	Salar Edward H. E. School
60	Abdul Matin	17-10	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Abdul Maula	19-3	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Abdul Monnaf	18-5	Lohajang High School.
	Abdul Motlib	17	Noagong Government H. E. School.
	Abdul Mustafa	17-4	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Abdul Muttaleb	17-11	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Abdul Ohid	20-1	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	Abdul Qadir	16-1	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdul Rashid	18	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	Abdul Rashid	21-4	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
70	Abdul Salim	18-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	Abdul Sobhan	18-7	Patiya High School.
	Abdul Tawab	18-1	Arrah Zila School.
	Abdul Wahab	19-7	Feni High School.
	Abdul Wahed	18-10	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	Abdullah Patwari	28-3	Teacher, Roll Com. T. 1.
	Abdun Noor Choudhoury	19	Harishchandra High School, Baniyachong.
	Abdur Rahman	19-4	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Abdur Rahman	18-6	Patna Collegiate School.
	Abdur Rahman, II	22-1	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
80	Abdur Rahaman Ahmed Baporia	21-9	M. Mohomedia Randeria, High School, Rangoon.
	Abdurrahaman Bhuia	23	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Abdur Rahman Hawladar	18	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	Abdur Rahman Khan	22-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	Abdur Rahaman Sircar	16-1	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Abdur Rashid	17-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Abdur Rasid	16-9	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Abdur Rashid Miah	18-9	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	Abdur Rohman	19-2	Holy Cross B. G. H. E School, Hashnabad.
	Abdur Rohman Mia	23-7	Raipura R. K. R. M. Institution.
90	Abdur Rouf	17	Santipur Municipal School.
	Abdus Sajud Choudhuri	19-1	Hailakandi V. M. High School.

	Abdussalam	16-2	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	Abdus Salam	23	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	Abdus Samad	17-11	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E School.
	Abdus Samad	20-1	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Abdus Samad Khan	19-2	Nakol R. C. Institution.
	Abdus Sattar	22-7	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Abdus Satter	16-5	Feni High School.
	Abdus Sattar Khan	23-7	Behar H. C. E. School.
100	Abdus Shukur	16-9	Nimtita G. D. Institution
	Abdus Sobhan	19-10	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdus Sobahan Mia	22	Hatiya Union H. E School.
	Abdus Subhan	17	Sylhet Government High School.
	Abu Ahammad	17-2	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	Abul Basher	18-3	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj
	Abul Fatah Muhammed Muquebul Hossain	20-7	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	Abul Hasanat	17	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	Abul Hason	18-6	Raja Girish Chandra High School, Sylhet.
	Abul Hossain	18	Mritunnjoy School, Mymensingh.
110	Abul Hossain Ahmad	23-10	Nilphamari High School.
	Abul Kasem	17-7	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Abul Kasem Aminullah	16-1	Ditto.
	Abul Kasem Mohiuddin	24	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	Abul Khair	20	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	Abul Muzaffar Ashraf Ali	20	Comilla Zila School.
	Abul Quasem	16-1	Patiya High School
	Abul Qasem Syed Azizur Rahman	19-4	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	Abu Manzer Hasan	17-7	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Abu Muhammed Abdul Basir	24	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
120	Abu Sayeed Khan	23	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Abu Syeed Mahammad Naimuddin	17-7	Mymensingh Zilla School.
	Abuzafarabdulahad	17	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Abu Zafur Mohammad Nashim	22-8	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Abuzafar Siddiquee	18-2	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani
	Acharyya, Aswinikumar	18-8	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,, Brajendrakumar	19-1	R. K. Jubilee High School, Noakhali.
	,, Dinabandhu	21-7	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	,, Lalitkumar	17-2	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Mahimchandra	18-8	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
130	,, Phanibhushan	17-4	Joradah H. E. School.
	,, Pramodnath	18	Kidderpur Academy.
	,, Priyanath	18-3	Uttar Shabazpur George Institution.
	,, Purnachandra	21	Private Student, Roll Mym. P. 3.
	,, Ramanath	17-11	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 15
	,, Ramapada	19	Babulia J. S. H. E. School.
	,, Satischandra	18-5	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	Adak, Bishnupada	16	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Satyendranath	19	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	Adam Khan	16-5	Kisoregang H. E. School.
140	Adhvaryu, Kalisankar	17	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	Adhikari, Balaram	18-9	Harinarayanpur H. E School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	18-8	Mahisadal Raj H. E. School
	,, Hridaykrishna	16-10	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	,, Jatindrachandra	19-1	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,, Lalitchandra	21-2	Pingna H. E. School.
	,, Mahendrachandra	17-11	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	,, Manindranath	28-7	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,, Mukundachandra	21-4	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Murarimohan	23-10	Mathrun N. C. Institution
150	,, Priyabandhu	21-4	Teacher, Roll Din. T 2.

	Adhikari, Radhagobinda	17-8	Ghatal Municipal H. E. School.
	„ Rajendranath	18-1	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	„ Saratchandra	17-9	Kalighat High School.
	Adhya, Indubihari	17-6	Ditto.
	„ Nalinaksha	1[illegible]	Arambagh H. E. School.
	Aditya, Bimalchandra	18-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Sudhansukiran	17-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	A. F. Mahmudal Alam Khan	22-5	Taltala High School.
	A. F. M. Nowazeshur Rahman	18	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
160	Asfar Hossain	18	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	Asfar Uddin Ahmed	18-5	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	A. F. Sirazul Hoque	18-9	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Aftabuddin	18-10	Jessore Zilla School.
	Aftabuddin Ahamed	20-9	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Aftabuddin Ahmed	17-6	Dinajpur Zilla School.
	Aftabuddin Bhuiah	21-5	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Aftabuddin Hawlader	18-1	Bhanga High School.
	Aftabuddin Khan	19-10	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Agarwal, Gobindadas	19-5	Hare School, Calcutta
170	Agarwala, Arjunlal	17-1	Jharia H. E. School.
	„ Sangamlall	17-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Saurindra Mohan*	19-2	Malda Zilla School.
	Ahajaddin Gazi	18-2	Basirhat H. E. School
	Ahamed Khorsedali	18-1	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Ahamed Rais Uddin	18-9	Sital Pakrasi Institution.
	Ahammod Ali	20-2	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	Ahammed Mafizuddin	16-10	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Ahamad Jan	19-1	Malda Zila School.
	Ahmed Mollah	21-8	Central Coronation School, Duptara.
180	Ahsanullah	20-2	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	Ahsan Ullah Kazi	21-4	Govt. Moslem H E. School, Dacca.
	Aich, Nitaipada	19-5	Mahespur H. E. School.
	Aichbhaumik, Bipinchandra	19-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Ain Uddin Shaikh	21-6	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	Ajab Lal	20-6	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	Akhaury, Suraj Prasad	17-3	Gaya Zila School.
	A. K. Hamidul Bari Chowdhury	16-8	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Akileshwar Prasad	18-1	Patna Collegiate School.
	Akhileswar Prosad	23-7	Monghyr Training Academy.
190	Akhileshwari Sahai	21-2	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Akhouri Bijoinandan Sahay Verma	19-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 69.
	Akhtarar Zaman	20-4	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	Akkas Ali Mian	21-6	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	A. K. M. Nazumal Hoque	20-10	Chittagong H. E. School.
	A. K. M. Siddique Khandaker	19-6	Fatehpur K. J. H. E. School.
	Akmaluddin Ahamad *alias* Muhammad. Khan	20-10	Nawab Bahadur Institution, Murshidabad.
	Alabaksa Khan	20	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	Allam Ali Biswas	21-1	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	Alfazuddin Ahmed	23-7	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
200	Ali Afsor Choudhury	16-8	Sylhet Maulvibazar Govt. High School.
	Ali Ahamed	19-2	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Ali Hussnain	16-11	V. M. H E. School, Sewan.
	Alimuddin Ahmad	18-5	Nilphamari High School.
	Alimuddin Ahmad	18	Arrah Zila School.
	Ali Nawab Miah	22	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	Ali Newaz	21-2	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
	Ali Zamin Khan Yousuf Zaie	24-7	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzafferpur.
	Alopi Prasad	22-8	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Altaf Ali	20-2	Brahmanbaria Annada H.E. School.
210	Ambika Saran	19	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Aminuddin Ahamed	19-9	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Aminul Haque	17	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.

	Aminul Huque	19-2	Pabna Zila School.
	Amir Hasan	18-4	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzafferpur.
	Amiruddin Ahammad	18	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	Amiruddin Ahmed	19-11	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Amritlal Rawani	17-9	Darbhanga Raj School.
	A. M. S. Raihan Ahmad	19	Taltala High School.
	Annada Prasad	18-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
220	Aniruddh Prasad	17	Ram Mohon Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	Anrudh Tewary	22-10	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Anwar Ali	17-3	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	Anwar Ali Khan	21	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	Anwar Aly	17-2	Bhola Government High School.
	Anwaruddin Ahmed	19	Private Student, Roll Khu P. 8.
	Asafer Rahaman	22-1	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Asahab Ali	25-2	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Asgar Ali Khandakar	20	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Ash, Atulchandra	18-2	Jharia H. E. School.
230	Asharfi Sahu	18	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Ashraf Ali Choudhury	18-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	Asmat Ali Sardar	21	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	A. S. M. Mofakhar	16-8	Calcutta Madrasa.
	Audhbihari Prashad	21-2	Hajipur H. E. School.
	Audhesh Kumar Singh	19-8	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Aung Dwa	19-9	Rangoon St. John's College.
	Awon, Susilchandra	18-6	Konnagar H. E. School.
	Awadh Narayan	19-2	Samastipur H. E. School.
	A. Y. M. Hafizul Haque	20-7	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
240	Azahar Uddin Ahamed	21-6	Jenkins School, Cooch-Behar.
	Azim Muhammed	21	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Aziruddin Ahmed	16	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	Azizahmed Khan	17-5	Monghyr Zila School.
	Azizal Islam	18-5	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	Azizar Rahaman	20	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	Azizar Rahaman	16-4	Nilphamari High School.
	Azizar Rahman Tarafder	21	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Azizur Rahaman	21-8	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	Aziz Ashraf	21-1	Ram Mohon Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
250	Azizuddin Ahmed	22	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 45.
	Babu Lal Aleh	23-11	Dibrugarh Government High School.
	Bachheruddin, Shaikh	18	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	Ba Chit	18	Rangoon Government High School.
	Bachoo Lal	18-6	K. G. Academy, Arrah.
	Badaruddin Ahmed	18-4	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdulgani H. E. School.
	Ba i Uzzaman	18	Hughli Collegiate School.
	Badiuzzaman Khan	20-2	Raniganj H. E. School.
	Badiazzaman Shah Fakir	22-1	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Badrinarayan Jha	16-7	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
260	Badrinath Verma	23-6	Bettiah Raj Madhepar Coronation H. E. School.
	Badri Prasad Singh	18-11	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 11.
	Bagchi, Arunkanti	17-8	Jamsherpur B. N. High School.
	,, Dwipendranarayan	16-4	Ditto.
	,, Jatindramohan	17-2	Ditto.
	,, Jyotischandra	18-6	Tajhat H. E. School.
	,, Kshitischandra	18-7	Meherpur H. E. School.
	,, Kumudranjan	17-5	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Nalinikanta	16-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Nandakumar	16-10	Shikarpur H. E. School.
270	,, Praphullakumar	17-3	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sachindramohan	17	Jamsherpur B. N. H. E. School.
	,, Sureschandra	19-9	Dibrugarh Government High School.
	Bageswar Prasad	16-1	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzafferpur.
	Baguli, Sibnarayan	18-5	Basantia H. E. School.

	Bahutali Miah	17-8	Serajgunj B. L. High School.
	Baidya, Manmathanath	20-11	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	Bairagi, Kanaidas	18	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Baisya, Mahendralal	17-2	Cotton Collegiate School
	,, Naliniranjan	21-11	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
280	Bajrang Sahay	16	Patna Collegiate School.
	Ba Khin	19-11	Rangoon Government High School.
	Ba Khin	21-3	Rangoon Government High School.
	Baksi, Dwijendranath	17-7	Naogaon K. D. H. E. School.
	,, Radhaballabh	18-11	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,, Radhikabhushan	18-9	Bangaon H. E. School.
	Bal, Dineschandra	17	Taltala High School.
	,, Jatindranath	16-7	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	Bala, Satischandra	21-10	Banaripara Union Institution.
	Balbir Prasad	18-5	Ranchi Zila School.
290	Baldewa Prasad	17-2	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Baldwin Mala	19-10	Bassein Government High School.
	Baleshwar Pande	21-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Baleswar Prasad	21	Samastipur H. E. School.
	Baleshwar Prasad Sinha	19-1	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Balomajumdar, Makhanlal	16-8	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Bali Raj Ram	19-7	Shree Sanatan Dharma Vidyalaya.
	Ba Lwin	19	Rangoon Government High School.
	Ba Maung	17-9	Rangoon Government High School.
	Banbihari Sinha	24-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 10.
300	Bandyopadhyay, Abhaypada	19-7	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,, Ajitkumar	18-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Amarprasad	18-10	Jagadbandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,, Amiyanath	17-6	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,, Amulyachandra	17-10	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Amulyachandra	18-9	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	,, Amulyachandra	17-2	Bhagyakul Harendra Lal H. E. School.
	,, Annadaprasad	19-4	Baghutia Bibhagdi H. E. School.
	,, Apurbakrishna	17-1	Konnagar H. E. School.
	,, Arabinda	18-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
310	,, Arunchandra	21-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 76.
	,, Asitaranjan	20-11	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Asutosh	21-9	Barisal Zila School.
	,, Atulchandra	17-5	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,, Aswinikumar	18-2	Barasat Govt. School.
	,, Baidyanath	17-4	Athenium Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Barendranath	19-3	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Batakrishna	17-7	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 11.
	,, Batakrishna	16	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Bhabaranjan	18	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
320	,, Bhagabaticharan	19-3	Sithal Pakrasi Institution.
	,, Bharatchandra	16-3	S. C. Institution Udaynarayanpur.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	18-3	Baidyapur George Institution.
	,, Bijanbihari	17	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 37.
	,, Bijaykumar	17-3	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	,, Bijaymohan	19	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Bimalacharn	17-9	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	,, Bishnupada	17-11	Okersa H. E. School.
	,, Debendrachandra	17-11	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,, Durgagati	18	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
330	,, Gadadhar	19-11	Telinipara Bhadreswar H. E. School.
	,, Gangadhar	23	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. 7.
	,, Gaurgopal	18-2	N. L. Institution Chirkundar.
	,, Gaurikanta	19-5	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Haralal	18-1	Palong H. E. School.
	,, Haranchandra	19-2	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,, Haraprasad	19-11	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Haricharan	18-4	Konnagar H. E. School.
	,, Haripada	16-3	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,, Haripada	18-6	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
340	,, Hariada	23-7	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.

	Bandyopadhyay,	Hariprasad	16	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Himaranjan	18-8	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Hemchandra	18-6	Palong H. E. School.
	,,	Hemendranath	20-4	Ditto.
	,,	Himansubhusan	20-1	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Hiralal	18-7	Sadhuhati H. E School.
	,,	Hiranmay	19	Itna H. E. School.
	,,	Indubhusan	18-7	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Jagadischandra	16-7	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
350	,,	Jatindrachandra	20-1	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	16	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,,	Jibankrishna	17-3	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Jitendralal	17-11	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Jitendranath	16-11	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Jitendranath	16-5	E. I. R. Aided H. E. School, Asansol.
	,,	Jnanendranath	18 6	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	18-2	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	,,	Jogadyapada	19-10	Private Student, Roll Bur., P. 7.
	,,	Kalikinkar	20-7	Jharia H. E. School.
360	,,	Kalikrishna	20	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalimohan	18-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Kalipada	19-11	Agartala Umakanto Academy.
	,,	Kedareswar	19-5	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Kesablal	17-1	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnanath	17-8	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Lakshmikanta	19	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Lalitmohan	17-8	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Maniklal	18-6	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Manindranath	17-2	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
370	,,	Manindranath	17-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Manindranath	20	Nand Kumar Institution, Shibchar.
	,,	Manoranjan	17-4	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Manoranjan	20-1	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Manoranjan	17-5	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Mukundalal	18-9	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Muraridas	18	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Nagendrachandra	16-11	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-9	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	17-7	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
380	,,	Nagendranath	18-1	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	18-5	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinimohan	17-4	Giridih H. E. School.
	,,	Nandalal	19-9	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nanigopal	17-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Nanigopal	17-9	Private Student, Roll Gau., P. 14.
	,,	Narayanchandra	17-7	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Narayankrishna	17-2	Dupleix College.
	,,	Narendrakumar	17-5	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,,	Narendranath	17-10	Baharu H. E. School.
390	,,	Narendranath	18 5	Sadhuhati H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	21-1	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	,,	Niladribhushan	16-6	Puri Zila School.
	,,	Nilmadhab	20-11	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Nilmani	19-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Niradbihari	25-2	Private Student, Roll Jes., P. 3.
	,,	Nirmalkanti	19-2	Barisal Brojamohun Institution.
	,,	Nripendramohan	19	Lohaganj High School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	19-2	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	20-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
400	,,	Phanindranath	16-10	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	,,	Phanindranath	18	Town School, Calcutta
	,,	Phanindranath	19-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Prankumar	18-9	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Pramathanath	17-1	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	,,	Pramodaranjan	16-4	Bhaita H. E. School.
	,,	Purnachandra	16-2	Rajagram A. S. School.

	Bandyopadhyay,	Rabindranath	18-3	Antshahi R. N. H E. School.
	,,	Radhapada	19-1	Raniganj H E. School.
	,,	Radharaman	19-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
410	,,	Rajkrishna	18	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramadas	16-3	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution
	,,	Rameschandra	21-7	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Ramkrishna	17-2	Salkia A. S. School.
	,,	Rampada	20-8	Rai K. P Pal Bahadur's Sekanderpur Free H. E. School.
	,,	Rampada	18-8	Nazira Govt. Aided High School.
	,,	Rasamay	16-10	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Ratiskumar*	16	Konnagar H. E School.
	,,	Sachindramohan	18-9	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,,	Sachindranath	18	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
420	,,	Sadasiva	20-7	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 5.
	,,	Sailendranath	16-3	Maliara H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-6	Jharia H. E. School.
	,,	Sasankamohan	17	Union Institution, Brahmanberia.
	,,	Sasankasekhar	20-2	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,,	Satchidananda	16-2	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Satischandra	17-11	Gaila H. E. School
	,,	Satyanarayan	17-11	Boinchee B. L. Mukerji's Free Institution
	,,	Satyendramohan	21	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Satyendranath	16-9	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
430	,,	Sibapada	17	Ramgopalpur H. E. School
	,,	Srischandra	1 -3	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhakrishna	16-2	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhansukumar	17-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca
	,,	Sudhindralal	16-6	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,,	Sukumar	20-1	Jagabandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,,	Supadranjan	19-2	Bagati H. E School.
	,,	Surendramohan	21-7	Ganga Prasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Surendranath	17-10	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	,,	Surendranath	19-11	Dhankuria H. E. School.
440	,,	Sureschandra	19-10	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	21	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Sureswar	17-5	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Susilkumar	17-1	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Tarapada	20-9	Khagra L. M. S. School
	,,	Tinkaridhan	19-9	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
	,,	Tulsicharan	16-5	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Umapada	17-10	Nasigram High School.
	Banik,	Niradchandra	20-7	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,,	Saradakumar	24	Feni High School.
450	Bankey Behare Lall		17-8	M. A A. School, Patna City.
	Bansidhar Samanta Roy		19-10	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	Bans Lochan Prasad		18-2	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Banwari Lall		16-5	Baldev's Academy, Dinapur.
	Barai, Ramchandra		18-4	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	Baral, Anukulchandra		20-5	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Dinabandhu	26-3	Jajpur H E. School.
	Bar, Anukulchandra		17-2	Baisari H. E School.
	Bara, Debeswar		24-7	Nazira Govt. Aided High School.
	Baral, Nityananda		18-7	Dacca Pogose School.
460	Barari, Dineschandra		18-1	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Barat, Suryyanarayan		21-4	Rajagram A. S. School.
	Bardhan, Atalbihari		16-11	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,,	Manimohan	18-5	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Sambhunath	17	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,,	Shashthibar	20-5	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	Barhamdeo Narayan		21-5	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Barik, Haripada		18-7	Jara H. E. School.
	Barho Lall		19-1	Hazirabagh Zila School.
	Barkatki, Anandakumar		18-10	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
470	Barkakti, Bhabendranath		17-10	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	Barma, Girishchandra		19-10	Bagribari H. N. Seminary.
	,,	Lalchand	18	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Umanath	19-1	Sarisha H. E. School.
	,,	Harendramohan	18-11	Deliiganj N. N. H. E. School.

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	Barma, Mohinimohan	17-7	Debiganj N. N. H. E School.
	,, Prakaschandra	22	Private Student, Roll Sil P. 3.
	Barmansinha, Debendranath	17-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Barnabas, Thomas A.	19-4	Rangoon St. John's College.
	Baruya, Aruncchandra	18-3	Salkia A. S. School.
480	,, Bagalabhushan	19-9	Patiya High School.
	,, Binaybhushan	16-8	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution
	,, Bipinchandra	22-9	Teacher, Roll Chi. T. 2.
	,, Bisweswar	21-5	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Debendranath	20-8	Ditto.
	,, Dharmaranjan	17-1	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	,, Indubhushan	16-3	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution.
	,, Jadugopal	16-7	Ditto.
	,, Ketakadhar	17-9	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	,, Lochanchandra	22	Ditto.
490	,, Nandeswar	19-10	Ditto.
	,, Prasannakumar	18-3	Ditto.
	,, Rajatchandra	17-9	Sonaram Aided High School.
	,, Rohiniranjan	18-11	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution.
	,, Surendralal	16-5	Patiya High School.
	Basak, Apurbakrishna	18	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Gobindachandra	19-8	Ditto.
	,, Radhaballabh	19-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Satyagopal	19	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Basir Uddin Ahmed	20	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
500	Basiruddin Ahmed Khan	19-10	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Basir Uddin Akonda	21-8	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Basisthanarayan Singh	16	Barari Rai H M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Basjit Sinha	17-8	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Basu, Amarendraprasad	19-1	Pabna Institution.
	,, Amarkrishna	16-7	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,, Amiyamohan	18-4	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Amulyakumar	20	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Anilbihari	16-6	Ranchi Zila School.
	,, Anilkumar	19	Hindu School, Calcutta.
510	,, Annadaprasanna	18-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Atulchandra	22-10	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Barendranath	16-11	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Becharam	18-1	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,, Bhupendranath	18	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bijayendrakumar	16-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Bijaykrishna	19-1	Gar Bhowanipur H. E. School.
	,, Bimanbihari	17	Arambagh H. E. School.
	,, Binaykrishna	17-7	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna
	,, Birendramohan	19-8	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
520	,, Birendranath	19-10	Basirhat H. E School.
	,, Bireswar	17-11	Jaynagar Institution.
	,, Brajendrakumar	16-11	Bhola Government High School.
	,, Chandrabhushan	20-7	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Debendranath	20-3	Woolpur P. C. H E. School
	,, Dhirendrabhushan	18-11	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,, Dhirendrakrishna	16-3	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,, Dhirendranath	29-7	Taltala High School.
	,, Dhirendranath	19-5	Magrahat A. O. Institution.
	,, Dhirendranath	19-8	Kumar Radha Prasad Institution, Calcutta.
530	,, Durgaprasanna	17-8	Armenitola Government High School.
	,, Gajendranath	18-1	Siddhakati H E. School
	,, Ganeschandra	16-1	Basirhat H. E School.
	,, Girijanath	17-2	Pasirhat H. E. School.
	,, Girischandra	18-1	Narikeldanga George High School
	,, Gosthabihari	22-5	Gar Bhowanipur H. E. School.
	,, Harinath	18-1	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Harinath	18-2	Lakshmi Kanta H E. School, Kalna.
	,, Hemchandra	18-6	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,, Hemendranath	18-11	Lakshmipur H E. School.
540	,, Hridaybandhu	21-1	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.

	Basu, Hrishikes	17-9	Sailkupa H E. School.
	„ Hrishikes	16-2	Sarisha H E. School.
	„ Indubhushan	16-1	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Jagadananda	19-10	Khararia H E. School.
	„ Jagadischandra	16-4	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Jatindrakumar	21-3	Dattapara Ramratan H. E. School.
	„ Jatindramohan	22-6	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Jatindranath	17-5	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Jnanendramohan	19-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
550	„ Jogeschandra	18	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Jugalkisor	20-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Jyotischandra	17-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Kalikinkar	16-5	Malda Zila School.
	„ Kalikrishna	17-2	Budge-Budge P. K. H. E. School.
	„ Kalipada	24-9	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	„ Kamakshyanath	16-6	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	„ Karunamohan	16-11	Krishnanath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Kisorilal	21-1	Satkhira Prannath H. E. School
	„ Krishnadhan	18-3	Howrah Zila School.
560	„ Kshitindrakanta	21-1	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	„ Kshitischandra	17-11	Kushtia H. E. School.
	„ Lalitmohan	17-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Mahendranath	17-6	Gaila H. E. School.
	„ Makhanlal	19-9	Baisari H. E. School.
	„ Makhanlal	19	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	„ Manimay	16-6	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	„ Manindrachandra	19-5	L. S. M. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Manindrakrishna	19	Ditto.
	„ Manindranath	19-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 36.
570	„ Manindranath	18-1	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	„ Manindranath	19-5	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Manmathanath	16	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Manmathanath	17-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Mohinimohan	18-5	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur
	„ Mohitmohan	20-1	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Nagendranath	17-10	Benipur H. E. School.
	„ Nalinibihari	16-4	Narail Victoria Collegiate School
	„ Nalinikanta	19-8	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	„ Narendrachandra	18-3	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
580	„ Narendranarayan	18-3	Nilphamari High School.
	„ Narendranath	18-11	Habiganj Government High School
	„ Nareschandra	16-4	R K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Niranjan	17-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	„ Nirmalchandra	17-2	Baghbazar High School.
	„ Nirendrakumar	17-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Nirendrakumar*	16-3	Rani Bhabani H. E. School.
	„ Nitaikrishna	17-2	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Pankajakumar	17-11	Indas H. E. School.
	„ Panchkari	20-6	Bhastara H. E. School.
590	„ Phakirchandra	17-10	Jagabandhu H E. School, Torkona
	„ Phanibhushan	19	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	„ Prabalkumar	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Prabhatkumar	21-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	„ Pradoshkumar	17-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Pranaychandra	19-3	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Praphullachandra	18-2	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	„ Praphullakumar	18-2	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	„ Pratapchandra	17	Srikrishna Patshala.
	„ Rajanikanta	18-11	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta
600	„ Rajendranath	18-2	Jessore Sammilani Institution
	„ Rameschandra	18-6	Raipur L. C. H. E. School.
	„ Rampada	18-1	Sailkupa H. E School.
	„ Rasbihari	17-11	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	„ Rasiklal	18	Narail Victoria Collegiate School

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	Basu, Robatibhushan	19-4	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	„ Rohiniranjan	22	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	„ Sachindraprasad	21-5	Radhanagar Majumdar Academy.
	„ Sailendrakumar	16	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Sailendranath	17	Sarisha H. E. School.
610	„ Sailendraprakas	16-10	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Saradamohan	20-5	Perojpur Government High School.
	„ Sarbariranjan	16-5	Tala B. De Institution.
	„ Sarojkumar	16-8	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Sasadhar	21-11	Tala B. De Institution.
	„ Satishchandra	22-1	Private Student, Roll Khu. P. 6.
	„ Satyakinkar	18-8	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Satyendranath	16-1	Narikeldanga George High School.
	„ Sorojini	...	United Missionary Girls' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Subhendukumar	17-5	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
620	„ Subimalchandra	16-3	Ditto ditto.
	„ Subodhchandra	19-3	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhamay	18-2	Ghatal Municipal H. E. School.
	„ Sudhansukumar	16-1	Barrackpur Govt. School.
	„ Sudharanjan	16-10	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Sudhindramohan	17-5	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Sudhirchandra	19-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Sukumar	17	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Surendrabijay	20-7	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary.
	„ Sureschandra	21-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
630	„ Sureschandra	17-11	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Suryyakanta	16-5	Gabha H. E. School.
	„ Syamapada	17	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	Basudeo Narain Singh	17-6	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Basudeonarayan Panday	23-5	Foley Rajput High School
	Basumajumdar, Subhendramohan	21-7	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	Basumallik, Jitendranath	18	Athenuem Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindranath	20	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jogeschandra	20-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Radhikaprasad	17-6	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
640	Basuray, Brajendrakumar	19-1	Pabna Zila School.
	Batabyal, Bholanath	19-9	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	Ba Tha	19-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	Ba Thin	21	Rangoon St. John's College.
	Bayen, Bipinbihari	19-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 41.
	Bazaler Rahaman	18-4	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	Bazlal Karim Chowdhury	17-1	Barisal Zila School.
	Bazlul Karim	17-5	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Bazlus Subhan	17-3	Ditto ditto.
	Benjamin Arthur Silas	18-3	Arrah Zila School.
650	Bera, Bankim Bihari	20-10	Parbatipur Patitpabani H. E. School.
	„ Bijaykrishna	16-5	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	„ Bishnuhari	19-1	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	17-11	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Bhabanishankar Nand	19-1	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	Bhaduri, Brajendrachandra	20	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	Bhagwan Prasad *	16-3	Gaya Zila School.
	Bhagwan Pershad	19	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Bhagwan Prosad Sahu	19-8	Matihari Zila School.
	Bhagwan Prasad Sinha	16-9	Foley Rajput High School.
660	Bhagwan Sahaya Varma	20-8	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 16.
	Bhagwati Charan	21-12	Ditto Chap. P. 14.
	Bhagwat Lall	18-1	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Bhagwat Pershad Sinha Sharma	19-3	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Bhagawat Sahai	19-10	Foley Rajput High School.
	Bhagawati Singh	22-2	Ditto.
	Bhagwotyprasad Singh	19-4	Arrah Town School.

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	Bhajan Lal	. . .	19-9	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Bhanja, Jatindranath	. .	18-4	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Bhai, Rameschandra	. .	17-10	Serampur Union Institution.
670	Bharat Sahay	. . .	18-4	Ranchi Zila School.
	Bhashkar, Panchugopal	. .	20	Dainhat H. E. School.
	Bhattacharyya, Kalicharan	. .	19-4	Mahishadal Raj H. E. School.
	,, Abhayapada	. .	20-9	Salkia Hindu School.
	,, Abinaschandra	.	19-3	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,, Anantakumar	. .	17	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Annadacharan	.	20	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Annadacharan	.	17-3	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Asutosh	. .	20-1	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,, Asutosh	. .	25-1	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
680	,, Asutosh	. .	24-1	Teacher, Roll Dac. T. 1
	,, Aswinikumar	. .	17-2	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	,, Aswinikumar	. .	21-1	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.
	,, Balaichand	. .	20-1	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,, Bamacharan	. .	17-11	Noapara H. E. School.
	,, Bamapada	.	17-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Basantabhushan	.	16-5	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	,, Basantakumar	.	18-6	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Batakrishna	. .	19	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,, Bhubanmohan	.	20-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
690	,, Bhupendrabhushan	.	21	Calcutta High School.
	,, Bibhutibbhushan	.	21-3	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Bibhutibbhushan	.	18-6	Telinipara Bhadreswar, H. E. School.
	,, Bijaychandra	. .	18-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Bijaygopal	.	19-9	Gangarampur P. K. Institution.
	,, Bijaykrishna	. .	20-7	Harinavi A. S. School.
	,, Bijaykumar	. .	18	Senhati H. E. School.
	,, Bireswar	. .	17-7	Bowbazar High School.
	,, Bishnupada	. .	19	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,, Bishnupada	. .	20-7	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary.
700	,, Brajagopal	.	16-5	Puthia P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Brajendranath	.	18-1	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	,, Chandrasekhar		18-1	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Debendrakumar	.	17-10	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 7.
	,, Debendramohan		17-3	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,, Debendranath	. .	20-1	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 8.
	,, Durgakinkar	. .	18-5	Chittagang Municipal School.
	,, Dwijendranath	.	22-6	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 18.
	,, Girijabhushan	. .	18-2	Bidyakut Amar H. E. School.
	,, Girijasankar	. .	17-9	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
710	,, Girischandra	. .	21-7	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	,, Golokeswar	. .	17-11	Tajhat H. E. School.
	,, Gopalchandra	. .	18	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Gopalchandra	. .	22-2	Basirhat H. E. School.
	,, Gopalchandra	. .	19-1	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,, Harendranath	.	16-4	Itna H. E. School.
	,, Haricharan	. .	19	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,, Harihar	. .	18	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,, Haripada	. .	17-2	Itna H. E. School.
	,, Hemantakumar	.	21-3	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
720	,, Hemchandra	. .	21-2	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Hemchandra I.		18-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Hridaykumar	. .	17-8	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,, Jahnabicharan	. .	18-11	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Jajneswar	.	17	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Jatindrachandra	.	18-3	Bhola Government High School.
	,, Jatindramohon	. .	20-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Jatindranath	.	19-8	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,, Jibankrishna	. .	16	Gaya Zila School.
	,, Jibankumar	.	16-7	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
730	,, Jitendrachandra	.	18-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,, Jitendranath	. .	18	Bhola Government High School.

	Bhattacharyya,	Jitendranath .	19-9	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,,	Jogeschandra .	25-2	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	,,	Kalidas .	18-3	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,,	Karunamay .	17-8	Lalgola U. N. Academy.
	,,	Kedareswar .	16-6	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Kedarnath .	16-11	Ethora S. C. Institution.
	,,	Kiranchandra .	18	Monghyr Zila School.
	,,	Krishnachandra .	17-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
740	,,	Krishnakumar .	18-6	Gaila H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnaprasanna .	20	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,,	Kshirodlal .	17-1	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Kumarendranath .	16	Taki Govt. School.
	,,	Kumudbhushan .	18-2	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Kumudeswar .	22-7	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Madhusudan .	20	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Mahendranath .	16-6	Nazira Govt. Aided High School.
		Makhanlal .	17-11	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	,,	Manadakanta .	18-4	Kalia R. H. E. School.
750	,,	Manmathanath .	20-4	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 69.
	,,	Manomohan .	16-4	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	,,	Matilal .	18-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Nakuleswar .	19-10	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,,	Nalinikanta .	21-2	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinikumar .	19-8	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 16.
	,,	Nandakumar .	17-1	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	,,	Narendrachandra .	19-2	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,,	Narendraprasad .	16-6	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nareschandra .	16-10	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
760	,,	Nilkantha .	16-11	Fakura Madan Mohan Academy.
	,,	Nilratan .	18-1	Ditto.
	,,	Niradchandra .	20-7	Mretyunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Pasupati .	17-4	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra .	17-6	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Prakaschandra .	19-2	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Prakaschandra .	19-6	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Praphullachandra .	16-3	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,,	Pratapchandra .	16-2	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Pyarimohan .	20-5	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
770	,,	Radharaman .	19-5	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Rajendrachandra .	19-8	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,,	Rajendrachandra .	16-5	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	,,	Rajkumar .	18-6	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Ramanikanta .	19-11	Chikandi H. E. School.
	,,	Rambilas .	17-2	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramdas .	16-7	Jamui H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra .	19-9	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,,	Rameschandra .	18-2	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Ramprakas .	25-5	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
780	,,	Ranabihari .	17-1	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,,	Ranadhirmohan .	17-8	Maharaja H. E. School, Shonepur State.
	,,	Rasiklal .	19	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
	,,	Rohinikumar .	17-10	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,,	Sachchidananda .	18-1	Guptipara H. E. School.
	,,	Sachinandan .	18-9	Mankar H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath .	18-7	Raruli R. K. B. K. Harischandra Institution.
	,,	Saileswar .	17-1	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	,,	Saileswar .	20-7	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Santoshkumar .	19-10	Keşab Academy.
790	,,	Saradacharan .	21-9	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,,	Saradaranjan .	24-1	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 7.
	,,	Saradindu .	17-8	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,,	Saratchandra .	20-10	Abutorab R. L. H E School.
	,,	Satischandra .	18-2	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,,	Shashthidas .	20-6	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Sibasankar .	17-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Sibnath .	19-2	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.

	Bhattacharyya,	Siddheswar	19-9	Bhaita H. E. School.
	,,	Smarajitmohan	16-2	Maharaja H. E. School, Shonepur State.
800	,,	Srischandra	18-1	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	19-3	Rowile High School.
	,,	Sukhendranarayan	19-6	Elliotganj R B. H. E. School.
	,,	Surendranath	21-3	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch
	,,	Surendrakumar	18-11	Srikishna Pathsala.
	,,	Sureschandra	17-8	Nabadwip Hindu School.
	,,	Surendranath	20-11	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Surendranath	24-2	Mahishadal Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	18-1	Ujanchar K N. H. E. School.
	,,	Suryyakanta	20-1	Bidyakut Amar H. E. School.
810	,,	Syamaprasanna	16-11	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,,	Taraknath	19-3	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Tarapada	21-10	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,,	Tarkendrachandra	19-10	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Tulsicharan	17	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Bhaumik,	Abaninath	21-7	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Anantakumar	18-11	Feni High School.
	,,	Akhilchandra	20-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Akshaykumar	21-8	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Debendrakumar	23-1	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
820	,,	Digindranath	35	Teacher, Roll Pab. T. I.
	,,	Jajneswar	23	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,,	Jatindranath	17-3	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Jatindranath	18-11	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,,	Jatischandra	17-5	Tajhat H. E. School.
	,,	Jogeschandra	19-11	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	,,	Kalikumar	18	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	,,	Nareschandra	16-5	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	,,	Pyarimohan	24-8	Arunchandra H E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Ramanikanta	21-2	Shohagpur, Syamkisor H. E. School.
830	,,	Sasibhushan	20-10	Ditto.
	,,	Sudhansumohan	18-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Satyendranath	21-2	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Bhawanath	Pandey	17-8	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Bheemdutta	Thakur	18-7	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Bhishoon Lall	Sahoo	20-1	Araria Zila School.
	Bholanath	Singha	18-1	Foley Rajput High School.
	Bholanath	Verma	19-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Bhrigunath	Lall	19	Foley Rajput High School.
	Bhubneshwara	Sinha	21-4	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 72.
840	Bhubneshwari	Prosad	18-7	Giridih H. E. School.
	Bhubneshwar	Prosad	23-5	Jamui H. E. School.
	Bhuiyan,	Dharanidhar	17-10	Tezpur Government High School.
	,,	Jatishchandra	18	Ditto.
	,,	Nakulchandra	20-5	Private Student, Roll Jor. P. 11.
	,,	Sisuram	16-3	Debrugarh Government High School.
	Bhuvaneswari	Prosad	19-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	Bid,	Pulinbihari	17-2	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Bidyadhar	Singh Deo	18-7	Chaibassa Zila School.
	Binda	Prashad Verma	21	Samastipur H. E. School.
850	Bindheswari	Prasad	18-11	Foley Rajput High School.
	Binodeban	Bihari Saran	19-10	Samastipur H. E. School.
	Birprasad	Verma	21-5	Private Student, Roll Muz, P. 17.
	Bindhyeswori	Prosad Sinha	20-7	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	Bir,	Nalinijiban	20-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Biramuddin	Ahamed	20-1	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	Bishayee,	Sphatikchandra	16-10	Memari V. M. Institution.
	Bishnu,	Surendrakumar	19-6	Khararia H. E. School.
	Bishnuprasad	Sinha	19-5	Khagol E. I. R. Indian School.
	Bishwambhar	Jha	16-3	Darbhanga Raj School.
860	Bishwambhar	Prasad Verma	20-1	Darbhanga Northbrook School.

	Biswal, Dhanurdhar	20-2	Balangir H. E. School.
	Biswanath Dubey	19-2	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Bishwanath Sahay Singha	6-10	Patna Collegiate School.
	Biswas, Amritalal	22	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,, Amulyakumar	21-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Annadaprasad	18-7	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Asutosh	20-2	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Bholanath	21-3	Joradah H. E. School.
	,, Bhudharchandra	17	Bagnan H. E. School.
870	,, Bhupatibhushan	24	Teacher, Roll Bha. T. 1.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	17-4	Barisal Zilla School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	22-7	Balagarh H. E. School.
	,, Bimalchandra	21-11	Gosain Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Bipadbhanjan	17-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Bipinbihari	20	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,, Bishnucharan	17-5	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Charuchandra	18-7	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,, Debendranath	18-5	Dumka Zilla School.
	,, Dhirendranath	18-10	Taltala High School.
880	,, Dineschandra	20-6	Santosh Jahnavi H. E School
	,, Dwijendranath	18-5	Taltala High School.
	,, Gaganchandra	18-1	Kurhman N. C. Institution.
	,, Harabilash	16-2	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,, Indubhushan	17-7	Khasial H. E. School.
	,, Jagadishchandra	16-10	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jagatbandhu	21-1	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,, Jogendrachandra	18-5	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School
	,, John Shuddhadhan	18-7	St. Paul's High School, Calcutta.
	,, Karnadhar	23	Teacher, Roll Dac. T. 8.
890	,, Khagendrachandra	17-7	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,, Kiranchandra	17	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,, Lalitkumar	20	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	,, Mahendralal	19-8	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	,, Makhanchandra	19-2	Gobindganj H. E. School.
	,, Manomohan	17	Krishnanagar Collegiate School.
	,, Nandadulal	18-7	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,, Nanigopal	19-8	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Narendranath	21	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,, Narendranath	20-7	Gopinathpur H. E. School.
900	,, Nikhilnarayan	18-1	Serajganj B. C. High School.
	,, Nisikanta	20-6	Sholakbatajor Union Institution.
	,, Panchanan	19-10	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Panchanan	19-3	Meherpur H. E School.
	,, Prakashchandra	21-4	Private Student, Roll Bur. P. 5.
	,, Pramathanath	20-8	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,, Praphullakumar	18-11	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,, Priyanath	19-11	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	,, Radhagobinda	20-11	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	,, Rajendramohan	20	Serajganj Victoria High School.
910	,, Ramanimohan	19-2	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Rasamay	18-1	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,, Sachindrachandra	22-11	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Sachidramohan	16-11	Pabna Institution.
	,, Samareschandra	16-11	Pabna Institution.
	,, Saradacharan	21-6	Private Student, Roll Com. P. 13.
	,, Saradaprasanna	20-6	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,, Saramakanta	19	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Saratchandra	18-5	Raja Surya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,, Sasadhar	19	Private Student, Roll Khu. P. 11.
920	,, Satischandra	21-3	Natuda H. E. School.
	,, Satyakinkar	21-1	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,, Satyakinkar	17	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura
	,, Sitalchandra	22	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	,, Smarajitkumar	17	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,, Sripada	17-3	Meherpur H. E School.
	,, Srischandra	18-10	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj

	Biswas, Subodhchandra	17-11	Taltala High School.
	„ Upendranath	20-7	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	Boyra, Asutosh	17-7	Dumka Zila School.
930	Brahmachari, Jnanranjan	22	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Brahmadeva Narain Verma	21-11	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Braja Beharee	16-11	Baldev's Academy, Dinapur.
	Brajanandan Sahaya	19-8	Arrah Zila School.
	Brajmohan Prashad	18-9	Palamau Zila School.
	Braj Mohan Prasad	17-1	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Braj Raj Sinha	18-2	Baley H. E. School. Barh.
	Brij Mohan Lall	21-1	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Brij Mohan Prasad Dutta	17-10	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	Brij Ratan Das	18-8	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
940	Brindabanbihary Lal	16-5	Arrah Zila School.
	Buchi Thakur	24-1	W. H. E. School, Supaul.
	Budhenath Govind Rai	17	Private Student.
	Byabastha, Khitischandra	18-6	Panitras H. E. School.
	Cachari, Jogendranath	22-6	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Chaki, Anathbandhu	20-4	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Balaram	23-10	Nilphamari High School.
	„ Kshitischandra	20-2	Pabna Zila School.
	Chakrabarti, Abanimohan	18-9	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	„ Abhaypada	17-2	Hughli Branch School.
950	„ Abinaschandra	21-8	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Amargobinda	20-2	Salap H. E. School.
	„ Anathbandhu	20-3	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	„ Annadacharan	19-8	Private Student, Roll Com. P. 3.
	„ Annadacharan	18-5	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Annadacharan	18-2	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Anukulmadhab	20-1	Jenkins' School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Asutosh	17-5	Baradi H. E. School.
	„ Baidyanath	16-2	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Basantakumar	21-7	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
960	„ Benimadhab	20-1	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	„ Bhabeschandra	19	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Bolanath	17-5	Maliara H. E. School.
	„ Bhupendranarayan	18-1	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	„ Bhupendranath	19-11	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	22-2	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 49.
	„ Bidhubhushan	17-8	Arun Chandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	„ Bimalacharan	19-4	Raina H. E. School.
	„ Bipinkrishna	20-2	Private Student, Roll Ber. P. 6.
	„ Bishwanath	16	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	„ Chandrabhushan	21-10	Sohagpur Syamkisor H. E. School.
970	„ Chandrakumar	19-1	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	„ Chandramohan	19-10	Dattapara Ramratan H. E. School.
	„ Debendrakisor	22-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Debendranath	18-8	Dattapara Ramratan H. E. School.
	„ Dharanidhar	18-3	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendranath	16-10	Ripon Collegiate School.
	„ Digindranath	18-10	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	„ Dinendranath	16-6	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Dineshchandra	21-5	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
980	„ Durgapada	17-3	Ranchi Zila School.
	„ Dwijendrakisor	19	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Dwijendrakumar	19-2	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Dwijendrakumar	18	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	„ Dwijendranath	19-1	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Haribhushan	21-3	Jagabandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	„ Haricharan	18-1	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Harihar	22-1	Ajagorha H. E. School.
	„ Haripada	16-2	Saroatall P. C. Sen H. C. School.
	„ Hemchandra	18-5	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
990	„ Hirenchandra	18-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	„ Jadabchandra	16-1	Fatikcheri Coronation H. . School.
	„ Jadabchandra	18-1	Laruipur H. E. School.
	„ Jaminikanta	20-4	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	„ Janakinath	20-3	Baruipara Purnachandra Institution.
	„ Jatindrakumar	20	Teacher, Roll Deb. T. 1.

	Chakrabarti,	Jatindranath	.	21-1	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Jaygobinda .	.	16-8	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Jibankrishna	.	20-6	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,,	Jitendrachandra	.	20-3	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
1000	,,	Jitendranath	.	17-1	Chapra Zila School.
	,,	Jitendranath	.	21-1	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	,,	Jnanendramohan	.	19-7	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Jnanendranarayan	.	17-5	Private Student, Roll Pur. P. 9.
	,,	Jnanendranath	.	16-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Jnanendraprasad	.	16-4	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	.	19-10	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	.	19-2	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,,	Jogendrakumar	.	19	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 2.
	,,	Jogendranath	.	23-4	Naogaon K. D. H. E. School.
1010	,,	Jogeschandra	.	21-7	Radhanagar Majumdar Academy.
	,,	Jogeschandra	.	20-2	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Jyotishchandra	.	17	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,,	Kalidas	.	17-9	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,,	Kalipada	.	21-4	Jhikra H. E. School.
	,,	Kaliprasanna	.	18-7	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	,,	Kaminikanta	.	19-5	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	,,	Kantilal	.	19-10	Lakshimposha Durga Charan Institution.
	,,	Karunakanta	.	19-7	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	*Khagendrachandra	.	20-2	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
1020	,,	Khagendrakumar	.	18-1	Malkhanagar H. E School.
	,,	Krishnakisore	.	18-10	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnalal	.	19-6	Baghulia Bibhagdi H. E. School
	,,	Kshetranath	.	20-10	Patuakhali I. H. E. School.
	,,	Kshirodchandra	.	20	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,,	Kulachandra	.	20-8	Kishorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Kumudranjan	.	19-6	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Lalitmohan	.	20	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	.	22-4	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
	,,	Lilamayee	.	...	Private Student, Roll Bar., F. P. 1.
1030	,,	Mahananda	.	20-10	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Makhanlal	.	16-3	Katwalipara Union Institution.
	,,	Manindrakumar	.	20-7	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Manoranjan	.	19-3	Pusha High School.
	,,	Murarimohan	.	19-11	South, Goria Bompas Institution.
	,,	Nabodwipchandra	.	19	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,,	Nakulchandra	.	20-3	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Nakuleswar	.	20-1	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinkanta	.	18-3	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Nalinikumar	.	21-7	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
1040	,,	Nalinimohan	.	18-11	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,,	Narendrakrishna	.	16-3	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Narendranarayan	.	16-2	Banari H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	.	2 -7	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	.	16-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	,,	Narendranath	.	35-3	Private Student, Roll Jes. P. 8.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	.	17-7	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	.	17-3	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Nityananda	.	20	Paigram Kasba H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendrachandra	.	17-10	Bijhari H. E. School
1050	,,	Panchanan	.	21-11	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrashi.
	,,	Pannalal	.	17-8	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,,	Paresnath	.	17-4	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	,,	Pasupati	.	24	Teacher, Roll Puru. T. 1.
	,,	Phakirchandra	.	19-3	Islampur H. E. School.
	,,	Phanibhusan	.	20-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	.	17	Raja Surja Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,,	Prakashchandra	.	22-2	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,,	Pramathanath	.	18	Barisal Zila School.

1060	Chakrabarti,	Pramathanath	19-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Pramathanath	18-11	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Pramath	17-3	Lohajang High School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	19-3	Antshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Pratulchandra	17	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Priyabrata	16-10	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Priyanath	24-4	Lohajang High School.
	,,	Rabindranath	16-2	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Radhakanta	17-4	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Rajendrakumar	20	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,,	Rakhalchandra	20-7	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
1070	,,	Ramanath	19-5	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	,,	Ramanimohan	17-3	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,,	Ramdeb	19-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramendramohan	16-10	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	,,	Rammay	19	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Rampada	19-4	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Rohinikumar	19-10	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,,	Sachchitprasad	20-2	Private Student, Roll. Cal. P. 10.
	,,	Sailajananda	19-11	Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 9.
	,,	Sanatan	18-11	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
1080	,,	Saradindu	18-4	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,,	Saratchandra	17	Daulatpur H. E School.
	,,	Sasibhushan	19-3	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-8	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,,	Satischandra	19-11	Jaypur Lohagura Institution.
	,,	Satischandra	21-10	Muktagacha R. K. H E School.
	,,	Satischandra	19-2	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,,	Satyadeb	16-10	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	,,	Sibeswar	19-4	Digapatiya P N. High School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	16-7	Dumka Zila School.
1090	,,	Sitalchandra	18-1	Budge-Budge P. K. H. E. School.
	,,	Siteschandra	23-7	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,,	Sridhardas	18-6	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,,	Srimantaram	19-2	Noapara H. E. School.
	,,	Sudharchandra	17-10	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,,	Sudhindranath	17-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirananda	16-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Suranath	19-2	Chatmohar S. N. H E. School.
	,,	Surendrachandra	18-9	Raipura R. K. R. M Institution.
	,,	Surendrachandra II	19-4	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 20.
1100	,,	Surendrakumar	20-10	Harishchandra High School, Baniyachong.
	,,	Surendrakumar	18-11	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Surendrakumar	21-1	Private Student, R. M. Com. P. 7.
	,,	Sureschandra	16-10	Mankar H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	18-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Syamanath	19	Private Student, Roll Taki P. 1.
	,,	Umamohan	17-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Umapada	17-8	Jharia H. E. School.
	,,	Umeschandra	18-1	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Upendrakumar	20-8	Sitakunda H. E. School.
1110	Chakradhar	Prasad	16-1	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 39.
	,,	Prasad	16-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Chandbokaha	Miah	21-6	Malkhanagar H E. School.
	Chand,	Brajabihari	18-7	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiganj
	Chand	Mollah	21-2	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	Chanda,	Asutosh	20-2	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca
	,,	Chintaharan	16-11	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,,	Haripada	18-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	,,	Jaminikanta	17-4	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendranath	19-3	Teota Academy.
1120	,,	Jogeschandra	17-9	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-3	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	16-11	Narayanganj H. E. School.

	Chanda, Sukumar	.	18-2	Naogaon K. D. H. E. School.
	Chandatalukdar Gangacharan	.	21-10	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	Chandra, Bijaygobinda	.	19	Birbhum Zila School.
	,, Bijaykrishna	.	17-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Gobardhanchandra	.	17	Kalighat High School.
	,, Hemranjan	.	18-9	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	,, Kasinath	.	16-7	Mekligung H. E. School.
1130	,, Labanyakumar	.	20-5	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 68.
	,, Sukhendra	.	18-11	Arrah K. G. Academy.
	Chandrodeo Sahay	.	18	Gaya Zila School.
	Chandramani Tewary	.	19-2	Sree Visadhananda Saraswaty Vidyalaya.
	Chandra Narayan Choudhary	.	17-6	Samastipur H. E. School.
	Chandrika Prasad	.	18-11	Chapra Zila School.
	Changkakati, Loknath	.	20-3	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	Chathati, Birendranath	.	18-3	Autsahi R. N. H. E. School.
	Chattati, Rabilochan	.	16-3	Ditto.
	Chatterjee Mira	.		Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
1140	Chattopadhyay, Amarendranath	.	18-7	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,, Amulyacharan	.	18-3	Kukulia K. K. Institution.
	,, Amulyadhan	.	17-7	Dupliex College.
	,, Amulyakumar	.	25-1	Private Student, Roll Burn P. 10.
	,, Anantalal	.	18-10	Manbhum Victoria, Institution.
	,, Asutosh	.	21-7	Sarisha H. E. School.
	,, Atuleswar	.	20-5	Navrakonda H. E. School.
	,, Bacharam	.	20-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Baidyanath	.	17-5	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,, Baiknatha	.	16-5	Garbeta H. E. School.
1150	,, Bankimchandra		18-11	Sahebganj H. E. School.
	,, Barendranath	.	21-5	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,, Bholanath	.	16-4	Kalighat High School.
	,, Bholanath	.	16-10	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Bhudharnath	.	16-4	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath	.	16-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	.	18-11	Barasat Govt. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	.	18-9	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,, Bidhubhushan	.	17-2	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	,, Bijaygopal	.	16-7	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
1160	,, Binaybhushan	.	17-6	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Binaykrishna	.	16	Dupleix College.
	,, Birajkumar	.	19-4	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalna.
	,, Bisweswar	.	17-7	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,, Brajendrakumar	.	20-11	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,, Charuchandra	.	20-9	Baidyabati B. M. Institution.
	,, Daibakikumar	.	16-7	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Dakshinacharan		19-8	Rajagram A. S. School.
	,, Debendranath	.	22	Memari V. M. Institution.
	,, Debidas	.	19-3	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
1170	,, Dhirendranath	.	17-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Dibakar	.	17	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Digindrachandra	.	20-11	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,, Durgeskumar	.	18-1	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,, Girijabhushan	.	21-6	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Girindranath	.	19-4	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Gopaldas	.	17-3	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Gopeschandra	.	21-3	Armenitola Govt. High School.
	,, Gopipada	.	18-8	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	,, Harakrishna	.	21	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 27.
1180	,, Harendrakumar	.	18-3	Ukhora H. E. School.
	,, Harendranath	.	20	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	,, Haribandhu	.	17-1	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Harinarayan		17-10	Bassin Government High School.
	,, Haripada	.	17	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Hemantakumar	.	17-10	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,, Indubhshan I		17-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Iswarchandra	.	16-6	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,, Jagadischandra	.	21-3	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	,, Jasodakanta	.	19-1	Roll Birb; P. 8
1190	,, Jaykali	.	17-8	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,, Jitendranath	.	20-1	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,, Jitendrath	.	17-1	Serampur Union Institution.

	Chattopadhyay,	Jnanaranjan	17-5	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	,,	Jyotsnanath	17-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalikrishna	17-3	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,,	Kamadakumar	22-6	Sarskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Karunanidhan	17-3	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Kasinath	23-2	Searsol Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Krishnakumar	20-1	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
1200	,,	Krishnamohan	16-2	Panihati Trannath H. E. School
	,,	Kshetramohan	17-1	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,,	Kshirodbandhu	16-5	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	,,	Kumudbihari	18-4	Private Student, Roll Pab, P. 1.
	,,	Mahendranath	18-1	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Manimohan	18-4	Calcutta High School
	,,	Manimohan	18-6	Rahamatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Maniranjan	19-6	Sudhakar Pur H. E. School.
	,,	Nandagopal	19-5	Rangoon H. E. School.
	,,	Nandalal	16-6	Serajganj B. L. High School.
1210	,,	Naphalchandra	18-3	Calcutta Academy.
	,,	Narendranath	19-1	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Nikunjabihari	18-7	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Nilkanta	19-4	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Niradbaran	20-3	Barisal Zila School.
	,,	Nripendramohan	22-11	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,,	Panchanan	18-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Panchanan	13	Sijgram Hossenabad H. E. Schoo .
	,,	Pareschandra	18-8	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Pareschandra	19-1	Union Institution, Paikpara.
1220	,,	Paresnath	20-1	Baharu H. E. School.
	,,	Phanibhushan	17-7	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	18-3	Searsol Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Pramathamohan	18-7	Victoria H. E. School, Barnagore.
	,,	Pramathanath	22-5	Baruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	,,	Praphullachandra	17-1	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Praphullaranjan	19	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,,	Pratapchandra	17-10	Kishoregang H. E. School.
	,,	Pulinbihari	20-2	Serampur Collegiate School.
	,,	Rabindranath	16-1	Sibpur H. C. E. School.
1230	,,	Rabindranath	17-5	Bankura Zilla School.
	,,	Radhamohan	18-5	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	,,	Rasbihari	19-6	Guptipara, H. E. School.
	,,	Sachindranath	19-6	Itna H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	18-9	Private Student Roll, Cal. P. 81
	,,	Sailendranath	18-11	Malda Zila School.
	,,	Saktidhar	16-3	Manbhum Victoria Institution
	,,	Saktipada	22-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,,	Sanatkumar	16-10	Pulasdanga H. E. School.
	,,	Saratchandra	18-2	Bowbazar High School.–
1240	,,	Saratkumar	20-7	Malda Zila School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-11	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,,	Satvasadhan	17-10	Taltala H. E. School.
	,,	Saurindramohan	17-10	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,,	Sitapati.	21-3	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,,	Srimantadas	16-1	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Srischandra	18-2	Naihati Mahendra School.
	,,	Suchibrata	18-1	Kesab Academy.
	,,	Sudhansubhushan	20-5	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudansudeb	17-9	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
1250	,,	Sudhirkumar	18-11	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,,	Sukhalal	19-11	Kartickpur H. E. School.
	,,	Sukumar	17-3	Bowbazar High School.
	,,	Suprabhat	21-1	Jujersa Prannath Manna Institution.
	,,	Surendranath	19-7	Cotton Collegiate School,Gauhati.
	,,	Tarapada	16-10	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Tarapada	17-5	Santipur Municipal School.
	,,	Tarapada	18-3	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,,	Trisuldhari	18-7	Ukhara H. E. School.
	Chattoraj,	Ambujaksha	17-10	Raniganj H. E. School.

1260	Chattoraj, Balaram.	. . .	20-1	Jharia H. E. School.
	Chattree, Lovel H. P.	. .	18-8	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Chatur Bhuj Sahay	. .	19-5	Baley H. E. School, Rarh.
	Chaudhuri, Abinashchandra	. .	17-6	Jiluri Kripamoyi H. E. School.
	,, Amulyakumar	. .	20-7	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Amulyaratan	. . .	20-11	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Anantachandra	. .	21-3	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Anukulchandra	. .	19-4	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution.
	,, Basantakumar	. .	17-7	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	,, Bhubaneswar	. .	18-6	Jharia H. E. School.
1270	,, Bhupendranath	. .	20-1	Naldanga Bhusan H. E. School.
	,, Bhutranjan	. .	16-11	Ranigang H. E. School.
	,, Bibhuranjan	. . .	17-4	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Bidhubhusan	. . .	20-6	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Bijaychandra	. .	20-3	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Bimalananda	. . .	20-1	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Binaybhusan	. . .	20-6	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Bindhyeshwari Prd. Singh		19-1	Arrah Town School.
	,, Brajanath	. .	22-1	Gaibondha H. E. School.
	,, Chandrachur	. . .	19-1	Patiya High School.
1280	,, Debeschandra	. .	18-3	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,, Dhirendralal	. . .	16	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Dipaprasad	. . .	19	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Ganeschandra	.	17-9	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Gayatrikumar	. .	16-7	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	,, Harendranath	. .	18	Kendua Spry Institution.
	,, Himansubimal	. .	16	Patiya High School.
	,, Jatindramohan	. .	16	Ditto.
	,, Jotindranath	. .	18-4	Khoksa Janipur H. E. School.
	,, Jitendrakumar	. .	18-2	Comilla Zila School.
1290	,, Jitendramohan	. .	18-4	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,, Jogendramohan	. .	18-2	Barpeta Govt. High School.
	,, Jogeshchandra	. .	17-11	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Kalinarayan	. . .	19-10	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Kantilal	. . .	18-6	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	,, Kshitishchandra	. .	18-8	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Lalitchandra	. . .	19-10	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Lalitmohan	. .	18-11	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,, Madhurilata	. .	...	Maharani H. School, Darjeeling.
	,, Madhusudan	. . .	19-6	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
1300	,, Manoranjan	. .	20-1	Habiganj Govt. High School.
	,, Mohinimohan	. .	20	Jamsherpur B. N. School.
	,, Nageshchandra	. .	21	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	,, Nalinibhushan	. .	20-3	Harinbari H. E. School.
	,, Niradkumar	. . .	18-3	Jubilee High School, Sunamganj.
	,, Nirmalchandra	. .	16	Sapkania H. E. School.
	,, Nirmalprakas	. .	16-8	Chaibassa Zila School.
	,, Nisikanta	. . .	17	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,, Panchananda	. .	17-2	Barpeta Govt. High School.
	,, Phanindranath	. .	18-4	Chittagong Municipal School.
1310	,, Pramathanath	. .	20-8	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Prangopal	. . .	16-4	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	,, Praphullakumar	. .	17-3	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,, Prappullakumar	. .	17-11	Sibsagar Bezbara High School.
	,, Praphullakumar	. .	17-6	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	,, Prankrishna	. .	18-3	Basirhat H. E School.
	,, Pramadaranjan	. .	16-8	Satkania H. E. School.
	,, Pramodchandra	. .	16-3	Comilla Zilla School.
	,, Pyarimohan	. .	19	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh. Branch.
	,, Raghunath	. . .	20-1	Shillong Govt. High School.
1320	,, Rajibchandra	. .	16-6	Shillong Govt. High School.
	,, Ramendranath	. .	19-1	C. M. S St. Johns High School, Krishnagar.
	,, Rameshchandra	. .	19-3	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Rameshwar	. .	17-1	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,, Ramgopal	. . .	19-2	Nator Maharaja's High School
	,, Rashbihari	. . .	18	Ranchi Zila School.
	,, Sachindrakumar	. .	16-7	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur

	Chaudhuri	Santilata	...	Maharani School. Darjeeling
	,,	Sasadhar	20-7	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,,	Sasankamohan	20-2	Fatehabad H. E. S. School.
1330	,,	Satischandra	22-1	Feni High School
	,,	Satischandra	18	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Satyendrachandra	20-8	Coomilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Saurischandra	18-7	Inhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	19-11	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Srikrishna	19-6	Basirhat H. E. School.
	,,	Surendrabijay	19-1	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,,	Surendrachandra	16-10	Harischandra High School, Baniyachang.
	,,	Surendralal	18-2	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Sureschandra	21	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
1340	,,	Tariniprasad	19-11	Furnea Zila School.
	,,	Upendrakisor	16-6	Madaripur H. E. School.
	Chayan Uddin Mandal		16-6	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	Cherry Aumai		20-6	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Chin Khine		21-8	Akyab Govt. High School.
	Chit Khin		18-6	Rangoon Govt. High School
	Choudhury	Abdur Rahman	18-6	Mahtrun N. C Institution.
	,,	Mohammad Athhar Hossin	19	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	Chuckerbutty,	Sharojkumari	...	Gardner Memorial School, Calcutta.
	Dalilar	Rahaman	19-3	Sitakunda H. E. School.
1350	Daliluddin	Bepari	18-9	Banaripara Union Institution.
	Dam,	Dhirendranarayan	24-10	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	,,	Sureschandra	17-1	Kalwalipara Union Institution.
	Dan	Jagannath	17-11	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Darsbani	Lal	20-5	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Danda	Dwijendranath	19-5	Baradi H. E. School.
	,,	Sachindranath	17-5	Ditto.
	Daripa,	Ramnath	18	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	Darajjuddin	Ahmed	20-2	Debigunj N. N. H. E. School.
	Das,	Abalakanta	19-1	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
1360	,,	Abinaschandra	22-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Akshaykumar	18-9	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Akshayakumar	17-6	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	,,	Amarendranath	18-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Amritalal	20-1	New India School, Calcutta.
	,,	Amulyaratan	16-2	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Anangamohan	20-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,,	Anantakumar	19-2	Siddhakati H. E School.
	,,	Aswinikumar	21-10	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,,	Atulchandra	19-11	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
1370	,,	Bacharam	20-11	Harinabhee H. E. School.
	,,	Bahuballabh	17-7	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,,	Baidyanath	17	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,,	Baikunthanath	26-4	Private Student Roll Kat. P. 2.
	,,	Baladeb	19-11	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,,	Banabasu	23-8	Private Student Roll Gau. P. 9.
	,,	Banamali	21-1	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,,	Bijayratan	18	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Bikramaditya	19	Serajganj B. C. High School.
	,,	Binandachandra	24-1	Private Student, Roll Gau. P. 10.
1380	,,	Binaybhushan	21-1	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,,	Binaybhushan	22-11	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Binaychandra	22-1	Armenitola Govt. High School.
	,,	Binodbihari	22-1	Radhanagar Majumdar Academy.
	,,	Bipinbihari	18-7	Barpeta Govt. High School.
	,,	Birendranath	20-2	Raja Girishchandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Biswanath	19-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Brajendrakumar	18-10	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,,	Brajanath	18-1	Khurda H. E. School.
	,,	Chandicharan	18-7	Jorasanko High School.
1390	,,	Chandicharan	18-8	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Chandranath	17-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.

	Das,	Charuchandra	18-11	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Daityari	17-10	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,,	Debendranath	16-5	Sonatala H. E. School.
	,,	Debendranath	23	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Debeschandra	19-2	Murapara Victoria H E. School.
	,,	Dhaneswar	17-2	Sonaram Aided High School.
	,,	Dhirindrakumar	22	Silchar Govt. High School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	21-10	Malda Zila School.
1400	,,	Dhirendranath	26-5	Andul H. C. E. School.
	,,	Digindranath	18-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Dinabandhu	16-4	Satkania H. E. School.
	,,	Gangeschandra	17-10	Krishnagar Collegiate School
	,,	Ganeschandra	16-2	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,,	Girischandra	22-5	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Girischandra	25	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	,,	Girindramohan	15-1	Dhubri High School.
	,,	Gobindacharan	17-10	K. D. Institutions, Katwa.
	,,	Gobindalal	18-1	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
1410	,,	Gobindaprasad	19-4	Kirnahar Sibchandra H. C. E. School.
	,,	Gokulananda	18-7	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Gopalchandra	19-7	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,,	Haramohan	19-1	Bagribari H. N. Seminary.
	,,	Haranchandra	22	Baghbazar High School.
	,,	Haripada	18-1	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,,	Haripada	17-8	Dabiganj N. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Haripada	17-9	Dinajpur H E. School.
	,,	Haripada	19-10	Calcutta High School.
	,,	Hariprasad	21-11	Manikganj H E. School.
1420	,,	Hemchandra	18	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Indubhushan	16-8	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	,,	Indramohan	23-2	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,,	Indranath	17-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Jadabchandra	17-5	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	,,	Jadunath	19-11	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,,	Jagadischandra	18-10	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,,	Jagannohan	17-9	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	,,	Jagatbandhu	19-7	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,,	Jaminimohan	20-11	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
1430	,,	Janardan	20-3	Khararia H. E. School.
	,,	Jatindramohan	18-11	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Jatindramohan	17-1	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	,,	Jatindranath	17-6	Jafarnagar H. E. School.
	,,	Jaygopal	18-2	Jajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Jitendranath	17-9	Taltala High School.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	17-10	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	,,	Kaliprasanna	18-2	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,,	Kantieharan	17-10	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	,,	Kapileswar	22-2	Sambalpur H E. School.
1440	,,	Kasinath	24-1	Mirtunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Kokilchandra	17-1	Dibrugarh George Institution.
	,,	Krishnadas	16-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,,	Krishnachandra	23-5	Jagabandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,,	Kshitischandra	19-10	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,,	Kunjabihari	21	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Lalbihari	16-1	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,,	Lingaraj	21-8	Katak Town Victoria High School.
	,,	Madhusudan	20-8	Goalpara Govt. High School.
	,,	Mahananda	20	Private student Roll Mal. P. 4.
1450	,,	Mahananda	16-9	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	,,	Mahendrachandra	23-11	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Makhanlal	18-2	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	,,	Malinchandra	18-2	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,,	Manmathanath	20-6	Bogra Zila School.
	,,	Mukundachandra	20-4	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	,,	Nabakumar	21-7	Sitakunda H. E. School.
	,,	Nabakumar	19-11	Patiya High School.
	,,	Nagendrabhushan	18-7	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-11	Baisari H. E. School.

1460	Das, Nagendranarayan	18-5	Barpeta Govt. High School.
	,, Nalinikanta	16-6	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Nanigopal	17-3	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Nanigopal	18-8	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Natabar	19	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Nilkanta	18-11	Pabna Institution.
	,, Niradbaran	17-10	Jorasanko High School.
	,, Nityananda	22-10	Noakhali, Chalkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,, Nripendrakumar	17-6	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Nripendranath	18-3	Harinabhi A. S. School.
1470	,, Padaballabh	17-6	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,, Panchugopal	17-6	E. I. R. Aided H. E. School, Asansol.
	Dasdas, Parimalchandra	19-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Das, Paritosh	17-8	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Pasupati	22-3	Private Student. Roll Cal. P. 78.
	,, Prabodhchandra	17-2	Calcutta High School.
	,, Prabodhchandra	19-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Prabodhkumar	18-8	Nandigram Carmichael Institution.
	,, Praphullachandra	20-2	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,, Praphullachandra	17-3	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
1480	,, Praphullakumar	16-3	Balurghat H. E. School.
	,, Praphullakumar	17-2	Banvarinagar Coronation Banomali High School.
	,, Pratulchandra	18-10	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,, Purnendunarayan	19-11	Kandi Raj H E. School.
	,, Radhagobinda	18-8	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Radhamohan	17-11	Balurhat H. E. School.
	,, Radhikaranjan	16-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,, Raghunath	20-1	Puri Zila School.
	,, Raimohan	19	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Rajanikanta	20-6	Mugberia H. E. School.
1490	,, Rajendrachandra	21-5	Hussan Ali Jubilee High School Chandpur.
	,, Ramanimohan	16-3	Patiya High School
	,, Ramanimohan	18-5	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,, Ramanath	16-11	Khalishpur H. E. School
	,, Rameschandra	16-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,, Rameschandra	20-5	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Rameschandra	20-8	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,, Ramkanai	22-10	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Ramrenu	18-10	Kotalpur H. E. School.
	,, Rebatimohan	18	Sholak Balajor Union Institution.
1500	,, Sachinandan	16	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Sailendranath	18-10	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,, Sankarlal	19-1	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	,, Saradacharan	19-3	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Saratkumar	23-2	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Sasibhushan	19	Private Student Roll Syl. P. 6.
	,, Sasibhushan	19-4	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,, Sasimohan	23-3	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,, Satischandra	19-8	Birbhum Zila School.
	,, Satischandra	19-9	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
1510	,, Satischandra	20-9	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	,, Satischandra	17-1	Patuakhali J. H E. School.
	,, Satischaran	18-2	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Satyakumar	17-7	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	,, Saubhagini	...	Ravenshaw Girls' School, Katak.
	,, Shukchand	19-3	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Sitalchandra	24-11	Fatehpur K. G. H. E. School.
	,, Sonaram	17-8	Tezpur Govt. High School.
	,, Srimantachandra	18-2	Feni High School.
	,, Sripaticharan	19-1	Krishna Kamini Institution, Pingla.
1520	,, Subodhchandra	19-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Sudamcharan	19-11	Balasore Zila School.
	,, Sukumar	19-5	Bankura Zilla School.
	,, Surendrachandra	20-11	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School.

	Das, Surendramohan	. . .	22-2	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Surendramohan	. .	19-6	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	„ Surendranath	. . .	19-8	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	„ Tarinikanta	. . .	22-11	Kendua Spry Institution.
	„ Trailakyanath	. . .	18-8	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Umacharan	. . .	18-4	Ikhra B. B. H. E School.
1530	„ Umeschandra	. . .	21-8	Baradi H. E. School.
	„ Solomon	. . .	17-1	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	Daschaudhuri, Goshthabihari	. .	17-11	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Krishnamohan	. .	17-11	Abhayapur Abhayeswari High School.
	„ Praphullachandra	.	16-7	Silchar Government High School.
	Dasdas, Jitendrakumar	. .	16-11	Ilsoba Mandlai H. E. School.
	Dasgupta, Abanikanta	.	21-1	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	„ Anantakumar	. .	19-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca
	„ Bhupendrachandra	. .	18-7	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Birendrachandra	. .	20	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
1540	„ Birajmohan	. . .	19-10	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	„ Bijayananda	. .	17-10	Comilla Zila School
	„ Bimalbhusan	. .	19-11	Panditsar H. E. School.
	„ Debicharan	. . .	19-10	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Dhirendranath	.	20-2	Bogra Zila School
	„ Girijaprasanna	. .	18-8	Sylhet Government High School.
	„ Harshanath	. .	22-9	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	„ Hemantakumar	.	19	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Hemendralal	. . .	16-1	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	„ Indubhushan	. . .	18-5	Jaypur Phakirdas Institution.
1550	„ Jatindramohan	.	25-5	Teacher, Roll Mal. T. S.
	„ Jatindranath	. . .	17-1	Kailas Ranjan H. E School Rangpur.
	„ Jatindranath	. . .	19-1	Kishoreganj . E. School.
	„ Jitendranath	. . .	17-7	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	„ Joytirmay	. . .	16-11	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	„ Kantibhushan	. .	17-1	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School
	„ Khagendrachandra	. .	17-8	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Kshitendraprasanna	.	17-6	Khulna Zilla School.
	„ Kiranchandra	. . .	17	Barisal Braja Mohan Institution.
	„ Krishnaranjan	. .	18	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
1560	„ Madhusudan	. . .	18-11	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Manindrakumar	. .	18-6	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Mohinmohan	. .	18-7	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Narescharan	. . .	17-7	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Narendranath	. .	16-1	Barisal Braja Mohan Institution.
	„ Nagendranath	. .	17	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	„ Pramodecharan	. .	17-1	Kotwalipara Union Institution.
	„ Pramathanath	. .	19-2	Kaitikpur H. E. School.
	„ Praphullamohan	. .	17-11	Hare School, Calcutta
	„ Punarbasu	. . .	17-1	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
1570	„ Rabindranath	. .	22-6	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Sachikanta	. . .	19-3	Ram Mohon Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	„ Sachindrakumar	. .	21	Kurigram H. E. School.
	„ Sailendranath	. . .	18-2	Pusha High School.
	„ Saradacharan	. .	22-1	Kirtiposa P. K. Institution.
	„ Satyendranath	. .	16-5	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Satischandra	. . .	18-1	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Sibaprasanna	. . .	20-1	Perojpur Government High School.
	„ Sisirkumar	. . .	18-7	Puruha Zila School.
	„ Sisirkumar	. . .	16-3	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
1580	„ Sisuranjan	. . .	16-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	„ Siteschandra	. . .	19-11	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	„ Srischandra	. . .	16-5	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Sudhansubinod	. .	18-2	Serajganj B. L. H. E. School.
	„ Sudhansumohan	. .	17-11	Khulna Zila School.
	„ Sudhendubhushan	. .	20-5	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	„ Sudhircharan	. . .	18	Nilphamari High School.

	Dasgupta, Sudhirchandra	.	17-11	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,, Sukhendrachandra	.	18-10	Darjeeling High School.
	,, Sure-chandra	.	19-1	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
1590	,, Susilchandra	.	16-10	Central Coronation School, Duptara.
	,, Surendrakumar	.	19-10	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	.	16-4	Bhanga High School.
	,, Upendranath	.	16-11	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Upendranath	.	17-6	Dacca Pogose School.
	Daskarmakar, Rajnarayan	.	16-6	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta
	Dasmahanta, Purnachandra	.	17-7	Pabna Institution.
	Daspurkayastha, Saileschandra	.	17-8	Raja Girishchandra High School, Sylhet.
	Dasray, Khagendrachandra	.	19-11	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Dastidar, Pulinbihari	.	17-5	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
1600	,, Sudhansubimal	.	18-1	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	Datta, Adyanath	.	18-5	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,, Amulyaratan	.	16-1	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,, Amulyaratan	.	18-2	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Annadacharan	.	17-5	Harina Chalitatali Edward Institution.
	,, Asitchandra	.	17-9	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,, Asutosh	.	19-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Asutosh	.	17-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta
	,, Atulkrishna	.	18-10	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,, Baidyanath II	.	19-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1610	,, Bankimchandra	.	18-11	Baradi H. E. School.
	,, Bidyutprakas	.	17-9	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Binodbihari	.	20	Sylhet Government High School.
	,, Birendrakumar	.	18-2	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,, Brajendrakumar	.	20-7	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Brajendranath	.	24-3	Banaripara Union Institution.
	,, Chandrakanta	.	20-1	Debrugarh Government High School.
	,, Charuchandra	.	18-3	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Durgadas	.	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Dwarkanath	.	21-1	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
1620	,, Gaurlal	.	21-10	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Gaurmohan	.	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Gaurnath	.	17-8	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,, Girindrachandra	.	19-7	Puthia P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Girindrachandra	.	17-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Gokulchandra	.	17-8	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Haralal	.	19-7	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,, Harendrakrishna	.	17-6	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Harendranath	.	18-6	Barisal Brojamohan Institution.
	,, Haridas	.	20-10	Dainhat H. E. School.
1630	,, Haripada	.	16-1	Mahestala H. E. School.
	,, Hemchandra	.	20-1	Sherpur, Victoria Academy.
	,, Himansubimal	.	21-2	Chittagong National Institution.
	,, Hridayranjan	.	19-6	Patriga High School.
	,, Indunarayan	.	16-5	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Iswarchandra	.	17-3	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	,, Janakinath	.	17-10	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,, Jatindrakrishna	.	17-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Jatindramohan	.	18-4	Salkia A. S. School.
	,, Jatindranath	.	19-7	Chinsurah Training Academy.
1640	,, Jitendramohan	.	17-7	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,, Jitendranath	.	18-1	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Jogendranath	.	19-2	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,, Jogendranarayan	.	19-0	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Jitendranath	.	20-3	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Jnanendra	.	21-2	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,, Jugalkrishna	.	18-11	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Jyotishchandra	.	23-2	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,, Jyotishchandra	.	18-0	Dacca Colligeate School.
	,, Kangalicharan	.	17-9	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.

1650	Datta,	Kantibhushan	16-1	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	,,	Kartik Ch.	18-2	Salkia A. S. School.
	,,	Kiranchandra	19-5	Senhati High School.
	,,	Kshitischandra	23-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,,	Lalmohan	20-8	Satkania H. E. School.
	,,	Lokesnath	16-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Mahendranath	17	Pabna Institution.
	,,	Maheschandra	18	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Manindrakumar	19-9	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-1	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	16-9	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
1660	,,	Nakulchandra	16-8	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Narayanchandra	19-3	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Narendrakrishna	18	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,,	Narendranath	17-11	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	,,	Narendranath	21-1	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,,	Narendranath	26-1	Raina H. E. School.
	,,	Nibaranchandra	19-7	Irhhala K. M. Institution.
	,,	Niradranjan	18-5	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,,	Nirendralal	21-2	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
1670	,,	Nisikanta	17-9	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Pabitrakumar	20-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Panchukrishna	21-1	S. C. Institution, Udaynarayanpur.
	,,	Paresnath	17-1	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Parimal	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	,,	Phanindrakumar	20	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	21-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Prabodhkumar	19-3	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Premananda	16	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
	,,	Purnachandra	18-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
1680	,,	Purnendubhushan	16-3	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rabindranath	27-9	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Rabindranath	18-10	Sarisha H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendralal	18-8	Rangdia H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendranath	17-6	Khalishpur H. E. School.
	,,	Rajendranath	18-4	Gaila H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra II	20-2	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Rameshchandra	20	Ranchi Zila School.
	,,	Ramkrishna	16-11	Joypur Lohagara Institution.
	,,	Ramratan	18-11	Raniganj H. E. School.
1690	,,	Rasaraj	18-11	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Rasiklal	20-3	Nagarpar Jodunath High School.
	,,	Rohinikumar	20-6	R. K. Jubilee High School, Noakhali.
	,,	Sachindrakumar	18-3	Khilpara H. E. School.
	,,	Sadhuranjan	16-5	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Salilkrishna	18-10	Morton Institution Calcutta.
	,,	Santasaran	18-2	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-2	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,,	Satischandra	19-4	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,,	Satyakumar	21-1	Tajhat H. E. School.
1700	,,	Satyacharan	17-11	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chowdhuri H E. School
	,,	Satyendramohan*	16-2	Zila School, Muzaffarpur.
	,,	Satyendranath	17-8	Syambazar Vidya Sagar School.
	,,	Sibaprasanna	18-11	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-1	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sukomalchandra	18-5	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Surendranath	20	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Surendranath	17-8	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	20-4	Durgapur H. E School.
	,,	Sureschandra	16	Gabha H. E. School.
1710	,,	Sureschandra	20-7	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
	,,	Susilchandra*	16-1	Silchar Government High School.
	,,	Tarakinkar	18-3	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,,	Tirthabasi	18-1	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Upendrakisore	22-11	Raipura R. K. R M. Institution
	,,	Upendrakumar	21-11	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	Dattachaudhuri	Dhaneschandra	16-9	Baijitpur H. E. School.

	Dattachaudhuri Surajmohan	17	Jessore Sanmilani Institution.
	Dattagupta Amulyadhan	23	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	Dattaray Benimadhab	19-11	Giridih H. E. School.
1720	Dattaray Sukharanjan	19-3	Private Student, Roll Din. P. 5.
	Davidson Samuel	22-2	Private Student Roll Mand. P. 3.
	Dayashankar Prasad	19	Arrah Town School.
	De, Abanibhushan	19-1	Serampur, Union Institution.
	„ Abinaschandra	17-5	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Amarendrakumar	17-5	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Amritaratan	19-3	Halisahar H. E. School.
	„ Anukulchandra	17-11	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	„ Aparnacharan	21-1	Chittagong National Institution.
	„ Aswinikumar	18-1	Ditto.
1730	„ Aswinikumar	22-1	Pingna H. E. School.
	„ Aswinikumar	19-10	Sinhergaon Gobinda High School.
	„ Atulchandra	21-6	Fatehpur K. J. H. E. School.
	„ Balaichand	18-8	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Bankimchandra	17-3	Taltala High School.
	„ Bankubihari	18-9	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Baradaprasad	21	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	„ Batakrishna	17-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Batakrishna	18-1	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
	„ Bhupendranath	17-10	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
1740	„ Bibhutibhushan	18-1	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Bidhubhushan	20-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Bimalranjan	17-3	Hailakandi V. M. H. E. School.
	„ Binodbihari	19-5	Private Student, Roll Mym. P. 1.
	„ Binodbihari	19-5	Jafarnagar H. E. School.
	„ Brajendranath	20-1	Barisal Brojomohun Institution.
	„ Chandrasekhar	19-3	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	„ Dayalchandra	18	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	„ Debendrachandra	20-1	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.
	„ Debendrakumar	20	Netrakona Dutt High School.
1750	„ Dhirendranath	16-5	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	„ Digindranath	19-5	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	„ Durlabhchandra	17-1	Jorasanko High School.
	„ Dwijendranarayan	16-3	Union Institution Brahmanbhita.
	„ Dwijendranath	19-6	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	„ Ganganarayan	21-2	Jorasanko High School.
	„ Gaurmohan	19-6	Midnapur Town School.
	„ Girishchandra	22-1	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	„ Girischandra	20	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Goloknath	17	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
1760	„ Harendrachandra	17-5	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Haripada	17-7	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Hridayballabh	17-1	P. M. Academy Katak.
	„ Hridaychandra	21-9	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	„ Jagatchandra	22-9	Mritunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Jaminikumar	20-7	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Jatindramohan	19-3	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Jatindramohan	20-5	Palong H. E. School.
	„ Jatindramohan	18-10	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	„ Jatindranath	18-4	Midnapur Collegiate School.
1770	„ Jaykrishna	16-2	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Jnanendranath	17-11	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Jnanendranath	18-7	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Jogendralal	16-8	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Jogeschandra	17-11	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Jogeschandra	18-2	Arrya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Kalipada	16-3	Bhola Government High School.
	„ Kalipada	21	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	„ Krishnacharan	18-10	Nawabganj Harimohan Institution.
	„ Labonyaprabha		Christ Church School, Calcutta
1780	„ Madhabchandra	19-11	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Maniudranath	19-8	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	„ Manomohan	17-3	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.

	De, Nabadwipchandra	17-2	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	„ Nagendrachandra	18-10	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Nagendranath	22-3	Pirojpur Government High School.
	„ Nalinbihari	17-7	Dumka Zilla School.
	„ Nalinikanta	22	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	„ Nirmalchandra	19-1	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Nitaichand	17	Hughli Branch School.
1790	„ Prabhaschandra	17-1	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Prabhatchandra	19-2	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	„ Prabodhchandra	17-11	Dumka Zilla School.
	„ Praphullachandra	21-4	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Prasadchandra	16-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Pulinbihari	18-2	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	„ Purnachandra	23-1	Jafarnagar H. E. School.
	„ Rabindrakrishna	16-10	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Rabindranath	21-4	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Radhikamohan	19	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
1800	„ Rajendrachandra	18-1	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	„ Rajendralal	21	Lohajang High School.
	„ Ramakanta	22-5	Palong H. E. School.
	„ Ramanimohan	20-3	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	„ Rameschandra	20-2	Fatehpur K. J. H. E. School.
	„ Rohinikumar	18-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Rohinikumar	21-5	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Sachchidananda	20-6	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	„ Sambhucharan	18-8	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Saradacharan	19-2	Chittagong H. E. School.
1810	„ Saradacharan	17	Patiya High School.
	„ Sasibhushan	17-8	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Sasikanta	20-10	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Sasikanta	19-2	Muktagacha R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	18-1	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	19	Jorasanko High School.
	„ Satischandra	16-7	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	21-1	Sinhergaon Gobinda High School.
	„ Satischandra	19-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Subalchanda	19-1	Chittagong National Institution.
1820	„ Surendrasundar	21-7	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Surendrachandra	18-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Surendrachandra	19-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	„ Surendrachandra	21	Sonarang High School.
	„ Surendrakumar	23-3	Bijhari H. E. School.
	„ Surendralal	21-1	Patiya High School.
	„ Surendralal	18-8	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	„ Suryyakumar	22-2	Jhalakati Government High School.
	Deb, Herambamohan	18-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Jogeschandra	17-6	Harina Chalitatali Edward Institution.
1830	„ Kaminikumar	17-9	Habiganj Government High School.
	„ Khagendramohan	18-6	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Khagendranath	18	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	„ Kshetramohan	19-6	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„ Manindrachandra	16-3	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	„ Manindranarayan	20	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Rameschandra	16-2	Kurigram H. E. School.
	„ Santoshkumar	17-4	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Satishchandra	23-6	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	„ Sitalkrishna	16-3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School Calcutta.
1840	„ Sureschandra	18-3	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Syamaprasanna	16-7	Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	Debbarma, Amarendrachandra	21-7	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	Dablaskar, Sasikumar	18-6	Silchar Government High School.
	Debmallik, Mahadebchandra	18-4	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Debnath, Umeschandra	18	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
	Debsarkar, Biharimohan	18-1	Raipur L. C. H. E. School.

	Debsarma, Bhumidhar	17-10	Cotton Collegiate School.
	„ Ratikanta	19-2	Abhayapuri Abhayeswari High School.
	„ Harisadhan	18-5	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
1850	Desarkar, Birendrakumar	17-10	Balasare Zila School.
	„ Dineschandra	20-2	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Nilratan	19-5	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Dee, Gertrude	...	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Delwar Hossain Khan	18-3	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Deonath	18-11	Ranchi St. Pauls' High School.
	Deoki Nandan Prasad Singh	16-4	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Deonandan Prosad	17-1	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	Deo Krishna Dube	16-7	Saran Academy Chapra.
	„ Lall Sinha	22	Hajipur H. E. School.
1860	„ Sharan Sinha	17	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Deoki Nandan	20-7	Behar H. E. School.
	Detapadar, Radharaman	17-10	Lohajang High School.
	Devi Prasad	21-1	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Devi Prasad Rimal	17-5	Darbar School, Nepal.
	Dewan, Abaniranjan	19	Rangamati H. E. School.
	„ Mahammad Jaher Bakht	17-3	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Raisuddin Ahmed	25	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Dewati, Beharilal	17-1	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	Deka, Dhaniram	19-6	Cotton Collegiate School.
1870	Dhannoolall Johoory	17-4	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	Dhar, Chandramohan	20-1	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	„ Debendranath	20-2	Private Student Roll Deb. P. 4.
	„ Gaurchandra	20-1	Jafarnagar H. E. School.
	„ Gopinath	17	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Hrishikes	18-3	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Jnanendranath	20-2	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Manindranarayan	17	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	„ Niradlal	17-1	East Bengal Institution Dacca.
	„ Phelaram	17-2	Jaypur Phakirdas Institution.
1880	„ Pramathanath	19-5	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	„ Sibanarayan	23-7	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Srischandra	22-9	Private Student Roll Sil. P. 7.
	„ Surendrakumar	18	Feni High School.
	Dhara, Ramprasad	22	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Umapada	19-6	Sijgram Hossenabad H. E. School.
	Dharmanath Ram	17	Chapra Zila School.
	Dharamraj Sinha	19-4	Tikariraj H. C. E. School.
	Dhir Narayan Lall	18-10	T. N. Jubilee Colligiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Dhonesh Dutta Tewari	17-2	Chapra Collegiate School.
1890	Dhali, Bhagabanchandra	17-2	Mathura Nath Instituttion, Gopalganj.
	Dhawa, Lalitmohan	20-10	Amta H. E. School.
	Didwania Chaturbhuj	17-8	T. N. Jubilee Colligiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Dinanath Sahai	20-11	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Dineshwari Charan	23-7	Ditto.
	Dineshwar Prasad	18-5	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Dirghangi, Nanigopal	18-1	Amta H. E. School.
	Deokant Jha	17-4	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
	Ditchit, Kokilprasad	19-10	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Diwan Fazalar Rahaman	22-1	Salap H. E. School.
1900	D. Krishna Rao	23-2	Private student Roll Cal. P. 43.
	Dora, Ramchandra	17-7	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	Dobey, Mohanlal	18-11	Dacca Kisorilal Jubilee School.
	„ Syamacharan	20	Meherpur H. E. School.
	Durgagati Lall	18-5	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E School.
	Durga Prasad Varma	17-2	G.B.B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Dutt, Sushama	...	Brahmo Girl's School, Calcutta.
	Eakub Ali Khan	19-2	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Ebad Ulla Sarkar	16-4	Ullapara Merchants' High School.

	Ebarat Ali Khan	18-1	Mahima Ranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakina.
1910	Edward	16-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Effatulla Ahamed . . .	21-1	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Einy, Sarah	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Elahi Bukhsh	18-8	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Elias Hosen . . .	17-6	Khulna Zila School.
	Emajuddin Ahmed Chowdhury .	19-1	Debigunj N. N. H. E. School.
	Emdad Biswas	21-1	Khoksa-Janipur H. E. School.
	Emmanuel, John	19-7	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Emmanuel Ossie Tirki . . .	20-1	Ditto.
	Emsad Ali Khan	23-1	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
1920	Emtazuddin Ahamed . . .	23-4	Bhanga High School.
	Enamal Hossain	16-2	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	Ephrinton	17-11	Shillong Government High School.
	Eradot Hossain Sirker . . .	20-7	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	Ershad Ulla Mia	18-7	Noakhali Zila School.
	Esak Ali Pramanik . .	17-9	Pabna Zila School.
	Essa Haque Khandker . . .	18-1	Kuripgram H. E. School.
	Eue Maung Sein, III . . .	18-7	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Eusofuddin Sarkar . . .	28-7	Private Student, Roll Bog. P. 3.
	Eusufali Mandal	21-6	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
1930	Ezheruddin Ahmed . .	20-11	Tangail Bindubasini H. E. School.
	Fakir Muhammad Khan . . .	17-4	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	Fakiruddin Mandal . . .	21-3	Sijgram Hosainnabad H. E. School.
	Faridnddin Ahmed . . .	25-8	Kurigram H. E. School.
	Fasahat Hussain Khan . . .	17-9	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Fayaz Udddin	18-2	Gaya Zila School.
	Fazar Ali Mia	18-4	Dacca Imperial Semenary.
	Fazer Biswas	18-7	Jessore Zila School.
	Fazle Uddin Ahamed . . .	19-1	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Fazler Rahaman	18-7	Baburhut H. E. School.
1940	Fazlul Haque	17-4	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Huq Khan . . .	20-1	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Fazlur Rahim . . .	17-6	Taltala High School.
	,, Rahman . .	18-8	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	,, Rahman . . .	18	Monghyr Zila School.
	Gadadhar Mishra	18-4	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	Gagandeo Narayan . . .	27-4	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Gahur Ali Mea . . .	19-10	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	Gain, Sasibhushan . . .	20-9	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	Ganesh Ram	21	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 13.
1950	Ganga Prasad	17	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Ganga Prasad	24-9	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 10.
	Gangadhar Sandha	21-9	Sambalpur Zilla School.
	Gangasagor Dubay	16-2	Sri Vishudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Gangopadhyay, Akhileswar . .	18	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Baltali.
	,, Asutosh . . .	17-10	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Bibhutibhushan .	17-5	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Bikaskumar . .	16-1	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Bireswar . .	20-9	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Chintamani . .	19-5	Janai Training School.
1960	,, Dhirendrachandra .	19-7	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Girindramohan .	18-2	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	,, Harigopal . .	17-2	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
	,, Haripada . .	19-3	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	,, Hemchandra . .	17-2	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	,, Indubhushan . .	22-7	Garalgacha H. E. School.
	,, Janakinath . .	23-5	Paschimgoan Barlarunnissa High School.
	,, Jnanranjan . .	17-6	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,, Kalachand .	21-5	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,, Kalicharan . .	18-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
1970	,, Kalikrishna . .	17-7	Harinavi A. S. School.
	,, Kirtischandra . .	19	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,, Kshitischandra .	17-1	Khalia Rajaram Institution.

	Gangopadhyay, Lalitmohan	18	Bowbazar High School.
	,, Lalitmohan	19	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,, Lalitmohan	20-5	Syambazar Vidyasagor School.
	,, Lalitmohan	23-11	S. C. Institution, Udaynarayanpur.
	,, Manindramohan	17-9	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Manmathanath	16-7	Khararia H. E. School.
	,, Nalinikanta	18-11	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
1980	,, Nalinranjan	22-4	Naldah H E. School.
	,, Narendrachandra	18-2	Private Student, Roll Chi. P. 6.
	,, Pramathanath	25-5	Private Student, Roll Cal., P. 11.
	,, Pulinbihari	21-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Rabindranath	21-11	Panchuthupi T. N. Institution.
	,, Ramanimohan	19	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,, Ramchandra	22	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,, Ratanmohan	17-3	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Sachindranath	17-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Syamlal	20-11	Kalaskati H. E. School.
1990	,, Syamsundar	17-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Tarapada	18-3	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Tinkari	20-9	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	Ganguli, Mahendranath	18-2	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	Gauri Shanker, I	23-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Gauri Sanker, II	21-11	Private Student.
	Gaya Prasad	17	Buxar H. E. School.
	Gaya Prasad	23-2	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 4.
	Ghanshyam Prasad Singh	19-11	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Ghatak, Abinaschandra	17-5	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
2000	,, Akshaykumar	18-7	Taltala High School.
	,, Basantakumar	16-1	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath	20	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	,, Jitendranath	19-3	Barrackpur Govt. School.
	,, Kantichandra	20-7	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Manomohan	18-10	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,, Shorasimohan	16-10	Okersa H. E. School.
	Ghosh, Abanikanta	18-2	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Abanikanta	19-10	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	,, Ahibhushan	18-10	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
2010	,, Amalkrishna	17-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Amarendranath	21-2	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	,, Amulyachandra	18-3	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,, Amulyakrishna	21-7	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,, Amulyakumar	18-1	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,, Anilkrishna, I	19-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Anilkrishna, II	16-10	Ditto.
	,, Annadacharan	22-2	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,, Arunoday	16-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Aswinikumar	17-11	Raiganj Coronation H. E. School.
2020	,, Atulkrishna	19-6	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Bahuballabh	18-8	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Bamacharan	19-2	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,, Banbihari	16-10	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bhubanmohan	18-0	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,, Bhupatibhushan	19-5	Kirnahar Sibchandra H. C. E. School.
	,, Bhupaticharan	18-1	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,, Bijaykrishna	19-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Bilvadal	18-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Binaykrishna	18-6	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
2030	,, Birendrachandra	19-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Brajanandhu	23-2	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	,, Brajendralal	19-10	Gabtuoha H. E. School.
	,, Chandrasekhar	17-4	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Charuchandra	18-10	Private student, Roll Bha. P. 27.
	,, Chun lal	17-3	Bhola Government High School.
	,, Dakshinaranjan	18-2	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	,, Dasarathi	18-9	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Debendraktishna	21-0	Private student, Roll Cal. P. 50.
	,, Debendranath	16-11	Morton Institution, Calcutta.

2040	Ghosh,	Dharmadas	19-1	Pally Rivers Thompson School.
	,,	Dhirendrakumar	18-7	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Dhirendrakumar	19-11	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	21-3	Miksimil Rudhaghara H. E School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	17-2	Dinajpur Zila School
	,,	Dibakar	16-3	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Durgadas	17-3	Sathkhira Piannath H. E. School.
	,,	Durgagati	17-11	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Gajendramohan	19-1	Balasore Z la School.
	,,	Ganeschandra	17-3	Jamai Training School.
2050	,,	Gangadhar	16-10	Baharu H E. School.
	,,	Gaurhari	20-10	Bawali H. E. School.
	,,	Girindranath	21-11	Bidyananda Kati Rasbihari Institution
	,,	Gobardhan	22-7	Sagore Dutta Free H. E. School
	,,	Gobardhandhari	16-6	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Gokulbihari	19-1	Kuchiakol Radhāballabh Institution.
	,,	Gokulchandra	21-7	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,,	Gopikrishna	18-2	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Goshthabihari	21-6	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch.
	,,	Harasundar	16-4	Serajgang B. L. High School.
2060	,,	Harendranath	18-9	Serampur Union Institution.
	,,	Haripada	19-4	Bidyananda Kati Rasbihari Institution.
	,,	Hariprasad	18-10	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Harulal	17-10	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,,	Hemendrakumar	18-2	Calcutta High School.
	,,	Hemendranath	21-8	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	,,	Hemkumar	22-2	Calcutta High School.
	,,	Hirankumar	18-7	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Indubhushan	20-3	Garbeta H. E. School.
	,,	Jagatbandhu	22	Binodepur B. K. High School.
2070	,,	Jitendranath	19-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Jitendramohan	16-5	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,,	Jitisranjan	17-1	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	,,	Jnanadaprasad	23	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,,	Jnanendrakumar	16-8	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Jnanendranath	20-8	Balurghat H. E. School.
	,,	Jogendranath	20-9	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,,	Jogeschandra	17-2	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,,	Jogeschandra, I	20-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Jugalkanta	19-10	Bhajanghat H. E. School.
2080	,,	Jyotirmay	18-9	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Jyotirmohan	20-3	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Kalidas	21-4	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kalidas	20-4	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kalikananda	20-11	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Kalipada	22-4	Raina H. E. School.
	,,	Kalipada	19-4	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,,	Kamakhyacharan	17	Debrugarh Government High School.
	,,	Kamakhyacharan	17	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	,,	Kamalanath	21-5	Gangarampur P. K. Institution.
2090	,,	Kesabchandra	17-2	Rajibpur A. V. High School.
	,,	Khagendrachandra	20-6	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	,,	Khagendranath	20-11	Tala B. De. Institution.
	,,	Krishnakinkar	18-1	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	,,	Kuleschandra	17-4	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Kumudkanta	18-1	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	,,	Lalitmohan	18	Jagadbandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,,	Lalitmohan	19-1	Garbati H. E. School.
	,,	Lalitmohan	17-6	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Lilabati	...	Mymensingh Vidyamayee H. E. School for girls.
2100	,,	Mahimamohan	21-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Manichur	18-9	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Manindranath	19-1	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.

	Ghosh,	Manmathanath	17-6	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Manmathanath	20-8	Jorhat Government High School.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-7	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Manomohan	17-10	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	,,	Manujnath	18-11	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,,	Mrigankasekhar	16-4	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Mrityunjay	20-4	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
2110	,,	Nabakrishna	18-10	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Nagendrabihari	19-10	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Nagendranath	20-5	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Nalinaksha	22	Lonsing H. E. School.
	,,	Nalinidhar	24-11	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,,	Nandagopal	18-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Nanigopal	16	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,,	Narahari	17-3	Hughli Collegiate School.
	,,	Nikhilchandra	16	Baruipur H. E. School.
	,,	Niradkumar	18 7	Dinhata H. E. School.
2120	,,	Niradmohan	17-7	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,,	Nisikanta	20	Jessore Zila School.
	,,	Panchugopal	17-4	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Paritoshchandra	18-2	Satkhira P. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Phakirchandra	17	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Phanindranath	19-2	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	,,	Phatikchandra	19	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Prabhatprasanna	16-8	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Pramathanath	18-3	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	17-7	Binodpur B. K. High School.
2130	,,	Prasadkumar	16-4	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,,	Purnachandra	21-7	Panjia H. E. School.
	,,	Rabindrakumar	17-8	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rabindranath	17-1	Serampur Collegiate School.
	,,	Radhabinod	17-9	Raiganj Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Raghunath	18-7	Private student, Roll. Jes. P. 9.
	,,	Rajanikanta	19-7	Balurghat H. E School.
	,,	Rajendranath	20-10	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	,,	Rameshchandra	16-8	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Rameshchandra	17-8	Jessore Zilla School.
2140	,,	Ratanmani	18-6	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	,,	Sachindranath	17-3	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,,	Sailendrachandra	18-6	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Sailendranath	20-5	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Samarendranath	18-11	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	,,	Sanatan	24-11	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	,,	Santoshranjan	17-3	Nowgong Government H. E. School.
	,,	Sannyasicharan	18-9	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,,	Satischandra	18-6	Rangpur Zilla School.
	,,	Satischandra	20-9	Janai Training School.
2150	,,	Satischandra	22-7	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,,	Satyajiban	17-3	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sidhupada	20-0	Garbati H. E. School.
	,,	Srikantabihari	20-9	Jhikra H. E. School.
	,,	Sripatinath	18-10	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,,	Subalchandra	20-2	Parbatipur Patitpabani H. E. School.
	,,	Subodhchandra	17-2	Narail Victoria Collegiate School.
	,,	Surathlal	20-3	Nawabgang H. E. School.
	,,	Surendrakumar	19-11	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,,	Surendranath	19-1	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
2160	,,	Surendranath	19-3	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	,,	Surendranath	20-10	Gabha H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	20	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sureschandra	21-5	Bidyakut Amar H. E. School.
	,,	Suryyakanta	19-7	Baragram Century Institution.
	,,	Suryyakumar	20	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,,	Susilkrishna	17-8	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Tarakchandra	17-6	Konnagar H. E. School.

	Ghosh, Tarapada	18-6	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,, Tarapada	16-3	Bawali H. E. School.
2170	,, Tinkari	19-11	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	,, Tulsicharan	19-9	Andul H. C. E. School.
	,, Tulsicharan	17-9	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
	,, Upendranath	22-8	Patuakhali J. H. F. School.
	,, Utsa		Chotanagpur Girls H. School.
	Ghoshal, Bhabanisankar	18-8	Lakshman Nath H. E. School.
	,, Bhushnchandra	18-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Binodmohan	20	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Girijasankar	17-4	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Harendranath	21-3	Panitras H. E. School.
2180	,, Haripada	17-4	Ajagorah H. E. School.
	,, Krishnabhushan	21-1	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Phakirchandra	18	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Phanibhushan	16-10	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Prabhatkumar	17-1	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,, Sachindranath	17-1	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	,, Saratchandra	18-3	Sheakhala H. E. School.
	Ghoshchaudhuri, Dhirendrakrishna	18-5	Kandi Raj H. E School.
	Ghoshdastidar, Chittaranjan	17-11	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Ghoshhajra, Jagadishchandra	18-9	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
2190	,, Rasmohan	16-3	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Ghoshmajumdar, Bireswarchandra	16-1	Naihati Mahendra School.
	Gian Singh	18-3	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	Girja Narain	20-3	Anglo Sanskrit School, Bankipur.
	Jaminikumar Giri	19-1	Contai H. E. School.
	Girija Prasad Sinha	21	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Girija Shankar Tewari	20-8	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Giri Raj Kishore Lal	20	Arrah Town School.
	G. Kyi Mg	19-5	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Goffur Uddin Miah	23-11	Gobindganj H. E. School.
2200	Gogai, Dhajendranath	16-7	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	,, Esaram	20-1	Private Student Roll Gan P. S.
	,, Purneswar	18-10	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	Gohain, Riksheswar	23	Sibsagar Bezbaruya High School.
	Gohur Ali Mea	19-10	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	Goindaraja Venkata Krishna Row	17-8	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
	Golab Rahmam	18-1	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Golam Ali Asgar	19-5	Darbhanga Raj School.
	,, Ahmed Mainuddin	16-1	Bankura Zilla School.
	,, Haider	17-7	Baburhat H. E. School.
2210	,, Hossein	18-1	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Rahaman Biswas	19-2	Jamshupur B. N. High School.
	,, Shorif	19-2	Nawabganj High School.
	Gop Madhusudan	17-8	Lohajang High School.
	,, Prahladchandra	18-1	Bhagyakul Harendralal H.E. School.
	,, Praphullachandra	19-1	Solaghar High School.
	,, Rohinikanta	24	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	Gopalijee Prasad	17-2	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Gopalji Sahay	17-9	Khagole E. I. R. Indian School.
	Gopal Lall	19	K. J. Academy Arrah.
2220	Gopinath Verma	19-6	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Gorai Satischandra	16-1	N. L. Institution Chirkunda.
	Goswami Abhbhushan	19-1	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
	,, Balaichandra*	16-1	Nandalal Institution, Chatra.
	,, Balailal	17-9	Bally Rivers Thompson School.
	,, Bhupatimohan	19	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	,, Dineschandra	19-1	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	,, Gopalchandra	20-1	Golaghat Govt. Bezbaruya High School.
	,, Kanaibihari	17-4	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Khageswar	16-2	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
2230	,, Krishnabinod	23-10	Private Student Roll Din. P. 11.
	,, Kumudchandra	17-2	Noagong Govt. H. E. School.
	,, Nalinimohan I	19-6	Nabadwip Hindu School.
	,, Nirmalchandra	18-3	Oriental Seminary, Calcutt .
	,, Nripendramohan	17-3	Ditto.

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	Goswami, Pramodananda	16-4	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Ramgati	20-4	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	,, Sachindranath	19-8	Midnapur Hindu School.
	,, Sudhirkumar	16-10	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Sureschandra	18-10	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
2240	,, Susilchandra	20-9	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,, Upendranath	18-6	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Gregary Gholam Mohiuddin	17-1	Patna Collegiate School.
	Guha Anathbanbhu	18-2	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Bhupalchandra *	16	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,, Dakshinaranjan	20-11	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,, Dakshinaranjan	19-7	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,, Haribhushan	18-2	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	, Jatindranath	19-3	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	, Jatindranath	21-9	Chetla Boys' H. School.
2250	,, Jitendrakumar	23-6	Uttoi Sahabazpur George Institution.
	,, Kritantakumar	19-1	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Makhamlal	22-11	Idilpur H. E. School.
	,, Mohinimohan	18-11	Pabna Institution.
	, Narendranath	20-6	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	, Niradmohan	23	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,, Nirmalchandra	20-8	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	,, Pramodkanta	18-7	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	, Prempriya	17	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Purnendubhushan	17-11	Tangil Union H. E. School.
2260	,, Raghunath	16-5	Hemnagar Sasimuki H. E. School.
	,, Rakhalchandra	18	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	,, Rameschandra	18 3	Ditto.
	,, Sachindralal	17-11	Patiya High School.
	,, Sachindranath	17-7	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Sailendrakumar	16-1	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	,, Satindranath	19-1	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,, Satischandra	20-2	Ragdia H. E. School.
	,, Sudhirchandra	16-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Sudhirchandra	18	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
2270	,, Sudhirkumar	18-2	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	,, Sukumar	16-1	Comilla Zila School.
	,, Sureschandra	20	Bhanga High School.
	,, Syamapada	20-2	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,, Upendranath	17-1	Seraganj Victoria High School.
	Guhabiswas, Dwijendramohan	20-9	Gabha H. E. School.
	Guhamajumdar, Anathbandhu	17	Faridpur Zila School.
	Guharay, Brajendrakumar	17-10	Paschimgoan Badarennessa High School.
	,, Dhirendralal	18-7	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh
	Guhathakurta, Bidubhushan	16-2	Faridpur Zila School.
2280	,, Pramathanath	17-1	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	,, Susilkumar	18-7	Jagadbandhu Institution, Ballyganj
	Guin, Harendranath	17-2	Kagram H. E. School.
	,, Krishnalal	19	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Panchanan	20	Town School, Calcutta.
	Gun, Satishchandra	22-5	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Gupta, Anadinanjan	21-1	Kalighat High School.
	,, Banikumar	16-7	Calcutta High School.
	,, Bankimchandra	19	Swarnagram Radhunath H. E. School.
	,, Benibhushan	22	Faridpur Zila School.
2290	,, Bholanath	20	Rampurhat H. E School.
	,, Bhupatinath	18-2	Giridih H. E. School.
	,, Debendranath	17-3	Monghyr Zila School.
	,, Dhirendrakumar	17-1	Purnia Zila School.
	,, Hemchandra	17-7	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	,, Jagadishchandra	17-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	, Jajneswar	20	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Jogendrakumar	19-2	Armanitola Govt. High School.
	,, Jogeschandra	23-3	Raozan R. R. Institution.
	,, Kaminikumar	16-3	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
2300	,, Kartabyapriya	17-2	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Kasinath	18-9	Srikrishna Pathsala.

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	Gupta, Kshirodchandra	20-4	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.
	,, Maniklal	16-11	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Manoranjan	19-4	Bhajanghat H. E. School.
	,, Praphullakumar	18-2	Victoria Memoral Boarding Institution.
	,, Priyanath	16-2	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Robindranath	16-11	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	,, Sailendranath	17-2	Jagatballavpur H E. School.
	,, Sanjaykumar	19-11	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
2310	,, Santoshkumar	18-4	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Sarojbandhu	20-4	Armenitola Govt. High School.
	,, Subodhchandra	20-7	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Sudhindranath	16-7	Monghyr Zila School.
	,, Surendranath	17-7	Kertipasu P. K. Institution.
	,, Upendranath	18-6	C. M. S. H. School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Upendranath, I	16-11	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	Guptapatranabis, Dwijendranath	18-9	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Gyanada Prosad	22-7	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Gyasuddin Ahamed Chaudhury	21-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
2320	Habibulla	17-7	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	Hafazuddin Ahmed	18-1	Private Student, Roll. Jor. P. 4.
	Hafizuddin Ahmed	19-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Haibat Ali Mondal	20-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 21.
	Hait Batakrishna	23-7	Tumluk Hamilton High School.
	Hajarika, Mahendranath	21-9	Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Ratikanta	17-1	Golaghat Govt. Bezbaruya High School.
	Hajra, Anantakumar	18-3	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Bholanath	19-1	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,, Bhujangabhushan	21	Burdwan Municipal School.
2330	,, Dhirendranath	18-2	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Haridas	21-7	Kagram H. E. School.
	,, Janaranjan	18-10	Jagatballavpur H. E. School.
	,, Maniklal	16-6	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Radhagobinda	18	Bhaita H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	19-4	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Haldar, Amulyaratan	18-5	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,, Bansidhar	16-6	Ditto.
	,, Bhubanmohan	19-5	Bharenga H. E. School.
	,, Bhupalchandra	21-2	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
2340	,, Bibhutibhushan	19-8	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Bijaylal	19-3	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	,, Biswanath	1[illegible]-5	Kalighat High School.
	,, Dhaneswar	20-2	Jaynagar Institution.
	,, Darmadas	20-11	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Haricada	18-1	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,, Harisadhan	18-11	Behala H. E. School.
	,, Kapilcharan	22-9	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 5.
	,, Krishnamohan	20-1	Bishtupur H. E. School.
	,, Manindrabhushan	18-1	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
2350	,, Nilimranjan	19-8	Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
	,, Palanchandra	18-1	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,, Parsanath	19-11	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	,, Rajanikata	19-6	Nilphamari High School.
	,, Sachindranath	18-6	C. M. S. St. Johns High School, Krishnagar.
	,, Suchalatika		Maharani H. School, Darjeeling.
	,, Tarapada	21-1	Muragacha H. E. School.
	Halim Uddin Ahamed	16-2	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Harbeshwar Pd. Sinha	19-1	Monghyr Zila School.
	Hariballabhnarain Choudhury	19-1	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
2360	Haricharan Ram	22-2	Chaibassa Zila School.
	Harihar Choudhary	20-11	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Harihar Prasad	18-8	Patna City School.
	Hari Har Prasad	17-11	Chapra Zila School.
	Harihar Pd. Sinha	19-10	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 1.
	Harihar Prashad Thakur	18-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzafferpur

	Hariharprasad Verma	22-1	Foley Rajput High School.
	Harihar Singha	17-9	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Hari Prosad Sinha	17-4	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 15.
	Hari Ram	20-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
2370	Harnarain Pande	20-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Hashen Ali Sarker	17-1	Ullapara Merchants' High School.
	Hashmat Ali Sikder	17-10	Jhalakati Govt. High School.
	Hassenuddin Miah	21-9	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Hatui Bibhutibhushan	16-11	Garbeta H. E. School.
	Hazari Lall	18-7	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Hazra, Radhashyam	20	Jamtara J. B. C. School.
	„ Saratchandra	21-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	19-6	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	Hedayet Ali	28 4	Naldanga Bhusan H. E. School.
2380	Hidayatulla Khan	19-9	Pusha High School.
	Hiya Lal Jha	20-1	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	Hla Phaw U	18	Akyab Govt. High School.
	Hor, Arjunchandra	22-10	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	„ Jatindranath	21	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-5	Taki Govt. School.
	Horchaudhuri, Sureschandra	22-3	Banagram Ananda Kishore H. E. School.
	Iaqub Ali Kazi	16-11	Gabindganj H. E. School.
	Ibrahim Khalil	20-10	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Ibrahim Mandal	17-6	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
2390	Idrisur Rahman	21-1	Private Student, Roll Chi. P. 2.
	Ijjot Ali Biswas	16-11	Radhanagar Majumdur Academy.
	Inderjit Sahay	16-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Indrajeet Sharma	16-7	Sree Visudhanand Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Indrajit Tewari	18-1	V. M. H. F. School, Sewan.
	Indraloka Upadhyay	21-9	Chapra Zila School.
	Indramoni Misra	17-6	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	Indranarayan Pasari	20-6	Rai K. I. Pali Sekunderpur Free H. School.
	Indu, Syamlal	17-5	Ajagarah H. E. School.
	Jagjitan Roy	18-2	Sree Visudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
2400	Jahiruddin Sarkar	16-1	Ullapara Merchants' High School.
	Jana, Sudhamay	20-3	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Jadunandan Prasad	19-7	Ram Mohon Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	Jadunath Sahai	17-1	Saran Academy.
	Jagannath Prasad	18-9	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Jagannathprasad Varma	19	Govt. Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Jagannath Prashad	19-6	Jubillee Institution, Calcutta.
	Jagarnath Pershad	18-4	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Jagdeo Narayan	16-1	Monghyr Training Academy
	Jagadish Narain	17-2	Darbhanga Raj School.
2410	Jagadishnarain Varma	18-3	Foley Rajput H. E. School, Chapra.
	Jageta Nand	18-8	Gaya Town H. E. School.
	Jaidew Prasad Sinha	19-2	Begusarai B P. H. E. School.
	Jaikant Misra	24-11	Araria H. F. School.
	Jalal Ahmed Mia	23-8	Debiganj N. N. H. E. School.
	Jalaluddin Ahmad	21-1	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	James, Austin Ernet	20-8	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Jamunaparshad Sinha	18-7	Foley Rajput High School.
	Jamuna Parshad Sinha	19	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Jamuna Pd. Singh	17-3	Samastipur H E. School.
2420	Jamuna Prasad, II	17-3	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Jamuna Prasad Sinha	17-3	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Jana, Lakshmancharan	19-6	Panchetgarh H. E. School.
	Jana, Udaychandra	16-3	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	Janak Sinha	17-10	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Janardan Prosad Singh	17-4	Jamui H. E. School.
	Jasadhan Chowdhry	21-11	Araria H. E. School.
	Jawaher Hossain	21-8	R. R. N. H. E. School, Kaliganj.
	Jay Mangal Prasad Sinha	18-10	Kishanganj H. E. School.
	Jaynaluddin Sekh	21-11	Bera Bipinbehari H. E. School.
2430	Jena, Bauribandhu	20-1	Moslem Seminary, Katak.

	Jana, Harikrishna	19	Jajpur H. E. School.
	Jenharuddin Ahmad Khan	23	Private Student, Roll Jes. P. 7.
	Jha, Kalikanta	18-8	Naogaon Krishnadhan H E. School.
	,, Pitambar	20-1	Private Student, Roll. Din. P. 13.
	Jhapsi Lal	17-7	Patna Collegiate School.
	Joardar, Amulyadhan	17-6	Narikeldanga George High School.
	Jogeshwar Lal Das	25-7	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	Johiruddin Ahammad	22-8	Islampur H. E. School.
	Jonab Ali	18-2	Government Moslem High School.
2440	Jonathan Brown Patras	22-1	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Jugal Kishore Lal	16-1	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Jwahir Prasad	17-4	Matihari Zila School.
	Jwala Prasad	18	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Kabir Ahmad	16-11	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Kabiraj, Biswamay	16-2	Manbhum Victoria Institution
	,, Satischandra	21-1	South Goria Bompas Institution
	Kabiruddin Ahmed	19-2	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Kachhua John	21-1	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Kadamali Mallick	17-6	Pirpur Joynagar H. E. School.
2450	Kafayetullah Miah	21-6	Nagharia H. E. School.
	Kafil Uddin Ahamed	16-9	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Kafiluddin Ahmed Chowdhuri	17-5	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Kaiāsuddin Miah	17-9	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Kailash Pati	20-7	Aryan Anglo-Sanskrit School, Dinapur.
	Kakati, Mahendranath	19-1	Sibsagar Bezbarua High School.
	,, Lakhmikanta	18-11	Private Student, Roll Jor. P. 3.
	Kala Miah	19-11	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Kali Charan	18-5	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Kamala Sahay	16-4	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzafferpur.
2460	Kamala Sankar Sahai	17-2	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Kamleshwar Dyal	20-7	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Kamaleshwari Pershad Lakhaiyar	16-6	Patna Collegiate School
	Kamalapersad	19-5	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Kamdar Khan	19-2	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	Kamta Pershad	19-6	K. J. Academy, Arrah
	Kamta Prasad	17-1	Ranchi Zilla School.
	Kamta Prasad	19-5	Gaya Town School.
	Kander, Harendanath	19	Pirpur Joynagar H. E. School
	Kanjilal, Bhujangabhushan	18-7	Searsol Raj H. E. School.
2470	,, Sureschandra	19-11	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach
	Kanongo Rasananda	20-6	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Kapuria, Panchanan	17-6	Narail Sub-Divisional H. E. School.
	Kar, Anukulchandra	20-8	Muradnagar Durgaram H E. School.
	,, Anukulchandra	18	Union Institution, Brahmanbhita.
	,, Bhupeschandra	17-3	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	,, Ganeschandra	18-4	Mugberia G. H. E. School.
	,, Gayanath	17-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Haranath	19	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Jogeschandra	20-4	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
2480	,, Kedarnath	16-11	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	,, Kshitischandra	19-5	Gabha H. E. School.
	,, Monomohan	19-1	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	,, Nalinikanta	17-8	Uttar Shabazpur George Institution.
	,, Nibaranchandra	21-1	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Prankumar	18-3	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Praphullachandra	17-1	Baghbazar High School.
	,, Sasikanta	24	Murapara Victoria H. E. School.
	,, Satilal	19-11	Feni High School.
	,, Sunitprakas	18-7	Baghbazar High School.
2490	Karan, Iswarchandra	18-7	Contai H. E. School.
	Kargupta, Indubhushan	16-7	Senhati High School.
	Karia Shahi	18-3	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Karmakar, Abinaschandra	19-5	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Asutosh	19-10	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,, Banwarilal	17-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.

	Karmakar, Brajendranath	20	Lousing H. E. School.
	,, Chandicharan	19	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	,, Dharanikanta	21-8	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jibankrishna	18-1	Maju R. N. Basu High School.
2500	,, Jogendrachandra	17-4	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	,, Madhusudan	21-6	Private Student, Roll Deb. P. 2.
	,, Satischandra	19-6	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Umeschandra	18-10	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	Kasem Ali Majumdar	24-2	Raipur G. C. H. E. School.
	Kashinath Sharan Varma	21-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School
	Kasim Biswas	17-11	Jangipur H. E. School.
	Kasimuddin Ahmed	20-2	Manikganj H. E. School.
	Kasim Uddin Mondal	17-1	Bogra Zila School.
	Kausaruddin Ahmed	22-9	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
2510	Kazi Abdul Aziz	24-4	Private Student, Roll Khu. P. 9.
	Kazi Aboo Jamal	21-11	Taltola H. School.
	Kazi A. N. M. Wahed Hussain	17	Private Student, Roll Chi. P. 8.
	Kazi Azizuddin	18-11	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Kazi Mohammed Monzur	17-9	Scarsol Raj H. E. School.
	Kazi Mahmed Hatem	23-2	Putuakhali Jubilee H. E. School.
	Kazi Mobarak Ali	18-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Kedarnath Sahai	20	R. Mitra H. E. School, Deoghar.
	Kedarnath Verma	17-7	Darbhangha Northbrook School.
	Keramat Ali	23-6	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
2520	Kesmatali Molla	19-5	Harinarayanpur H. E. School.
	Khabiruddin Mandal	18-4	Pabna Institute.
	Khadanga, Banchhanidhi	18-3	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Khademul Islam Ahmed	19-10	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	Khaja Mohammad Moazzam	17	Govt. Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	Khalilar Rahaman	20	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Rahman	18-2	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Khaliler Rahaman Miah	17-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Khamkat Surendranath	18-2	Midnapur Town School.
	Khan, Abdur Rashid	20-1	Sailkupa H. E. School.
2530	,, Amulyachandra	18-9	Santipur Oriental Academy.
	,, Jagattaran	20-7	Kishorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Panchanan	17-8	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	Khandakar Mohammad	19-2	Roll C. M. Tayyeb Institution.
	Khandual, Parikshit	19-3	Balangir H. E. School.
	Kharah, Narendranath	22-4	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H. E. School.
	Khasnabis, Jatindramohan	18-7	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	Khoda Newaz Mia	18-8	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Khondaker, Abdul Samad	19-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Mahamed Saber	21-8	Mohima Ranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakina.
	,, Mohi-uddin	19-3	Harinarayanpur H. E. School.
2540	Khoreshedali Molla	22-1	Chetla Boys H. E. School.
	Khur-Sheed Hasan	*16-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Khurshid Ali Chowdhury	18-10	Brahmanbaria George H. E. School.
	Kawaja Mahammad Ghulam Kebria	19-4	Private Student, Roll Pab. P. 3.
	Krishna Bhatta	18-7	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Kiratnarain Singh	16-3	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Kobad Khan	19	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	Ko Ko	19-5	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Kole, Jaharlal	18-1	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
2550	,, Krishnadhan	17	Andul H. C. E. School
	,, Atulchandra	17-6	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 32.
	Kolita, Moneswar	18	Sibsagar Bezbarua High School.
	Konar, Manmathanath	18-6	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 58.
	Koomer, James Hemtrom	17-11	St. Paul's High School, Calcutta.
	Krishnamohan Khettry	19-10	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Krishnadeo Narayan Srivasthav	18-7	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Krishna Deva Sahaya	16-3	M. A. A. School, Pabna City.
	Kuldip Narayan Sinha	19-2	Purnea Zila School.
	Kumar, Balailal	16-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
2560	,, Subodhchandra	17-7	Bagati H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	20-8	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	,, Tarapada	19-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	Kunda, Brajaballabh	17-3	Bighari H. E. School.

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	Kunda, Sailendranath	20-4	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	„ Sasadhar	19-2	Panditsar H. E. School.
	„ Surendralal	20-8	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Upendranath	17-9	Sirajganj B. L. High School.
	Kundu Brajakrishna	19-9	Okersa H. E. School.
	„ Brajamohan	20-3	Malda Zila School.
2570	„ Byomkes	19-6	Kushtia H. E. School.
	„ Debendranath	17-10	Digapatiya P. N High School.
	„ Dhirendranath	17	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Dwijendranath	17	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Gaur Ch.	19-6	Salkia A. S School.
	„ Haripada	17-3	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Jnanchandra	18-11	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	„ Jyotischandra	18-8	Pabna Institution.
	„ Lalitbihari	23-1	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Makhanlal	16-10	Sivasundari Academy, Baisarsi.
2580	„ Murarimohan	20-11	Nilphamari High School.
	„ Prabodhkumar	19-9	Khagole E. I. R. Indian School.
	„ Sanandachandra	17-4	Private Student, Roll Dac. P 6.
	„ Satischandra	16-4	Basirhat H. E. School.
	„ Subodhnath	17-5	Potajia H. E. School.
	„ Trailokyanath	19	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Upendranath	16-1	Phultala Re-Union H. E. School.
	Kunjan Chowdhri	20-3	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Krishna Nand Pant	17-6	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Kuseshwar Prasad	21-6	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
2590	Kushari, Girijaprasanna	18-6	Debrugarh Government High School.
	Laha, Kesabkrishna	20-10	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Ramakshaya	17	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	Lahiri, Anadinath	19-2	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Bhupendrachandra	18-1	Raja Surja Kumar Institution Rajbari.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	19-4	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Debendranath	19-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Jatindranath	18-8	Tangail Union H. E. School.
	„ Jnanendranath	20-6	Manikganj H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	19-8	Serajganj B. L. High School.
2600	„ Nakulchandra	20-8	Pabna Institution.
	„ Naliniranjan	20-2	Uttarpara Govt. High School.
	„ Nibaranchandra	21-4	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	„ Pramodakanta	19-9	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Purnanda	19-4	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Saileschandra	17-9	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Satyacharan	17-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Sibadaranjan	18-6	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	„ Sibkali	16-1	Meherpur H. E. School.
	„ Sisirkumar	17-2	Raja Surja Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
2610	„ Sukumar	20-2	Karakdi R. B. H. E. School.
	„ Surendranath	23-5	Salap H. E. School.
	„ Sureschandra	18-4	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Lahirichaudhuri, Jnandakanta	19-1	Mymensingh Zila School.
	Lakshman Prasad	16	Patna City School.
	Lakshman Prashad Poddar	19-8	Sree Vishudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Lakshmikanta Sinha	16-2	Purulia Zila School.
	Lakshmi Prasad	16-5	Gaya Zila School
	Lala Jagannath	23-5	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.
	Lala Jagarnath Sahay	17-2	Monghyr Zila School.
2620	Lala Parmeswar Prasad Verma	19-4	Monghyr Zila School.
	Laldip Narain	18-3	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Lalit Prosad Verma	16-10	Anglo-Sanskrit School, Bankipur.
	Laliteshwar Prashad	19-8	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzafferpur.
	Lallji Sahai	19-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Lal Madan Mohan Nath Shah Deo	21	Ranchi Zila School.
	Lathfor Rahman	18-8	Jhalakati Government High School.
	Latfur Rahoman	20-1	Sandwip Cargill High School.

	Laxman Purshottam Rajinwale	22-11	B. N. Ry. Indian H. E. School Khargpur.
	Layek, Rajendralal	20-2	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
2630	Lim Shwe Hong	20	Rangoon Government High School.
	Lodh, Ramkanai	22-1	Brahmanbaria George High School.
	Loon Maung	20-7	Rangoon Baptist College A V High School.
	Luthfor Rahoman	18-3	Bagra Coronation Institution.
	Mabinuddin Ahmed	22-2	Dinajpur A. E. School.
	Magbool Ali	17-7	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Ma Htone May	...	Teacher, Roll. Ran. F. T. I.
	Mahabat Ulla Sarker	16-11	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	Mahabeerprasad Mondal	18-1	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Mahabir Prasad Saradgi	19-11	Sree Visudhananda Saraswaty Vidyalaya.
2640	Mahadani, Asutosh	19	Maliara H. E. School.
	Mahadev Lal Das	20-9	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
	Mahalanabis, Gokulchandra	23-6	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Srischandra	16-5	Kendua Spry Institution.
	Mahamad Isa	17-5	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Mustafa	18-7	Dhalla H. E. School.
	,, Sidique	19-4	Siwan V. M. H. E. School.
	Mahamed Hossain	17-6	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar
	,, Kafil	20-11	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,, Musa	17-2	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
2650	Mahammed Abbas	25-1	Chaugram H. E. School, Rajshahi
	Mahammad Abdulla	18-7	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Mahammad Abdul Goffur	20	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Amin-ul Haque *alias* Jemani Bakash	20-8	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Mahammed Aftabuddin	19-2	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Serajal Huque	16	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Elias Chowdhuri	16-11	Calcutta Madrassah.
	,, Kasim Laskar	21-7	Private Student, Roll. Sil. P. 4.
	,, Reazuddin	20-9	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School
	,, Wares	26	Teacher, Roll. Mal. T. 4.
2660	,, Abdul Haque	21-1	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,, Abdur Razzaque Miah	20-1	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E School.
	,, Ali	18-1	Noakhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Abdul Hamid	20-6	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	,, Ali Khan	17-6	Sonatola H. E. School.
	,, Bakhsh, I	19-7	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Bodu Miah	23-11	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Hossain	20	Feni High School.
	,, Husain Uddin	22-6	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	,, Khan	18-11	R. R. N. H. E. School, Kaliganj.
2670	,, Safiuddin	22-11	Chaugram H. E. School, Rajsahi.
	,, Saleh Chowdhury	18-10	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Tasir Uddin Khan	18-2	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali High School.
	,, Ubed Ullah	20-2	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Yasin Ali	17-9	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	Mahanti, Achyutanand	20-1	Private Student, Roll Bal. P 1.
	,, Dibyasinha I	17-8	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	,, Loknath	19-8	Private Student, Roll Kat P. 12.
	,, Managobinda	20-4	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Narasinhacharan	19-9	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
2680	,, Narayanprasad	20-5	Jajpur H. E School.
	,, Prahladchandra	21-1	Katak Town Victoria High School, Katak.
	,, Upendranath	19-11	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 9.
	Mahapatra, Bidyabar	17-8	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Ghanasyam	19-3	Balasore Christian High School.
	,, Hemantakumar	19-5	Bahiri Bradley-Birt H. E. School.
	,, Judhishthir	19-8	Balasore Christian High School.
	,, Khagendrachandra	18-6	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Mahavidya Prasad	16-2	Gopalganj V. M. H. E. School.
	Mahendra Khess	21-3	G. E. L. Mission School.

2690	Mahendra Narain		18-4	Bhagalpur Zila School.
	Mahendra Prasad		22	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 39.
	Mahendra Prashad		17-7	Foley Rajput High School.
	Mahi Uddin Fakir		18-1	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	M. Ahmed *Alias* Ba Than		20-9	Rangoon Government High School.
	Mahmudal Hoque Borua		17-6	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Mahmud Ali		18-11	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 13.
	Mahtab Lal		22-6	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Mahtabuddin Ahmed		17-2	Jessore Zila School.
	Maidhar Ali		20-5	Nabinagar H. E. School.
2700	Maiti, Gajendranath		23-10	Bahiri Bradley-Birt H. E. School.
	,, Murarimohan		18-3	Nandigram Charmichael Institution.
	,, Phakirchandra		19-5	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H. E. School.
	,, Priyanath		17-5	Contai H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath		20	Tumluk Hamilton High School.
	,, Satischandra		17-11	Basantia H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath		18-1	Asadtalia Coronation Memorial H E. School.
	Maitra, Atulchandra		18-6	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Brajendranarayan		20-6	Islampur H. E. School.
	,, Gokulchandra		18-3	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
2710	,, Gopallal		17-5	Faridpur Isban Institution.
	,, Haragobinda		17-4	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	,, Kalidas		16-10	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,, Kaminikanta		19-6	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	,, Kumudbihari		18	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution
	,, Prakaschandra		16-11	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Sureschandra		18-8	Pabna Institution.
	,, Taraknarayan		17-3	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Majad Ali Khan		18-10	Private Student Roll Kat. P. 6.
	Majumdar, Amarendranath		18-8	Harinabhi A. S School.
2720	,, Anantakumar		22	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	,, Annadacharan		21-3	Pabna Institution.
	,, Asutosh		18-6	Dighapatiya P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Bhupendranath		21-11	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan		17-5	Calcutta High School.
	,, Bidhannandini			Victoria Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Binaybhushan		18-6	Noakhali Zila School.
	,, Chintaharan		17-11	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	,, Dhirendranath		21-3	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,, Digindranath		19-3	Kandi Raj H E. School
2730	,, Dwarkanath		19-1	Khilpara H. E. School.
	,, Dwijendrakumar		19-5	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,, Gadadhar		17-1	New Indian School.
	,, Gajendranath		21	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School
	,, Giridhar		19	Malkhanagar H. E School.
	,, Gopendranath		18-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Gurbindrachandra		18-10	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Haripada		19	Radhanagar Majumdar Academy.
	,, Hemajakanta		17-4	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Hemantakumar		18-9	Private student, Roll. Pab. P 2.
2740	,, Hemchandra		20-4	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Hemchandra		17	Private Student, Roll Baul. P. 1.
	,, Hemchandra		18-11	Private Student, Roll Noa. P. 1.
	,, Hrishikes		24-11	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali H. E. School.
	,, Jatindranath		23-1	Santosh Jahnabi H E. School.
	,, Jibendranath		20-3	Debiganj N. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jitendranath		18-3	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Jitendranath		20-2	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	,, Jitendranath		21-5	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	,, Kapilranjan		18-7	Netrakona Dutt High School
2750	,, Khagendranath		18-11	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Kiranchandra		17-3	Bhanga H. E. School,

	Majumdar	Krishnendrakumar	16-9	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,,	Kshirodchandra	16-1	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	,,	Kumudbandhu	20-5	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	,,	Kumudinikanta	20	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,,	Madanmohan	19-9	Noakhali R. K. Jubilee School.
	,,	Mahendrakumar	18-6	Jafarnagar H. E. School.
	,,	Mahimchandra	22	Khilpara H. E. School.
	,,	Manibhushan	17-9	Puri Zila School.
2760	,,	Manindranath	17-9	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary, Bankipur.
	,,	Matilal	20-11	Barpeta Govt. High School.
	,,	Nandakumar	20-2	Jessore Sammilani Institution.
	,,	Nareschandra	22-7	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Niharkumar	20-8	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Nimaichandra	19-8	Damurhuda H. E. School.
	,,	Nirendranath	18-6	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,,	Nirmalchandra	17-11	Khulna Zila School.
	,,	Nripendranath	17	Brahmo Boy's High School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nripendranath	18-7	Town School, Calcutta.
2770	,,	Nrityagopal	18-4	Kanchantala, J. D. J. Institution.
	,,	Palaschandra	19-1	Private Student, Roll Pab. P. 4.
	,,	Panchanan	19	Laskhmipasha Durgacharan Institution.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	17-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Pramathanath	18-10	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Pramathanath	19-1	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,,	Pramathanath	21-1	Gokarna P. M. H. E. School.
	,,	Pramodacharan	16-8	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rajendranath	19-10	Nawapara G. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	22-6	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 9.
2780	,,	Rameschandra	17	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,,	Rasikchandra	17-11	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Sachindrachandra	17-10	Pabna Zila School.
	,,	Sachindrachandra	17-9	Potajia H. E. School.
	,,	Sachindranath	19-1	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	18-7	Dupleix College.
	,,	Saratchandra	20	Goalunda H. E. School.
	,,	Satischandra	20-4	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Saurindranath	17-6	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,,	Sitanath	19-2	Private Student, Roll Noa. P. 3.
2790	,,	Srischandra	17	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,,	Suranath	18-2	Gaffargaon Islamia H. F. School.
	,,	Surendrabijay	17	Iswar Pathshala, Comilla.
	,,	Sureschandra	20-6	Begusarai B. P. School.
	,,	Taranikanta	16-4	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	,,	Tarapada	17-11	Kushtia H. E. School.
	M. Akhtar	Hossain	20-6	Sonaram Aided High School.
	Malik	Azizullah	19-8	Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Katak.
	Mall,	Brajabihari	17-10	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Mallik,	Abhayacharan	20-1	Naldah H. E. School.
2800	,,	Amardas	17-6	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Asokupendra	16-3	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Asutosh	21-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Biswanath	17-6	Hare School. Calcutta.
	,,	Mahadeb	18-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Muraribhushan	19-9	Srikhanda H. E. School.
	,,	Narendranath	17-5	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Niharika	.....	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	,,	Purnananda	19-3	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-4	Brahmo Boy's High School, Calcutta.
2810	,,	Sudhirkumar	22-2	Seorsol Raj H. E. School.
	Mandal,	Anathnath	19-11	Brahmo Boy's High School, Calcutta.
	,,	Arjunchandra	25-9	Midnapur Town School.
	,,	Atoshchandra	19-3	Dumka Zila School.
	,,	Baradaprasad	24-3	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.

	Mandal, Bijaykrishna	20-1	Jaypur Phakirdas Institution.
	,, Charuchandra	19-1	Jorasanko High School.
	,, Dalapati	19-4	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,, Debendranath	22	Beldarga G. S. H. E. School.
	,, Gopikrishna	19-2	Jhikra H. E. School.
2820	,, Gopinath	21	Sashati-Nahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Hemendrakumar	21-2	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	,, Jnanendranath	20	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Jugalpada	20-9	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	,, Kanailal	17-11	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	,, Kantibhushan	17-8	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	,, Krishnapada	22-3	Sashati-Nahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath	19-5	Mugkalyan H. E. School.
	,, Nisikanta	18-1	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	,, Panditchandra	23-10	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
2830	,, Prabhatchandra	22-1	Lonsing H. E. School.
	,, Radharaman	18-11	Private Student, Roll Ber. P. 5.
	,, Ramrenu	20-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Saratchandra	19-7	Bawali H. E. School.
	,, Sasadhar	16-11	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,, Satindranath	16-4	Mahishadal Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sriharipprasad	18-8	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Srischandra	18-7	Magrahat A. O. Institution.
	,, Syamlal	22	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	,, Tarapada	18-3	Putsuri I. P. Institution, Burdwan.
2840	Mangal Prasad	16-10	Matihari Zila School.
	Ma Ni	...	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Mani Prasad Bhagat	17-11	Jamui H. E. School.
	Manirul Haque Bhuia	19-3	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	Manjar Masih Tirkey	20-1	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Manna, Bhupendranath	17-10	Andul H. C. F. School.
	,, Haripada	21-3	asati-Nahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Satischandra	18-11	Raspur H. E. School.
	,, Sitalprasad	19-10	Contai Model Institution.
	Maqbool Ahmed	19-1	Taltala High School.
2850	M. A. Shakur	20-2	Ranchi Zila School.
	Marndi, Lalmohan	18	Balasore Christian High School.
	Mashmuddin Sarker	26-2	Teacher, Roll Mym. T. 2.
	Ma Thin Kyaing	...	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Mathura Prasad	20-7	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Mathura Prasad	17-10	Private Student, Roll Chap. P. 12.
	Mathura Sinha	17-5	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 37.
	Matilal, Jaminimohan	17-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	Maulvi Mohorali Molla	19-5	Teacher, Roll Jes. T. 3.
	Maulik, Muktiswar	19-2	Dinajpur Zila School.
2860	,, Surendrakumar	19-9	Siddheswari A. C. Institution.
	Maung Aung Tun U	18-9	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Aye	17-4	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	,, Aye	17	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Ba Chit	19-6	Ditto ditto.
	,, Ba Kaw	18-3	Ditto ditto.
	,, Ba Khin	21-2	Buddha Thathana Naggaha Anglo-Vernacular High School Mandalay.
	,, Ba Lwin	17-11	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ba Sein	18-9	Rangoon Government High School
	,, Ba Shin	19-3	Ditto ditto.
2870	,, Ba Than	18-2	Ditto ditto.
	,, Ba Tin	19-2	Ditto ditto.
	,, Ba Tun	20	Ditto ditto.
	,, Ba Tun	22-7	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 6
	,, Ba Tun	21-1	E. W. M. High School, Pakkoku
	,, Ba U	20-9	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	,, Ba U	19	Rangoon Government High School.
	,, Ba Yi	17	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School.
	,, Chit Maung	17-7	Rangoon Government High School
	,, Chit Pe	18-9	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.

2880	Maung Ohit Sein	17-9	Moulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	„ E.	16-3	Bassein Government High School.
	„ „ Gale	18-9	Prome Government A. V. High School.
	„ Hoke Kin	21-5	Teacher, Roll Maul. T. 2.
	„ Khin	20-4	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	„ Khin Maung	21-3	Prome Government A. V. High School.
	„ Kin	36	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 8.
	„ Ko	18	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Kyah	20-4	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Lwin	19-3	Prome Government A. V. High School.
2890	„ Maung	19-2	Rangoon Baptist College A V High School.
	„ Maung	18-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Maung, I	17-5	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Myat Thaw	18-3	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Ngai	20-3	Private Student, Roll Maul. P. 1.
	„ Nye Bu	18-4	Rangoon Baptist College A. V High School.
	„ Nwe	18-1	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	„ Ohn	17-10	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Ohn Pe	16-11	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 13
	„ On Shwe	25	Teacher, Roll Mand. T. 1.
2900	„ Pan Nyut	32-10	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 14.
	„ Pe Thein	19-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Pho Aye	20-4	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	„ Po Myine	17-6	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 19.
	„ San Hyun	18-3	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ San Win	19-7	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
	„ Saw	19-5	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Saw	27-6	Teacher, Roll Bas. T. 1.
	„ Saw U.	18-3	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Sein, I	19-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V High School.
2910	„ Soe Win	19-4	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Tha Bwin	23-11	Akyab Government High School.
	„ Tha Noe, I	18	Ditto ditto.
	„ Thein	19-3	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon
	„ Thein	21-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Tun Sein	20	Maulmein St Patrick's Institution
	„ Tun Shwe	18-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Wan Pe	18-5	Ditto ditto.
	Mayenuddin Miah	21	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Mayenuddin Pramanik	22-1	Ditto ditto.
2920	May Nyo Dun	..	Rangoon Baptist College A V. High School.
	Mazinuddin Shaikh	16-7	Kalai High School.
	M. D. Ajgor Hussain	19-2	Fatehpur K. G H E. School.
	Md Abdul Bari	19-2	Anglo Sanskrit School, Bankipur.
	„ Abdul Hakim	18-8	Gopalganj Mathuranath Institution.
	„ Abdul Hamid	19-10	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Abdul Majid	22-1	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Abdur Rahman	18-8	M. L. Jubilee Institution Calcutta.
	„ Abdur Rahman	17-5	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Abdur Rezzaque Mean	21-3	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E School.
2930	„ Adam Ali	19-5	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	„ Aftab Uddin Khandker	17	Government Moslem H. E. School, Dacca.
	„ Akhter	17-11	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	„ Ambar Ali Khan	18-1	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	„ Athar Hossain	18-9	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Basiruddin	21-7	Manikganj H. E. School.
	„ Basu Ali Bepari	18	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	„ Dalilor Rohoman	19-9	Chittagong H. E. School.
	„ Elias	18-9	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.

	Md. Fazlal Karim	18-1	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E. School.
2940	„ Faziur Rahman	18-9	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	„ Habibor Rahman Mia	18-9	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	„ Ibrahim	22-6	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	„ Iqtidar Ali Khan	18-2	Sasaram H. E. School.
	„ Jamshed Ali	17-1	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Joonaid	18-7	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Keramatulla	21-4	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	„ Makbul Hossain Mia	20-9	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„ Monsoor	16-2	Bera Bipinbihari H. E. School.
	„ Manzoor Hassan Ekhlaqui	17-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 5.
2950	„ Matiar Rahman	19-1	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	„ Mohiuddin Khan	16-8	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Moslem Uddin	19-8	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Munsad Khan	20-5	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Naderuzzaman	16-1	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Nadir Hossain	19-8	Teacher, Roll Mal. T. 2.
	„ Nasir Uddin	19-2	Sonatala H. E. School.
	„ Nural Huda	17-1	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Qutubuddin	17-11	Gaya Zila School.
	„ Rahman Uddin	18-8	Sonatala H. E. School.
2960	„ Rayisuddin	18-4	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Sayedel Islam	19-5	Ahmedia H E. School, Noakhali.
	„ Sayir Uddin	19-1	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	„ Sayyedul Huque	17-1	Purulia Zila School.
	„ Sefat Ullah	20-3	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Suleman Khan	17-4	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 46.
	„ Sultan Uddin Khan	17-8	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	„ Umedali	20-2	Gauripur P. C. Institution.
	„ Wazirali	23-2	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Waiz Uddin	22	Netrakona Dutt High School.
2970	„ Yar Ali	25-8	Taltala High School.
	„ Zekeria	20	City Collegiate School, Calcutta
	Meher, Nilamani	20-1	Private Student, Roll Sam. P. 7.
	Merza, Zahural Haque	19-1	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	Mg. Aung	18-2	Buddha Tathana Naggaha Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mandalay.
	„ Ba Han	19-2	Moulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	„ Ba Htu	19-7	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta
	„ Ba Kyin, I	16-10	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School.
	„ Ba On	21	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	„ Ba Shin	21	Mandalay St. Peter's High School.
2980	„ Ba Sein	20	Ditto.
	„ Ba Than	19-2	Moulmein Govt. High School.
	„ Ba Thein	20-9	Bassein Govt. High School.
	„ BaThein	17-11	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School.
	„ Ba Yin	20-10	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	„ Chit Pe	21-7	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	„ Kyaw Myint	24-9	Bassein Govt. High School.
	„ Kywe	18-3	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	„ Mg Gyi	17	Ditto.
	„ Mya	22-10	Private Student, Roll Ran. P. 3.
2990	„ „ Aye	19-2	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	„ Ohn	18-8	Ditto.
	„ Po Shain	18-6	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Po Hman	19-6	Ditto.
	„ Sein Win	19-6	Moulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	„ Slwai	18-11	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Soe	24-9	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 12.
	„ Tha Han	19-4	Rangoon Government High School.
	„ Tha Myine	18	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	„ Tha Su	16-7	Mandalay E. W. M. Boys' High School.
3000	„ Thein Mg., I	19-2	Rangoon Baptist Collegiate A. V. High School.
	„ Tun Aung, II	35-11	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 7.

	Mg. Tun Sein	22-2	Rangoon Government High School.
	M. Habibur Rahman	16-9	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	Mia Aftabuddin Ahmed	17-9	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	Miaulla Sirker	19-1	Shohagpur Syamkisor H E. School.
	Miazan Ali Khan	18-1	Gobindganj H. E. School.
	Mi Mi Gyi	...	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Mir Abdul Hadi	20-5	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	„ Abdul Majid	19-5	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
3010	„ Abdul Mazid	20	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	„ Abdus Samad	16-11	Jamurki Sir Nawab Abdul Gan H. E. School.
	„ Afsar Ali	23-11	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Amjad Ali	17-1	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Mahamad Sarcar	17-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	Mirza Babar	17	B. N. Collegiate School, Pankipur
	„ Mohammed Wajid Husain	19-5	Ditto.
	Misra, Ambikacharan	21	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Anantacharan	21-6	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Damodar	19	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
3020	„ Gobindachandra	19	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Golokbihari	16-4	Seorsol Raj H. E. School.
	„ Ganeswar	21	Dhenkanal H. E. School
	„ Ganeswar	19	Puri ila School.
	„ Hariprasanna	20-7	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	„ Jagannath	23-5	Foley Rajput High School.
	„ Jyotirmohan	17-7	Malda Zila School.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-8	Puri Zila School.
	„ Kulamani	21-8	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Kumudbandhu	17-7	Birbhum Zila School.
3030	„ Mahesh Kant	17-4	Godda Coronation H. E. Schoo
	„ Maheswar	19	Dhenkanal H. E. School.
	„ Nibaranchandra	16	Nagharia H. E. School.
	„ Nilkantha	20-5	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Padmanath	18-1	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	„ Purnachandra	18-1	Baripada H. E. School.
	„ Shrinarayan	22-6	Private Student.
	„ Udayanath	20-3	Khurda H. E. School.
	Mitra, Achalendrabihari	17-6	Bangaon H. E. School.
	„ Ajitkumar	18-7	Jaynagar Institution.
3040	„ Amulyachandra	19-6	Mahishadal Raj H. E. School.
	„ Anantakumar	17-6	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	„ Bhabanicharan	17-3	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	19-10	Japardah Duke Institution.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	18-3	Panitras H. E. School.
	„ Bimalchandra	18-5	Calcutta High School.
	„ Chandicharan	20	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Debprasad	17-6	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	„ Gaurgopal	18-1	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	„ Gaurpremananda	19-11	Bolpur H. E. School.
3050	„ Girijapada	16	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Gopikrishna	20-2	Mangaldai Government High School.
	„ Haridas	18-9	Ranchi Zila School
	„ Hitendrachandra	16-5	Gaya Town School.
	„ Jagadischandra	18-5	Senhati High School.
	„ Jugalkisor	20-1	Jaynagar Institution.
	„ Kamakhyacharan	18-11	Kalikisor H. E. School, Hashara.
	„ Khagendrakissen	19-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Kiranchandra	16-6	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	„ Kshirodlal	18-7	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School.
3060	„ Kumudnath	18-1	Samastipur H. E. School.
	„ Maheschandra	19-10	Kuchiakol Radaballabh Institution.
	„ Makhanlal	20	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Manindranath	18-11	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	„ Nagendranath	20-4	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	„ Narendranath	17-3	Khulna Zila School.
	„ Pasupati	17-8	Burdwan Municipal School.

	Mitra, Phanibhushan	17-3	Sarisa H. E. School.
	„ Phanindranath	17-8	Andul H. C. E. School.
3070	„ Phanindranath	17-8	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Pulinbihari	23-9	Fakura Madanmohan Academy.
	„ Pulinkumar	20-7	Jajpur H. E. School.
	„ Radhikaranjan	17-8	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Rameschandra	21-8	Ajagara H. E. School.
	„ Rameschandra	18-8	Midnapur Town School.
	„ Rebatiballabh	18-1	P. M Academy, Katak.
	„ Sachindrakrishna	16-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	„ Sachindrakumar	17	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
	„ Sachindranath	16-7	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
	„ Sailendra	20-1	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
3080	„ Samirchandra	18-9	Baharu H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	21-2	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	20-1	Garbati H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	18-3	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	„ Sitalcharan	17-9	Bagnan H. E. School.
	„ Srischandra	19-3	Bawali H. E. School.
	„ Sudhirsasi	17-11	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Tarapada	18-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Upendrakumar	17-1	Bowbazar High School.
	M. Manickaraj	21-4	Rangoon St. John's College.
3090	M. M. Yusuf	18-1	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 1.
	M. Nada Rajan	21-6	Rangoon St. John's College.
	M. Narayana Swamy	19-3	Prome Government A. V. High School.
	Mobarak Ali	19-7	Jessore Zila School.
	Mobarek Ali	18	Kirtipasha P. K. Institution.
	Moezzuddin Ahmod	1 -3	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Mofazzal Hassain	17-2	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta
	Mohamed Azam	16	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Nawab	18-3	Gaya Zila School.
	„ Rustom Ali	22-1	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
3100	Mohammad Abdul Kadir	21-1	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 25.
	„ Abdul Quader Mian	16-8	Malda Zila School.
	„ Abdul Rasid	21	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Abed Ullah	18-4	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	„ Abul Hassan	17-7	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 5.
	„ Abul Hassan	23-4	Private Student.
	„ Abu Sayed	18-10	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	„ Anwar	18-5	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	„ Basir Uddin	20-1	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Mofij Uddin Pramanik	16-3	Bogra Coronation Institution.
3110	Mohammad Abdul Hai Mia	18-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Ainal Hoda Miah	17-2	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	„ Ali Hussain Shad	20-3	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	„ Ali Sarker	25-6	Sohagpur Syamkisor H. E. School.
	„ Amir Hosain	21	Pingna H. E. School.
	„ Elias	16-8	Rajsahi Collegiate School.
	„ Ghalib Husain Usmani	18-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Hanif	19-7	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	„ Hanif	17-2	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	„ Hanif Molla	18	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 17.
3120	„ Hossain Mozumdar	19-7	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Jolfokkar	18-1	Hatiya Union H. E. School.
	„ Kassim Hossain	17-8	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Masood Farooqi	19-11	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Modasserali	23-8	Calcutta Academy.
	„ Moksed Ali Mondol	16-7	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Mustafa Husain	22-6	Private Student.
	„ Sadruddin	20-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Safiuddin	19-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	„ Shamsher Ali Sarkar	18-9	Serajganj Victoria School.
3130	„ Yehia	20-3	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	„ Yousuf	22-11	Madhipura Shirres Institution.
	Mohammed Dabiruddin	16-9	Pabna Zila School.

	Mohammed Manzoor Ahsan . .	18-5	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Mohammed Nasiruddin Shah . .	19-3	Saidpur H. E. School.
	Mohammed Shamsul Huda Miah . .	21-1	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	Mohammed Tahir Chaudhury . .	22-1	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
	Mohammed Waizur Rahman . .	16-11	Midnapur Town School.
	Mohammed Zahirul Huq Lari .	16-2	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Mohar Ali Bhuiyan . .	24-10	Union Institution, Paikpara.
3140	Mohardatt Panday . . .	23-6	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Mohbuber Rahman . . .	18-6	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Mohd. N. N. A. Ghani . . .	20-2	Baisari H. E. School
	Mohd. Qamruzzama Mahnavi . .	18-1	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Mohi Uddin Ahmed . . .	19-7	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
	Mohomad Abdus Soban Khan . .	18-2	Bhadrak H. E. School
	Mohsin Ali Sircar	19-11	Bogra Zila School.
	Moinuddin Ahmed . . .	19-6	Ranchi Zila School.
	Moinuddin Ahmed Khan Choudhury .	23-10	Satkhira Prannath H. E. School.
	Mokarram Uddin Khan . . .	22	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
3150	Mokbul Ahmad . . .	16-6	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Mokbul Hossain Khondker .	21-1	Pabna Zila School.
	Momin, Phœbe . . .	...	United Missionary Girl's School, Calcutta.
	Momin Uddin Mia	17-10	Chatmohar S. N. H. E. School.
	Moni Lal	22-5	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Monir Ahamed Chowdhury . .	18-1	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	Moniruddin Ahamed . .	22-5	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Moniruddin Ahammed . .	20-1	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	Monir Uddin Ahmed . . .	23-1	Sonatala H. E. School.
	Moqtal Hossain	20-11	Hathazari Parbati Institution.
3160	Maulvi Md Azizur Rahman . .	20-4	Taltala High School.
	Moyez Uddin	18-7	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Mozahar Ali Ahamed, II . .	18-5	Sukhanpur H. E. School.
	Mozahar Ali Biswas . . .	21-6	Damurhuda H. E School.
	Mozufferudin . . .	17-1	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
	Mra Tun U.	21-7	Akyab Govt. High School.
	M. Sear Uddin Ahmed . . .	21-8	Teacher, Roll Bog. T. 2.
	Mudi, Rajendrachandra . . .	18	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	Muhammed Abdus Salam . .	17-4	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Muhammad Abu Abdullah . .	20	Private Student, Roll Com. P. 9.
3170	Muhammad Anwar Ali Chowdhury .	20	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Muhammad Eshaque . . .	18-10	Hughli Collegiate School.
	Muhammad Hasain Miah . .	19-11	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Muhammad Husain . . .	22-9	Bajrajogini H. E. School.
	Muhammad Lobibdullah .	19-4	Kendua Spry Institution.
	Muhammad Lutful Haque *alias* Lal Muhammad.	21-6	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Muhammad Marziuddin Ali . .	16-7	Kidderpore Academy.
	Muhammad Meher Ali . . .	26-10	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Muhammad Najmul Haque . .	19-1	Donough Govt. High School, Jamalpur.
	Muhammad Nazir Ahmed . .	19-10	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
3180	Muhammad Osman Ali . . .	18-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Muhammad Saleh . . .	17-11	Sonaram Aided High School.
	Muhammad Sayeed . . .	19-1	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 7.
	Muhammad Shaikh Manick Bukhsh	19-7	Hughli Branch School.
	Muhammed Abdur Rahman . .	16	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
	Muhammed Jahiruddin Bhuiya .	18-7	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	Muhammed Wazed Ali Choudhury .	23	Chittagong H. E. School.
	Mukbool Ahamad	17-7	Private Student, Roll Pur. P. 14.
	Mukherjee, Sushilbala . . .	...	Diocesan Collegiate School.
	Mukhopadhyay, Abanimohan . .	19-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
3190	,, Abhayapada . .	16-8	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	,, Amarnath . .	16-5	Private Student, Roll Rang. P. 4.
	,, Amiyakumar . .	18-3	Tejpur Government H. E. School.
	,, Amritalal . .	41	Teacher, Roll Jes. T. 4.
	,, Amulyadhan . .	16-7	Nibadhai H E. School.
	,, Amulyaratan . .	19-3	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Anadinath . .	20-1	Jujersa Prannath Manna Institution.
	,, Anathbandhu . .	19-1	Rol C. M. Tayyib Institution.
	,, Anathbandhu . .	22-6	Maliara H. E. School.

	Mukhopadhyay, Anantakumar	.	18-4	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
3200	,, Anilchandra	.	17-7	Williams H. E. School, Sapaul.
	,, Arunchandra	.	18	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Asutosh	.	20-3	Boghbazar High School.
	,, Asutosh	.	20-10	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Aswinikumar	.	19-11	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Atulchandra	.	17-1	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,, Atulkrishna	.	18	Jharia H. E. School.
	,, Atulyaratan	.	16-8	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Baidyanath	.	16	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	,, Balaichandra	.	18-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
3210	,, Banamali	.	18-3	Srikishna Pathsala.
	,, Bankimchandra	.	17-7	Chetla Boy's H. E. School.
	,, Basudeb	.	17-7	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Bhupatimohan	.	17-1	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	.	17-3	Bantra Madhusudan Palchandhuri H. E. School.
	,, Bijaygobinda	.	23-7	Private Student, Roll. Birb. P. 1.
	,, Bijaykrishna	.	17-5	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Bimalkrishna	.	17-1	Town School, Calcutta.
	,, Binodmohan	.	17-8	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
	,, Binaykumar	.	17-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
3220	,, Birendranath	.	18-2	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Brajendrakrishna	.	19-11	Jagadbandhu Institution, Ballyganj.
	,, Brajamohan	.	16-5	Bijhari H. E. School.
	,, Brajendranath	.	22-5	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	,, Dasarathi	.	21-2	Hare School, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath	.	17-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Dhirendranath	.	16	Garalgacha H. E. School.
	,, Dibakar	.	19-9	Ramgopalpur H. E. School.
	,, Dibakar	.	18	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,, Dibendranath	.	20-6	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet.
3230	,, Durgacharan	.	17-5	Sthal Pakrasi Institution.
	,, Ganapati	.	16-11	Sudhakarpur H. E. School.
	,, Gaurchandra	.	17-3	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 4.
	,, Gauricharan	.	19-11	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	,, Girindramohan	.	18-4	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	,, Haradhan	.	19-7	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Harakali	.	18-5	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	,, Harankrishna	.	17-1	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,, Harashitchandra	.	21-7	Siddhipasa P. B H. E. School.
	,, Harendranath	.	17	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
3240	,, Harendranath	.	21	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Harihar	.	18	Somra D. C. H. E. School.
	,, Harihar	.	20-5	Private Student, Roll Bur. P 1.
	,, Haripada	.	16-5	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,, Harischandra	.	18-1	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 16.
	,, Hiralal	.	17-8	Khulna Zila School.
	,, Hiranmay	.	18-7	Searsol Raj H. E. School.
	,, Hiranyakumar	.	17-2	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,, Indrabhushan	.	18-5	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,, Jagadischandra	.	19-3	Edward George School, Madhupur.
3250	,, Jaharlal	.	21-4	Mitra Institution, Bhawanipur Branch.
	,, Janardan	.	19-2	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	,, Jatindramohan	.	18-4	Mymensingh Zila School.
	,, Jnanendranath	.	22	Naldanga Bhushan H. E. School.
	,, Jyotishchandra	.	20-3	Taltala High School.
	,, Kalidas	.	17-1	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Kalidas	.	17-7	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Kalipada	.	17-8	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	.	19-3	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Kalikumar	.	17-1	Krishnagar A. V. School.
3260	,, Kanailal	.	19-3	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Kantichandra	.	16-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Kartikcharan	.	17-5	Foley Rajput High School.
	,, Kasinath	.	16-6	E. I. R. Aided H. E. School, Asansol.
	,, Khagendranath	.	18-7	Atheneum Institution, Calcutta.

	Mukhopadhyay,	Khagendranath	17-6	Malda Zila School.
	,,	Kiranchandra	22-2	South Garia Bompas Institution.
	,,	Kshetradas	18	Gushtia K N. H E. School.
	,,	Kshetramohan	17-5	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,,	Kshetranath	17-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
3270	,,	Kumudbandhu	22-1	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Beltali.
	,,	Kumudbhushan	17-4	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	,,	Lakshminarayan	22-1	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,,	Mahendranath	17-5	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,,	Mahimchandra	18-5	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	,,	Manimohan	19-3	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Manindrachandra	17-2	Tangail Bindubasini School.
	,,	Manindrachandra	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,,	Manmathanath	18-7	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,,	Manmathanath	16-5	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
3280	,,	Manoranjan	18-1	Pirojpur Government High School.
	,,	Mrityunjay	18	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	,,	Murarimohan	17-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 30.
	,,	Murarimohan	17-5	Behala H. E. School.
	,,	Nabakrishna	16-9	Maliara H. E. School.
	,,	Nagendranath	21-2	Baruipara Purna Chandra Institution.
	,,	Nagendranath	17-7	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Nandagopal	16-5	Jagabandhu H. E. School, Torkona.
	,,	Narendranath	19-11	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Nilratan	16-7	Kalaskati H. E. School.
3290	,,	Nirajaksha	21-5	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	,,	Nisikanta	17-3	Pirpur Jaynagar H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendrachandra	17	Solaghar High School.
	,,	Nripendramohan	16-7	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Nripendranath	19-4	Victoria H. E. School, Barnagore.
	,,	Nrisinhaprasad	16-11	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Parameswar	18-11	Nakrakonda H. E. Scoool.
	,,	Paresnath	16-3	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Panchanan	19-11	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Panchanan	16-6	Kalighat High School.
3300	,,	Patitpaban	19	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Phanibhushan	17-1	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,,	Phanindranath	19-6	Samastipur H. E. School.
	,,	Phanindranath	17-5	Balasore Zila School.
	,,	Prabhakar	19	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Prabhaschandra	18-1	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	,,	Prabirchandra	16-6	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Pradyotkumar	17-3	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	,,	Pramathanath	17-8	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	,,	Praphullachandra	18 7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3310	,,	Rabindranath	18	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,,	Radhakrishna	21-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Rajendranath	34-2	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 19.
	,,	Rakhaldas	19-2	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rakhaldas	18-1	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	,,	Ramchandra	16-9	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	,,	Ramdas*	16-3	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,,	Ramendranath	18-9	Naogaon Krishnadhan H. E. School
	,,	Ramkinkar	18-8	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	,,	Ramlal	20-10	Abdullapur H. E. School.
3320	,,	Ramprasanna	18-11	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
	,,	Ranjitkumar	18-2	Santipur Municipal School.
	,,	Sachikanta	16-10	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Sachindramohan	16-1	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,,	Sadhangopal	17-1	Kidderpur Academy.
	,,	Saibadas	20-1	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendrasekhar	18-4	Baghbazar High School.

	Mukhopadhyay,	Saktipada	16-1	Hatempur Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Santoshkumar	18-1	Khelat Chandra Calcutta Institution.
	,,	Santoshkumar	17-2	Faridpur Zila School.
3330	,,	Sasadhar	17-11	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,,	Satischandra	27-1	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	,,	Satkari	16-3	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,,	Satkari	17-2	Ariadaha Kalachand H. E. School.
	,,	Satyacharan	19-11	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Satyakumar	18-6	Kagram H. E. School.
	,,	Sibaprasad	16-10	Darjeeling High School.
	,,	Siddheswar	16-1	Narikeldanga George High School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	17-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sisirkumar	18-1	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
3340	,,	Srischandra	17-11	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,,	Subodhchandra	18-11	Jhapardah Duke Institution.
	,,	Sudhansusekhar	16-7	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	18-4	Bajitpur Rajkumar Edward Institution.
	,,	Sudhirkumar, II	17-6	Jorasanko High School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	18-10	Kukutia K. K. Institution.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	16-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Surendranath	19-3	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	,,	Sureschandra	19-1	Kalaskati H. E. School.
	,,	Sureschandra	17-3	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
3350	,,	Suryyakumar	16-2	Metropolitan Institution, Barabazar Branch.
	,,	Susilchandra	18-9	Nand Kumar Institution, Shibchar.
	,,	Syamapada	22-8	Saidabad Hardinge H E. School.
	,,	Tarakanta	18-8	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,	Tarapada	18-8	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Tinkari	18	Dupleix College.
	,,	Tinkari	18-5	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Trailokyanath	19-6	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Trailokyanath	19-11	Shymagram Mohinikisor H. E. School.
	,,	Tulsidas	18-1	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
3360	,,	Umapada	17-5	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Upendranath	19-3	Gangarampur P. K. Institution.
	,,	Ushanath	16-10	T. N Jubilee Collegiate School.
	Mukhoti,	Narendranath	18-2	Balur Ghat H. E. School.
	,,	Nikunjalal	19	Panditsar H. E. School.
	Munilal	Thakur	20-4	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	Munsi,	Asutosh	18	Daulatpur H. E. School
	Munshi	Mojibar Rahaman	19-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Nazimuddin Ahamad	18-11	Tulasar Gurudas H. E. School.
	Murari	Prashad	18-10	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
3370	Murhi	Lal	17-7	Kishenganj H. E. School.
	Mustaghis	Ahmed	17-11	Taltala High School.
	Mustaphi,	Sailendranath	16-4	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	Mutmu	Kalachand Sinha	22-3	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Mutsuddi,	Kiranbikas	18-1	Mahamuni A. P. Institution.
	Muzafor	Ali	21-1	Paschimgoan Badarennessa High School.
	Nadiruz	Zaman	18-8	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Naeman	Tappo	22-4	G. L. Mission School.
	Nafeluddin	Sirkar	19-5	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Nag,	Anukulchandra	19-11	Cotton Institution, Calcutta.
3380	,,	Durgamohan	16-10	Baburhat H. E School.
	,,	Dwijendrakumar	19-1	Nilphamari High School.
	,,	Gangadhar	18-2	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Gaurisankar	17-5	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Girijabhushan	18-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Jogendranath	18	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	,,	Kisorimohan	20-7	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution
	,,	Nagendranath	18-11	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.

	Nag, Narendrakrishna	18	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	„ Prabodhchandra	17-1	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	„ Susilkumar	21-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
3390	Nageswar Lal Das	18-7	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Nageshwar Prasad	17-9	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Nagwant Sahaya	19-10	George Coronation H. E. School, Nawadah.
	Naha Manomohan	21-7	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	„ Upendramohan	18-11	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	Nahabiswas, Rukminimohan	18-11	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	Naik, Hiramohan	21-1	Contai H. E. School.
	Namadas, Guruprasanna	25	Balla Coronation H E School.
	Namwar Ali	19-11	Silchar Govt. High School
3400	Nanda, Binod	19-9	Katak Mission High School.
	Nanda Kishore Prosad	19-5	Gaya Town School.
	Nandan, Malinchandra	17-11	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Nandi, Anangamohan	22-11	Hathazar Parbati Institution.
	„ Asutosh	16-10	Jamiita H. E. School.
	„ Batakrishna	16-2	Bantra Madhusudan P. C. H. E School.
	„ Bhabeschandra	18-1	Kailas Ranjan H E School, Rangpur.
	„ Bholanath	16-4	Garbati H. E. School.
	„ Dasarathi	22-1	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	„ Dineschandra	18-11	Noapara H. E. School.
3410	„ Gopalchandra	18-1	Lonsing H. E. School.
	„ Hemkanta	19-1	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary.
	„ Mahimohan	17-1	U F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
	„ Nalinianjan	18	Chittagong Municipal School.
	„ Panchanan	18-3	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy.
	„ Purnachandra	21-1	Kaliganj R. R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Raghunath	21-4	Lonsing H. E. School.
	„ Satischandra	20	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	„ Satyendranath	20-3	Pubna Institution.
	„ Shovana	...	Brahma Girls' H. School, Calcutta.
3420	„ Sukumar	16	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	Nand Kumar Sinha	23-2	Jamui H. E. School.
	Nand Lal Sinha	21	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Narayanji Sahay	19-8	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Narayan Prasad	23-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Narayan Prasad Parida	20-1	Private Student, Roll Kat P. S.
	Narbadeshwar Prasad	18-2	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Nasimuddin Ahmed	20-3	Faridpur Zilla School.
	Nasimuddin Ahmed	20-6	Manikganj H. E. School.
	Nasiruddin Ahmed Choudhury	20	Sitakunda H. E. School.
3430	Nasir Uddin Fakir	18	Bogra Zila School.
	Naskar, Haripada	22-2	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Jogendranath	22-4	Paibatipur Patitpabani H. E. School.
	Nath, Chandramohan	16-10	Durgapur H. E. School.
	„ Digambar	23-1	Private Student, Roll Com. P 1.
	„ Ganeshchandra	20-10	Bagerhat H. E. School.
	„ Kailashchandra	19-3	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	„ Kalipada	17-7	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Kusheshwar	18-1	Purnea Zila School.
	„ Mahendrachandra	17-11	Silchar Government High School
3440	„ Nagendrachandra	19-4	Lakhsmipur H. E. School.
	„ Saratchandra	19-7	Bagherhat H. E. School.
	„ Sibakrisna	18-4	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Tulsicharan	17	C. M. S. High School, Garden Reach.
	Nathsaran Prasad	21-1	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Nath Saran Sinha	18-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Nayak, Ramranjan	18-10	Disherghur A. C. Institution.
	Nawab Ali Khan	18-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur
	Nawab Hussein	21-11	Akyab Govt. High School.
	Nawab Sultan Abdul Gani	17-3	Gaya Haranchandra H E. School.

3450	Nawal Kishore Pandey	22-2	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Nazemali Khan	20	Abaipur Ramsundar Institution.
	Nazir Ahmad	19	Roll Birb. P. 16.
	Nazir Ahamed, II	17-7	Chittagong H. E. School.
	Nazir Ahmed Khan	18-3	Bholá Government High School.
	Nazir Sinha	20-7	Government Aided H. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Naziruddin Ahamad	16-4	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	Naziruddin Choudhury	19-4	Rangpur Zila School.
	Nazir Ulla	17-8	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	Neog Debeswar	16-2	Jorhat Government High School.
3460	Nezamuddin Ahmed	19-10	Rangpur Zila School.
	Niyogi, Akhilbandhu	18-1	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	„ Byomkes	19-11	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Harendranath	20-8	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidhar School.
	„ Phanibhushan	18-1	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	„ Phanidhar	16-3	Dhubri High School.
	„ Pratapsinha	19-2	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Sailendranath	19	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Ramanikanta	20-9	Faridpur Zilla School.
	„ Saradindu	22-8	Chittagong Collegiate School.
3470	„ Srimantamohan	18-1	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	Nizamuddin Ahmed	19-11	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Noor Ahmed	22-1	Akyab Government High School
	Nrisinha Narain Sinha	19-11	Tikari Raj H. C. E. School.
	Nuruddin Ahmed	20-6	Barisal Zilla School.
	Nural Absar	16-6	Burdwan Municipal School.
	Nural Haque Ghazi	22-1	Private Student, Roll Bar. P. 7.
	Nur Hossain Talukdar	17-8	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	Nuruddin Ahamad	19-9	Comilla Zilla School
	Nuruzzaman Chaudhuri	16-9	Raipur G. C. H. E. School.
3480	N. V. Ethirajah	23-3	Teacher, Roll Ran. T. 11.
	Obaidul Huque	19-11	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Obed Minz	21-9	G. E. L. Mission School, Ranchi.
	Osman Ali	18	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Osman Ghani	18-8	Manikganj H. E. School.
	Osman Ghani Miah	20-1	Teota Academy.
	Osman Gani Mia	17-10	Pabna Zilla School.
	Osman Hossain Prodhan	18-3	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	Pain, Akshaykumar	18-10	Fatehpur K. G. H. School.
	„ Gaurdas	16-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta
	„ Sukharanjan	23	Banaripara Union Institution.
3490	„ Umakanta	16-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Pakrasi, Haribhushan	18-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	Pakray, Chandicharan	19-2	Kaikala H. E. School
	Pal, Abinashchandra	16	Panditsar H. E. School.
	„ Amarendranath	17-11	Garalgacha H. E. School.
	„ Amulyachandra	18-3	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	„ Anukulchandra	19-2	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	„ Banbihari	18	Gangaprasad Jagannath H. E. School, Bettali.
	„ Benimadhab	21	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary.
3500	„ Bhabataran	21-10	Hughli Collegiate School.
	„ Bhabeschandra	16-1	Konnagar H. E. School.
	„ Bharatchandra	19	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Bhudharchandra	19-9	Midnapur Hindu School.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	18-7	Pabna Institution.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	16	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Bijaykrishna	18	Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Bipinchandra	17-8	Satkania H. E. School
	„ Birendrakumar	16-7	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Dinabandhu	19-1	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
3510	„ Durgadas	17-2	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Dwarkanath	22-2	Kodalia S. J. H. E. School.
	„ Ekkari	21-6	Bhaita H. E. School.
	„ Gopalchandra	16-11	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Haranchandra	19-6	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	„ Haripada	18-10	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	„ Haripada	17-9	Nawabganj Sridhar Bansidhar School.

	Pal, Jadunath	16-9	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	,, Jagatbandhu	18-11	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Jaminikanta	22-4	Baisari H. E. School.
3520	,, Jatindramohan	17-2	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,, Jatindramohan	18-1	Nabinagar H. E. School
	,, Jibantinath	16-4	Ullapara Merchant's High School.
	,, Jitendrachandra	16-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,, Jitendranath	18	Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Jogendralal	21-2	Lohajang High School.
	,, Kaibalyanath	16-4	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	,, Kalidas	20-3	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
	,, Kalipada	17-11	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,, Krishnalal	21-10	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
3530	,, Kshirodchandra	18	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Kumudinikanta	21-3	Holy Cross B. G. H. E. School, Hashnabad.
	,, Kunjamohan	22-8	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Lalitmohan	21-1	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	,, Maheschandra	20-1	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Maheschandra	17-6	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	,, Maniklal	20-4	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Manmohan	20-2	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,, Mrinalkanta	18-2	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,, Muralidhar	20	Nabinagar H. E. School.
3540	,, Nagendrakumar	21-11	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Narayanchandra	20-10	Dumkal H. E. School.
	,, Niharanchandra	20-10	Meherpur H. E. School.
	,, Nilkrishna	18-2	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	,, Nirpatischandra	17-5	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Nrityagopal	17-11	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	,, Pulinbihari	17-6	Muthuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,, Purnachandra	19-4	Tangail Union H. S. School.
	,, Radhabinod	21-6	Private Student, Roll Shi. P. 1.
	,, Radharaman	19-10	Lonsing H. E. School.
3550	,, Rasaraj	22-3	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	,, Rasmohan	17-8	Autsahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Sachindrakumar	21	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	,, Saibachur	16-5	Hindu School, Calcutta
	,, Saradacharan	24-5	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	,, Sasadhar	21-2	Seranjganj B. C. High School.
	,, Sasikanta	19-5	Baradi H. E. School.
	,, Srischandra	22-8	Pabna Institution
	,, Subodhranjan	17-8	Baghbazar H. E. School.
	,, Sudhindranath	16-5	Contai H. E. School.
3560	,, Surendrachandra	19-7	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	,, Sureschandra	17-6	Dhalla H. E. School. —
	,, Sureschandra	18-10	Kasba H. E. School.
	,, Umeschandra	17-3	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,, Upendrachandra	20-11	Panditsar H. E. School.
	,, Upendrachandra	16-9	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Upendrachandra	19-2	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Upendranath	22	Nibadhai H. E. School.
	Palchaudhuri, Birendrakrishna	18-5	Lohajang High School.
	,, Girijanath	18-1	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
3570	,, Sarojnath	16	Do.
	Palit, Amulyanidhan	18-11	Brahmo Boy's High School, Calcutta
	,, Bimalananda	16-5	Bankipore Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	,, Nitaicharan	20-2	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	Pan, Bijaychandra	19-5	Birbhum, Zilla School.
	,, Narendranath	23-11	Kalna Maharaja's School.
	,, Pramathanath	19-2	Burdwan Raj Collagiate School.
	Panda, Anantakumar	16-5	Contai Model Institution.
	,, Arttabandu	21-5	Jajpur H. E. School.
	,, Domanchandra	20-9	Nakrakonda H. E. School.
3580	,, Kripasindhu	21-1	Jajpur H. E. School.
	,, Kulachandra	21-6	Midnapur, Hindu School.
	,, Narayana	18-4	Mission High School, Katak.
	,, Pranakrishna	21-2	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	,, Sudarshan	20-9	Private Student, Roll Sam. P. 5.
	Pande, Nandalal	18	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.

	Pande, Parashar Muni	18-3	Foley Rajput H. E. School, Chapra.
	Pani, Biswambhar	16-3	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	Panja, Asutosh	18-9	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School.
	,, Ayaskanta	19-10	St. Paul's High School, Calcutta.
3590	Paramaguru, Krishnachandra	21-3	Khurda H. E. School.
	Parameshvar Sinha	19-2	Palaman Zila School.
	Parameshwer Prasad	19 5	Samastipur, H. E. School.
	Parasnath Srivastava	19-7	Private Student.
	Parbat, Narendrabhushan	20	Shibchar Nanda Kumar Institution.
	Parial, Manomohan	17-1	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	Parida, Ramchandra	16-10	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	Parmeshwar Deyal	20-7	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Patanayak Bhagabat	18-7	Mission High School, Katak.
	Patnaik Akshayakumar	17-2	Sambalpur H. E. School.
3600	Pattanayak Bhabagrahi	17-3	Puri Zila School.
	,, Bhubanchandra	19-8	Shashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Dinabandhu	17-8	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	,, Iswarchandra	17-1	Mugberia G. H. E. School.
	,, Lingaraja	20-1	Moslem Sominary, Katak.
	,, Lokanath	16-2	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Parsuram	22-3	Private Student Roll Kat P. 17.
	,, Pearymohan	19-7	Cuttack Town Victoria High School.
	,, Raghunath	20-1	Khurda H. E. School.
	Pathak, Ranadakumar	20-3	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
3610	Patra, Amulyachandra	19-11	Sutragarh M. N. H. E. School.
	,, Ramkinkar	18-9	Pandra H. E. School.
	,, Sibaprasad	23-4	Balasore Christian High School.
	Pearaylal Srivastava	21-3	Private Student.
	Pemba Tshiring	22-11	Darjeeling High School.
	Pessumal P. Hazari	17-11	Ram Mohan Roy Seminary Bankipur.
	Prinakar Jha	21-4	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Pitambar Lall	22-5	Private Student, Roll Purn., P. 1.
	Pitambar Thakur	19-4	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Po Aung Myint	17-2	Rangoon Baptist College, A. V. High School.
3620	Po Chaw	17-6	Rangoon Government High School.
	Poddar, Bilweswar	18-2	Baisari H. E. School.
	,, Kanailal	21	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E School
	,, Raghunath	20-2	Private Student, Roll' Pur., P. 5.
	,, Surendranath	17-3	Karakdi R. B. H. E. School.
	P. Ohn Pe	19-5	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	P. Ramakrishna Ran	18-7	Cotton Institution Calcutta.
	Prabhudayalu	18-5	K. I. Academy, Arrah.
	Prabhunarain Dass	17-5	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Pradhan Abadhut	19-7	Private Student, Roll Sam., P. 9.
3630	,, Radhagobinda	16-7	Mugberia G. H. E. School.
	,, Sri Narayan	19-5	Darjeeling High School.
	,, Surjanarayn	17-7	Ditto.
	Prakash Kishore	19-2	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipore.
	Pramanik, Kirauchandra	21	Private Student, Roll Khu, P. 5.
	,, Krishnachandra	18-2	Nagharia H. E. School.
	,, Santoshkumar	19-11	Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Satischandra	21-7	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School.
	Purkait, Bhushanchandra	18-11	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School.
	,, Purnachandra	18-9	Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
3640	Purkayastha, Sarajinikanta	21-2	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Purushottam, Lal	21-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Rahim Baksha Bhuiya	28-1	Elliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	Rai Edwin Horace Pershad Sinha	16-5	Patna City School.
	Rais-ud-Din Ahmed	17	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	Rajbali Chaudhury	21-3	Saran Academy Chapra.
	Raj Baushi Matto	22-2	Private Student Roll Chap. P. 7.
	Raj Behari Lal	24-3	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Rajendra Nath Varma	21-7	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Rajendra Pandey	17-9	Chapra Zilla School.
3650	Rajeswar Prasad	18-6	Gopalganj V. M. H. E. School.
	Rajeshwar Sinha	18	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Rajeswari Prasad Ray	20-7	Hajipur H. E. School.

	Rajeswari Prasad Varma	. .	17-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Rajeshwary Narayan	. . .	18-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Rajkishore Narayan	. . .	21-11	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 68.
	Rajkishore Narain Sinha	. .	17	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Rajkishore Prasad Gupta	. .	19-8	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 9.
	Rajnandan Prasad	. . .	16-4	Bettiah Raj H. E School.
3660	Rajnarain Pandey	. . .	20	Sree Visudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Rakibaddin Ahamed	. .	17 1	Comilla Iswar Pathasala.
	R. J Honor	. . . .	20-1	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Rabha, Jatiram	. . .	19-5	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Radha Govind Lall	. . .	17-7	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Radha Kanta Singha *	. . .	16-4	Gaya Zila School.
	Radha Krishna	. . .	16-5	Patna City School
	Radha Madhava Prasad *	. .	16-2	Darbhanga Raj H. E. School.
	Radha Prasad	. . .	18-6	Saran Academy, Chapra
	Radhapratap Verma	. . .	18	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Rafatulla Mandal	. . . .	21-4	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
3670	Rafatulla Pramanik	. . .	16-5	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	Rafiqul Hyder	. . . .	21-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Raghubar Dayal Tewari	.	17-11	T. K Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Raghunandan Prasad Varma	. .	16-8	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Raghunandan Sahaya	. . .	18-9	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Raghunath Pershad, II	. .	21-7	Saran Academy, Chapra
	Raghunath Prasad	. . . .	16-8	Matihari Zila School.
	Raghunath Prosad	. . . .	17-7	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Raghunath Rai	. . . .	17-8	Buxar H. E. School.
	Raha, Anantakumar	. . .	19-2	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
3680	„ Nanigopal	. . .	18-9	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	„ Surendranath	. . .	18-3	Serajgunj B. L. High School.
	Rahamat Ulla	. . . .	16-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Rahamot Ullah	. . .	20	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	Rahimuddin Mondal	. . .	17-10	Gobindagunj H. E. School
	Rakshit, Girindrakumar	. . .	20	Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Makhanchandra	. .	19-2	Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
	„ Panchanan	. . .	25-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P 72.
	Ramah Judah	. . . .	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Rama Kant Misra	. . . .	17	Maharanee Lakhsmivati Saraswati Academy
3690	Rama Kant Prosad Sinha	. .	16-9	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 8.
	Rama Nand	. . . .	17-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ramanath Singh	. . . .	17-2	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Rama Pariksha Misra	. . .	16-1	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 75.
	Rama Prasad	. . . .	18	K. J Academy, Arrah.
	Rama Rudra Prasad Sinha	. .	16-1	Arrah Zila School.
	Ramavatar Prasad	. . . .	17-2	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Ramavatar Prasad	. . . .	16	Arrah Zila School.
	Ram Bans Sahai	. . . .	18	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Ramchandra Prasad	. . .	17-2	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur
3700	Ramchandra Prasad	. . .	16-5	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	Ramchandra Prasad	. . .	17-3	Arrah Town School.
	Ramcharan Khare	. . . .	24-6	B. N Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Ram Charitra Dubey	. . .	18-9	Gaya Town H E. School
	Ramche z Choube	. . . .	18-2	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Ram Dass	. . . . .	20	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Ramdhari Prasad	. . . .	17-9	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Ram Dhuyan Lall	. . . .	24	Ranchi Zila School.
	Ramdin Sharma	. . . .	17-4	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Rameshwar Dhary Sinha	. .	16-6	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
3710	Rameshwar Lal Choudhury	.	21	Bailley H. E. School, Barh.
	Rameshwar Prosad	. . .	19-6	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Rameshwar Choudhury	. . .	20-7	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Ramji Pandey	. . . .	19-9	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	Ramkhelawan Mahto	. . .	16-11	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzafferpur.
	Ramkhelawan Prosad	. .	16-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ramkrishna Das	. . . .	23-8	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 16.
3720	Ram Krishna Pandey	. . .	20-4	Dumrao Raj H. E. School.
	Ram Krishna Pd.	. . . .	16-10	Gaya Zila School.

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	Ram Lagan Singh	18	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagulpur.
	Ram Lakhan Sinha	17-3	Aryan Anglo-Sanskrit School, Dinapur.
	Ramlal Tiwari	17-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ram Narain Lall	16-9	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Ram Narayan Lall	17-5	Ram Mohan Ray Seminary, Bankipur.
	Ramnath Panday	23-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 30.
	Ramprakash Sharma	20-9	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
	Ram Prasad	16-4	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Ram Prasad Jha	21-3	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	Ramprasad Verma	17-7	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Ram Pukar Mahto	17-6	Gaya Zila School.
3730	Ram Sahai	24-5	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur
	Ramsinhasan Prasad	18	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Ramsukh Pandey	20-6	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 32.
	Ramswaroop Lal Das	17-5	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
	Ramvilas Prasad	20-4	Matihari Zila School.
	Ramvilas Thakur	18-1	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Ranu, Krishnachandra	18	Islampur H. E. School.
	Rath, Dayanidhi	19-10	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	Raut, Binodbihari	17-1	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	Rauth Narendrachandra	17-6	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
3740	„ Taritbhushan	17	Netrokona Dutt High School.
	Ravaneshwer Prashad Verma	18-1	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Rawshan Ali Sarkar	20-4	Chaubari Islamia H. E. School.
	Ray, Abhayapada	17-2	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Abinaschandra	22-7	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Akhilbandhu	19-2	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	„ Amarendranath	19-9	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Anantakumar	17	Arambagh H. E. School.
	„ Anilchandra	18-11	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Anilgopal	17-8	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
3750	„ Asutosh	19-2	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	„ Asutosh	21-2	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Aswinikumar	17-6	Kishoreganj H. E. School
	„ Aswinikumar	22	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	„ Aswinikumar	19-3	Salap H. E. School.
	„ Bamapada	19-7	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	„ Bholanath	17-8	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.
	„ Bibhutibhusan	17-2	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	„ Bidhubhushan	17-10	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Bijaygopal	16-10	Hughli Branch School.
3760	„ Bijoynath	16-3	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	„ Bimalchandra	17	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Bimalchandra	18-4	Basirhat H. E. School.
	„ Binaykanta	17-10	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Binaykrishna	18	B. M. Institution Sankari.
	„ Binaykumar	17-4	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	„ Binaymohan	17-11	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Binodbandhu	19-4	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipur.
	„ Birbhushan	16-5	Kurigram H. E. School.
	„ Birendrakumar	20	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
3770	„ Birendranarayan	18-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Charukanta	19-11	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	„ Chittaranjan	17-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Debendranath	19-1	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
	„ Debendranath	19-7	Town School, Calcutta
	„ Debendranath	17-9	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Debendraprasad	23	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	„ Dharanidhar	19-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	17-11	Silchar Govt. High School.
	„ Dhirendramohan	18	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
3780	„ Dhwajadhari	20-1	Private Student, Roll Birb. P. 14.
	„ Digendrakumar	23-10	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 13.

	Ray, Dibanath	18-10	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	„ Dinabandhu	19-8	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Dineschandra	18-8	Radhanagar Majumdar Academy.
	„ Dineschandra	17-9	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Dwijendrachandra	17	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	„ Girijaprasanna	17-1	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	„ Gobindachandra	17-11	Murapara Victoria H. E School.
	„ Gokulchandra	18-1	Jajpur H. E. School.
3790	„ Gopalchandra	20-3	Mathrun N. C. Institution.
	„ Gopalchandra	19-11	Ukhara H. E. School.
	„ Gopalchandra	17	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Goshthabihari	18-4	Kuchiakul Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Gunindrakrishna	21-6	Bhagyakul Harendralal H. E. School.
	„ Harekrishna	20-3	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Haraprasanna	19-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Harendranath	16-5	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	„ Haribhushan	18-11	Private Student, Roll Gau. P. 11
	„ Haridas	19-4	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
3800	„ Haripada	17-1	Kali Kisor H. E. School, Hashara
	„ Hariprasad	16	Halisahar H. E. School.
	„ Hemchandra	20-10	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Indrakumar	17-1	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Indralal	19-3	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.
	„ Jagadishchandra	19-6	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Jagadishchandra	18-4	Manikganj H. E. School.
	„ Jagadiswar	18-10	Palasdanga H. E. School.
	„ Jajneswar	21-1	Hemnagarh Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Jaminikumar	18-7	Sylhet Government High School.
3810	„ Janakinath	18-6	Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Jatindrakumar	19-8	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	„ Jatindranath	22-2	Baharu H. E. School.
	„ Jatindranath	17	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E School.
	„ Jatindranath	18-7	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Jatindranath	21	Private Student, Roll Mal. P. 5.
	„ Jitendranath	18-4	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Jogendrachandra	20	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Jogendrachandra	18-2	Sonakanda B. M. Union H. E. School.
	„ Jogendrakumar	20-2	Lakhmipur H. E. School.
3820	„ Jogendranath	16-3	Banaripura Union Institution.
	„ Jogeschandra	18-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	„ Jogeschandra	19-7	Panditsar H. E. School.
	„ Jogeschandra	19-3	Tulasar Garudas H. E. School.
	„ Kalibilas	27-5	Teacher, Roll Bar. T. 3.
	„ Kalicharan	20-6	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Kaliprasanna	18-4	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	„ Kamalbashini	...	Ravenshaw Girls' School, Katak.
	„ Kamakhyacharan	19	Kukutia K. K. Institution.
	„ Kamaleschandra	16-5	Taki Government School.
3830	„ Kanailal	16-10	Jhikra H. E. School.
	„ Karunasindhu	16-9	B. N. Ry. Indian H. E. School, Khargpur.
	„ Kesabchandra	22-9	T. N. Jubilee Colliagate School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Khagendranath	19-7	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	„ Krishnachandra	17-11	Pabna Institution.
	„ Krishnadas	18-11	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Krishnakisor	20	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	„ Krishnalal	22	Nimtita G. D. Institution.

	Ray,	Kshetranath	17	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Kshitischandra	22-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
3840	,,	Kshitischandra	21-2	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	,,	Kshudiram	16-8	Gokarna P. M. H. E. School.
	,,	Makhanlal	20-3	Comilla Zila School.
	,,	Manindranath	20-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,,	Manmathanath	17-7	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Manorama	..	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	,,	Manoranjan	17-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Manoranjan	18-2	Mathura Nath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,,	Matindramohan	16-7	Vakil's Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Mohanlal	16-3	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
3850	,,	Mohinimohan	22-2	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Mrinmayi	...	Private Student, Roll Cal. F. P. 4.
	,,	Nabakrishna	18-1	I. R. Belilios Institution, Howrah.
	,,	Nageschandra	21-6	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	,,	Nalinimohan	19-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Nandalal	17-10	Dupleix College, Chandernagar.
	,,	Nandamadhab	19	Giridih High School.
	,,	Nanigopal	20	Okersa H. E. School.
	,,	Nidanbandhu	18-7	Halisahar H. E. School.
	,,	Niranjan	18	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
3860	,,	Nirmalchandra	17-10	Harina Chalitatali Edward Institution.
	,,	Nripendrakisor	18	Kisoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Nripendramohan	16-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	,,	Panchugopal	22-6	Private Student, Roll Bur. P. 4.
	,,	Parameskumar	21-4	Bhajanghat H. E. School.
	,,	Parbatimohan	16-7	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.
	,,	Pareshchandra	18-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	17-9	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	17-9	Kumar Radhaprasad Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Pramodkumar	17-9	Basirhat H. E School.
3870	,,	Punyakamal	18-11	Armenitola Government High School.
	,,	Purnachandra	16-3	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	,,	Rabindranath	17-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Rajendralal	16-11	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	,,	Ramprasad	17-7	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sachibhushan	21	S. C. Institution, Udaynarayanpur.
	,,	Sachindraprasad	17-3	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	,,	Sailajachandra	19	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 24
	,,	Sailendranath	20-1	Dubalhati Raja Haranath H. E. School.
	,,	Sailendranath	17-4	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
3880	,,	Saileswar	16-9	Khulna Zila School
	,,	Samarendranath	16-3	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Sanatan	21	Mekligunge H. E. School.
	,,	Sanatkumar	19-7	Kalighat High School.
	,,	Saradaprasad	17-8	Maliara H. E. School.
	,,	Saratchandra	21-6	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Sarojmohan	19-1	Hughli Branch School.
	,,	Satischandra	16-11	Kuchiakol Radhat allabh Institution.
	,,	Satyaranjan	19-1	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
	,,	Shashthipada	16-8	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
3890	,,	Sibendramohan	16-2	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Silsankar	23-2	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	20-1	Mymensingh Zila School.
	,,	Sripaticharan	17-1	Chikandi H. E. School.
	,,	Subodhkumar	18-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Sudhansukumar	20-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,,	Sudhansusekhar	19-1	Usoba Mondlai H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhindrakumar	20-8	Hussan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	,,	Sudhirchandra	17-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Sukumar	18-1	Armenitola Government High School.
3900	,,	Sukumar	18-9	Kesab Academy.

	Ra , Sukumar	19	T. K. Ghose's Academy, Bankipur.
	„ Sumatibala	..	Mymensingh Vidyamyee H. E. School for Girls.
	„ Surendranath	17-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Sureshchandra	20-3	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	„ Sureshchandra	16-11	Bhola Government High School.
	„ Suryyakanta	20-11	Banagram Ananda Kishore H. E. School.
	„ Syamsundar	19-9	Pabna Zila School.
	„ Taracharan	16-9	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Tarakbandhu	17-7	Kishoreganj H. E. School.
3910	„ Tinkari	35-4	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. S.
	„ Tridibeswar	19	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Upendrachandra	21-8	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Upendranath	20-2	Town School, Calcutta.
	Raybandyopadhyay, Banbihari	17-9	Halisahar H. E School.
	Raybarman, Hemantakumar	19	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branch
	„ Jaykumar	17-1	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	Raychaudhuri, Bhabatosh	18-2	Private Student, Roll Far. P. 2.
	„ Bhimacharan	20-9	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Bhupeschandra	17-3	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
3920	„ Bibhutibhusan	17-6	Behala H. E. School.
	„ Bibhutinath	16-6	Collins Institute, Calcutta.
	„ Binayendranath	17-1	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	„ Birendranath	22-4	Brahmangaon H. E. School.
	„ Bireswar	16-6	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	„ Debendranath	18-7	Burpeta Government High School.
	„ Dhananjay	16-1	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Dhirendranath	23-4	Raruli R. K. B. K. Haris Chandra Institution.
	„ Gaurbhushan	20-1	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	„ Gunendramohan	16-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
3930	„ Harendramohan	16-9	Laksmipur H. E. School.
	„ Indubhushan	24-8	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
	„ Jadunath	18-10	Raipur K. C. H. E. School.
	„ Jagatbandhu	18-1	Comilla Isvar Pathsala
	„ Jatindrachandra	21-3	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Jatindrakumar	16-9	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	„ Jatindranarayan	18-1	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Kalipada	17-2	Woolpur P. C. H. E. School.
	„ Kapalicharan	16-8	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Kasiprasad	17	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
3940	„ Kiranchandra	17-11	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	„ Lalitmohun	18-8	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	„ Manibhusan	17-3	Khararia H. E. School.
	„ Manindranath	17-6	Khulna Zila School.
	„ Nalinbihari	18-4	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Naliniranjan	22	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution.
	„ Nareschandra	19-6	Rangpur Zila School.
	„ Nareschandra	17-1	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	„ Sachindraprasad	17-7	South Subarban School, Bhowanipur.
	„ Subodhnath	16-11	Barisal Brajamohun Institution.
3950	„ Sudhendunath	18-6	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Surendranath	21-7	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Sureschandra	17-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Tulsicharan	20-4	Bowbazar High School.
	Raygupta, Sachindraprosad	17-7	Dinajpur Zila School.
	Raypratihar, Praphullachandra	18-10	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	Raysarkar, Akshoykumar	21-8	Private Student, Roll Rang. P. 3.
	Raza Ahmed	18-8	Patna Collegiate School.
	Reazuddin Ahammed	19-3	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Reaz Uddin Ahmed	16-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
3960	Reazul Haque	17	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Rej Gangagati	20-8	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	Reazul Hasuain	21-10	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Rudra, Adwaitacharan	16-3	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	„ Asutosh	17-10	Khalishpur H. E. School.

	Rudra, Digendrachandra	. . .	20	Dacca Pagoda School.
	,, Dinabandhu	. .	22-2	Gafargaon, Islamia H. E. School.
	,, Sibaram	. . .	19	Purnea Zila School.
	Rudra Prasad	. . . .	18-10	Chapra Zila School.
	Rukunuddin Ahmed	.	24	Teacher, Roll Bar. T. 6.
3970	Rup Lall Chaudhuri	. . .	16-6	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
	Saaduddin ..	. .	22-8	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 15.
	Sabar Ali Talukdar	. .	18-7	Rupsha Ahmedia H. E. School.
	S. A. Bashir	. . . .	19-3	St. Columba's Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Saberali Biswas	. .	20	Harinarayanpur H. E. School.
	Saber Ali Talukdar	.	20-3	Ullapara Merchants' High School.
	Sadanand Prashad	. .	18	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	Sadaruddin Ahamed	. .	17-1	Siddhakati H. E. School.
	Sadhu, Arabinda	. .	18-9	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Basantakumar	.	19-8	Naldah H. E. School.
3980	,, Golakbihari	. . .	20	Raniganj H. E. School.
	,, Prabodhkumar	. . .	18 10	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Sailendrakumar	. .	16-4	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	Sadhukhan, Sarala	. . . .	..	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	,, Sushila	. . .		Ditto, Ditto.
	Sadhusaran Prasad Sinha	.	19-1	Gopalganj V. M. H. E. School.
	Saffiuddin Ahamed	.	24-3	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Safiuddin Khandaker	. .	16-8	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	Sagaruddin Biswas	. .	19-7	Kanchantala J. D. J Institution.
	Saha, Ajitkumar	. . .	17	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
3990	,, Anadaprasad	. .	19	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,, Atindramohan	. .	18-1	Silchar Govt High School.
	,, Baishnabcharan	. . .	20-7	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,, Banabihari	. . .	17-8	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Bhubaneswar	. . .	25	Palong H. E. School.
	,, Bhubanmohan	. .	18-1	Nawabganj H. E School.
	,, Bijaymadhab	. . .	21-9	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
	,, Brajendrachandra	. .	20	Sonakanda B. M Union H. E. School.
	,, Brindabanchandra	. .	18-5	Kalighat High School.
	,, Daulatchandra	. .	19-7	Adharchandra H. E. School Sabhar.
4000	,, Goshthabihari	. .	18	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,, Hemlal	. . . .	19-2	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,, Hiralal	. . . .	17-2	Bera Bipinbihari H. E. School.
	,, Jagatbandhu	. . .	18-7	Raipara R. K R. M. Institution.
	,, Jagatchandra	. . . .	22-6	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Jagadischandra	. . .	18-3	Ujanchar K N. H. E. School
	,, Jajneswar	. . . .	22	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution.
	,, Jaladhar	. . .	19-10	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School
	,, Jitendranath	. . . .	21-4	Dubalhati Raja Haronath H. E. School.
	,, Jnanendranath	. . .	16-1	Raja Surya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.
4010	,, Jogendrachandra	. . .	20-9	Nagarpur I Jadunath High School.
	,, Jogendrachandra	. . .	16-6	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Jogendrakumar	. .	20	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,, Jogeshchandra	. . .	20-1	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	,, Kalipada	. . .	17-6	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	. . .	18-1	Joradah H E. School.
	,, Kesabchandra	. .	17-1	Amta H. E. School.
	,, Kunjabihari	. .	18-11	Siddhipasa P. P. H E, School.
	,, Lalitkumar	.	17-5	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Lalitmohan	. . .	19-10	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
4020	,, Lalmohan	. .	18-1	Bhanga H. E. School.
	,, Mahendrakumar	.	20-1	Faridpur Zilla School.
	,, Manindralal	. . .	19-10	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	,, Manindramohan	. . .	17-1	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Manindramohan	. . .	17-2	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	,, Maninmohan	. . .	17-11	Lonsing H. E. School.
	,, Nagendralal	. . .	20-1	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Nalinikanta	. . . .	26-11	Private Student Roll Jes. P. 4.
	,, Narayanchandra	. . .	20	Malda Zila School.
	,, Narendranath	. . .	17-7	Serajganj Victoria High School.

4030	Saha, Nibaranchandra	. . .	19-11	Teota Academy.
	„ Niranjan	. . .	17	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
	„ Prabhaschandra	. . .	18-6	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Prembala	. . .	...	United Missionary Girl's High School, Calcutta.
	„ Premlal	. . .	19-10	Private Student Roll. Dar. P. I.
	„ Priyanath	. . .	19-10	Pabna Institution.
	„ Radhikamohan	. . .	19-8	Noakhali Zila School.
	„ Sachimohan	. . .	17-2	Baradi H. E. School.
	„ Sadhucharan	. .	20-1	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	„ Sanatanchandra	. . .	17-10	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
4040	„ Sasankamohan	. . .	19-4	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	„ Satischandra	. . .	18-7	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
	„ Sasimohan	. . .	17	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	„ Sudhanwakumar	. . .	17-10	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	„ Sudhirchandra	. .	20-1	Nawabganj H. E. School.
	„ Surendrachandra	. . .	16-11	Muradnagar Durgaram H. E. School.
	„ Surendramohan	. . .	18-1	Ujanchar, K. N. H. E. School.
	„ Tarakchandra	. . .	18-5	Balla Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Trailokyanath	. . .	17-7	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	„ Umeschandra	. . .	17-2	Dacca Pogose School.
4050	Sahachaudhuri, Satyendranath	. .	17-11	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	Sahamandal, Jnanendralal	. .	20-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	Sahamajumdar, Rajanikanta	. .	23-1	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Sahana, Tarankrishna	. . .	23-1	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	Sahapramanik, Asutosh	. .	17-4	Jangipur H. E. School.
	Saheb Husain	. . .	23-2	V. M. H. E. School Sewan.
	Sahiruddin Ahmed	. . .	21-5	Satkhira Pran Nath H E. School.
	Sahoo, Akshaykumar	. .	17	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Sahu, Ramgulam	. . .	19	Darbhanga Raj School.
	„ Udayanath	. . .	20-1	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
4060	Saikh Danesh Muhammad	. .	21	Nimtita, G D. Institution.
	Saikh Moula Boksh	. .	19-4	Kanchantala, J. D. J. Institution.
	Saikia Bishnuram	.	16-1	Golaghat Govt. Bezbarua High School.
	Sinuddin Ahamad	. . .	22-8	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Saiyed Ehsan Ali	. . . .	23-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Sakhichand Mehta	. . .	17-8	Saran Academy, Chapra
	Saleh Ahmed, I	. .	18	Chittagong Municipal School.
	Samaddar, Jatindranath	. . .	18	Lakshipasa Durgacharan, Institution.
	„ Rasiklal	. . .	19-2	Sri Vishuddhananda Saraswati Vidiyalaya.
	Somadder, John Birendra	. .	21-1	Mathura Nath Institution, Gopalganj.
4070	Samajdar, Manoranjan	. .	17-4	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	Sammadar, Brajendra Kumar	. .	30-3	Roll Bar T.
	Samanta, Binaykrishna	. .	17	Burdwan Municipal School.
	„ Bipinbihari	. . .	19	Contai H. E. School.
	„ Gobindamohan	. .	17	Memari V. M. Institution
	„ Jogeswar	. .	22-5	Garbeta H. E. School.
	„ Panchanan	. . .	16-1	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	„ Pasupati	. .	20-1	Indas H. E. School.
	„ Sudhirkrishna	. . .	19-6	Kalighat High School.
	„ Surendranath	. .	18-11	Chinsura Training Academy.
4080	Samantaray, Hrishikes	. . .	20-1	Private Student Roll Kat P. 19.
	Sambhoo Nath	. . .	19-2	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Sambhu Dutt Goswamy	. .	19-7	Sree Visudanand Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Samiraddin	. . .	19-4	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Samiraddin Ahmed	. . .	22-6	Eliotganj R. B. H. E. School.
	Samsher Ali Miah	. . .	17-10	Santosh Janhabi H. E. School.
	Samson Lepcha	. . .	22-1	Darjeeling High School.
	Debendranath Sanbui	. .	19-3	Darbhanga Raj School.
	San Illa Phaw	. . .	18-11	Akyab Government High School.
	Sankar Prasad	. . .	19	Katihari Zila School.
4090	Santra, Anathnath	. . .	18-7	Nandigram Campbell Institution.
	„ Kshitischandra	. .	19-10	Raghunathbari R. T. H. E. School.
	„ Surendranath	. .	16-10	Ulubaria H. E. School.
	Sanyal, Apurbadas	. . .	19-1	Kumarkhali M. N. H. E. School
	„ Bhudebchandra	. . .	16-8	Majdia Rail Bazar H. E. School.
	„ Charuchandra	. . .	28	Calcutta Training Academy.

	Sanyal,	Dwipendranath	17-6	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Harigopal	19-11	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,,	Nagendranath	18	Hemnagar Sesimukhi H. E. School.
	,,	Nirmalkumar	17	Santipur Municipal School.
4100	,,	Pranatosh	17-2	Debigunj N. N. H. E. School.
	,,	Praphullakumar	19-2	Swarnagram Radhanath H. E. School.
	,,	Ramaprasad	19-8	Dhankuria H. E. School.
	,,	Rameschandra	18-1	Sherpur D. J. H. E. School.
	,,	Sisirkumar	16	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,,	Sudhirkumar	17-8	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,,	Syamacharan	19-11	Salap H. E School.
	Sanyalchaudhuri	Sailananda	17-11	Ripon Collegiate, School, Calcutta
	Sarada	Prasad	16-8	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Sarbabidya,	Surendrachandra	17-11	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
4110	Sarbadhikari,	Kshitischandra	17-10	Midnapur Hindu School
	Sarbajna,	Jitendranath	18-11	Abhayapuri Abhayeswary High School.
	Sardar,	Annadacharan	18-11	Tala B. De Institution
	,,	Lalitmohan	16-10	Scotish Church Collegiate School.
	Sarip Md.	Abdul Bari	20-11	Fukura Madan Mohan Academy
	Sarjoo	Maharaj	20-3	Begusarai B. P. H. E. School.
	Sarjoo	Prasad	16	Baley H. E. School, Barh.
	Sarjoo Prasad	Roy	17-7	Saran Academy. Chapra.
	Sarju Prasad,	I	20-6	Ditto.
	Sarju	Singh	19-8	Foley Rajput High School.
4120	Sarkar,	Adharchandra	22-1	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh
	,,	Amarendranath	20-1	Ramgopalpur High School.
	,,	Amritalal	22-7	Nakol R. C. Institution
	,,	Anathbandhu	20-1	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,,	Anukulchandra	19-4	Garbeta H. E. School.
	,,	Bijaylal	21-4	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,,	Binaymadhab	17-8	Barasat Government School
	,,	Binodbihari	19-2	Kodalia S J. H. E. School.
	,,	Bipinchandra	18-1	Baisari H. E. School.
	,,	Chandrakumar	19-10	Private Student Roll Cal. P. 29.
4130	,,	Chintamani	17-1	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Dakshinaranjan	19-7	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	,,	Dhirendrakumar	16-6	Dacca Pogose School.
	,,	Dinabandhu	19-3	Rajsahi Bholanath Accademy.
	,,	Dineschandra	18-2	Tangail Bindubasini H. School
	,,	Durgapada	17-3	Rol C. M. Tayyeb Institution.
	,,	Ganendranath	20	Chaugram H. E. School, Rajsahi.
	,,	Gaurisankar	19-11	Birbhum Zila School.
	,,	Girischandra	19-5	Mathabhanga H. E. School.
	,,	Gopinath	21-11	Khoksa Janipur H. E. School.
4140	,,	Harendrakumar	19-1	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,,	Harendrakumar	22-10	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	,,	Harendramohan	22-5	Bowbazar High School.
	,,	Hemchandra	18-7	Kaneshwar Syamacharan Edward Institution.
	,,	Hemchandra	19-4	Khelat Chandra Institution, Calcutta.
	,,	Hridaynath	18-1	Salap H. E. School.
	,,	Indubhushan	18-1	Indas H. E. School.
	,,	Jadunath	22-6	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,,	Jagadindu	17-1	Kirnahar Sibchandra H. C. E. School
	,,	Jaladhar	20-7	Dhobakhola Coronation H E School.
4150	,,	Jnanendrachandra	17-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	,,	Jnanendranath	18-5	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna
	,,	Jogendranath	19-7	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Jugalkisor	17-6	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution
	,,	Jyotishchandra	20-1	Kushtia H. E. School.
	,,	Kalipada	18-3	Naldah H. E. School.
	,,	Kanailal	16-8	Maju R. N. Basu High School
	,,	Karunasindhu	18-9	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	,,	Khagendranath	20-2	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.

	Sarkar, Kshitischandra	17	Baisari H. E. School.
4160	„ Kumudbandhu	22-7	Manikdaha Lilabati Seminary.
	„ Madanmohan	18-10	K. M. S. C. Institution, Khulna.
	„ Manoranjan	18-4	Magura H. E. School.
	„ Manotosh	18	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Mathuranath	17-11	Bogra Zila School.
	„ Nabagopal	17-11	G. D. Lang Institution, Raghunathpur.
	„ Nabagopal	21-2	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Nabakumar	17-11	Sthal Pakrasi Institution.
	„ Narendrachandra	17	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	„ Narendranath	20-5	U. F. C. Mission High School, Chinsurah.
4170	„ Narendranath	17-1	Manbhum Victoria Institution.
	„ Niradbaran	18-7	Barisal Braja Mohon Institution.
	„ Nirmalchandra	17-5	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Panchanan	18-3	Hughli Branch School.
	„ Paramananda	19-4	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Pasupatinath	24-10	Nibadhai H. E. School.
	„ Prabhaschandra	18-8	Calcutta High School.
	„ Praphullakumar	16-7	Naldanga Bhushan H. E. School.
	„ Priyanath	21-1	Nagarpur Jadunath High School.
	„ Pulinbihari	17-6	Gobardanga H. E. School.
4180	„ Purandara	17-3	Ne rakona Dutt High School.
	„ Purnachandra	19-11	Solaghar High School.
	„ Pyarimohan	18-2	Banagram Ananda Kishore H. E. School.
	„ Radhakrishna	19-1	Dighapatiya P. N. High School.
	„ Radharaman	17-2	Araria H. E. School.
	„ Radhikaprasad	20	Private Student Roll Pur P. 12.
	„ Rajendrakumar	18	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	„ Rameschandra	24-3	Fatehpur K. G. H. E. School.
	„ Rampada	19	Raina H. E School.
	„ Sachinandan	19-2	Islampur H. E. School.
4190	„ Saradakanta	22-5	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Saratchandra	20-3	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	„ Sasankabhushan	19-8	Shillong Govt. High School.
	„ Satischandra	20	Private Student Roll Bar. P. 3.
	„ Satischandra	17-2	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	„ Satischandra	21-6	Bhanga High School.
	„ Satyacharan	16-6	Banwarinagar Coronation Banamali High School.
	„ Sitabuddin	21-9	Chatmohar S. N. H. E. School.
	„ Subimal	18-4	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	„ Subimalchandra	20-3	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
4200	„ Surendramohan	19-1	Shibchar Nandakumar Institution.
	„ Upendrachandra	21-10	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	Sarkhel, Aswinikumar	18-10	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	19-4	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	Sarma, Debendrachandra	20	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	„ Lakshminath	18-3	Sonaram Aided High School.
	„ Kalimohan	18-2	Baburhat H. E. School.
	„ Krishnahari	18	Baburhat H. E. School.
	„ Padmakanta	25	Private Student Roll Gau. P. 16.
	„ Pratapchandra	16-8	Nowgong Govt. H. E. School.
4210	„ Nabinchandra	17-11	Bagribari H. N. Seminary.
	„ Ratneswar, II	19-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	„ Ruchinath	19-1	Jorhat Govt. High School.
	„ Saratkumar	17-1	Golaghat Govt. Bezbarua High School.
	„ Suryyakanta	18-8	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	Sarmabarthakur, Lakshminath	18-4	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	Sathia Narayanprasad	16-7	RavenshawCollegiate School, Katak.
	Satyadeva Parde	19	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzafarpur.
	Saw Shway	18	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Sayed Golam Tapur	19-4	Raina H. E. School.
4220	Seetal Prosad	27-4	Private Students Roll Pat P. 29
	Sen, Abanikumar	19	K. M. D. M. Institution, Telirbag.
	„ Abhayapada	21 11	B. M. Institution, Sankari.
	„ Amarendranath	21-3	Calcutta, High School.

	Sen, Asataru	17-9	Patija, High School.
	,, Atulchandra	17-8	Gouripur P. C. Institution.
	,, Bankimchandra	17-11	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Bhudebchandra	19-2	Metropolitan Institution, Bowbazar Branc .
	,, Bibhutibhushan	18-8	Midnapur Town School.
	,, Bijanbihari	17-6	Bishop's College School, Calcutta.
4230	,, Bijaychandra	21-9	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Birendrabihari	19-5	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Birendranath	18-8	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Chandranath	18-1	Chittagong National Institution.
	,, Debaranjan	17-10	Khulna Zila School
	,, Debiprasad	17-7	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	,, Dhiredranath	16	Kailas Ranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	,, Dhirendranath	17-3	Khulna Zila School
	,, Dineschandra II	18-6	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Dineschandra	20-6	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
4240	,, Dwijendranath	20-1	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Ganeshchandra	19	Private Student, Roll Jes. P. 5.
	,, Gaurkisor	18	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Girischandra	22-1	Sonargaon G. R. Institution
	,, Golakbihari	18-7	Purulia Zila School.
	,, Gopalchandra	19-5	Chinsurah Training Academy.
	,, Hemchandra	17-4	Jenkins School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Harendrakumar	22	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	,, Jatindraranjan	19-8	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Jibankumar	17-3	Edward Coronation Institution, Jiaganj.
4250	,, Jogeschandra	19-1	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,, Janakinath	19-11	Abutorab R. L. H. E. School.
	,, Jnanendranath	18-4	Serajganj B. L. High School.
	,, Jnanranjan	16-8	Silchar Government High Scho l.
	,, Jyotsnanath	17-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P 85.
	,, Kalimohan	16-2	Chittagang Municipal School.
	,, Kanailal	19	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Kartikchandra	18	Barisal Braja Mohan Institution.
	,, Khagendrachandra	19-1	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	,, Kiranchandra	19-1	Edward George School, Madhupur.
4260	,, Kshitishchandra	19-1	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	,, Kumudchandra	19	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.
	,, Lalitmohan	18-3	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath	16-8	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manomohan	18-2	Bajitpur H. E. School.
	,, Nalinikanta	17-5	Chikandi H. E. School.
	,, Nalinikanta	20-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Narayanchandra	19-3	Siddhipasa P. B. H. E. School.
	,, Narendrakumar	17	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Nepalchandra	17-1	City Collegiate H. E. School, Calcutta.
	,, Narendrakrishna	17-3	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
4270	,, Narendranath	20-11	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	,, Nirendranath	17-8	Hindu School, Calcutta.
	,, Nirmalchandra	19-10	Saroatali H. E. School.
	,, Panchanan	19-5	Naldanga Bhushan H. E. School.
	,, Parameshprasanna	16-9	Morton, Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Pareschandra	16-4	Noakhali Chatkil Panchgaon Gupta High School.
	,, Prabhaskumar	17-9	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	,, Pratulchandra	18-8	Faridpur Zila School.
	,, Priyabushan	18	Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
4280	,, Priyanath	18-11	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	,, Ramanimohan	19-10	Sandwip Cargill High School.
	,, Rameschandra	22-1	Chandrakona Jirat H. E. School.
	,, Sachindranath	18-2	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Sachindranath	22	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Sailendrabhushan	16-2	Birbhum Zila School.
	,, Saileschandra	19-2	Faridpur Zilla School.

	Sen,	Sailendrakumar	17-5	Senhati High School.
	,,	Sailendusekhar	19-1	Kartikpur H. E. School.
	,,	Santoshkumar	18-6	Purnea Zila School.
4290	,,	Sasankamohan	17-6	Mahamuni Anglo Pali Institution.
	,,	Sisirkumari	...	Mymensingh Vidyamoyee H. E. School for Girls.
	,,	Satyendranath	16-5	Harina Bagbati H. E. School.
	,,	Satyendranath	16	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Srischandra	20-6	L. M S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,,	Subodhkumar	16-5	Town School, Calcutta.
	,,	Sudhansubimal	16-3	Senhati High School.
	,,	Sudhendukumar	21-2	Private Student RollMym P. 5.
	,,	Surendramohan	22	Manikdaha Lalabati Seminary.
	,,	Surendranath	16-1	Barisal Zila School
4300	,,	Sureschandra	18-8	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	,,	Susilchandra	18-8	Purulia Zila School.
	,,	Upendrachandra	17-2	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Sengupta,	Abinashchandra	18-1	Goila H. E. School.
	,,	Ambikacharan	18	Chittagong H E. School.
	,,	Anantakumar	18-6	Perojpur Government High School.
	,,	Anantakumar	17-6	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,,	Anilchandra	17-6	Kurigram H. E. School.
	,,	Asitaranjan	23-1	Sylhet Government High School.
	,,	Asutosh	19 5	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.
4310	,,	Aswinikumar	17-9	Nettakona Dutt High School
	,,	Bankimchandra	17-3	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,,	Basantakumar	18-2	Wazirpur W. B. Union Institution.
	,,	Bimalprasun	21-2	Saroatali P. C. Sen H E. School.
	,,	Binodbihari	19-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,,	Bhupendranath	17-6	Mohima Ranjan Memorial H. E. School, Kakuna
	,,	Chandraprakas	16-6	Khararia H. E. School.
	,,	Charuchandra	20-6	Lakshmi Kanta H. E. School, Kalma.
	,,	Chittaranjan	19-8	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Debendranath	20	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
4320	,,	Dhirendrakumar	16-5	Senhati High School.
	,,	Dhirendranath	19-11	Banagram Century Institution.
	,,	Gopalchandra	18-4	Sholak Balajer Union Institution.
	,,	Harananda	17-7	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chauduri H. E. School.
	,,	Harendranath	21-11	Feni High School.
	,,	Hemchandra	19-3	Satkania H. E. School.
	,,	Hemchandra	18-11	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,,	Himamsukumar	17	Barisal Zila School.
	,,	Indubhushan	18-11	Arun Chandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Jadunandan	21-6	Ichapura H. E. School.
4330	,,	Jatindranath	18-11	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Jatiranjan	16-2	Dibrugarh Govt. High School.
	,,	Jitendranath	18-1	Kirtipasa P. K Institution.
	,,	Jnanadabushan	17-1	Jhenidah H. E. School.
	,,	Jnanendranath	19-8	Rangpur Zila School.
	,,	Jnanendranath	19-1	Goila H. E School.
	,,	Jogendrachandra	18-8	Aruncbandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,,	Kshitindranath	18-6	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipu..
	,,	Kshitischandra	16	Palong H. E School.
	,,	Lalmohan	18	Fatehpur K. G. H. E. School.
4340	,,	Manindranath	17-6	Senhati High School.
	,,	Nagendrakisor	18-5	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,,	Nagendranath	17	Goila H. E. School
	,,	Nagendranath	18-8	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,,	Nakuleswar	19-3	Ranchi Zila School.
	,,	Nareschandra	18-9	Puthia P. N. H E. School
	,,	Nikunjaranjan	20-1	Barisal Brajamohan Institution.
	,,	Nripendranath	18-5	Ichhapura H. E. School
	,,	Prabhatchandra	17-1	Faridpur Zila School.
	,,	Prabodhchandra	19-7	Jalpaiguri Zila School.
4350	,,	Prakaschandra	17-1	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta
	,,	Pramodmohan	17-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh
	,,	Priyakanta	20-6	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.

	Sengupta, Rajendranath	16-2	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Rameschanda	22-10	Barisal Zila School
	,, Sachindramohan	18-2	Paschimgaon Badarennessa High School.
	,, Saileschandra	19-3	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Satindranath	22-2	Kalia R. H. E. School.
	,, Satischandra	22	Kirtipasa P. K. Institution.
	,, Santoshchandra	21-10	Lakshmikanta H. E. School, Kalma.
4360	,, Sibcharan	16-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Sisirkumar	16-11	Autoshahi R. N. H. E. Schoo
	,, Subodhchandra	17	Rangpur Zila School.
	,, Sukumar	13-5	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	,, Sukumar	20-6	Brahmo Boy's High School, Calcutta.
	,, Susilkumar	17-7	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Susilkumar	17-8	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Susilranjan	18-2	Burdwan Municipal School.
	,, Upendrakumar	20-10	Teota Academy.
	,, Upendranath	17-9	Bhola Govt. High School.
4370	,, Upendranath	18	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	Senkarmakar, Baidyanath	20-4	Miksimil Rudaghara H. E. School.
	Senmajumdar, Saileschandra	19-6	Chittagong Municipal School.
	,, Taraprasanna	19-8	Kailasranjan H. E. School, Rangpur.
	Serajal Hoque	18-2	Durgapur H. E. School.
	Set, Goshthabihari	17-8	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Jatindrakumar	21-6	Srikrishna Pathsala
	,, Krishnachandra	19-1	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Madhabchandra	17-1	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Pannalal	19	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
4380	Seth, Josadanandan	18-4	Maldah Zila School.
	Sewak Lal	22-1	Matihari Zila School.
	Shahauddin Ahmad	16-1	M. A. School, Patna City.
	Shahbuddin Ahmed	21-1	Kaliganj R. R. N H. E School.
	Shahad Ali	19-7	Sonarang High School.
	Shahid Raza	19-11	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 24.
	Shah Khaliler Rahman	21	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. 6.
	Shah Mohammad Elani Bukhsh	17-7	Monghyr Zila School.
	,, Muhammad Elyas	19-5	Baburhat H. E. School.
	,, Muzhar Ali	26-1	Digapateya P. N. High School.
4390	Shah Ahmed Ali Mandal	21-5	Naokhila P N. H. E. School.
	Shaik Obedullah	19-2	Kurigram H. E. School.
	Shaikh Meftab Uddin	18-4	Bageshat H. E. School.
	Shaikh Nasiruddin	22-10	Ullapara Merchant's High School.
	Shaikh Noor Mohamed	22-8	Islampur H. E. School.
	Shaikh Noor Mahammud	21-1	Barasat Government School.
	Shaikh Rafiuddin	16	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	Shaikh Sarman Ali	19-11	Boinchee B. L Mukerji's Free Institution.
	Sheik Ahmed	17-6	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
	,, Idris	20-1	Kisoreganj H. E. School.
4400	Sheikh Ahamed	19-6	Feni High School.
	,, Ahamed	22-11	Abutorab R. L., H. E. School.
	,, Alay Hossain	19-3	Private Student, Roll Bha. P. 29.
	,, Asiruddin	18-11	Beldanga G. S. H. E. School.
	,, Amjud Hussain	21	Basantia H. E. School.
	,, Daud Rahaman	18-2	Bhastara H. E. School.
	,, Ekkori	19	Taltala High School.
	,, Emdad Ali	19-8	Panitras H. E. School.
	,, Hasan Ali	23-9	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 1.
	,, Iobali	20-1	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
4410	,, Md. Yasin	22	Private Student, Roll Ber. P. 4.
	,, Mohammad Safdar Ali	23-1	Barari Rai H. M. T. Bahadur's H. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Shailja Nund Prasad Singh	16-1	Jamui H. E. School.
	Shakhe Babar Ali	16-2	Serajganj Victoria High School.
	Shambhoo Parshad	17	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
	Shama Charan	16-2	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Shamas Alam	16-8	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Shamsa Uddin Ahamed	20-4	Rupsa Ahmedia H. E. School.

	Shamsuddin Ahmed Biswas	18-11	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	Shamsul Alam Chowdhury	18-10	Barisal Braja Mohan Institution.
4420	Shamsuddin Ahamed	22-4	Taltara High School.
	Sham-sul Huda	21-6	Central Coronation School, Duptara.
	Shamsul Huque	17-6	Gaya Haran Chandra H. E. School.
	Shamsul Monir Salamat Ullah	22-10	Paschimgoan Badarennessa High School.
	Shankerprasad Padhee	18-10	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	Sharma, Chandrasekhar	17-2	Private Student, Roll Dar. P. 4.
	Shaw, Digambar	18-3	Panchetgarh H. E. School.
	Shyam Lall Shukla	22-8	Private Student.
	Sheo Pershad	16	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	Sheonandan Parshad	20-1	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
4430	Shiva Prasad Khanna	17-7	Govt. Aided H. E School, Muzaffarpur.
	Shiva Narayan Lal	22-5	Private Student, Roll Rac. P. 1.
	Shiva Narayan Misra	17-2	Patna Collegiate School
	Shohid Hossain Joarder	18-3	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	Shomsul Hoque	16-7	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	Shyam Bahadur	21-10	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Shyam Lal Lhila	16-8	Sree Visudhanand Saraswati Vidyalaya
	Shyam Lal Marwari	19-10	Dumka Zila School.
	Shyam Lall Khettry	20-8	Sree Vishudhanand Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Shyamnarain Lal	20	Chapra Collegiate School.
4440	Shyamnarayan Singh	16-1	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
	Shyam Sundar Bar Panda	17-11	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	Siddhanta, Asutosh	21-7	Rangdia H. E. School.
	Sihi, Surendranath	22-5	Islampur H. E School.
	Sikdar, Harendranath	19-11	Sukhunpur H E. School.
	,, Jogendra Nath	21-3	Orakandi H. E. School.
	,, Kalipada	18-10	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.
	,, Kaliprasad	16-8	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
4450	,, Murarimohan	16-4	Abaipur Ramsunder Institution.
	Sikdardas, Himansuprabha	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
	Sil, Ashutosh	18-7	Bowbazar High School.
	,, Chunilal	18	Chinsura Training Academy.
	,, Dulalchand	19-4	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Gobindachandra	19-10	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	,, Haramohan	20-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Jatindranath	17-2	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Jaynarayan	21-1	Calcutta High School.
	,, Jogeschandra	16-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Prahladchandra	21	Karatiya M. A. O. High School.
	,, Praphullakumar	16-9	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
4460	,, Rajendrachandra	23-3	Satirpara Kalikumar Institution.
	,, Ramanimohan	...	Paschimgaon Budarennessa High School.
	,, Surendrakumar	18-2	Bhanga High School.
	Sinha, Basisthanarayan	18	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School Bhagalpur.
	,, Bhabataran	21-9	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Bimanbiharilal	18	Ukhara H. E. School.
	,, Bibhutibhushan	16-2	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Binaygopal	18-5	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Bipinbihari	21-1	Nagharia H. E. School.
	,, Brahmeswar	18-9	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
4470	,, Badrinayan	16-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,, Dhananjay	16-2	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,, Durgaprasad	18-5	R. Mitra H. E. School, Dooghar.
	,, Durgaprasad	20	Chapra Collegiate School.
	,, Girindranath	20-3	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Girindranath	21-6	Santosh Jahnavi H. E. School.
	,, Gobindachandra	17-6	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Gobindachandra	21-2	Mission High School, Katak.
	,, Hridaygopal	17-9	K. D. Institution, Katwa.
	,, Jagdambaprasad	19-4	Monghyr Zila School.

4480	Sinha, Jaminimohan	20-3	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	,, Jatindramohan	18-1	Jenkins School, Cooch Bihar.
	,, Jugalsadhan	20-11	Jhikra H. E. School.
	,, Jogananda	18-11	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	,, Jogendranath	16-7	Midnapur Hindu School.
	,, Kalikrishna	19-1	Calcutta Training Academy.
	,, Lalitmohan	19-7	Bhagyakul Harendralal H E. School.
	,, Mataprasad	17-2	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,, Mritiunjay	17-6	Muragacha H. E. School.
	,, Phanibhushan	17-2	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
4490	,, Pramodkumar	17-6	Bantra Madhusudan Pal Chaudhuri H. E. School.
	,, Rambilas	19-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	,, Radharanjan	17-2	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,, Rajkumar	19	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,, Rakshakrishna	20-6	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Rajdeva	17-4	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Ramaprasanna	18-9	Private Student Roll Bha. P. 21.
	,, Ramandar	17-2	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy
	,, Rama Vyas	17-8	Chapra Collegiate School.
	,, Rameshwarnath	18-2	G. E. L. Mission School
4500	,, Ramjanam Prasad	19-5	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Ramlakshman	18-10	Muzafferpur Zila School.
	,, Ranshanker Prosad	16-9	Hajipur H. E. School.
	,, Sachchidananda	19-9	Nawadah George Coronation School
	,, Sahadevaprosad *	16	Purnea Zila School.
	,, Sarasibhushan	20-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	,, Saratchandra	19-8	C. M. S High School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Sarbanand	18-8	Foley Rajput High School.
	,, Sasankabhushan	21	Panchthupi T. N. Institution.
	,, Sasikala	...	U. F. C. High School, Calcutta.
4510	,, Satchidananda	20-3	Kishenganj H. E. School.
	,, Satyanarayan	22-1	Darbhanga Northbrook School.
	,, Sheosagar	23-11	Foley Rajput High School.
	,, Sibasaran	17	Pusha High School.
	,, Sibnarayan	16	Kidderpur Academy.
	,, Srischandra	16-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Sudhir Chandra	20-1	Saidabad Hardinge School.
	Sinharay Hemchandra	16-6	M. N. Academy, Lalgola.
	,, Nabadwipchandra	19-1	Kaikala H. E. School.
	,, Mohinimohan	...	Private Student, Bogra P 5.
4520	Sinheswar Prosad Das	19	Purnia Zila School.
	Singh, Tariniparshad	18-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,, Upendramohan	17-1	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	Sirajuddin Pramanik	17-8	Pabna Institution.
	Sitab Narayan	20-11	Bettiah Raj H. E. School.
	Sitaram	22	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Sitaram	21-1	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh
	Sitaram Ganesh Rampalliwar	19-4	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Sitalprasad Sinha	17-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P 23.
	Sivanath Ram	21-7	Jorasanko High School.
4530	Siva Sharan Lall	19-4	Private Student, Roll Pat P 2.
	S. Shah Gholam Quadir Furdousi	17-1	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Sitharain Srivastava	17	B. N. Coll. School, Bankipur.
	S. Lall Mohammad	19-7	Hughli Collegiate School.
	S. M. Altaf Hossain	19 2	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	S. N. Anwar Ali	18-3	George Coronation H. E. School, Nawadah.
	S. Maung Aye	20-3	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	S. M. Lotif Ali	20-7	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	S. M. Muhammadal Hoque	19-9	Chittagong H. E. School.
	S. M. Nazemal Hossain	17-1	Palong H. E. School.
4540	S. M. Rafiuddin	17-6	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	S. M. Samsuzaman	17	Govt. Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.

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	S. M. Wasi Ahmad	19-1	Bihar H. C. E. School.
	S. M. Yakub	21	Akayab Govt. High School.
	Soe Maung	20-7	Rangoon St. John's College.
	Solomon, Priya Bala	..	U. F. C. High School, Calcutta.
	Som, Bankichandra	21-9	Chittagong Collegiate School.
	,, Taranikumar	21-4	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	Someshwar Sinh	16-11	Buxar H. E. School
	Sone Jha	21-11	Maharanee Lakshmivati Saraswati Academy.
4550	Sridhar Pd. Sinha	16-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	Srilal Bhartia	17-7	Sitamarhi H. E. School
	Srimal, Hiralal	18-9	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	Sri Narayan	16-5	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Sripati Sahai	19-11	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
	Sudeswari Prasad	22	Chapra Zila School.
	Sukul, Bindhyachal	19-10	L. M S Institution Bhowanipur.
	,, Gatikanta	16-4	Garbeta H. E. School.
	,, Upendranarayan	22-9	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	Sultan Ahmad Khan	16-10	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
4560	Sultan Ahamed Khan	17-8	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Sur, Lalitmohan	18-3	Durgapur H. E. School.
	,, Lalitmohan	21	Arunchandra H. E. School, Noakhali.
	,, Nibaranchandra	18-2	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Sibaprasad	16-7	Nawabganj S. B. H. School.
	,, Ganeschandra	18-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Satipoti	20-3	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	S. Raman	18-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School
	Sujawat Ali Khan Lodi	22-6	Parjana M. N. High School.
	Sukadeo Prasad	19-2	Chapra Zila School.
4570	Sulaiman Ahmed *	16	Satkania H. E. School.
	Sulaiman Khan	21-11	L. M. S. Institution Bhowanipur.
	Sultan Alam	17-2	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Surajdeo Prasad	16-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Suraj Prashad	21-2	Foley Rajput High School.
	,, Prasad Pandey	20-2	K. J. Academy, Arrah
	,, Meah	18-10	Kasba H. E. School.
	Suryya Narayan Choudhury	21-2	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Prasad	18-7	Mukerji's Seminary, Muzafferpur.
	Sutradhar, Atalbihari	18-10	Abutorab R. L. H. E. School.
4580	Swami Sharanlal Mehta	19	Taltala High School.
	Syam Abinaschandra	17-11	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	,, Bankabihari	17	Private Student, Roll Sl. P 16.
	S. Yasin Husain	19-7	Chapra Zila School.
	Syed Abdul Gafoor	18-4	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Syed Abdul Gani	21-9	Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	Syed Abdul Halim	17-3	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Syed Abdul Hoque	17-6	Hathazari Parbati Institution.
	Syed Abdul Karim	19-1	Darbhanga Raj School.
	Syed Abdul Majid	17-10	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
4590	Syed Abdul Wahed	23-11	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	Syed Abdul Wahhab	16-1	Sasaram H. E. School.
	Syed Abdun Nasir	17-8	Ram Mohon Roy Seminary, Banki-Pur.
	Syed Abdur Rahim	17-4	Moslem Seminary, Katak
	Syed Abdus Shakur	19-8	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	Syed Abdus Sattar	16-11	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	Syed Abu Ahamed	22	Brahmanbaria Anuada H. E. School.
	Syed Aga Kazimani	18-7	Shenidah H. E. School.
	Syed Ahmad Ali Belgrami	16-8	V. M. H. E. School, Siwan.
	Syed Ahmad Hussain Rizwi	16-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
4600	Syed Ahemad Ally	20-1	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Syed Ahmed	19	Hassan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	Syed Ahmed Karim	19-7	St. Columbas' Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Syed Ali Habib	16	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	Syed Sarwar Ali Ahmed	21 8	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Syed Ali Reza Kazmi	18-7	Gaya Zila School.
	Syed Ali Sarkar	17-11	Bogra Zila School.
	Syed Amin Hussain	18-1	Private Students Roll Pat. P. 63.

	Syed Anwarul Haq Askari	20-2	Bihar H. C. E. School.
	Syed Bazlul Haque	16-11	Barisal Zila School.
4610	Syed Bodiazzaman	17-2	Sailkupa H. E. School.
	Syed Ekramul Azim	18-10	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Syed Golam Koyum	21-3	Harischandra High School, Baniyachong.
	Syed Gulam Muhammad Mustafa	16	Palamau Zila School.
	Syed Hussain Ali	20	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	Syed Hyder Abbas	22-10	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Syed Jawad Ali	17-10	Labpus J. L. H. E School.
	Syed Kutubuddin Ahamed	18-3	Bhola Govt. High School.
	Syed Mohammad	20-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Syed Mohammad Azam	21-3	Monghyr. Zila School.
4620	Syed Mahammad Dawood	22	Taltala High School.
	Syed Mahammed Islam	21	R. R. Institution, Raozan.
	Syed Md. Yousuff	18-11	Foby Rajput High School.
	Syed Mohd. Hadiqus Subhan	23-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Syed Mohammad Kazim	18-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Syed Motahar Ali	16-11	Barisal Zila School.
	Syed Mugbul Hosain	17-4	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Syed Muhammed Hosain	21	Gafargoon Islamia H. E. School.
	Syed Mustafa Husain	21-1	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Syed Mustafa Nawab	18-3	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
4630	Syed Najmal Haq	17-11	Hughli Collegiate School.
	Syeder Rahoman	19-8	Bangora Umalochan H. E. School.
	Syed Rahim Uddin	21	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 49.
	Syed Saeed Bakht	18-1	M L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Syed Serajul Hoque	18-9	Taltala High School.
	Syed Sarafat Ali	25	Arambagh H. E. School.
	Syed Syeduzzaman Miah	18-11	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Syed Uddin Mahammad Akkas	19-3	Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	Syed Ullah	17-10	Sylhet Govt. High School.
	Syed Yakub Ali	18-2	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
4640	Syed Zahir Uddin	20-2	Gaya Haranchandra H. E. School.
	Ta, Jagatchandra	19-11	Jagabandhu H. School, Torkona.
	Tafail Ahmed	19-3	Rangoon St. John's College.
	Taheruddin Ahamed	22-10	Kendua Spry Institution.
	Taheruddin Ahamed	18-7	Kisoreganj H. E. School.
	Taheruddin Ahamed	18-3	Nawabganj H. M. Institution.
	Tahjibuddin Ahmed	17-3	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
	Taijaddin Bhuya	23-5	Central Coronation School, Duptara.
	Tale Newaz Bhuiya	19-10	Netrokana Dutt High School.
	Talukdar, Indubhushan	17-3	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.
4650	Talukdar, Kaliprasanna	19-6	Ditto.
	Talukdar, Kuladaprasad	22-3	Faridpur Ishan Institution.
	Talukdar, Manomohan	18-3	Lohajang High School.
	Talukdar, Nanilal	23-9	Abdullapur H. E. School.
	Talukdar, Sahimuddin	19-4	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	Talukdar, Upendralal	18-8	Rangamati H. E. School.
	Tamizuddin Ahmad	19-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Tamuli, Ratnakanta	21-8	Private Student, Roll Gau. P. 18.
	Tapadar, Annadakanta	17-2	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution.
	Tapadar, Gopalchandra	20-1	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
4660	Tapdar, Nalinikanta	18	Netrokona Dutt High School.
	Tapeshwari Prasad	19-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Tarakeswar Prasad	21-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Tara Mian	19-11	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	Taraphdar, Bibhutibhusnan	20-7	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	Taraphdar, Binaykrishna	16	Ranaghat P. C. H. E. School.
	Tara Prasad	17-1	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Tarif Ulla Fakir	18-7	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Tariny Prasad Sinha	17	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Tarni Prosad Sinha	18-9	Jamui H. E. School.
4670	Tasir Uddin Ahmed	22-1	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Tasiruddin Ahmed	21-1	Dinajpur H. E. School.
	Taw Swee Ku	17-4	Moulmein St. Patrick's Institution.
	Tay Tay Po	19-10	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Tazimuddin Ahammed	17-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.

	Tewary, Janak Dhari	19-7	Samastipur H. E. School.
	„ Jatindranath	22-4	Private Student, Roll Pur. P. 8.
	„ Ramkinkar	19-11	Pandra H. E. School.
	„ Ramkripal	17-5	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Tarinicharan	17-11	Pakur Raj H. E. School.
4689	Tha Gyaw	21-11	Akyab Govt. High School.
	Tha Hla	20-10	Bassein Govt. High School.
	Tha Hnyin	21-3	Maulmein Govt. High School.
	Thakur, Abanikanta	16	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	Thakurchandra Narayan Singh	17-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Thakur, Nilambar	17-4	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	Thakur Pershad Singh	19-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Thakur Prasad	17-1	St. Columbas Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Thakur Prasad	18-8	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Thakur Prasad Thakur	16-1	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani
4690	Thakur Sheonandan Prasad	19-6	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Thakur, Sukkan	16-10	Hajipur H. E. School.
	Thakur Suraj Narain Singh	18-3	Patna Collegiate School.
	Thein Pe	21-9	Bassein Govt. High School.
	Theophil Tiga	19-2	G. E. L. Mission School.
	Tikadar, Hridayanath	18	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	„ Jitendranath	22-6	Magrahat A. O. Institution.
	Tilakdas, Krishnachandra	24-3	Gafargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Torab Ali Taluqueder	19-11	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Tribeni Sinha Sharma	19-1	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
4700	Tripathi, Brishabhanu	20-9	Sambalpur H. E. School.
	„ Dharmagyanath	20-2	Private Student.
	„ Madhusudan	21-1	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
	Trivedi, Saratchandra	17	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Tulal, Gopinath	17-10	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	Tun Aung	19-4	Prome Govt. A. V. High School.
	Tunga, Bidyadhar	19	Midnapur Hindu School.
	Tun Pe, I	17-3	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Tun Tin	19-3	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Ugra Pratap Singh	16-3	Patna Collegiate School.
4710	Ukil, Jatischandra	21-4	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	U. Kyaw Zaw	19-11	Akayab Govt. High School.
	Umanshankar Panday	22-11	V. M. H. E. School, Sewan.
	Umeswar Prasad	18-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ung. Eng. Syan	18-6	St. Paul's High School, Rangoon.
	Upadhyay, Bibhutibhushan	18-6	Magrahat A. O. Institution.
	„ Chhatradhar	23-11	Miksimil Rudaghara H. E. School.
	„ Jainarain	22-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Upendranath Jha	16-5	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	U. Tha Tun	19-8	Akayab Govt. High School.
4720	Varuniprasad Sinha	17-11	Palamau Zila School.
	Victoria Mabel Sen	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Vidya Kumar	23-6	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Vikramaditya Sinha	18-2	Patna Collegiate School.
	Vindhyabasni Parshad	20-4	Govt. Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Vindhyachal Prasad Mishra	21-8	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 7.
	Vindhyachal Prasad Verma	18-7	Private Student, Roll Muz P. 3.
	Vishnu Deva Narayan Verma	20-11	Private Student. Roll Chap. P. 7.
	Vishwanath Jha	18-7	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Vishwanath Prasad	17-2	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
4730	V. M. Chakradeo	21-8	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 23
	Wahed Ali	25-8	Teacher, Roll Chi. 2.
	Waizuddin Ahmed	17-7	Chittagong Govt. Moslem High School.
	Wajed Ali Talukdar	22-2	Ullapara Merchants' High School.
	Walior Rahman	19-11	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Waz Uddin Ahmed	22-2	Mrityunjoy School, Mymensingh.
	Xavier, John	16-9	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Yasin Mojumdar	20-5	Baburhat H. E. School.
	Yaqub Ali	19	Comilla Iswar Pathsala,

	Yaqub Hussain	21-6	Saran Academy, Chapra.
4740	Yashodanand	21-6	Motihari Zila School.
	Yusuf Ibrahim	17-1	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 22.
	Ye Gyan	20-9	Buddha Thathana Noggaha Anglo-Vernacular High School, Mandlay.
4743	Zahiruddin Ahmed	16-2	Raja Girischandra High School, Sylhet

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(*In Alphabetical Order.*)

	Abayanandan Prosad	19-11	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Abdul Bari	18-3	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Abdul Bari	17-11	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	Abdul Hakim	19-1	Wesleyan Collegiate School, Bankura.
	Abdul Halim	16-1	Faridpur Zila School.
	Abdul Hekim	19-3	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Abdul Karim	17	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	Abdul Karim	19-2	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
	Abdulmajid Ahmed	16-2	Nilphamari High School.
10	Abdul Mojid	19-11	Feni High School.
	Abdul Noor	24-6	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 11.
	Abdul Rasid Khan	21-8	Dhobakhola Coronation H. E. School.
	Abdul Wusay*	16-8	Govt. Moslem High School, Chittagong.
	Abdur Rahman	18	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Abdur Rahman	25	Feni High School.
	Abdur Rahman Molla	17-3	Khulna Zila School.
	Abdus Shukur	18	Lonsing H. E. School.
	Abul Islam Reazuddin Ahamed	22-1	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	Acharyya, Ganeschandra	21 11	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
20	Adhikari, Balaram	22-7	Bolpur H. E School.
	,, Sasadhar	16-11	Sijgram Hossenabad H. E. School.
	Adhya, Gaganbihari	17-3	Balasore Christian High School.
	Aftabuddin	17-6	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Aikat Sujaychandra	18-2	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Ajodhya Prosad	20-2	Behar H. C. E. School.
	Alauddin Ahamnad	19	Private Student, Dac. P. 4.
	Alakh Narain Prosad	18-3	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Ali Ashraf Khan	16-1	Serajganj B. L. H. E. School.
	Ambika Prasad Singh	17-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
30	Amir Ali Biswas	18	Khulna Zila School.
	Anajuddin Ahamed	17-1	Mekliganj H. E. School.
	Ashraaf Ali Khan	17	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	Ashraf Mahammed*	16-3	Khurda H. E. School.
	Azizar Rahman	23-5	Comilla Iswar Pathsala.
	Baidyanath Prosad	17-7	Motihari Zila School.
	Baidyanath Prosad Dass	17-5	W. H. E. School, Supaul.
	Baksi, Haripada	21-3	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	Baldeo Mandar	17-8	Darbhanga Raj H. E. School.
	Baldeo Sahay	19-5	Dumka Zila School.
40	Balram Prashad	17-11	Nawadah George Coronation H E. School.
	Bandyopadhyay, Bhabatosh	17-11	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Bimalacharan	18-11	Puri Zila School.
	,, Brajendranath	19-3	Private Student, Roll Khu. P. 2.
	,, Gangaprasad	17-3	Syambazar Vidyasagar School.
	,, Gopalchandra	20-11	Birbhum Zila School.
	,, Gunendranath	19	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Haripada	21	Autshahi R. N H. E. School.
	,, Jagatbandhu	18-1	L M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Jitendranath	19-6	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
50	,, Jnanchandra	19-8	Jamtar J. B C. School.
	,, Kalikananda	21-11	Monghyr Training Academy.
	,, Madhusudan	19	Bishnupur H. E. School.
	,, Nalinikanta	18-11	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	,, Panchanan	16-4	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Panchanan	18-2	Jamai Training School.

	Bandyopadhyay, Paresnath	.	18-5	Konnagar H E. School.
	,, Pasupati	.	19-7	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	,, Ramanimohan	.	17-2	Raspur H. E. School.
	,, Santoshkumar	.	16 5	Sheakhala H. E. School.
60	,, Sasankasekhar		18-5	Khagra L. M. S. School.
	,, Shorashimohan	.	17	Jangipur H. E. School.
	,, Suprakas	.	21	Brahmo Boys' High School.
	,, Surendralal	.	19-9	Thakurgaon H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	.	19-1	Nibadhai H. E. School.
	,, Surendranath	.	16-5	Banagram Century Institution.
	Barik, Basudeb		19-8	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	Baruya, Nagendrachandra		22-6	Rangamati H. E. School.
	Basak, Madanmohan	.	18-2	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	,, Murarimohan	.	19-8	Nator Maharaja's High School.
70	Basu, Abinaschandra	.	18-7	Saidabad Hardinge H E. School
	,, Amarendranath	.	19	Baghutia Bibhagdi H. E. School
	,, Gopalchandra	.	16-5	Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	,, Jitendranath	.	20-7	Calcutta Academy.
	,, Khagendranath		23-1	Chinsurah Training Academy
	,, Kartikchandra	.	17-11	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta
	,, Nalinchandra	.	19-6	Garbati H. E. School
	,, Saratchandra	.	18-2	Ravenshaw Collegiate School Katak.
	Basuray, Jubileekumar	.	19-8	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	Basuthakur, Arunendrakumar	.	19-3	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
80	Bhabani, Ambikacharan	.	19-7	Sutraghar M. N. H. E School
	Bhagirath Sinha	.	20	Gaya Town H. E School.
	Bhagwan Prasad	.	18	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Bhanja, Satyendranath	.	19-4	K M S. C. Institution, Khulna
	Bharath Singh	.	20-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Bhattacharyya, Anantakumar	.	16-1	Chatmohar S N. H. E. School.
	,, Anukulchandra	.	23	Yusuff H E School, Comilla.
	,, Atulkrishna	.	21-2	Banagram Century Institution.
	,, Dhirendranath	.	16-6	Shymagram Mohinikisor H E School.
	,, Dwijendranath	.	17-7	Baisari H E. School.
90	,, Hemantakumar		17-3	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	,, Kshitischandra	.	20	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	,, Manoranjan	.	18	Gaila H. E. School.
	,, Nagendranath	.	18	Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
	,, Nagendranath	.	22-6	Private Student, Roll Khu. P 7.
	,, Prabhaschandra	.	19-1	Raja Suryakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	,, Surendrabijay	.	21-9	Noapara H. E. School.
	,, Surendrachandra	.	17-5	Sherpur Victoria Academy
	Bhaumik, Bhupendrakumar	.	16-1	Muradnagar Dugaram H. E. School
	,, Haripada	.	16-1	Sailkupa H. E School.
100	Bhim Prosad Subba	.	18-11	Darjeeling High School
	Bhowal, Radhikamohan	.	17-2	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	Binayak Jha	.	18-8	Bettiah Raj H. E.School.
	Bisheshwer Prashad	.	2 -9	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur
	Biswas, Dwarakanath	.	18-1	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj
	,, Kalipada	.	18-4	Daulatpur H. E. School
	,, Manmathachandra	.	17-6	Abdullapur H. E School.
	,, Manmathanath	.	27-11	Teacher, Roll Jes. T. 1
	,, Nripendranath	.	20-7	Kushtia H E. School.
	,, Rabindranath	.	18-6	Banka M K. H. E. School
110	,, Ramendranath	.	18-1	Meherpur H. E. School.
	Bora, Rajanikal	.	16-6	Private Student, Roll Jor. P. 20.
	Brahma, Mangalchandra	.	19-3	Dhubri High School.
	Brajnandan Prasad	.	17-10	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Brijkishore Sahay	.	16-4	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Buzlal Hossain	.	18-11	Bolpur H. E. School
	Chakrabarti, Banbihari	.	16-2	Nabadwip Hindu School.
	,, Bhabataran	.	23-7	Pikur Raj H. E. School.
	,, Bisweswar	.	17-8	Ikhra B. B H E School.
	,, Dhirendranath	.	18-11	Kalna R. H. E. School.
120	,, Durgadas	.	19-4	Sijgram Hossenabad H. E. School.
	,, Harishanath	.	19-4	Panditsar H E. School.

	Chakrabarti, Janakinath	20	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	,, Jyotischandra	22-4	Noakhali Chatkhil Panchgaon Gupta High School
	,, Kamakhyanath	21-6	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	,, Madhusudan	20-6	Antshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	,, Manindrachandra	17	Palong H. E. School.
	,, Prabhaschandra	20-1	Jenkin's School, Cooch-Bihar
	,, Prasannakumar	18	Agartala Umakanta Academy
	,, Rameswar	22-7	Panjia H. E. School.
130	,, Sailajanath	16-6	Nator Maharaja's High School.
	,, Santiram	18	Rampurhat H. E. School.
	,, Sasisekhar	16-2	Baisari H E. School.
	,, Sisirkumar	19-4	Dhankuria H. E School.
	,, Smithomukhie	...	Gardner Memorial School, Calcutta.
	,, Srischandra	17-10	Nawadah George Coronation H E School
	,, Sukumar	19	Gangarampur P. K. Institution.
	,, Surendrakumar	18-7	Banagram Anandakishore H E School
	,, Umeschandra	16-11	Sinhergaon Gobinda High School.
	,, Upendrakumar	24-3	Muradnagar Durgaram H. E. School.
140	Chanda, Apurbakumar	20-7	Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,, Kalikumar	19-6	Siddheswari A. C. Institution
	Chandrasekhar Varma	22-6	M. A A. School, Patna City
	Chandra, Surendranath	19-1	Mughberia G. H. E School
	Chattopadhyay, Amareschandra	19-9	Senhati High School
	,, Ardhendusekhar	19	Sadabad Hardinge H. E. School
	,, Bibhutibhushan	19-8	Kalighat High School.
	,, Bidhubhushan	17-2	Jaia H. E. School.
	,, Bimalchandra	16	Meherpur H. E School.
	,, Dhirendranath	18-7	Private Student, Roll. Dac. P. 2.
150	,, Harikesab	18-1	Jorasanko High School.
	,, Hiralal	17-3	Calcutta High School
	,, Jogeschandra	20-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	,, Kaliprasanna	18-7	Raja Surjakumar Institution Rajbari.
	,, Kirtichandra	20-11	Maliara H. E. School.
	,, Nagendranath	21-7	Serampur Union Institution.
	,, Nanigopal	24	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Puliuchandra	16-2	J. M. Training School, Majilpur.
	,, Satyasanjiban	19-6	Private Student, Roll. Cal. P. 74.
	,, Ushacharan	18-2	East Bengal Institution, Dacca
160	Chattoraj, Amulyaratan	21-7	Purulia Zila chool.
	,, Harihar	18	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Chaudhuri, Debiprasanna	19-1	Calcutta High School.
	,, Ganeschandra	19-10	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	,, Girischandra	19-11	Midnapur Hindu School.
	,, Hemangachandra	19-8	Karimganj Govt. High School.
	,, Jibankrishna	19-5	Private Student, Roll Chi. P. 4.
	,, Jitendranath	20-1	Balurghat H. E. School
	,, Kaliratan	18-11	Private Student, Roll Far. P. 1.
	,, Kumudbandhu	16-5	R K Jubilee School, Noakhali.
170	,, Manindrachandra	17-11	Noapara H. E. School.
	,, Matilal	17-8	N. L. Institution, Chirkunda.
	,, Raghunandan	19-5	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur
	,, Ramendrasundar	17-5	Gar Bhowanipur H E. School.
	,, Sasadhar	19-9	Burdwan Raj Collegiate School.
	,, Sasankamohan	18	Patiya High School.
	,, Surendrachandra	20-11	Ramgopalpur P J. K. High School.
	Chutia, Bansidhar	19-2	Jorhat Bezbarua High School.
	Dalal, Kiranchandra	17-4	Town School, Calcutta.
	Das, Abinaschandra	23-9	Hatuganj M N. K. H. E School
180	,, Amarendranath*	16	Shirres Institution, Madhipura
	,, Ambikacharan	19-3	P. M. Academy, Katak.
	,, Anathbandhu	18-4	Sonaram Aided High School.
	,, Bhushanchandra	19-8	Nibadhai H E. School.
	,, Birajmohini	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca
	,, Debendrakumar	22-5	Silchar Govt. High School.

	Das, Dineschandra	17-1		Private Student, Roll. Com. P. 5.
	,, Girischandra	18		Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	,, Harendrakumar	21-7		Abdullapur H. E. School.
	,, Jogendrachandra	18-6		Kanchantala J. D. J. Institution.
	,, Kaminikumar	16-1		R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Krishnachandra	16-9		L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Lily	..		Ravenshaw Girls' School, Katak.
	,, Nakuleswar	17		Jessore Zila School.
	,, Niradchandra	21-6		Khurda H. School.
	,, Prabhaschandra	22-8		Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Prativabala			U. F. C. High School, Calcutta.
	,, Priyanath	21-3		Brahmanbaria Annada H. E. School.
	,, Purnachandra	22-1		Jaidebpur Rani Bilasmani High School, Dacca.
	,, Radhagobinda	20-9		R K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
200	,, Radhagobinda	16-11		Jajpur H. E. School.
	,, Rohinimohan	21-1		Chittagong H. E. School
	,, Sashibhushan	19-5		Bhola Govt. High School.
	,, Satischandra	19-4		Dhankuria H. E. School.
	,, Shashthicharan	23		Khoksa Janipur H. E. School.
	,, Sudhirkumar	19-3		Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Surendrachandra	20-2		Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Surendrakumar	17-1		Basurhat Abdul Halim Coronation H. E. School
	,, Sureshchandra	18-11		Cotton Collegiate School.
	,, Surendranarain	18-0		Darbhanga Raj School.
210	,, Suryyananda	16-2		Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	,, Susilkumar	16-1		Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Upendranath	18-1		Jorasanko High School
	Dasgupta, Ashutosh	17-8		Banari H E School.
	,, Chandrakumar	23-1		Elliotganj R B. H. E. School
	,, Kumudeswar	23-9		R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	,, Narendranath	16-11		Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	,, Praphullakumar	19-9		Bhanga H. E School, Faridpur.
	Datta, Amarendranath	18-8		Dupleix College.
	,, Balaichand	17-7		Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
220	,, Banbihari	16		Santipur Municipal School.
	,, Dhirendralal	18-3		Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	,, Dhirendranath	17-8		Jalpaiguri Zila School.
	,, Harendrakumar	18-7		Nimtita G D. Institution.
	,, Haridas	20-11		Mahisadal Raj H E. School.
	,, Haripada	17-5		Bhanga High School.
	,, Haripada	16-2		Chittagong National Institution
	,, Jogajiban	17-3		Kukutia K. K. Institution.
	,, Kalipada	19-4		Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Kalipada	16-8		Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
230	,, Kamaleschandra	16-11		Pirpur Jaynagore H. School.
	,, Makhanlal	18-8		L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Manomohan	18-7		Kajirpagla A. T. Institution.
	,, Pannalal	16-8		Rangamati H. E. School.
	,, Prakaschandra	17-7		Midnapur Town School.
	,, Praphullakumar	21-5		Sholak Batajor Union Institution.
	,, Pritindrachandra	18		Private Student, Roll Syl. P.1.
	,, Sachchidananda	20-6		Diamond Harbour H. E. School.
	,, Sachindranath	19-11		Sarail Annada H E. School.
	,, Satischandra	18-3		Dupleix College.
240	,, Satischandra	19-3		Muktagacha R. K. H. E. School.
	,, Santoshkumar	16-1		Narail Victoria Collegiate School
	,, Subridkrishna	18-2		Morton Institution, Calcutta
	,, Taradas	17-11		Baharu High School.
	Dattachaudhuri, Sisirkumar	18-2		Jagabandhu Institution, Ballygunge
	,, Subodhchandra	20-1		Private Student, Roll Sil. P. 17.
	Dattaray, Pramodchandra	20-2		Brahmanbaria Edward Institution
	Dayanidhi, Behari	19-1		Srikrishna Pathsala.
	De, Akshaykumar	20-5		Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Amarendraballabh	16		Puri Zila School.
250	,, Balaichand	16-5		Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	,, Girischandra	20-3		R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali
	,, Girindranath	18-5		Bowbazar High School.
	,, Jagatbandhu	19-4		Sitakunda H. E. School.
	,, Manmathanath	21-9		Nandakumar Institution, Shibchar.

	De, Rajendrachandra	17-8	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	„ Saratchandra	20-1	Lohajang High School.
	Deb, Sudhindranarayan	18-4	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	Debacharyya, Dugdhanath	20-3	Goalpara Government High School.
	Debbarma, Satischanda	16-5	Agartala Umakanta Academy.
260	Debtalukdar, Gajendrachandra	20-4	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Deray, Jogeschandra	16-8	Banagram Anandakishore H. E. School.
	Dewan, Digendranarayan	19	Shahzadpur H. E. School.
	Deonath Sahay	19-5	Jamui H. E. School.
	Deo Saran Ojha	20-4	Sree Visudhananda Saraswati Vidyalaya.
	Dhar, Banamali	22-2	Fatehabad H. E. School, Chittagong.
	„ Saurindranarayan	17-10	Dinajpur Zila School.
	„ Sudhansukumar	18-11	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	Eddie	21	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School
	Erfanuddin Ahammod	19-8	Rungpur Zila School.
270	Faezuddin Ahmed	17-10	Sukhanpur H. E. School.
	Gajadhar Prasad	18-4	Banka M. K. H. E. School.
	Gangopadhyay Anukulchandra	20-2	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution
	„ Haridhan	19-1	Halisahar H. E. School.
	„ Hiralal	20-11	Hemnagar Sasimukhi H. E. School.
	„ Kalipada	17-11	Bhola Govt. High School.
	„ Manindramohan	21-2	Autshahi R. N. H. E. School.
	„ Satishchandra	20	Baharu H. School.
	Ganpati Sahai	19-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Ghosh, Basantakumar	16-11	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
280	„ Binaybhushan	16-4	Dumka Zila School.
	„ Birendranath	16-4	Raja Suryakumar Institution, Rajbari.
	„ Brajagopal	17-1	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Durgadas	18-11	Panditsar H. E. School
	„ Gobindapada	17-4	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Harendrakrishna	20-7	Rajsahi Bholanath Academy.
	„ Haridas	19-1	Khelatchandra Calcutta Institution.
	„ Haripada	19-1	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	„ Jnanendramohan	18-4	Saroatali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	„ Khagendranath	17-10	Srikrishna Pathsala.
290	„ Kshitischandra	19-10	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	„ Madanmohan	22-2	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	„ Manindranath	17	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	„ Matindramohan	21-3	Dacca Imperial Seminary.
	„ Pranabeschandra	17-3	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur Branch.
	„ Ramlal	19-3	Private Student, Roll Jes P. 2.
	„ Rasbihari	21	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Saileschandra	16-4	Dacca Pogose School.
	„ Sisirkumar	19-2	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Surendranath	20-10	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
300	Ghoshdastidar, Matilal	17	Solaghar High School.
	Goswami, Nirendranath	18-5	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Taranikanta	17-3	Union Institution, Paikpara.
	Guha, Baradaprasanna	21	R. K. Jubilee School, Noakhali.
	„ Dhirendrachandra	21-9	Kesorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
	„ Indubhushan	19-2	Madaripur H. E. School.
	„ Kamakhyanankar	17-7	Cotton Collegiate School.
	„ Mohinimohan	19-6	Serajganj B. L. H. School.
	„ Nirmalchandra	18	Narayanganj H. E. School.
	„ Satishchandra	23-5	Balla Coronation H. School.
310	Gupta, Dolgobinda	17-8	Midnapur Town School.
	„ Dwijendranath	20-3	Panjia H. E. School.
	„ Manindranath	21-9	Brahmo Boys' High School, Calcutta.
	„ Naliniranjan	17-4	Comilla Iswar Pathsala
	Habibar Rahman	21-5	Ukil's Institution, Dacca.
	Habib Ullah	22-1	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Haldar, Hirankumar	17-1	Dhankuria H. E. School.
	„ Panchugopal	18	Manbhum Victoria Institution.

	Halwant Sahai	18-3	Palamau Zila School.
	Hamidar Rahaman Talukder	16-6	Serajganj B. L. High School.
320	Hardeo Narayan	23-5	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Harikrishen Sahai	17-1	Chapra Zila School.
	Indra, Sureshchandra	17-8	Kotchandpur H. E. School.
	Jafar Ali Ahmed	24-1	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Jagadish Prasad	16-8	Gaya Haranchandra H. E. School.
	Jagannath Prasad	23-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 60.
	Jagdish Narayan Dhiran	16-11	Muzaffarpur Zila School.
	Jahiruddin Miah	21-2	Tangail Bindubasini High School.
	Jamuna Dube	22-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Jamuna Prasad	17-2	Gaya Zila School.
330	Jamuna Prasad	22	Private Student, Roll Muz. P. 55.
	Jang Bahadur Lal	18-7	M. A. A. School, Patna City, Patna.
	Jasimuddin Biswas	17-3	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	Jaswant Prasad Sharma	18-1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Jones Nalini Bala	...	Gardner Memorial School, Calcutta.
	Kabiluddin Ahamed	17-4	Jessore Zila School.
	Kafiluddin Mian	21	Domshar Jagatchandra Institution.
	Kamla Kant	23-11	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Kamta Prosad Srivastabya	18-2	Watson H. E. School, Madhubani.
	Kanungo, Hrudananda	18-10	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
340	,, Pramodbikas	18-8	Rangamati H. E. School
	Kar, Susilkrishna	16-4	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	Karanjai, Priyanath	22-3	Mrityunjay School, Mymensingh.
	Karmakar, Sachindralal	17-11	Raipura R. K. R. M. Institution
	Kazi Mafizul Hoque	16-6	Mangalkandi H. E. School.
	Kazi Wahidul Haque	19-2	Katia R. H. E. School.
	Kesab Ali Sarcar	24-8	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Kesabprasad Sahu	20-8	Private Student, Roll. Bha. P. 19.
	Khandkar Foriduddin	22-11	Gasain Durgapur H. E. School.
	Khoda Newaz Ahmed	18-5	Dinajpur Zila School.
350	Khurshed Ali	18-10	Hailakandi V. M. High School.
	Kunda, Raghunath	18-10	Jangipur H. E. School.
	Kundu, Sailendrakrishna	17-6	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	L. Tuck Wong	20-3	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Lakshman Tewary	21	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Laksmipati Bhagat	21	Private Student, Roll. Pur. P. 4.
	Lahiri, Byomkes	20-7	Karakdi R. B. H. E. School.
	Lala, Gopinath Ray	20-4	Khurda H. E. School.
	Lala, Harnath Sahay	17-2	Monghyr Zila School.
	Lal, Indrajit	19-7	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
360	Lala, Manindrachandra	18-9	Saraotali P. C. Sen H. E. School.
	Lala, Singheswar Prasad Sinha	17-4	Monghyr Zila School.
	M. Arafath Hossain	16-7	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
	Ma Tha Set		A. B. M. Girl's School, Kemmendine.
	Mahabir Prasad	25-4	Sitamarhi H. E. School.
	Mahammad Ahmedali	21	Khan-Khanapur Surajmohini Institution.
	Mahammad Aziz Ullah	24	Kodalia S. J. H. E. School.
	Mahammad Enayetulla	18-3	Dubalhati Raja Haranath School.
	Mahammed Yasin Ali	19-1	Dari Rampur H. E. School.
	Mahammed Eyawar Hossain	17-11	Khagra L. M. S. School.
370	Mahendra Prasad	20-7	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Mahapatra, Harakrishna	18-11	Balasore Christian High School.
	Maiti, Tarinikumar	18-1	Contai Model Institution.
	Maitra, Pramathanath	19-7	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Majumdar, Akshaykumar	20-3	Miksmil Rudaghara H. E. School.
	,, Anantalal	18-4	Chanchal Siddheswari Institution.
	,, Debendranath	19-3	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	,, Jadunath	21	Aruncbandra H. E. School, Noakhali
	,, Rabindranarayan	20-5	Sirajganj Victoria High School.
	,, Rameschandra	19-3	Chittagong H. E. School.
380	,, Rakhaldas	20-7	B. K. Union Institution, Khulna.
	Malakar, Manomohan	21-1	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Krishnachandra	20-6	Bagnapara H. E. School.
	Mallik, Brajendrakumar	20-7	Bhola Govt. High School.
	,, Gokulkrishna	18-8	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Rabindranath	17-2	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Haridas	21	P. M. Academy, Katak.

	Mamtaz Ali	19-6	Sibsagar Govt. High School.
	Mandal, Baidyanath	22-10	Monghyr Training Academy.
	„ Bholanath	20-4	Saktipur K. M. C. Institution.
390	„ Bibhutibhushan	19-5	Disharghur A. C. Institution.
	„ Biswanath	18-6	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	„ Manoranjan	18	Gopinathpur H. E School.
	„ Sripati	20-7	Jangipur H E. School.
	Manmasih Khalkho	19-8	St. Columbas' Collegiate School, Hazaribagh.
	Mantajaddin	18-2	Baburhat H. E. School.
	Matbar Ali	18-2	Ujanchar K. N. H. E. School.
	Maung Aye Maung	20-2	Rangoon Govt. High School
	Maung Ba Thein	22-4	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	Maung Bya	20-3	Ditto ditto
400	Maung Du Wun	19-7	Mandalay A. B. M. High School.
	Maung Tha	20-7	Rangoon Govt. High School.
	Maung Thaw	20	Ditto ditto
	Mazezel Islam	21-6	Brahmanbaria Edward Institution.
	Md. Abdul Bari	18-10	Kodalia S. I. H. E. School.
	„ Abdul Buri Choudhuri	20-2	Private Student, Roll Syl. P. 12.
	„ Atrab Ali	20-7	Holy Cross B. G. H. E. School, Bashnabad.
	„ Ashrof Khan	19-11	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	„ Azamuddin Akanda	22-1	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	„ Golam Hussain	20-8	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School.
410	„ Ishaq	19-11	Collin's Institute, Calcutta.
	„ Khabiruddin	18-10	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
	„ Khandoker Montazuddin	19-7	Daulatpur H. E. School.
	„ Zahir Uddin	27-11	Netrakona Dutt High School.
	Meherali Sheikh	17-8	Hatuganj M. N. K. H. E. School
	Mg. Ko Ko Gyi	20-7	Rangoon Baptist College A. V. High School.
	„ Kywe	19-10	Bassein Govt. High School.
	Mirza Mohammad Wajeed Ali	19-7	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Misra, Baidyanath	18	Victoria Satyabadi H. E. School.
	„ Jadumani	20	Moslem Seminary, Katak.
420	Mitra, Achintyadas	17-11	Gopalnagar Kerr H. E. School.
	„ Bankimchandra	18-7	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Bibhutibhushan	20-7	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Brajaraj	20-6	Bhanga High School.
	„ Debiprasanna	17-3	Central Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Jitendranath	17-10	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
	„ Sudhansubhushan	19-6	Faridpur Zila School.
	„ Sudhirchandra	20-1	Midnapur Town School.
	„ Sureschandra	20-8	Adharchandra H. E. School, Sabhar.
	„ Mofizuddin Ahammed	19-10	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
430	„ Modi Singh	18-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Mohamad Hassain	18-9	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Mohammad Hassan	22	Monghyr Training Academy.
	„ Ilys Ansari	21	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Mohammed Hafezullah	19-1	Bhola Govt. High School.
	„ Taleb Hossain	22-3	Gofargaon Islamia H. E. School.
	Montazuddin Ahmed	20	Jaypur Lohagara Institution.
	Mookim, Kunanlal	17-7	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutt.
	Mordiecai A. Cohen	18-2	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpu.
	Mostafizal Hoque Choudhury	17-2	Government Moslem High Schoo, Chittagong.
440	Mukhopadhyay, Bidhubhushan	20-3	Edward George School, Madhupur.
	„ Byomkes	19	Kagram H. E. School.
	„ Ganganarayan	16-1	Buxar H. E School.
	„ Manikchandra	22-11	Private Student, Roll. Cal. P. 65.
	„ Manimohan	18-3	Kesab Academy.
	„ Manindranath	17-2	Kushtia H. E. School.
	„ Narayandas	19-2	Sanskrit Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Nirapada	18-3	Seal's Free College, Calcutta.
	„ Nrisinhapada*	16	Chuadanga V. J. H. E. School.

	Mukhopadhyay, Praphullakumar	16-1	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
450	„ Sailendi nath .	17-11	Narikeldanga George High School.
	„ Satyakul . .	19-7	Patuli H. E. School.
	„ Sibaram . . .	20-4	Sonamukhi Jubilee H. E. School.
	„ Sudhirkumar . .	19	Kagram H. E. School.
	„ Taradas . .	20	New Indian School, Calcutta.
	„ Utpalkanti .	18	Bowbazar High School.
	„ Sudhischandra . .	17	Krishnagar A. V. School.
	„ Sureschandra . .	19-4	Malkhanagar H. E. School.
	Muhamed Abdul Khaleque	22-3	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Muhammad Janab Ali . . .	16-5	Raipura K. K. R. M. Institution.
460	Muhammad Sajed . . .	20-6	Nabinagar H. E. School.
	Muneshwar Dayal . . .	17-6	T. K. Ghosh's Academy, Bankipur.
	Munshi Jahir Uddin . . .	22	Sanatala H. E. School.
	Muzaffor Ahmed Chowdhory . .	19-9	Ahmedia H. E. School, Noakhali.
	Nag, Rohinikumar .	19-6	Salar Edward H. E. School.
	„ Prakaschandra .	19-3	Chetla Boys' H. E. School.
	„ Purnachandra .	20-10	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	Nageshawar Prasad . . .	17-3	Darbhanga Raj School.
	„ Nrimuddin Ahmad .	21-11	Taltola H. E. School.
	Nand Kumar Sahai . . .	21	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
470	Nandi, Amalendu . . .	18-6	Juniadah H E School.
	„ Asutosh . .	18	Khoksa Janipur H. E. School
	„ Maheschandra . .	18-6	Hughli Branch School.
	„ Ramkinkar . . .	19-11	Private Student, Roll Pur. P. 13.
	Nath, Debendrachandra .	20-7	Abdullapur H. E School.
	„ Rajanikanta . . .	20	Sarail Annada H. E. School.
	Nazir Ahamed	19-9	Fatikcheri Coronation H. E. School.
	Niyogi, Brajendrakumar . .	16-8	Sirajganj B. L. H. E. School.
	Nural Islam . . .	19-2	Satkania H. E. School.
	Nuruzzaman . . .	18-7	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
480	Osman Gani Chaudhuri . .	22	Raiganj Coronation H. E. School
	Pal, Harimohan . . .	17	Serampur Union Institution.
	„ Jaminikanta . .	16-4	Munshiganj H. E. School.
	„ Kaliprasad . .	19-6	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	„ Khagendranath . . .	19	Baharu H. E. School.
	„ Lalitmohan . .	17	Ichhapura H. E. School.
	„ Nabendrakumar . .	21-3	Lakshmipur H. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath . .	17-3	Aryya Mission Institution, Calcutta
	„ Rakhahari . . .	18-10	Hetampur Raj H. E. School.
	„ Rameschandra . .	18-10	P. M. Academy, Katak.
490	„ Upendranath . . .	16-7	Chatra Nandalal Institution.
	„ Upendranath	18-7	Tikari Raj H. C. E. School.
	Palchaudhuri Sureskrishna .	17-7	Lohajang High School.
	Palit, Bholanath	16-2	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	„ Harabilas . .	20	Gopinathpur H. E. School.
	Pan, Bhabendranath . . .	16-11	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	Pareshwar Dayal Verma .	20	Teacher, Roll Muz. T. 4.
	Pati, Asutosh . . .	17-1	Midnapur Collegiate School.
	Patra, Suklal .	22-1	Balasore Christian High School.
	Pattak, Amulyakumar . . .	18-7	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
500	Poddar, Girindralal .	18-1	Bogra Coronation Institution.
	Pradhan, Debendranath . .	17-6	Basantia H. E. School.
	Parashman	18-10	Darjeeling High School.
	Pramanik, Asimuddin . .	23-6	Naokhila P. N. H E. School.
	„ Kalipada . .	19-7	Santipur Oriental Academy.
	„ Taraknath	18-7	Kushtia H. E. School.
	Pratihar, Srikanta .	16-7	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	Radhakishna Varma . .	21-9	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Raghunath Prasad Mathur .	21-7	M. A. A. School, Patna City.
	Raghunandan Misra . .	20-8	K. J. Academy, Arrah.
510	Rahamat Ali Mean	23-5	Patna Institution.
	Rai Ramdeva Narain Sinha	20-1	Government Aided H. E. School, Muzaffarpur.
	Ramayan Prasad . .	19-2	Private Student, Roll Pat. P. 51.
	Ramachandra Sahaya . .	23	Palamau Zila School.
	Ramchandra Thakur .	17-3	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Ram Nath	18-10	Darjeeling High School.
	Ram Samooju-Dubay . . .	18-1	M. L. Jubilee Institution, Calcutta.
	Rameshwar Prashad Singh .	18-10	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School.
	Rakshit, Birendrakumar . . .	19-5	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.

	Raut Sureshchandra	20-2	Baradi H. E. School.
520	Ray, Bagalacharan	17	Kotalpur D E. School.
	,, Bimalchandra	17-1	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.
	,, Binodkisor	18-1	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	,, Chandicharan	18-3	Hindu School, Calcutta
	,, Debendranath	18-3	Jara H. E. School.
	,, Dhirendranath	16-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	,, Dhirendranath	22-4	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
	,, Dhirendranath	22	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	,, Dwijeschandra	19-11	Parjana M. N. H E. School.
	,, Gobindachandra	20-10	Private Student, Roll. Cal. P. 71.
530	,, Hrishikes	19-2	Magura H. E School.
	,, Jogendrachandra	20-1	Private Student, Roll. Cal. P. 5.
	,, Kamakhyadas	17-9	Mankar H E. School.
	,, Jatindrakumar	19-1	Raipura R. K. R. M Institution.
	,, Mahendranath	22-4	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Meghnath	19-9	Mekligunj H. E. School.
	,, Nityagopal	19	Majdia Rail Bazar H E. School.
	,, Panchkouri	24-7	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	,, Pramodaprasanna	16-10	Calcutta Academy.
	,, Rameschandra	17-7	Purbasthali H E. School.
540	,, Shashtiram	20-8	Bolpur H. E. School.
	,, Surendramohan	18-10	Chittagong H. E. School.
	,, Surendramohan	17	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
	,, Surendranath	19-6	Mathuranath Institution, Gopalganj.
	,, Sureschandra	18-8	Hasan Ali Jubilee High School, Chandpur.
	Raychaudhuri, Achyutananda	16-6	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.
	,, Bimalakanta	19-4	Khalia Rajaram Institution.
	,, Nakuleswar	19-8	Jessore Zila School.
	,, Nayanranjan	22-7	L. M. S Institution, Bhowanipur.
	,, Nilmohan	16-6	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
550	,, Prabodhchandra	18	Kalighat High School.
	,, Saumendubhushan	18-5	Kandi Raj H. E. School.
	Rout, Shoylabala	...	Ravenshaw Girl's School, Katak
	Roy, Elgin Choron	17-11	Shillong Govt. High School.
	Sinha, Ramdeep	19-10	Gaya Haranchandra H. E School.
	Saha, Gaursundar	17-1	Manikganj H. E. School.
	,, Haribhushan	18-3	Dacca Pogose School.
	,, Narayanchandra	17-10	Binodpur B. K. High School.
	,, Rajanikanta	20-1	Ramgopalpur P. J. K. High School.
	,, Rebatimohan	18-2	Dacca Kesorilal Jubilee School.
560	Samaddar, Pramathanath	22-2	Bhanga High School.
	,, Rameschandra	25-1	Private Student, Roll Mym P 2.
	Rai, Sankar	18-4	Mukherji's Seminary, Muzaffarpur.
	Santra, Nanigopal	18-11	Taltola High School.
	Santh, Sneha Lota	..	Gardner Memorial School, Calcutta.
	Sanyal, Manindranath	19-9	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
	,, Ramapati	16-10	Salap H. E. School.
	,, Syamadas	18-3	Digapatiya P. N. High School.
	Sarjoo Prasad Singh	23-1	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Sarkar, Ashutosh	21	Kotchandpur H. E. School.
570	,, Bhupendranarayan	18-9	Rol C. M. Tayyeb Institution.
	,, Debendranath	18-3	Godda Coronation H. E. School.
	,, Judhishthirchandra	23-6	Nimtita G. D. Institution.
	,, Lalitmohan	19-11	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Manikulla	21-5	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Nityananda	17-5	U. F. C. Mission High School. Chinsura.
	,, Rajchandra	22-7	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.
	,, Tarapada	17-4	Shikarpur H. E. School.
	Sarkhel, Surendranath	19	Uttar Sahabazpur George Institution
	Sarma, Satischandra	21-8	Sirajganj B. L. H. E.
580	Sen, Anilkumar	17	Saidabad Hardinge H. E. School.
	,, Birendranath	18-3	Dacca Collegiate School.
	,, Dhirendranath	21-3	C. M. S. High School, Bhagalpur.
	,, Dinendranath	18-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	,, Ganeschandra	16-2	Bangabasi Collegiate School, Calcutta.

	Sen, Hariprasad	20-5	Bhagirathpur H. E. School.
	„ Jnandas	24	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
	„ Krishnachandra	18-6	Sherpur Victoria Academy.
	„ Rabindrakamal	17-6	Comilla Victoria Collegiate School.
	„ Radhamohan	17-11	Srikhanda H. E. School.
590	„ Rameschandra	16-6	Debrugarh Govt. High School.
	„ Sudhansusekhar	16-3	Chittagong H. E. School.
	„ Sukhendubikas	20-2	Chittagong J. M. Sen's Institution.
	Sengupta, Dwijendramohan	17-10	New Indian School.
	„ Krishnachandra	23-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 45.
	„ Kumudbhushan	17-7	Bhanga High School.
	„ Nitischandra	22-10	R. K. Jubilee School Noakhali.
	„ Prabhaschandra	20-1	Town School, Calcutta.
	„ Sarojkumar	21-8	Tezpur Govt. High School.
	Shaikh Isahaque	19-11	Lalgola M. N. Academy.
600	Shaikh Kasimuddin Ahamed	18-9	Sashatinahala Abinas H. E. School.
	Shaikh Mohiuddin	17-9	Calcutta High School.
	Shaikh Nanhun	18-10	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Shaikh Rahim	19-2	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	Shaikh Shamsuddin Ahamed	20-1	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	Shaikh Wasil Bakhsh	19	Kendrapara H. E. School.
	Shambhu Krishna Narain	19-11	B. N. Collegiate School, Bankipur.
	Sharma, Santoshkumar	16-11	Monghyr Training Academy.
	Shee, Phakirchandra	24-1	Teacher, Roll Cal. T. 8.
	Sheo Nandan Sinha Sharma	18-11	B. B. Collegiate School, Muzaffarpur.
610	Shiva Pertap Narayan	16-7	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Shwe Thu	21	Akayab Govt. High School.
	Shyam Narain	17-5	Foley Rajput High School.
	Siddique Ahamed Khondkar	20-11	Gaibandha H. E. School.
	Sikdar Jagadischandra	21-3	Sripur M. C. H. E. School.
	„ Rajmohan	20-1	Shivasundari Academy, Baishrashi.
	Sil, Dulalchandra	18-6	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Sureschandra	20-7	Habiganj Government High School.
	Simlai, Rasbihari	19-6	Banaripara Union Institution.
	„ Sachindralal	18-11	Patuakhali J H. E. School.
620	Sinha Amritalal	19-2	Srikrishna Pathsala.
	„ Girischandra	21-8	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Harendranath	21-11	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.
	„ Shital	16-9	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	„ Sreekrishna	18-1	Haranchandra H. E. School, Gaya.
	Sinharay, Bishnupada	18-11	Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
	Sitlashanker Varma	20-7	Chapra Collegiate School.
	Sukdeo Prasad	16-1	Saran Academy, Chapra.
	Sukhdeo Parsad Varma	19-11	Matihari Zila School.
	Sukraj Beharee Singh	17-1	Bankipur Anglo Sanskrit School.
630	Sukul, Indranath	18-5	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
	Sur, Debendranath	16-8	Victoria Memorial Boarding Institution.
	Suraj Narain	20-7	Dumraon Raj H. E. School.
	Surjaproshad	16-2	T. N. Jubilee Collegiate School, Bhagalpur.
	Syed Ahamed	22-2	Barrackpur Government School.
	Syed Fazlei Rahaman Choudhury	21	Kalai High School
	Syed Mahammad Ulla	22-9	Hughli Collegiate School.
	Taldi, Jatindranath	19	Balasore Zila School.
	Talukdar, Anbikacharan	16-7	Parjana M. N. H. E. School.
	Thakur Parsad Misra	19-3	Saran Academy, Chapra.
640	Thakur Umacharan Lall	18-6	Ranchi Zila School.
	Tirkey, Manmasih	20-2	Ranchi St. Paul's High School.
	„ Patrick	20-9	St. John's H. E. School, Ranchi.
	Tomizuddin Ahammed	24-6	Adiabad Islamia H. E. School.
	Tribeni Prasad	18	Patna Collegiate School.
	Tofazzal Ahamed	25-2	Pirojpur Government High School.
	Tufailuddin Ahmed	19-9	Cotton Collegiate School.
	Umda Miah	24	Sunamganj Jubilee High School.
648	Wazed Rahman Khan	20-6	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.

The undermentioned candidates, who were permitted to sit for the examination in special subject, are declared to have passed in the subject under which their names appear:—

PERSIAN.

Lakshman Swarup Agwrawal . .	19-6	Private Student, Roll P. 76.
Mahboob Hussain . . .	17-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 4.

SYRIAC.

P. C. Andrews . . .	21-2	Serampur College.
Deacon K. David . . .	21	Ditto.
Deacon Geevergese T. K. . .	19-10	Ditto
Abraham Kappen	19-2	Ditto.
Chakko Pothicot Jacob . . .	20	Ditto.
T. K. Koshy	19-11	Ditto.
Matthew A. George . . .	27-4	Ditto.
Thomas P. Philip . . .	19-11	Ditto.
J. V. Samuel Raj	28-4	Ditto.
P. S. Narayana Pillai . . .	21	Ditto.
V. T. Thomas . . .	20-7	Ditto.
Abraham Peedikail Varghese . .	20	Ditto.

SANSKRIT.

Bandyopadhyay, Nagendrachandra .	22	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 26.
Bhattacharyya, Jagadishchandra	17	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 87.
,, Surendranath . .	24-5	Private Student, Roll Rung. P. 5.
Jangir Singh	16-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 24.
Misra, Nilakantha	26-8	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 20.
Mukhopadhyay, Jatindranath . .	17-10	Private Student, Roll Dac. P. 5.
Pattanyak, Banshidhar . . .	24	Private Student, Roll Kat. P. 21.

ENGLISH.

M. Aslahallah	36	Teacher, Roll Chi. T. 4.
Shiva Prasad Lall . . .	32	Teacher, Roll Dar. T. 1.

PALI.

A. Ramchandran	29	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 53.
B. Ramaya Punja	23-4	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 25.
K. Govinda	26-9	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 56.
A. M. Joseph	22-3	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 2.
T. M. Matthai	23-7	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 45.
M. P. Gopal Nair	18-5	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 59.
Mukhopadhyay, Dhirendramohan .	16-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 46.
Raman Pillaipadmanabhan Nair .	21-11	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 61.
R. Kashava Pillay	19-1	Ditto 44.
S. S. Ramachandra Roo . . .	20-7	Ditto 60.
Varughese Chacko Kurutamunnil .	21-5	Ditto 3.
Y. S. Narayana Rao . . .	17	Ditto 55.

* Age of students marked with stars is calculated up to 1st July, 1917.

SENATE HOUSE;
The 17th October, 1917.

P. BRÜHL,
Registrar, Calcutta University.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the M.A. Examination held in August 1917:—

ENGLISH, GROUP A.

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	Ray, Kumudbandhu	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Ghosh, Jyotishchandra	...	Ditto.

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Dasvarma, Sachindralal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Ghosh, Brajendrakumar	...	Presidency College
3	3	Guha, Nripeschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Ba Maw	...	Ditto.
5	5	Ray, Nripendranarayan	...	Presidency College.
6	6	„ Praphullanath	...	Dacca College.
7	7	Raha, Birendrakumar	...	Ditto.
8	8	Majumdar, Girijakanta	...	Presidency College.
9	9	Bandyopadhyay, Mohanlal	...	Ditto.
10		Dasgupta, Niradranjan	...	Ditto.
11	10	Abdur Rub Choudhury	...	University Student.
12	11	Gangopadhyay, Anilbhushan	..	Non-Collegiate Student.
13	12	Bandyopadhyay, Kirtishchandra	...	University Student.
14		Chakrabarti, Pramathanath	...	Dacca College.
15	13	Chattopadhyay, Amulyaratan	...	University Student.
16		Dasgupta, Kshitischandra	...	Presidency College.
17	14	Pal, Bankimchandra	...	University Student.
18		Sinha, Jogeschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
19	15	Datta, Satyendrakumar	...	Presidency College.
20	16	Sengupta, Satindranath	...	University Student.
21	17	Das, Pabitranath	...	Presidency College.
22	18	Gangopadhyay, Srischandra	...	University Student.
23	19	Bandyopadhyay, Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
24		Mukhopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Presidency College.
25	20	Chaudhuri, Sisirkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
26	21	S. S. Gopalakrishnan	...	Ditto.
27		V. Sayanna Sastri	...	Ditto.
28	22	Mandal, Nanilal	...	University Student.
29	23	Lahiri, Harischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
30	24	Ghosh, Birajakanta	...	Dacca College.
31		Sengupta, Kantichandra	...	Presidency College.
32	25	Dasgupta, Narendranath	...	University Student.
33		Ghosh, Rajendrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34	26	Chaudhuri, Durgakanta	...	Ditto.
35	27	Dasgupta, Jitendranath	...	Ditto.
36		Mukhopadhyay, Saurindranath	...	Ditto.
37	28	Sarkar, Haridas	...	University Student.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Prakaschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Durgapada	...	Presidency College.
3	3	Thakur, Vidyananda	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

Serial No.	In order of merit			
4	4	De, Birendrachandra	...	University Student.
5	5	Chattopadhyay, Abhayapada	...	Ditto.
6	6	Bagchi, Gopendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
7	7	Bandyopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Presidency College.
8		Sengupta, Pareschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9	8	Mukhopadhyay, Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
10	9	Sengupta, Durgaprasanna	...	Ditto.
11	10	N. Ranga Swami	...	Ditto.
12	11	Majumdar, Dinanath	...	Ditto.
13	12	Mitra, Durgacharan	...	University Student.
14	13	Basu, Sisirkumar	...	Dacca College.
15		Majumdar, Jitendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16		Sen, Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
17	14	Aditham Narayanamurti	...	University Student.
18		Bandyopadhyay, Manindramohan		Ditto.
19		Ghosh, Sureshchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
20	15	Basu, Satyakinkar	...	University Student.
21		Ghosh, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
22	16	Bandyopadhyay, Upendranath	...	Ditto.
23		Sahu, Bhutnath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
24	17	Bandyopadhyay, Bishnupada	...	Ditto.
25		Bhattacharyya, Bamanchandra	...	University Student.
26	18	Maitra, Dwijeschandra	...	Ditto.
27	19	Kanjilal, Prabodhchandra	...	Ditto.
28		Ray, Badrinarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
29	20	Bandyopadhyay, Bidhubhushan	...	Presidency College.
30		Gangopadhyay, Girischandra	...	University Student.
31	21	Guha, Bijaychandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
32	22	Dasgupta, Sachindrabhushan	...	University Student.
33		Majumdar, Brajanath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34		Poddar, Radharanjan	...	Ditto.
35		Ray, Mrigankakumar	...	Ditto.
36	23	Bandyopadhyay, Rameschandra	...	University Student.
37		Law, Sailendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
38	24	Basu, Jitendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
39		Chattopadhyay, Surendranath	...	Presidency College.
40		Majumdar, Harinarayan	...	Dacca College.
41	25	Dasgupta, Asruman	...	University Student.
42		Gangopadhyay, Makhanlal	...	Ditto.
43		Sanyal, Saileschandra	...	Presidency College.
44	26	Dattachaudhuri, Debendranath	...	University Student.
45		Haldar, Sudhansukumar	...	Ditto.
46	27	Bandyopadhyay, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
47		,, Maniklal	...	Ditto.
48		Chaudhuri, Satischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
49		Ray, Pramodanath	...	University Student.
50	28	Sen, Saratkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
51	29	Basu, Sunilkumar	...	Cotton College, Gauhati.
52		Ray, Prabhaschandra	...	University Student.
53	30	Chakrabarti, Haripada	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
54		Das, Adwaitaprasad	...	University Student.
55		Mukhopadhyay, Tarapada	...	Ditto.
56	31	Das, Nisikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
57		Gangopadhyay, Amulyakumar	...	Ditto.
58	32	Brahma, Nisikanta	...	University Student.
59		De, Rameschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
60		Ghosh, Charuchandra	...	Ditto.
61		Ray, Pasupati	...	Ditto.
62	33	Basu, Jadabendra	...	University Student.
63	34	Dasgupta, Ramanimohan	...	Ditto.
64		Mukhopadhyay, Arindrajit	...	Ditto.
65		Palit, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
66	35	Bandyopadhyay, Harikumar	...	Ditto.
67	36	A. K. M. Abdul Latif	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
68		Chattopadhyay, Tulsidas	...	Ditto.
69		Datta, Anandakumar	...	Ditto.

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
70		Chakrabarti, Basantabihari	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
71	37	Deb, Amaykrishna	...	University Student.
72		Ghosh, Praphullanath	...	Dacca College.
73	38	Sarkar, Saurendranath	...	Presidency College.
74	39	Pal, Panchanan	...	University Student.
75	40	Bose, H. T.	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
76	41	Laha, Nirmalchandra	...	University Student.
77	42	Datta, Atulchandra	...	Ditto.
78	43	Ghoshal, Anukulchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
79	44	Hait, Ardhendubhushan	...	Ditto.
80	45	Bhattacharyya, Umapada	...	University Student.
81		Sen, Lakshmikanta	...	Ditto.
82	46	Abdur Rahman Khan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
83	47	Dasgupta, Manomohan	...	University Student.
84	48	De, Prabodhchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
85	49	Chattopadhyay, Phanindranath	...	Ditto.
86		Sarkar, Jatindramohan	...	Presidency College.
87	50	Nabinowaz Khan	...	University Student.
88		T. Jagannadham	...	Ditto.
89	51	De, Taranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
90		Bhattacharyya, Narendranath	...	University Student.

ENGLISH, GROUP (B).

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Suhaschandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Saurindrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Saha, Kshetralal	...	Ditto.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Bhattacharyya, Rameschandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Basu, Kshirodkanti	...	Ditto.

SANSKRIT (A).

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Amitaranjan	...	University Student.
2	2	Chaudhuri, Jogendradas	...	Ditto.
3	3	Dasmahapatra, Syamsundar	...	Ditto.
4	4	Sanyal, Harendranarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Jogendranath	...	University Student.

THIRD CLASS.

1	1	Sengupta, Saratkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

SANSKRIT (E).

FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Acharyya, Dhireschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

SANSKRIT (I).

FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Bandyopadhyay, Anantaprasad	...	University Student.

PALI (A).

FIRST CLASS.

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	De, Gokuldas	...	University Student.

ARABIC.

SECOND CLASS.

1	1	Syed Muhibbullah	...	University Student.

THIRD CLASS.

1	1	Mohammad Ahidullah	...	University Student.

PERSIAN.

FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Shaikh Moazzam Hussain	...	University Student.

SECOND CLASS,

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Abdul Mannan	...	University Student.
2	2	Deputy Lal Nigam	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Aziz Bakhsh	...	Ditto.

LATIN.

SECOND CLASS.

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Nalinimohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Brahma, Nalinikanta	...	University Student.
2	2	Sinha, Jadunath	...	Ditto.
3	3	Mitra, Susilchandra	...	Presidency College.
4	4	Ray, Bholanath	...	Scottish Churches College.

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Basu, Birendranath —	...	University Student.
2		Mukhopadhyay, Debnarayan	...	Presidency College.
3	2	Bhattacharyya, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
4	3	Biswas, Prasannakumar	...	University Student.
5	4	Ray, Sambhunath	...	Ditto.
6	5	Gangopadhyay, Pareshchandra	...	Presidency College.
7	6	,, Herambanath	...	University Student.
8	7	Dasgupta, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
9	8	Biswas, Upendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Ghosh, Ajitkumar	...	Ditto.
11	10	Sen, Ramapada	...	University Student.
12	11	Bandyopadhyay, Siddheswar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
13	12	Majumdar, Nagendranath	...	Scottish Churches College.

Serial No	In order of merit			
14	13	Mukhopadhyay, Bilaschandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Majumdar, Manibhushan	...	Presidency College.
16	15	Gupta, Aswinikumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
17		Sarkar, Tinkari	...	Ditto.
18	16	Majumdar, Susilkumar	..	Presidency College.
19	17	Pan, Harakali	...	University Student.
20	18	Gangopadhyay, Dhirendranath	...	Ditto.
21	19	Ghoshal, Brindaban	...	Ditto.
22	20	Gupta, Surendranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
23	21	Kundu, Dwijapada	...	Ditto
24	22	Pati, Ratnakar	...	Ditto.
25	23	Majumdar, Bimalranjan	...	University Student.
26	24	Bandyopadhyay, Radharaman	...	Ditto.
27		Sanyal, Kumudindunath	...	Ditto.
28	25	Bhattacharyya, Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
29	26	Ghosh, Kamalchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
30		Kanjilal, Bhupendranath	...	University Student.
31	27	Chattopadhyay, Bishnugopal	...	Ditto.
32	28	Dattachaudhuri, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
33		Thakur, Brajamohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34	29	Lahiri, Kanailal	...	Scottish Churches College.
35	30	Maiti, Haripada	...	University Student.
36	31	Chakrabarti, Tarakbrahma	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Radhagobinda	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Basu, Dhirendranath	...	University Student.
3		Bhattacharyya, Bijaykumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	3	Sengupta, Umapada	...	Ditto.
5		Sinha, Ramendramohan	...	University Student.
6	4	Bandyopadhyay, Makhanlal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	5	Majumdar, Bijaygopal	. .	Ditto.
8	6	Ghosh, Labanyabala	...	Ditto.
9	7	Munsi, Narendranath	...	Ditto.
10	8	Bhattacharyya, Dharanisankar	...	University Student.
11		Thakur Prasad Sinha	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
12	9	Gupta, Mahimaranjan	...	Ditto.
13	10	Sen, Bipinbihari	...	Ditto.
14	11	Mitra, Indrakanta	...	University Student.
15	12	,, Rabindrakumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16	13	Biswas, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
17	14	Ray, Anantakumar	...	University Student.
18	15	Bandyopadhyay, Bibhubilas	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
19		Datta, Nalinimohan	...	Ditto.
20	16	Bandyopadhyay, Manindranath	...	Ditto.
21	17	Chakrabarti, Praphullamadhab	.	University Student.
22		Ghosh, Manmathanath	..	Ditto.
23		Joseph, Gnanamathoo	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
24	18	Ray, Surendranath	...	University Student.
25	19	Bandyopadhyay, Srischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
26	20	Maitra, Dineschandra	...	University Student.
27	21	Bhattacharyya, Paresnath	...	Ditto.
28		Ghosh, Dhirendrachandra	...	Ditto.
29	22	,, Charuchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
30	23	Mg. Shwe Hla	...	Ditto.
31	24	Chattopadhyay, Santoshkumar	...	Ditto.
32	25	Acharyya, Prasannakumar	...	University Student.
33	26	Bandyopadhyay, Niradbaran	...	Ditto.
34	27	Bhattacharyya, Nandalal	...	Ditto.
35		Chaudhuri, Jadabchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
36		Ghosh, Srischandra	...	Presidency College.

HISTORY

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	Chattopadhyay, Sambhucharan	...	University Student.
2	2	Bhattacharyya, Sachchidananda	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3		Mukhopadhyay, Janardanprasad	...	Ditto.

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Sinha, Khagendramohan	...	University Student.
2	2	Abdus Salam	...	Ditto.
3	3	Chakrabarti, Iswarchandra	...	Ditto.
4	4	Das, Narendraprasad	...	Ditto.
5	5	Datta, Susilkumar	...	Presidency College.
6	6	Sengupta, Ramnath	...	University Student.
7	7	Datta, Binaybhushan	...	Ditto.
8	8	Sengupta, Sailendubhushan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9	9	Mohammad Quasim	...	University Student.
10	10	Raychaudhuri, Abinaschandra	...	Ditto.
11	11	Chakrabarti, Purnendukisor	...	University Student, Dacca.
12	12	Bhattacharyya, Kshitischandra	...	University Student.
13	13	Raha, Bijaykumar	...	Ditto.
14	14	Sarkar, Sureschandra	...	Presidency College.
15	15	Abdur Rahim Molla	...	University Student.
16		Chakrabarti Ramanimohan	...	Presidency College.
17	16	Dattagupta, Lokendrakumar	...	Ditto.
18		Pakrasi, Sibeschandra	...	Ditto.
19	17	De, Satischandra	...	University Student.
20	18	Ray, Satischandra	...	Ditto.
21	19	Bhattacharyya, Upendrachandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
22	20	Chattopadhyay, Lakshmankumar	...	Ditto.
23		Sen, Charuchandra	...	University Student, Dacca.
24	21	Lahiri, Dakshinaranjan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
25		Lahiri, Ramkamal	...	University Student.
26		Dattagupta, Jnanranjan	...	Ditto.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Das, Anukulchandra	...	University Student.
2		Deb, Praphullakrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	2	Ghoshal, Sailendranath	...	Presidency College.
4	3	Mahammad Shafi	...	University Student.
5	4	Chattopadhyay, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.
6	5	Das, Rameschandra	..	Ditto.
7		Gangopadhyay, Sachindramohan	...	Ditto.
8	6	Datta, Sachindranarayan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
9		Sengupta, Kalisankar	..	University Student.
10	7	Chaudhuri, Baidyanath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
11		Saha, Jogendranath	...	Ditto.
12		Sen, Jogeschandra	...	University Student.
13	8	Sinha, Mathuraprasad	...	University Student, Patna.
14	9	Bandyopadhyay, Syamakanta	...	University Student.
15	10	Samaddar, Suklal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
16	11	Dasgupta, Amulyachandra	...	University Student.
17	12	Ray, Gopaldas	...	Ditto.
18	13	Gangopadhyay, Kasinath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
19		Mitra, Amulyakumar	...	University Student.
20	14	Chakrabarti, Abanikanta	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
21	15	Gupta, Jyotishchandra	...	University Student.
22	16	Sen, Bhabatosh	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
23	17	Bhaduri, Surendranath	...	University Student, Dacca.
24	18	Ghoshal, Madhusudan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
25	19	Ghosh, Mahendrakumar	...	Presidency College.
26		Sen, Paramesgopal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
27	20	Sinhasarma, Arunchandra	...	University Student.
28	21	De, Sureschandra	...	Presidency College.
29	22	Bandyopadhyay, Syamakanta	...	University Student, Dacca.
30	23	Mangalanand Pandey	...	University Student, Patna.
31	24	Gangopadhyay, Srischandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
32	25	Chaki, Satischandra	...	Presidency College.
33		Majumdar, Gurudas	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
34		Mukhopadhyay, Binodbihari	...	University Student.
35	26	Lakshman Prasad	...	University Student, Patna.
36	27	Bandyopadhyay, Bijaykrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
37	28	Chaudhuri, Jnanendrachandra	...	University Student.
38		Shukhdeo Prasad	...	University Student, Patna.
39	29	Dasgupta, Prabharanjan	...	University Student.
40		Datta, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
41		Sen, Priyabrata	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
42		„ Siddhartha	...	University Student, Patna.
43		Sanyal, Mohinimohan	...	University Student.

POLITICAL ECONOMY AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY (A).

First Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ramachandra Ram Basavarsu	...	University Student.
2	2	Sengupta, Mohitkumar	...	Presidency College.

Second Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Nag, Kesabchandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Raychaudhuri, Dhireschandra	...	University Student, Dacca.
3	3	Nag, Sasimohan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Som, Kanailal	...	University Student.
5	5	Bhar, Ramchandra	...	Presidency College.
6	6	Bhattacharyya, Bijaykrishna	...	Ditto.
7	7	Ghosh, Dhirendrakumar	...	University Student, Dacca.
8		Majumdar, Jagadischandra	...	Ditto.
9	8	Ghosh, Gaganchandra	...	Ditto.
10	9	Bandyopadhyay, Kumarkrishna	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
11	10	Sengupta, Sachindranath	...	Ditto.
12	11	„ Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
13	12	Nayak, Debanarayan	...	University Student.
14	13	Biswas, Surathbandhu	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Das, Anangamohan	...	University Student.
16		Ghosh, Satyendrakisor	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

Third Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Das, Ambikacharan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2		De, Rameschandra	...	Ditto.
3	2	Basu, Binaybhushan	...	University Student.
4	3	Sinha, Sureschandra	...	Ditto.
5	4	Sen, Aswinikumar	...	Ditto.
6	5	Ghosh, Nagendranath	...	Ditto.
7	6	Chattopadhyay, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
8	7	„ Kalipada	...	Ditto.
9	8	Gupta, Jatindranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Dasgupta, Jahnabicharan	...	Ditto.
11	10	Chaudhuri, Satischandra	...	Ditto.

Serial No	In order of merit			
12	11	Saha, Rebatimohan	...	University Student, Dacca.
13	12	Mitra, Praphullachandra	...	Ditto.
14	13	Datta, Mahimchandra	..	Non-Collegiate Student.
15	14	Dalal, Kshetranath	...	University Student, Dacca.
16		Gupta, Kalidas	..	Presidency College.

POLITICAL ECONOMY AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY (B)

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Ray, Sudhischandra	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Misra, Shreekrishna	...	University Student.

SECOND CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Bhupatibhushan	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Chakrabarti, Sureschandra	...	University Student.
3	3	Thakurta, Ramanimohan	...	Presidency College.
4		Roy, Sheo Pujan	...	University Student.
5	4	Bhattacharyya, Bankimchandra	...	Presidency College.
6	5	Ghosh, Kisorilal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	Datta, Santibhushan	...	Presidency College.
8	7	Md. Nurul Huq Chaudhury	...	Ditto.
9	8	V. Muttukumaru	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	9	Das, Satischandra	..	Ditto.
11	10	Raghav Sharan Lal	...	University Student.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Basu, Jatindranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Syed Anwar Hossain	...	University Student.
3	3	Niyogi, Bijaykumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
4	4	Mukhopadhyay, Bagalananda	...	Ditto.
5		„ Sachindranath	...	University student.
6	5	Ram Anugrah Narain	...	Ditto.
7		Ray, Chandrasekhar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
8	6	„ Bijaykrishna	...	University Student.
9	7	Chakrabarti, Kshitishchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
10	8	Chattopadhyay, Ramnrisinha	...	Ditto.
11	9	Basu, Nikhilchandra	...	Ditto.

PURE MATHEMATICS.

FIRST CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Goswami, Srischandra	...	University Student.
2	2	Sirkar, Jagatchandra	...	Ditto.
3		Mukhopadhyay, Phanibhushan	...	Ditto.
4		Biswas, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
5	3	Datta, Abanibhushan	...	Ditto.
6	4	Ghosh, Sailendrakrishna	...	Ditto.
7	5	V. Rangachari	...	Ditto.
8	6	Sen, Bhutnath	...	Ditto.
9	7	Chattopadhyay, Hiralal	...	Ditto.
10	8	Sen, Dinesranjan	...	Ditto.
11	9	Ataul Hakim	...	Ditto.

SECOND CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	Biswas, Hemantakumar	...	University Student.
2	2	Pal, Dhirendrachandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Raychaudhuri, Manomohan	...	University Student.
4	4	De, Jitendrachandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Kundu, Sudhansubhushan	...	University Student.
6	6	Ghosh, Manindranath	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	7	Pal, Harendrachandra	...	Ditto.
8	8	Saha, Jogendranath	...	University Student.
9	9	Chakrabarti, Narendrachandra	...	Ditto.

THIRD CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Manilal	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
2	2	Sen, Indrabhushan	...	Ditto.
3	3	Pal, Nirmalchandra	...	University Student.
4	4	Chattopadhyay, Panchudhan	...	Ditto.
5	5	Munsi, Dineschandra	...	Ditto.

MIXED MATHEMATICS.

FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Amalapada	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Datta, Binodbihari	...	Ditto.
3	3	Ray, Lalitkumar	...	Ditto.

PHYSICS.

FIRST CLASS.

1	1	Bhattacharyya, Krishnaprasanna	...	Presidency College.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the M. Sc. Examination held in August 1917:—

PURE MATHEMATICS.

FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	Ghosh, Mohitmohan	...	University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Das, Kameswar	...	Ditto.
3	3	Ghosh, Nripendranath	...	Ditto.
4	4	„ Satyacharan	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
5		Bhattacharyya, Sureschandra	...	University Student, Calcutta
6	5	Mukhopadhyay, Charuchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	De, Haricharan	...	Ditto.
8	7	Sensarkar, Suryyakanta	...	Ditto.

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
9	8	Mukhopadhyay, Bijaykumar	...	University Student, Calcutta.
10	9	Omdatul Islam	..	Non-Collegiate Student.
11	10	Saha, Upendramohan	...	University Student, Calcutta
12	11	Ray, Sudhindranarayan	...	Ditto.
13	12	Pal, Gopeswar	...	Ditto.
14	13	Gangopadhyay, Prabhaschandra	...	Ditto.
15	14	Mukhopadhyay, Lalitmohan	...	Ditto.
16	15	Ghosh, Jaminikumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
17	16	Jharkhandi, Sibanath	...	University Student, Calcutta.

SECOND CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Narayanchandra	...	University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Sen, Sarojkumar	...	Ditto.
3	3	Dhar, Gobinlal	...	Ditto.
4	4	Sengupta, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Susilkumar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
6	6	Das, Surathlal	...	Ditto.
7	7	Syed Sultan Ahmad	...	Ditto.
8	8	Biswas, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
9	9	Das, Tejendranath	..	Ditto.
10	10	Majumdar, Gokulkrishna	...	Ditto.
11	11	Bandyopadhyay, Lalitmohan	...	University Student, Calcutta.
12	12	Mitra, Nirmalchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

THIRD CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Kundu, Sasadhar	...	University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Jyotishchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
3	3	Bandyopadhyay, Anurupchandra		University Student, Calcutta.
4	4	Datta, Saratchandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
5	5	Ghosh Kumudbandhu	...	Ditto.
6	6	Mukhopadhyay, Debnath	...	University Student, Calcutta

MIXED MATHEMATICS.

FIRST CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Das, Bhupendrachandra	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Prankumar	...	Ditto.
3	3	Chattopadhyay, Sarojkumar	...	Ditto.
4	4	Ghosh, Abhayakali	...	Ditto.
5	5	Chakrabarti, Hemantakumar	..	Ditto.
6	6	Mallik, Dhrubacharan	...	Ditto.
7	7	Ray, Dharanikanta	...	Ditto.

SECOND CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Bhattacharyya, Girijapati	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Haldar, Krishnaprasanna	...	Ditto.
3	3	Ghosh, Satyendranath	...	Ditto.

THIRD CLASS.

(*In order of merit.*)

1	1	Kundu, Amiyakumar	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Datta, Asimkrishna	...	Ditto.

CHEMISTRY.

First Class.

(In order of merit.)

Serial No.	In order of merit.			
1	1	Guha, Praphullachandra	...	University Student, Calcutta.
2		Mitra, Haraparbatikumar	...	Presidency College.

Second Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Chattopadhyay, Rabindranath	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Das, Radhakishen	...	University Student, Calcutta.
3	3	Dasgupta, Hridiranjan	...	Presidency College.
4	4	Kumar, Kalikumar	...	Ditto.
5	5	Mukhopadhyay, Binaychandra	...	University Student, Calcutta.
6	6	Ghosh, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.

Third Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Munshi, Jitendranarayan	...	Presidency College.
2	2	Gupta, Ireschandra	...	University Student, Dacca.
3	3	Ray, Anantakumar	...	Presidency College.
4	4	Ghoshal, Tarapada	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

PHYSICS.

First Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Guha, Bhabanicharan	...	University Student, Dacca.
2	2	Mukhopadhyay, Hariprasanna	...	Ditto.
3	3	Datta, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
4	4	Chakrabarti, Brajendranath	...	Presidency College.
5	5	Chaudhuri, Rabindranath	..	Ditto.
6	6	Bandyopadhyay, Durgadas	...	Ditto.

Second Class.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Rudra, Sukumar	...	University Student, Dacca.
2	2	Majumdar, Pramadacharan	...	Ditto.
3	3	Raychaudhuri, Durgacharan	...	Presidency College.
4	4	Chakrabarti, Jitendranath	...	University Student, Dacca
5		Sarkar, Arindam	...	Presidency College.
6	5	Nag, Apurbachandra	...	Non-Collegiate Student.
7	6	Ghosh, Phanindranath	...	Presidency College.
8	7	Das, Lakshminath	...	Ditto.
9	8	Bhaumik, Jogeschandra	...	Ditto.

Third Class.

De, Satischandra	...	Presidency College

PHYSIOLOGY.

Second Class.

Bera, Dharanidhar	...	Presidency College.

THIRD CLASS.

Serial No	In order of merit.			
		Datta, Jatindranath	...	Presidency College.

GEOLOGY.

SECOND CLASS.

Basu, Anilchandra	...	University Student, Calcutta.

THIRD CLASS.

(In order of merit.)

1	1	Mukhopadhyay, Sachikanta	...	University Student, Calcutta.
2	2	Sen, Bijaygopal	...	Ditto.

EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY.

FIRST CLASS.

Basu, Girindrasekhar	...	Non-Collegiate Student.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1917.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

THE undermentioned candidate is declared eligible for admission to the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy The subjects of his theses are stated against his name :—

Name of candidate		Subjects of theses
Babu Panchanan Niyogi, M.A.	...	(1) Iron in Ancient India. (2) Copper in Ancient India. (3) Space representation of Organic Ammonium Compounds.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 19th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

The Half-yearly Examination of teachers in the Art of Teaching in the Chittagong Division will be held at the Chittagong Normal School on the 10th December 1917, and the following day, if necessary. The examination of teachers of vernacular and classical subjects will also be held on one of those dates at the same school.

2. The examination will consist of :—

(*a*) A practical examination in class management.

(*b*) A practical test of ability to teach by giving two lessons to a class on any three subjects, viz., English, Bengali, History, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Sanskrit, Persian, etc.

(*c*) A written examination in which the candidate will have to answer some questions on the Art of Teaching, object-lessons, class control, organisation and discipline.

(*d*) The teacher will submit a course of work in one subject for three months with a diary of his actual experience in teaching it.

3. The following books on the Art of Teaching are recommended :—

1. Nutan Sikhsha Pranali, by Pramathanath Das Gupta.
2. Vidyaloy-bidhayak Bibidha Bidhan, by A. N. Adhikari.
3. Bhugal-Sikha Pranali, by Kazi Imdadul Haque.
4. Patiganit Siksha Pranali, by N. Mazumdar, Cotton Library, Dacca.
5. Pauranikikatha (History), by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, City Library, Dacca.
6. Prathamik Itihash (History), by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, City Library, Dacca.
7. Physiography, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, Students' Library, Dacca.

N.B.—Book Nos. 3 to 7 are recommended for all grades of teachers.

(*b*) For Matriculate teachers—

1. New Manual of Method, by Garlick.
2. Wren's Indian Teachers' Guide.
3. Yate and Raja Gopalachari's Direct Method,
4. Manual for Teachers of Primary Schools, by Richey (Macmillan & Co.).

(*c*) For Graduate and I. A. passed teachers—

1. The books recommended under (*b*).
2. Lectures on Teaching—J. G. Fitch (Cambridge University Press).
3. School Management—Joseph Landon. (A. M. Holden, London).
4. A New Manual of Method—A. H. Garlick. (Longmans, Green & Co.).
5. The Principles of Education—T. Raymont. (Longmans, Green & Co.).

4. Intending candidates from high schools, Government, aided and unaided, should submit their applications to this office through the Head Masters of their schools at least a fortnight before the date of examination, and those from middle schools through the Deputy Inspectors of Schools at least three weeks before that date. Every candidate will be required to produce his University or other certificates at the time of the examination. A statement containing the following information should accompany the application of the candidate :—

1. Name of the candidate.
2. Name of the candidate's father.
3. Age of the candidate on the day of the examination.
4. The last examination which the candidate passed and the year in which he passed it.
5. Name and date of the present appointment of the candidate.
6. Period of service as a teacher.

ABDUL AZIZ,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Divn.

CHITTAGONG,

The 9th October 1917.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fusli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2020.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 0	·17	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. Ghose, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway station Basudebpur, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 27th November 1917, corresponding with the 11th Agrahayan 1324 B.S., at Nator, Rajshahi

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district	Pargana and mauza	Number of mile on which land is situate	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres: B. K. C	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot: Reasons for exclusion	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
	Rajshahi	Digha Bipra Beghoria	27¾ and 28	East side of the Railway line leading from Nator to Basudebpur station (E. B. Ry.)	.....	24·313	.....	.....	No. 1 ...	*North*—By jot land of Hara Kumar, Nafar Sardar, Babu Lal Sardar, Gobinda Sardar, Pachai Karigar Nabu Narasundar, Banga Das, Sashi Pandit, Pachai Mandal, Bidu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Raj Sundari Debya, and Kedar Lahiri. *East*—By jot land of Kedar Lahiri, Gora Marumdar, Mini Mandal, Atap Sardar Nabu Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Kedar Lahiri, Bidu Mandal, Nabu Mandal, Khetu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Mini Mandal, Govinda Talukdar, Pattu Narasundar and Gohalatta. *South*—By jot land of Govinda Talukdar, Joy Sundari Debya, Nabi Mandal, Joy Sundari Debya, Jogeswar Chaudhuri, Nafar Sardar, Ishan Chaudhuri, Nafar Sardar, Haradhan Sardar, Kedar Lahiri, Ishan Chaudhuri and Kanta Chakrabarty. *West*—By jot lands of Mohini Chakrabarty, Purna Narasundar, Kanta Chakrabarty, Naba Mandal, Bidu Mandal, Naba Narasundar, Sashi Pandit, Banga Das, Naba Narasundar and Hara Kumar, as per Government declaration, No. 78R., dated the 4th September 1911, and No. 57R., dated 18th March 1917.

Rajshahi, the 2nd October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 15th day of December 1917, corresponding with the 29th Agrahayan 1324 B. S. Fusli.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk, of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
1 & 2	Rajshahi ...	Rameswarpur and Ramnagar, pargana Bhaturia and Gobindapur.	21 of the E. B. Ry.	East and west of the Railway leading from Bara to Netor.	84 0 0 3 0 0 87 0 0	28·42 1·38 29·80	.....	.....	... ...	*North*—Hanip Sardar, Ajgar Pramanik, Kripanath Mistri, Idan Pramanik, Innat Molla, Ajgar Pramanik, Mohan Sardar and Hanip Sardar's jote land. *East*—Halat Mandal, Ajgar Pramanik, Bhaisha Pramanik, Faizu Mandal, Hordal Sardar, Mohan Sardar, Hanip Sardar, and Ajgar Pramanik's jote land. *South*—Ajgar Pramanik, Gobinda Sarkar, Jaintu Mandal and Kusal Mandal's jote land *West*—Kusal Mandal, Krishna Kumar Sarkar and Ismat Pramanik's jote land.

Rajshahi, the 10th October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th October 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 1,83,78,119 10 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,71,86,971 4 0	3,55,65,090	11	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,87,91,856	8	9
Bank Post Bills, etc	10,90,141	8	10
Sundries	15,40,770	13	8
	38,87,42,868	13	3

ASSETS

	Rs	A	P.
Government Securities	6,31,76,971	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,82,09,140	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	5,30,72,473	4	0
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	4,77,92,711	15	2
Bills discounted and purchased	2 20,78,166	11	8
Balances with other Banks	19 10,367	6	10
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,99,674	6	0
Stamps	11,999	9	0
Sundries	3,74,284	12	10
	20 75,25,739	1	6
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 10,55,76,494 1 5			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 7,06,40,634 10 4	17,62,17,129	11	9
	38,87,42,868	13	3

* Includes bove, & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 8,77,992 8 0

† Do do do „ 8,11,132 8 0

Rs 11,89,125 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 6 per cent

Percentage, 51·52

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 18th October 1917.

H MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN.
Secretary and Treasurer

(2681—1)

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse will be sold by public auction on or after the 5th November 1917, under section 118, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing	Mark	No	Quantity.	Description	Vessel's name	Remarks.
1917.	'97	Shed No. II					
Aug 22	Aug. 13	CMS or CMC ...	X	1	Cask empty ...	SS "Teesta".	
,, 22	,, 13	Medical Store-keeper to Government or Nil	X	7	Tins empty ...	Ditto ...	H.G.
,, 29	,, 20	$\frac{275}{1895}$ in a diamond, A A on top & Co below.	8-9	2	Cases merchandise (defective).	SS. "Japan"	
,, 29	,, 20	$\frac{272}{375}$ ...	75	1	Case merchandise ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 20	D. C in a diamond ...	324	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 22	$\frac{D}{108}$ in a diamond, A G on top, M K Rangoon below.	15	1	Ditto ...	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 22	JBM 204 B in a diamond, S N on top, &C o below.	4	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 22	JBM 3000 in a diamond P & on top, C O below	20	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 20	Mehta in a diamond, M N on top, Globe below.	8279	1	Case glassware (defective).	Ditto	
29	,, 22	Trumpet O Brand in an ellipse ...	105	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 22	No mark ...	...	1	Coil wire ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 16	Ditto ...	...	155	Bags sugar (defective)	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 22	Ditto ...	...	2	Bags betelnuts ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 20	Various mark or No mark ...	...	10	Bags rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 16	N S. P. L K. ...	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 22	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of rice ...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 22	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks and fittings	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 22	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of loose tin linings	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 22	Ditto ...	...	170	Pieces steel plates or sheets (all rusty).	Ditto	
,, 29	,, 20	Ditto ...	...	11	Bundles round iron bars (bent and rusty)	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. II—*contd.*					
Aug. 29	Aug. 24	No mark ...	...	16	Bundles round iron ...	SS. "Japan".	
„ 29	„ 24	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of loose bars round iron.	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 18	74th Punjabi Jubbalpore India ...	...	1	Cask whisky ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 22	J B & M 500 in a diamond, P & on top, C O below.	16	1	Case ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 22	No mark ...	X	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 14	Sept. 5	D & S ...	...	1	Case merchandise (defective).	SS. "Chindwara".	
„ 14	„ 3	F H V C ...	...	84	Packages merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 14	„ 5	G & Co in a double triangle, Sydney below.	X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 14	„ 3	H R ...	X	1	Case milk (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 14	„ 5	No mark ...	...	2	Tins jam (damaged)...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 10	A M or A M I ...	1	1	Case petrol gas generator.	SS. "Nore."	
„ 17	„ 11	D R 221 in a diamond or B R 221 in a diamond or no mark.	X	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 10	B & W in a diamond ...	72-3, 83, 87	4	Crates billiard table parts	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 8	C & Co A in a diamond, M C on top.	1-2	2	Cases cycles ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 10	M in a diamond, E M on top, B L below.	145-54	10	Bales secondhand clothing.	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 10	M in a diamond, E M on top, B S below.	222-23	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 10	M in a diamond, E M on top, G M below.	205, 208-13, 182-187, 191-5, 198-99, 141-4, 171-8, 200-202.	35	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 11	No mark ...	...	1	Copper tube ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 11	Ditto ...	...	19	Empty cement casks	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 11	S & T, Lucknow ...	838, 851	2	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	
„ 17	„ 11	G & S Factory Cawnpore or no mark.	...	4	Drums (2 empty) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 17	„ 11	G and S Factory Cossipore, or no mark.	...	19	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No 11—*concld.*					
Sept. 17	Sept 11	Rifle Factory Ishapore or no mark.	...	20	Drums (2 empty) ...	SS. "Nore."	H. G.
„ 17	„ 11	No mark ...	...	5	Drums (2 leaky, 3 empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 17	„ 26	B I S N & Co P in a diamond	24	1	Case ship's signal (defective.)	Ditto	
„ 17	„ 11	No mark ...	...	19	Pieces pipes (5 bent and rusty).	Ditto	
		Withdrawn from last sale					
July 18	July 10	No mark ...	...	2	Casks empty (broken)	SS. "Chinkoa."	
„ 18	„ 9	Ditto ...	...	2	Empty wine cases (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 5	Ditto ...	...	1	Bag merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 18	„ 7	Ditto ...	...	2	Empty kegs paint (broken).	Ditto.	
Aug. 3	„ 26	Ditto ...	...	1	Piece cotton piece-goods (torn)	SS. "Asahi Maru."	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. IV.					
Sept. 3	Aug. 27	A W & Co. in a cross or no mark below.	...	1	Bag merchandise ...	SS. "Clan Malcolm."	
„ 3	„ 25	238 in a diamond, M M on top, & Co. below.	...	1	Keg paint ...	Ditto.	
„ 3	„ 26	No mark	...	1	Bottle whisky ...	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last two sales.					
June 28	June 21	G. C. Co. in a diamond, M W on top, & Co below.	...	7	Packages ...	SS. "Kwaisang."	
		Withdrawn from last three sales.					
May 15	May 8	No mark ...	...	15	Pieces plates iron ...	SS. "Asahi Maru."	
						SS. "Santhia."	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. V.					
Aug. 9	Aug. 1	524 in a triangle, E M on top.	562-3	2	Cases glassware ...		
„ 9	„ 1	No mark ...	...	3	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	S. Ali Buksh, New Commercial Building, Punjab.	...	1	Case	SS. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 27	„ 18	Various mark or no mark ...	...	50	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 14	1536 in a diamond, 67789 below.	52 or X	1	Case rubber goods ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	1609 in a diamond, 75985 below.	X	1	Case	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	1609 in a diamond, 75986 below.	X	1	Do.	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	1583 in a diamond, 72574 below.	1, 2	2	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	
„ 27	„ 16	1605 in a diamond, 75947 below.	1-3	3	Cases locks ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks
1917.	1917.	SHED No. V—*concld.*					
Aug. 27	Aug. 17	1348 in a diamond, 55233 or 55232 below.	7-8	2	Cases	SS. "City of Edinburgh."	
,, 27	,, 17	1471 in a diamond, 62305 below.	1	1	Case pencil (defective)	Ditto	
,, 27	,, 17	1615 in a diamond, 76610 below.	1	1	Case suspenders (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 17	1583 in a diamond, 72578 below.	1	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 18	No mark ...	X	1	Bag pulse ...	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 16	1620 in a diamond 77395 below.	1	1	Case lanterns (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 14	1609 in a diamond, 76054 below.	1 or X	1	Case stroppers (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 16	1624 in a diamond 77352 below.	X	1	Case pins (defective)	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 16	1605 in a diamond, 75942 below.	1 or X	1	Case stropper (defective)	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 18	1556 in a diamond, 70086 below.	X	1	Package (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 27	,, 24	No mark ...	...	2	Drums caustic soda (broken and empty)	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 27	,, 24	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire bricks.	Ditto.	
Sept 8	Sept. 4	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of black wool.	SS. "City of Vienna."	
,, 8	,, 4	Ditto ...	...	1	Bundle tea chest fitting.	Ditto.	
July 25	July 19	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	SS. "Taisho Maru."	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VI.					
Aug. 10	Aug 6	No mark ...	...	1	Bag sweeping ...	SS. "Arratoon Apcar."	
,, 10	,, 6	Ditto ...	...	143	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 16	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	SS. "Martaban."	
Sept. 11	Sept. 4	4 in a diamond, A D on top, M T below.	15	1	Case (defective) ...	SS. "Jinsen Maru."	
,, 11	,, 1	A B on top of a diamond, Lahore below.	1-2	2	Bags canvas (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 3	Various mark or no mark ...	X	33	Bags rice (defective)	Ditto	
,, 11	,, 4	B K H or no mark ...	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 1	D D in a diamond ...	129	1	Case cotton goods (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	D & R in a block or no mark	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 1	G N in a triangle ...	16-19	4	Cases cotton goods ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 4	1197 in a triangle, M E on top, D below.	3151	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917	SHED No. VI—*concld.*					
Sept. 11	Sept. 4	M R in a diamond, M or W on top, 108 below.	...	2	Bags betelnuts (defective)	SS. "Jinsen Maru."	
„ 11	„ 4	M C or no mark ...	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	M M in a diamond, M G K below.	...	8	Pieces planks (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	P N G in a block, W L & Co on top, Penang below.	3713	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	No mark ...	...	1	Bag pepper ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	...	3	Glass chimneys ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	..	6	Packets whistle ...	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ..	...	15	Pieces loose cotton undershirts.	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	...	11	Packets cotton socks	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 1	M in a diamond ...	6-7	2	Cases merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of loose rice.	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	...	19	Bags or packages sulphur.	Ditto.	
„ 11	„ 4	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VII.					
Aug. 21	Aug. 9	No mark ...	...	2	Empty cases ...	SS. "Poona"	
„ 21	„ 10	No mark or M G G or J H ...	...	1	Bag groundnut sweepings (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 13	Spencer & Co, Madras ...	X	1	Case empty ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 11	Allahabad Arsenal ...	...	3	Drums empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 21	„ 10	No mark ...	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 21	„ 11	X C A S in a diamond, or no mark.	...	1	Drum empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 21	„ 11	No mark ...	...	1	Piece earthenware ...	Ditto.	
„ 21	„ 13	O H M S O A G Telegraph Dept. ...	574	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 22	No mark ...	...	34	Pieces brass circle plates.	SS. "Kirin Maru."	
„ 31	„ 22	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of rice sweepings.	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 22	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of loose tea-shooks.	Ditto	
„ 31	„ 22	Ditto ...	...	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917	1917.	SHED No. VII—*contd.*					
Aug 31	Aug. 22	No mark	...	2	Bundles undershirts	SS. "Kirin Maru."	
„ 31	„ 22	Ditto	...	1	Piece undershirt ...	Ditto.	
„ 31	„ 22	Ditto	...	1	Piece wood ..	Ditto.	
Sept. 3	„ 28	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	SS "Explorer."	
„ 3	„ 28	J H S Titaghur	662	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 4	July 30	356 in a diamond, R B on top, G H L below.	415	1	Bale merchandise (defective).	SS. "Colonial."	
1917.	1917	SHED No. VIII.					
Aug. 20	Aug. 6	K & Co in a diamond, T on top.	2	1	Case tobacco (defective).	SS "Politician."	
„ 20	„ 9	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks	Ditto.	
„ 30	„ 15	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose shooks.	SS. "Mahanada."	
„ 30	„ 14	M M M in an inverted triangle or no mark.	...	4	Drums (leaky and empty).	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 30	„ 18	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
„ 30	„ 20	Ditto	...	1	Case leather pickers (defective).	Ditto.	
Sept. 6	„ 24	943 in a circle on top of $\frac{B}{4178}$ or $\frac{\quad}{4178}$ in a triangle, T S on top. Durbar below.	1	1	Case merchandise (broken).	SS. "City of Naples."	
„ 6	„ 28	C X	153	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 24	C D in a diamond, Colombo below.	25	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto	
„ 6	„ 24	J. H Dickson, Ceylon ...	43	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	Sept. 1	Lipton Ltd. Colombo Ceylon ...	...	3	Bundles or coils hoop iron.	Ditto.	
„ 6	Aug. 27	in a diamond ...	...	1	Keg nails ...	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 25	No mark or Lipton ...	...	1	Box tin plates ..	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 25	N. E. D. 17187 ...	3	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 24	R S D E S Colombo 15 ...	...	4	Kegs nails (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 6	„ 28	S F & S in a block, T or T H B, Durban below.	3945 or X	1	Case (repaired.) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VIII—*concld.*					
Sept. 6	Aug. 28	3 in a diamond, Colombo below.	1	1	Case merchandise (broken).	SS. "City of Naples."	
,, 6	,, 25	B L & Co in a diamond, A L on top, & Co below.	...	22	Bags flour sulphur ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 6	,, 25	K in a diamond or no mark	...	52	Bags sulphur (torn)...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 6	,, 27	No mark ...	...	10	Drums caustic soda ...	Ditto	H. G.
,, 6	,, 25	Ditto ...	...	5	Bags sulphur (torn)...	Ditto ...	H. G.
		Withdrawn from last two sales.					
July 20	July 9	$\frac{A\ T\ D}{40}$ in a block, S B on top, C below.	1	1	Case (defective) ...	SS. "Kashgar."	
,, 20	,, 9	Cowa M A Rangoon. ...	...	3	Empty cases (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 12	O P S & Co in a cross, J W & Sons on top, or O G S in a cross, J W & Sons on top.	237	1	Empty case (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 9	Nil or K 4244 Madras ...	...	1	Case empty (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 11	No mark ...	...	1	Bag groundnuts sweepings (torn and half empty).	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 10	Ditto ...	...	9	Casks empty ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 11	No mark or Madras ...	...	1	Cask merchandise ...	Ditto	
,, 20	,, 7	S H & Co in a diamond, A E M on top or S H & Co in a diamond.	46-52	7	Cases (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 20	,, 11	No mark ...	...	8	Empty phenyle kegs	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 20	,, 10	Daw Dey or nil ...	...	2	Drums empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 25	,, 10	Photo-Litho Office ...	...	1	Empty drum ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
July 25	July 11	R F Ishapore Calcutta or nil.	...	2	Drums (empty and broken).	SS. "Kashgar."	H.G.
,, 25	,, 10	No mark	...	1	Case (defective) ...	Ditto	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. IX.					
Aug. 11	July 30	B M on top of a diamond, B L below.	X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	SS. "Benten Maru."	
,, 11	,, 30	C B Co Penang	XX	2	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. IX—*contd.*					
Aug. 11	July 30	H M on top of a diamond. D L below.	X	1	Case (defective) ...	SS. "Benten Maru"	
,, 11	,, 31	K H in a diamond ...	444 or XX.	2	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	Aug. 2	No mark ...	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
,, 11	,, 1	8235 / 290 in a diamond, H S on top.	5	1	Case (broken) ...	Ditto.	
,, 11	July 31	No mark ...	...	25	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 10	Sept. 1	B O C in a triangle, E 14 / Rangoon below.	...	1	Bundle plank ...	SS. "Shinbu Maru."	
,, 10	,, 3	140 in a diamond, C K on top, S Co below	96	1	Case shooks (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	No mark ...	...	56	Pieces undershirts ...	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	2	Pieces striped cloth ...	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	2	Packages spool ...	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	= in a diamond, or no mark.	...	22	Casks cement (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 10	Aug. 30	S C in a double triangle ...	4, 7	2	Cases merchandise (defective).	Ditto	
,, 10	Sept. 1	1 / 577 in a diamond, S M on top, F E below.	4	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	1713 in a diamond, S K on top, B S below.	355-57	3	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 6	S in a diamond, Mr. S. Memoto, care of Yokohama Specie Bank.	6-7	2	Cases motor covers and tubes (defective).	Ditto	
,, 10	,, 3	No mark ...	...	33	Pieces empty phials ...	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	19	Pieces looking-glasses	Ditto.	
,, 10	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	13	Papers buttons ...	Ditto	
,, 10	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	24	Pieces glass bangles...	Ditto.	
,, 29	,, 3	Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity loose rosin	Ditto ...	H. G.
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
July 12	June 27	No mark ...	83 or X	1	Case	SS "Tenryu Maru."	
1917.		*Unidentified goods of Jetties.*					
Sept. 12	...	No mark ...	...	2	Pieces brass valves ...	.....	From Police.
,, 12	...	Ditto ...	...	1	Bar flat iron ...	.....	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.		*Unidentified goods of Jetties*—concld.					
Oct. 11	...	No mark ...	...	11	Pieces cotton undershirts.	.....	From Police.
		Ditto ...	...	1	Bucket grease.		
		Ditto ...	...	1	Bucket rosin.		
		Ditto ...	...	1	Piece plate (iron)		
		Ditto ...	...	12	Pieces old machinery parts.		
		Ditto ...	...	2	Bundles coir yarn.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of empty iron kegs.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of empty torn gunny bags.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of loose planks.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of damaged tin lanterns.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks and fittings.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of tin plates.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of hardware.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of wire nails.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of wood.		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of sugar		
		Ditto ...	...	...	A quantity of sundries.		

W. A. BURNS, Offg. Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 24th October 1917. (2680—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th October 1917.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS						4 PER CENT.		Indian War Loan—5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	Grand Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.		
Balance of 30th September 1917.	27,99,700	93,92,700	4,13,54,500	1,45,88,700	64,40,800	20,05,800	7,37,82,500	2,500	2,000	2,300	7,65,89,000
ADD—											
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London.	.....	.....	1,87,700	.....	.....	.....	1,87,700	.....	.....	.....	1,87,700
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th October 1917.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	45,000	.....	45,000
Total ...	27,99,700	93,92,700	4,15,42,200	1,45,88,700	64,40,800	20,05,800	7,39,70,200	2,500	47,000	2,300	7,68,21,700
DEDUCT—											
Amount written off in the London Registers.	.....	10,000	1,25,400	8,000	....	9,400	1,52,800	.....	.....	.....	1,52,800
Balance on 15th October 1917.	27,99,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,000	7,38,17,000	2,500	47,000	2,300	7,66,68,900

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th August 1917—Enfaced from India, 12,410 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,988 lakhs.

" 16th August 1917 to 31st " " " " " ... " " " ...

" 1st September " to 15th September " " " " " ... " " " 2 "

" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " " ... " " " 3 "

" 1st October " to 15th October " " " " 2 " " " 1 lakh.

12,412 lakhs. 12,994 lakhs.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 18th October 1917.*

H. R. MACPHERSON, *Dy. Superintendent.*

N. H. Y. WARREN, *Secretary & Treasurer.*

In the Court of the Sub-Judge of Rangpur.

EXECUTION CASE No. 451 OF 1917.

Heramba Nath Banerji, decree-holder, *versus* Suniti Bala Debi, judgment-debtor.

THE right, title and interest of Srimati Suniti Bala Debi, judgment-debtor, in the above case being the eight annas share owned by her in estate No. 1, pargana Bamandanga, of Rangpur Collectorate tauzi for which a separate account has been opened, save and except nine manzas, namely, taluk Jaideb, taluk Habu, taluk Narsing, Alal Rajbullubh, kismat Romakant, kismat Eknath, Upanchak, Aman Lakshynarayan, kismat Debottar and Nagar Gayghanta. The Government revenue of the above share, exclusive of the said nine manzas, is Rs. 14,957-5-14¼ gandas and the estimated price is Rs. 1,000. The sale will be held on 21st November 1917 subject to the mortgage for Rs. 1 60,000 principal and interest created by an indenture, dated 5th March 1907, in respect to the whole estate left by the father of the judgment-debtor Sarat Chandra Rai Chaudhury in favour of Dhara Sundari and Sarojini Debi Chaudhurany and forr ecovery of which a suit, No. 166 of 1909, is pending in this Court and to another mortgage created by an indenture, dated 14th April 1904, in favour of Aga Mahomed Baker Ispahani for Rs. 20,000 principal and interest.

DEBENDRA NATH BANERJI, Sub-Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2645—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 125 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Kunja Behari Banik, son of late Rash Behari Banik, of Sutrapur, police-station Kaliakur, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th October 1917. (2647—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 124 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Janabali Shikder, son of late Farid Shikder, of Char-Mashura, police-station Munshiganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th October 1917. (2646—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 126 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Ranga Lal Banik, son of late Rash Behari Banik, of Sutrapur, police-station Kaliakur, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th October 1917. (2648—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 39 AND 40 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Nehajuddin Bhuiya and Ofajuddi Bhuiya, sons of late Mafijuddin Bhuiya, of Batikamari, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvents, and that 30th November 1917 has been fixed for hearing their applications.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th October 1917. (2625—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASES NOS. 32, 33 AND 34 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to petitions filed by Sheik Menajuddi, Sheik Kazem and Sheik Nazem, sons of late Sheik Kangali, of Char Prasannadi police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading their affidavit and hearing their pleader, it is ordered that the debtors be and the said debtors are hereby adjudged insolvents.

S. P. SEN, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th October 1917. (2626—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 43 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Kartik Shaikh *alias* Ramjan Shaikh, of Jhikra, p. s. Beldanga, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 1st December 1917.

M YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 13th October 1917. (2621—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 33 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Nathmal Churoria, of Baluchar, police-station Jiaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 6th October 1917.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 13th October 1917. (2623—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Aswini Kumar Dey, of Ereyra, police-station Bharatpur, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 6th October 1917.

M. YUSUF, District Judge.

Berhampore, the 13th October 1917. (2624—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 57 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Prakash Chandra Saha, son of Radha Nath Saha, of Batrish, police-station Kishoreganj, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and the 8th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case.

W. A. SEATON, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 11th October 1917. (2668—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Noakhali.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ram Kumar Baraj, son of Ram Nath Baraj, of Naranpur, station Feni, district Noakhali, has, on the 19th September 1917, applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and that 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the case.

S. P. BAKSI, District Judge.

Noakhali, the 12th October 1917 (2622—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 9 OF 1917.

In the matter of Komol Khan, son of late Nizam Khan, residing at Chak Nandanpur, district Pabna, police-station Santhia, debtor, insolvent.

PURSUANT to a petition dated 11th January 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Tarak Nath Maitra, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 14th day of December 1917 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 12th day of October 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(2617—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Mahar Chand Das, son of late Haribol Das, of Dadpur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 3rd October 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Madhu Sudan Das ...	Ghurka ...	Atgharia	Pabna ...	280
2. Rai Charan Das ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ..	275

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th October 1917. (2619—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Harish Chandra Basak, son of late Fakir Chandra Basak, of Serpur, police-station Serpur, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 1st October 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District	Amount of debts.
					Rs.
1.	Nitya Gopal Karmokar	Serpur ...	Serpur ...	Bogra ...	84
2.	Jagabandhu Saha Podder.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	200
3.	Benode Behari Pramanik.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	250
4.	Biseswar Karmokar...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	225
5.	Banbehari Kundu ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	275
6.	Nitya Gopal Maitra...	Chupinagar	Madia ...	Do. ...	16

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th October 1917. (2618—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Mugbarali Shek, son of late Ratya Shek, of Kalipur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 5th October 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts
					Rs. A.
1.	Mahiruddi Talookdar	Dhupli ...	Salanga ...	Pabna ...	320 0
2.	Jonabali Talookdar ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	128 8
3.	Prannath Pramanik	Dattakusha	Asgharia	Do. ...	70 0
4.	Nuta Hazi	Kalipur ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	344 0
5.	Jagabandhu Bairagi...	Moraljani	Ullapara	Do. ...	19 0
6.	Gaber Mandal ...	Hati ...	Hatkumrul	Do. ...	94 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 12th October 1917. (2620—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 101 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

KISHMATULLA, son of late Ashmatulla Sircir, of Habibpur, police-station Gobindaganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 6th October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2649—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 100 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

DOULATULLA SIRCIR, son of late Ashmatulla Sircir, of Habibpur, police-station Gobindaganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 6th October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge

Rangpur, tht 11th October 1917. (2650—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallick, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

BUDA DAS, son of Ghana Das, of Iswar Barua, police-station Bhurungamari in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 6th October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2651—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

GHANA DAS, son of late Banu Das, of Iswar Barua, police-station Bhurungamari, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 6th October 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. Mallik, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2652—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 120 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nebasuddin Sardar, son of late Meharaj Sardar, of Shona Roy, police-station Sundarganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2653—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 117 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sonaulla, son of late Ida Gasu, of Tajpur, police-station Mithapukhar, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 11th October 1917. (2654—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 126 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Masbar Mamud Akanda, son of late Razey Mamud Baperi, of Sharbananda, police-station Bamandanga, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 12th October 1917. (2655—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 125 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Phazoo Mamud, son of late Badia Mahmed, of Changmari, police-station Keshoriganja, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 12th October 1917. (2656—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 124 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Afanulla Sircir, son of late Venda Sircir, of Magua, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 12th October 1917. (2657—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 123 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Amirulla Sircir, son of late Venda Sircir, of Magua, police-station Kishoreganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 12th October 1917. (2658—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 122 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jagnat Paik, son of late Kundura Paik, of Haribhanga, police station Lalmonirhat, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, he 12th October 1917. (2659—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 115 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jatra Mohon Barman, son of late Bhutlall Barman of Dimla, police-station Dimla, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 1st day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 12th October 1917. (2660—1)

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kali Das Saha, son of late Nil Chand Saha, and Kamini Kumar Saha, son of Kalidas Saha, of village Brahmanbaria, police-station Brahmanbaria, district Tippera, has been admitted by this Court as No. 9 of 1917, and that 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

T. P. CHATARJI, District Judge.

Comilla, the 11th October 1917. (2667—1)

Notice.

WANTED a Comparing Clerk on Rs. 40 a month in the Office of the Magistrate-Collector of Howrah. None need apply who have not passed the Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University, but preference will be given to those who have got sufficient experience of Collectorate work.

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M. BHATTACHARJI, *for* District Officer.

Howrah District Office, the 13th October 1917.

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W. E. MCKENNA, District Engineer.

Jalpaiguri, the 16th October 1917. (2679—1)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that, on the 21st June 1917, treasure consisting of Rs. 46 of the description noted in the margin was discovered in the wall of the house of Perumal Nayudu, when it was demolished for reconstruction in the village of Chinna Koliyur, Kallakurichi taluk, South Arcot district, Madras Presidency.

Full rupees of the year—	Rs.
1862	16
1877	2
1878	2
1879	1
1883	2
1887	2
1891	1
1892	4
1893	1
1900	1
1901	2
1903	2
1904	1
1905	1
1906	5
1907	2
1916	1
Total ...	46

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office in Cuddalore on 4th March 1918 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

J. K. LANCASHIRE, Acting Collector.

Collector's Office, the 6th October 1917.

Notice.

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In the matter of the Liquidation of the Darjeeling Press Co., Ltd., Darjeeling.

(Under the Indian Companies Act)

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the abovenamed Company will be held at Willow Bank, Jail Road, Darjeeling, on Sunday, the 4th November 1917, at 4 P.M., to pass the Liquidators' final account, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the properties disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators of their action in the matter and also to determine the manner in which the books of account and other papers of the Company and those of the Liquidators thereof should be disposed of.

RAJENDRA NATH DE.
HARAN CHANDRA BOSE, } Liquidators.

Darjeeling, the 3rd October 1917. (2614—3—2623)

In the matter of the India Companies Act VII of 1913, and in the matter of the Bengal Industries and Commerce, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the Bengal Industries and Commerce, Limited, has this day been struck off the Register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
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Calcutta, the 17th October 1917.

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NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 13th October 1917.*

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab Approach—Steam Pilot Vessel established.

No. 271 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 141-M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 111-M. of 1917 (*This Office No. 206 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Details.—Information has now been received that a Steam Pilot Vessel has been established and usually stationed near the Shatt-al-Arab Light-Vessel.

Note.—This Steam Pilot Vessel is liable to be off her usual station, and *not the Light-Vessel* as stated in the former Notice quoted above.

Correction.—The remark in the 36th Issue of Indian Light List for 1917, page 13, No. 182, is to be deleted accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
,, 2837b, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R.I.M.S. "Nearchus," dated August 1917.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Caution. Tiensheng kang—River bank protection works.

No. 272 (first publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 645 of 1917) issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 627, notice is hereby given that it has become necessary to again draw the attention of mariners to the river bank protection works on the left bank of the Yangtze River from Tiensheng-kang towards North Tree Beacon.

These works are spur-dikes, built of stone. They are submerged and project up to 600 feet into the river.

Mariners are therefore cautioned against navigating their vessels too close to the river bank in this locality."

CHINA SEA—OUKIANG, APPROACH TO THE PORT OF WENCHOW.

Chitu island—Crossing beacons discontinued.

No. 273 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 646 of 1917) that the Crossing Beacons on Chitu Island, Oukiang, approach to the port of Wenchow, have been discontinued.

The 9th October 1917.

CHINA SEA—HAITAN STRAIT—WILSON CHANNEL.

Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, northern turning point—White Cairns established.

No. 256 (second publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 643 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Notice is hereby given that two *white* cairns have been erected to mark the northern turning point for the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, Wilson Channel, Haitan Strait.

These two *white* cairns are located on the eastern side of the Haitan Strait. The front cairn is situated on the 7-foot rock to the northward of Middle Island ; the rear cairn is situated on the 15-foot Saxby Islet.

These cairns in line bear N. 85° E., magnetic, and mark a point where vessels leave the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line when bound to the northward."

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

Confucius Channel—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 257 (second publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 644 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Referring to Special Notice to Mariners No. 489, notice is hereby given that in consequence of the shoal that has been located at the north-western entrance to the Confucius Channel, Yangtze River, the following alterations in buoyage have been made :—

The Centaur Lower Buoy has been moved and is now moored in 40 feet of water on the southern side of the channel, its characteristics, remaining unchanged. From the Buoy, Mason Point Beacon bears N. 51½° E., distant 5·84 miles.

The Centaur Upper Buoy has been moved and its navigating colour changed from *red* to *black*. It is now moored in about 28 feet of water on the southern side of the channel and the northern edge of the shoal, and from the Buoy Mason Point Beacon bears N. 81½° E., distant 6·15 miles.

All bearings given are magnetic, and depths are those of low water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

As rapid changes are apparently taking place in this section of the river, it should be navigated with caution."

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Oyster Bay Spit—Beacon replaced; temporary buoy removed.

No. 258 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 150 of 1917 issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further Notice (No. 10 of 1917) that the beacon marking the Northern End of the South Spit has been replaced, and the temporary buoy removed.

This affects Admiralty charts Nos. 2152 and 2389.

AFRICA, EAST COAST AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 259 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 804 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 775 of 1917 (*This office No. 252 of 1917*); hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—
   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.
2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion have been re-exhibited.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4721-17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—SHADWELL GULF.

Cho Do—Light established.

No. 260 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 812 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the northern extreme of the eastern end of Cho do, at a distance of $3\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the small islet off the extremity of Marquand point.
Lat. 34° 45½′ N., long. 128° 25½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 151 ft., vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 Flashes.	eclipse.
1½ secs.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—151 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White circular brick tower, 24 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 2972, Shadwell and Cargodo gulfs.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1766*a*.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 61.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 58 of 1917. (*H. 2995/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Correction to Former Notice.

No. 261 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 813 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 771 of 1917. (*This Office No. 251 of 1917.*)

Position.—Stokes point, lat. 36° 49½′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.

Correction.—In paragraph (*b*) of "Position" *for* 4½ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), *read* 4½ cables, 195° (*South Mag.*).

Variation.—15° E.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4862/17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—BILLITON ISLAND, WEST COAST.

Tanjong Pandan Approach—Alteration in Lights on Light Buoys.

No. 262 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 816 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) *Position.*—Marking the north extreme of Karang Tenga.
Lat. 2° 43½′ S., long. 107° 33′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light-buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

Light.	eclipse.
10 secs.	10 secs.

(2) *Position.*—Northward of Batu Kyang.
Lat. 2° 44′ S., long 107° 34½′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light-buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, as in (1).

Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.
„ 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.
„ 2160, Carimata strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 163.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 889 of 1917. (*H. 4415-17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—MADURA, SOUTH COAST.

Tanjung Point—Light established.

No. 263 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 07′ 50″ S., long. 113° 53′ 45″ E., on chart No. 934.
Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec., 59 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Characteristics :
Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash.	eclipse.
1 sec.	2 secs.

Elevation.—59 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White iron framework, 43 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 934, Plan of Sapudi strait.
„ 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.
„ 941*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet 2.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 920*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 166.

Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 880 and 943 of 1917. (*H. 4410-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Chalang Bay—Rock reported.

No. 264 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables southward from Johore reef and 3⅝ cables, 178° (*S. 1° E. Mag.*), from the conspicuous house shown on the chart.
Lat. 4° 37½′ N., long. 95° 35½′ E.

Depth.—4 feet.

Note.—The rock is to be marked on the chart "*reported* (1917)."

Variation.—1° W.

Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 320.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 878 of 1917. (*H. 4419-17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—Bisan seto.

Ozuchi Jima—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 265 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 829 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of one mile, 130° (*S. 45° E. Mag.*), from Ozuchi jima summit.
Lat. 34° 24¼′ N., long. 133° 56′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 128, Channels between Bingo nada and Ozuchi jima.
„ 1969, Ozuchi jima to Funoko sima.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 77 of 1917. (*H. 3576-17.*)

AUSTRALIA—Victoria.

Portland Bay—Alteration in Character of Light.

No. 266 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 838 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On outer end of New pier.
Lat. 38° 20¾′ S., long. 141° 37′ E.

New abridged description—Lt. Fl., *Red ev. 3 sec.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing red every three seconds.*

Charts affected.—No. 1062, Rivoli bay to Cape Otway, with plan.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2393.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1907, page 391; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1917. (*H. 4532-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND.

Westport Harbour, Western Breakwater—Alteration in Position of Light.

No. 267 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 840 of 1917), are republished :—

New position.—On the extreme end of the western breakwater, and at a distance of about 400 feet northward from former position,
Lat. 41° 43½′ S., long. 171° 35¾′ E.

Description.—A *fixed red* light.

Note.—The Notes with regard to works in progress, in connection with the extension of the above breakwater, are to be expunged from the charts.

Chart affected.—No. 2591, Plan of Buller bay and Westport harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 3080.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 326; Supplement No. 3, 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 9 of 1917 (*H. 2183-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

(1) *Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale—Buoy withdrawn.*

(2) *Gosong Reef—Buoy withdrawn.*

No. 268 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale.

Position.—On the western side of Karang Sigale, at a distance of about one mile south-westward from Ujong Brambang.
Lat. 0° 29¾′ N., long. 99° 04′ E.

Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.

(2) Gosong Reef.

Position.—On the western side of the reef, at a distance of about 4 miles south-eastward from Pulo Ujong.
Lat. 0° 28¼′ S., long. 99° 57¼′ E.

Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.

Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura.
„ 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay, with plan.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 361, 369.

Authority.—Hague Notice No. 887 of 1917. (*H. 4413-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 269 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 847 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles, westward, from Talamputan.
Lat. 12° 07′ 18″ N., long. 119° 37′ 48″ E., on chart No. 2577.

Depth.—4½ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209.

Authority.—U.S.A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1617 of 1917. (*H. 4796-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckl nd Harbour—Prohibited Anchorage.

No. 270 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—The Bastion, lat. 36° 50¾′ S. long. 174° 49¼′ E.

Details.—Anchorage is prohibited in the entrance to Auckland harbour, within an area enclosed between the following limits :—

On the East.—By a line drawn from the light beacon off the Bastion, in a 326° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*), direction to North Head.

On the West.—By a line drawn from the small jetty, situated about half a cable southwest-ward of the Bastion jetty, in a 323° (*N. 52° W. Mag.*), direction to the end of the Defence wharf at Depôt flat.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 39; Supplement No. 3, 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 45 of 1917. (*H. 4857-17.*)

The 1st October 1917.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA.

Batavia Roads and Approach—Beacons established in place of Buoys.

No. 249 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 755 of 1917), are republished :—

The following beacons have been established in place of buoys on the undermentioned shoals in Batavia roads and western approach :—

1. Vader Smit :

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 01″ S., long. 106° 51′ 28″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 12″ S., long. 106° 51′ 24″ E.
Description.—An iron beacon with a black truncated cone.
Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least a quarter of a cable.
Note.—The two black and white horizontally striped conical buoys formerly marking this reef have been withdrawn.

2. Neerstuk :

Position.—Near the north-western edge of the reef.
Lat. 6° 04′ 25″ S., long. 106° 49′ 55″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three quarters of a cable.

Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy has been withdrawn.

3. Purmerend bank :

(*a*) *Position.*—Near the northern edge of the bank.
Lat. 6° 02′ 10″ S., long 106° 46′ 37″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with a white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least three-quarters of a cable.

(*b*) *Position.*—Near the southern edge of the bank.
Lat. 6° 02′ 19″ S., long 106° 46′ 33″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with black truncated cone.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

Note.—The white conical buoy and the black can-buoy, formerly marking this bank, have been withdrawn.

4. Purmerend shoal :

Position.—Near the northern end of the shoal.
Lat. 6° 02′ 26″ S., long. 106° 45′ 16″ E.

Description.—An iron beacon with white ball.

Remarks.—Vessels should give this beacon a berth of at least half a cable.

Note.—The black and white horizontally striped conical buoy, formerly marking the northern end of this shoal, has been withdrawn.

Charts affected.—No. 933, Batavia roads.
„ 2056, Sunda strait and approaches.
„ 1653, Island of Java, western portion.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, pages 88-91.

Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 767 and 781 of 1917. (*H. 4025/17.*)

BORNEO, NORTH-WEST COAST.

Jesselton Harbour—Light established.

No. 250 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 768 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On outer end of Jesselton pier, situated about 4 cables north-eastward of the old ruined pier.

Lat. 5° 59¼′ N., long. 116° 04¼′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. F. *Red 30 ft.*

Description.—A *fixed red* light, exhibited at an elevation of 30 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 3525, Jesselton harbour.
„ 3626, Dumpil point to Gaya head.
„ 2111, Nosong point to Ambong bay.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1111*a*.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 126; Revised Supplement, 1916.

Authority.—British North Borneo Company. (*H. 4129/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Beacons established.

No. 251 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 771 of 1917), are republished :—

Two beacons have been established on the southern side of the Waitemata river channel as follows :—

Position.—(*a*) At a distance of $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables, 158° (*S. 37° E. Mag.*), from Stokes point ▲.

(*b*) At a distance of 4¼ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), from the same ▲.

Stokes point, lat. 36° 49¼′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.

Description.—Each a single pile beacon, surmounted by a staff and cage, the whole painted black.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, and Tutukaka harbour to Mayor island.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No 37 of 1917. (*H. 4267/17.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST, AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 252 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 775 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 656 of 1917 (This office No. 213 of 1917) hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—
   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.
2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.
Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion are extinguished.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

IV. SEYCHELLES.

All lights in the islands of the Seychelles group have been re-exhibited.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4628/17.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF OSAKA.

Osaka Ko Approach—Existence of Wreck.

No. 253 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 785 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 15 cables, 255° (*S. 80° W. Mag.*), from the light on the end of the northern breakwater.

Lat. 34° 38′ N., long. 135° 21¼′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck with mast displaying a red flag showing above water, and the stump of another mast also visible.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 16, Kobe and Osaka.

„ 3566, Izumi nada and Harima nada.

„ 2875, Naikai (seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 123 of 1917. (*H. 4109/17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH-EAST COAST—MASAMPO APPROACH.

Channel Reef Light—Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 254 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 790 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 35° 04¼′ N., long. 128° 40¼′ E.

New abridged description—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 34 ft., vis. 11 m.* (U).

Details.—The fixed white light has been discontinued and replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics :—

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 flashes. $1\frac{1}{2}$ secs. — eclipse. $4\frac{1}{2}$ secs.

Elevation.—34 feet.
Visibility.—11 miles.
Structure.—Circular concrete beacon painted in red and black horizontal bands.
Charts affected.—No. 3541, Masampo and Puto channel.
„ 1065, Masanpho harbour and approaches.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1777.
E.C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 68.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 138 of 1917. (*H. 4364/17.*)

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CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay Approach—Buoys established.

No. 265 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 794 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) Tai-kung-tau reef :

Position.—At a distance of $12\frac{1}{2}$ cables, 265° (*S. 89° W. Mag.*), from Tai-kung-tau lighthouse.
Lat. 35° 57½′ N., long. 120° 27½′ E.
Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "11."

(*b*) Hai hsi shoal :

Position.—At a distance of eight-tenths of a cable, 20° (*N. 24° E. Mag.*), from the centre of the $1\frac{1}{4}$-fathom head on Hai hsi shoal.
Lat. 35° 57¼′ N., long. 120° 16½′ E.
Description.—A black truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered "9."

(*c*) Dangerous rock (Ku tsi yang) :

Position.—At a distance of three-quarters of a cable, 8° (*N. 12° E. Mag.*), from the beacon on Dangerous rock.
Lat. 35° 59¾′ N., long. 120° 19¼′ E.
Description.—A red truncated conical buoy surmounted by a staff and numbered ("1V").
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 412; Revised Supplement, 1917.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 113 of 1917. (*H. 4103/17.*)

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REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF INCOME-TAX IN BENGAL DURING THE TRIENNIUM ENDING ON 31ST MARCH 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 414T.-S.R.—The 15th October 1917.—The following extracts from the Report on the Administration of Income-tax in Bengal, during the three years ending 31st March 1917, are published for general information.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 382T.-S.R., dated Darjeeling, the 6th October 1917.

From—The Hon'ble Mr. J. Donald, m.a., i.c.s., Secretary to the Government of Bengal,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Dept.

I am directed to submit the following report on the administration of Income-tax in Bengal during the triennium ending on the 31st March 1917.

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2. **Administration of Income-tax.**—The formation of a close excise service led to a change in the system under which income-tax work in districts was entrusted to a single Deputy Collector at head-quarters in charge of excise, and all Subdivisional Officers, including those of sadar subdivisions, were invested with the powers of a Collector under the Income-tax Act and placed in charge of income-tax work in their respective charges.

The law in force, Act II of 1886, as subsequently amended by Acts XII of 1891, VI of 1902, XI of 1903, and IV of 1914, was further modified by Act V of 1916, which introduced enhanced rates of taxation and a special system of refunds in respect of the tax levied at the source on interest on securities and dividends.

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6. **Revenue derived from Income-tax during the triennium.**—The receipts, charges and net revenue derived from the collection of income-tax during each of the three years, 1914-15, 1915-16 and 1916-17, were as follows :—

Year.	Receipts.	Charges.	Percentage of charges.	Net revenue.
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
1916-17	1,70,00,125	1,89,855	1·1	1,68,10,270
1915-16	72,20,342	1,72,175	2·4	70,48,167
1914-15	69,77,764	1,70,755	2·4	68,07,009

The great rise in receipts in 1916-17 was of course mainly due to the enhanced rates of taxation that came into force on the 1st April 1916. But the high profits earned by jute and coal companies and other industrial concerns also accounted for a very appreciable part of the increase.

7. **Demand on account of Income-tax.**—The number of persons finally assessed and the final demand during each year of the triennium were as follows :—

Year.	Number of persons finally assessed in—			Final demand in—		
	Calcutta.	Other districts.	Total of cols. 2 and 3.	Calcutta.	Other districts.	Total of cols. 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1916-17 ...	23,607	34,731	58,338	1,43,85,310	24,01,955	1,67,87,265
1915-16 ...	22,192	32,544	54,736	47,52,258	18,17,946	65,70,204
1914-15 ...	22,606	31,570	54,176	47,48,437	16,43,541	64,81,642

The final number of assessees and the final demand for the year 1916-17 showed an increase of 3,602 persons, as compared with the figures for 1915-16, and 4,162 persons, as compared with the figures for 1914-15.

8. **The number of assessees and the amount of tax collected under Part IV in the grade of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,249.**—The following statement compares the number of assessees and the amount of tax collected under Part IV in the grade of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,249 during the triennium under report :—

Years	Number of assessees under Part IV in the grade of Rs 1,000 to Rs 1,249	Amount of tax collected under Part IV in the grade of Rs 1,000 to Rs 1,249
		Rs.
1916-17	13,081	2,60,525
1915-16	12,608	2,52,183
1914-15	12,352	2,47,379

The number of persons assessed and the amount of tax collected in 1916-17 showed an increase of 473 persons or 3·7 per cent., and Rs. 8,342 or 3·3 per cent., as compared with the year 1915-16, and 729 persons or 5·9 per cent. and Rs. 13,148 or 5·3 per cent., as compared with the year 1914-15.

9. **Incidence of the demand on population.**—The following statement shows the proportion of persons assessed to population and to villages in the province and the incidence of the tax during the triennium under report:—

Year.	Number of persons assessed to population		Proportion of persons assessed to villages.		Number of persons in proportion to each rupee of the tax assessed.
	Persons	Population.	Persons.	Villages	
1916-17 ...	1	777	48	100	3
1915-16 ...	1	828	45	100	7
1914-15 ...	1	837	45	100	7

10. **Rural and urban incidence of the tax.**—The proportion of the tax paid in Calcutta in comparison with that paid in the rest of the province is exhibited below :—

Year.	Amount of tax realised.		Total.
	Calcutta	Rest of the province.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1916-17	1,33,62,378	23,69,253	1,57,31,631
1915-16	44,50,676	17,89,236	62 39,912
1914-15	44,81,355	17,06,380	61,87,735

The statement in paragraph 7 indicates the distribution of assessees between Calcutta and the rest of the province. From the statement given above it will be seen that during 1916-17 Calcutta contributed 40·4 per cent. of the persons assessed and 84·9 per cent. of the tax realised.

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The incidence of the tax in rural areas during the year 1916-17 varied from Re. 1 to every 38 persons in Jessore to Re. 1 to every 2 persons in Darjeeling.

Apart from Calcutta, only one person in 1,270 of the population pays income-tax, and the average amount paid by each assessee is Rs. 69. In Calcutta, which for income-tax purposes includes the town of Howrah, the proportion is one person in 52 of the population and the average tax paid is Rs. 609.

11. **Incidence of the tax according to incomes.**—The incidence of the tax according to the different rates of incomes is shown in the following abstract :—

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Class.	Rate of income	Percentage of assessees of each class.	Percentage of collections contributed by each class.
I	Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,249	34·4	2·4
II	„ 1,250 „ „ 1,499	12·2	1·3
III	„ 1,500 „ „ 1,749	9·0	1·2
IV	„ 1,750 „ „ 1,999	8·0	1·2
V	„ 2,000 „ „ 4,999	24·5	7·0
VI	„ 5,000 „ „ 9,999	7·6	5·8
VII	„ 10,000 „ „ 14,999	2·0	3·8
VIII	„ 15,000 „ „ 19,999	·7	2·2
IX	„ 20,000 „ „ 24,999	·4	1·8
X to XXII	„ 25,000 and over	1·2	73·3

The proportion of the number of assessees with incomes of less than Rs. 2,000 a year was 63·6 per cent., and that of the amount paid by them 6·1 per cent.

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13. **Objections to the demand.**—The number of persons originally assessed, and that of the petitions or objections instituted before District Officers, Commissioners and Government during the triennium, are shown in the following table :—

Year.	Number of persons originally assessed.	Number of petitions or objections instituted before District Officers.	Number of petitions filed before Commissioners.	Number of petitions for revision filed before Government.	Total of columns 3 to 5
1	2	3	4	5	6
1916-17 ...	59,236	5,364	218	5	5,587
1915-16 ...	55,494	4,022	137	5	4,164
1914-15 ...	54,878	3,937	119	4	4,060

The percentages of objections to assessments for the whole province were 9·4 in 1916-17, 7·5 in 1915-16 and 7·4 in 1914-15.

14. **Exemptions and result of revision.**—The figures on the margin compare the number of persons exempted on revision and the amount of tax remitted by District Officers and Commissioners.

Year	No. of persons exempted	Amount of tax remitted. Rs.
1916-17 ...	898	3,49,305
1915-16 ...	758	84,754
1914-15 ...	702	70,498

The percentage of exemptions on the number of persons originally assessed was 1·5 in 1916-17 and 1·3 in each of the two preceding years, that of remissions on the original demand 2 in 1916-17, 1·3 in 1915-16 and 1 in 1914-15. The percentage of remission does not exceed 5 except in Nadia, Noakhali, Pabna and Darjeeling, where it was 6, 9·9, 8·2 and 5·9, respectively. The large increase of remission from Rs. 84,754 in 1915-16 to Rs. 3,49,305 in 1916-17 was due to the higher rates at which the later assessments were made. Calcutta alone is responsible for an increase of Rs 2,19,542 and Rs. 2,27,777 over 1915-16 and 1914-15, respectively.

15. **Collection of Income-tax.**—The following statement compares the amount of the tax collected under each part of the Act during the last three years:—

Year.	Part I—Salaries, pensions, annuities and gratuities.	Part II—Profits of companies.	Part III—Interest on securities.	Part IV—Other sources.	Total
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1916-17 ...	13,88,014	79,78,980	3,79,795	59,84,842	1,57,31,631
1915-16 ...	10,65,307	17,88,277	1,70,776	32,15,552	62,39,912
1914-15 ...	10,11,667	19,38,976	1,64,541	30,72,551	61,87,735

The increase in the total collections during 1916-17, as compared with those of the preceding year, was obtained from all the main classes of assessees—salaries, etc., (Part I) contributing Rs. 3,22,707, companies (Part II) Rs. 61,90,703, securities (Part III) Rs. 2,09,019, and other sources (Part IV) Rs. 27,69,2 0. Of the total increase in 1916-17, as compared with the figures of 1915-16, Calcutta contributed Rs. 89,11,702 or 93·9 per cent. The increase was due to the enhanced rates of assessment introduced by Act V of 1916, and also to the high profits earned by jute and coal companies and other industrial concerns. The gross collections during the year 1916-17 including arrears of tax, penalties, etc., amounted to Rs. 1,62,33,446. The percentage of the tax collected under each Part on the total amount of tax collected during the year 1916-17 was as follows :—

	Per cent.
Part I.—Salaries, etc.	8·8
Part II.—Profits of companies	50·7
Part III.—Interest on securities	2·4
Part IV.—Other sources	38·1

The percentage of collections on the final demand on account of tax only during the year 1916-17 was 93·7, as compared with 94·9 and 95·4 in the two preceding years, respectively. The percentage as regards tax, penalties and costs, both current and arrear, excluding excess collections and advance payments, was 92·8 in each of the years 1916-17 and 1915-16, and 94·1 in 1914-15.

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16. **Outstanding balance of Income-tax.**—The outstanding balance on account of tax, penalties and costs in each year is shown below :—

Year.	Balance on account of			Total.
	Tax.	Penalties.	Costs.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1916-17 ...	11,42,421	27,452	8,449	11,78,322
1915-16 ...	4,03,375	29,305	8,861	4,41,541
1914-15 ...	3,55,970	15,913	6,106	3,77,989

The sum of Rs. 11,78,322 outstanding at the close of the year 1916-17 includes Rs. 1,15,009 on account of the previous year, for Rs. 1,09,134 of which Calcutta alone is responsible. Of the outstandings Rs. 10,80,346 are reported to be under realization, Rs. 8,843 are doubtful and Rs. 89,133 are probably irrecoverable.

17. **Coercive measures.**—The following statement compares the demand, collections and balances on account of penalties, fines and costs for the last three years :—

Year.	Demand.		Collections.		Balance.	
	Penalties and fines.	Costs.	Penalties and fines.	Costs.	Penalties and fines.	Costs
	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1916-17	18,340	8,245	12,157	6,609	6,183	1,636
1915 16 ...	28,823	10,047	12,408	6,543	16,415	3,504
1914-15 ...	19,082	10,522	8,914	7,130	10,168	3,392

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21. **General.**—The main feature of the triennium was the passing of the Act V of 1916 with its revised rates of assessment. The application of these new rates coincided with a period of great prosperity in the jute and coal trades and in other industrial activities, with the result that Imperial revenues, for whose benefit the increased taxation was intended, secured the large contribution of Rs. 78 lakhs. It has been calculated that this industrial prosperity would have benefited the income-tax revenue to the extent of twenty lakhs had the old rates remained in force. * * The Governor in Council desires * to acknowledge the services of all Commissioners and District Officers in their satisfactory management of the Department.

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REPORT OF THE HONORARY COMMITTEE FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE ZOOLOGICAL GARDEN, CALCUTTA, 1916-17.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1312I.P.—The 18th October 1917.—The following extracts from the Annual Administration Report of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1916-17, and the Government letter No. 13119P., dated the 18th October 1917, acknowledging the receipt of the report, are published for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

THE Honorary Committee have the honour to submit their report for the year ending 31st March 1917, the contents of which, as usual, include among other items :—

(1) The Superintendent's report upon the Zoological collection.
(2) Monthly returns of visitors and a list of donors and their donations.
(3) Abstract of accounts of ordinary receipts and expenditure.
(4) A list of animals in the Garden.

1. THE COMMITTEE.

The Committee consisted of :—

President :

The Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., from 1st April 1916 to 14th November 1916.
The Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson Moore, C.V.O., I.C.S., from 15th November 1916.

Vice-President :

P. L. Buckland, Esq., F.Z.S.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer :

S. C. Berridge, Esq., to 2nd February 1917.
W. K. Dods, Esq., from 3rd February 1917.

Superintendent :

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu, G.B.V.C., C.M.Z.S.

Assistant Superintendent :

Babu Somadev Ganguli.

Members of the Committee :

R. D. Mehta, Esq., C.I.E.
Lieut.-Col. R. Bird, M.D., C.I.E., M.V.O , M.S., F.R.C.S., I.M.S.
Dr. Nelson Annandale, B A., D.Sc., C.M.Z.S.
W. R. Gourlay, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S
H. J. McIntosh, Esq., I.C.S.
The Hon'ble Ihtisham-ul-Mulk Rais-ud-Daula Amir-ul-Umara Nawab Sir Asif Qadr Saiyid Wasif Ali Mirza, Khan Bahadur, Mahabat Jang, K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad,
Lieut.-Col. Charles Robert Mortimer Green, M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S.
David Ezra, Esq.
Ambica Charan Law, Esq.
R. G. Girard, Esq., I.S.O., F.R.H.S.

The Hon'ble Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.
Shirley Tremearne, Esq.
W. K. Dods, Esq.
Nawab A. F. M. Abdur Rahman, Khan Bahadur.
Lieut.-Col. Sir L. Rogers, KT., C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S.
Lieut.-Col. C. R. Stevens, M.D., I.M.S.
Sir R. S. Highet, KT.
E. G. L. Laird McGregor, Esq., I.C.S., from 1st April 1916 to 15th December 1916.
C. W. E. Cotton, Esq., I.C.S., from 19th December 1916.
Lieut.-Col. E. H. Brown, I.M.S. (retired), M.D., D.P.H., F.R C.S.E.

Ex-officio *Members:*

The Commissioners of Divisions in Bengal.
The Executive Engineer of the Public Works Department of the Division in which the Garden is placed.
The Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of Bengal.
The President of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.
The Natural History Secretary of the Asiatic Society of Bengal.
The Director of Land Records
The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, Bengal
The Professor of Comparative Anatomy and Zoology, Medical College, Bengal.
The Superintendent of the Royal Botanic Garden, Sibpur.
The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation.
The Principal of the Bengal Veterinary College, Calcutta.
The following member resigned his membership during the year :—
E. G. L. Laird McGregor, Esq., I C.S.

The following new member was appointed during the year :—
C. W. E. Cotton, Esq., I.C.S.

2. STAFF AND ESTABLISHMENT.

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu continued in charge of the Garden as Superintendent throughout the year and Babu Somadev Ganguli as Assistant Superintendent.
The following is a list of the superior staff of the Garden at the end of 1916-17 :—

Superintendent:

Mr. Bijay Krishna Basu, G.B.V.C, C.M.Z.S.

Assistant Superintendent:

Babu Somadev Ganguli.

Store-keeper:

Babu Jugal Kishore Ray.

Overseer:

Babu Niranjan Mukharji.

Clerk:

Babu Tarak Chandra Chatarji.

Gate Clerk:

Babu Panchanan Mukharji.

The menial staff of the Garden at the end of 1916-17 consisted of the following :—

2 Jamadars.	14 Gardeners.
8 Durwans.	3 Sweepers.
1 Head Keeper.	1 Chaprasi.
19 Keepers.	1 Carpenter.
3 Bhistis.	2 Cartmen.
1 Cook.	1 Syce.
1 Head Gardener.	1 Scythe-man.

In addition temporary labourers were engaged during the year from time to time as required.

3. THE NEW EXTENSION.

The transfer by the Government of Bengal to the Zoological Gardens of a portion of the site of the old Cavalry Lines was the most noteworthy event of the year under review. The area, which comprises about 11 bighas, adjoins the Gardens on the south and extends to Sterndale Road, and should not only prove a most valuable addition but greatly relieve the congestion from which the Gardens have suffered on their southern boundary.

The transfer was effected on the 4th May 1916 and work was immediately taken in hand to adapt the land to its new purpose. A considerable surface had to be raised, and a tank on the western boundary was filled up. The entire area was enclosed by a wall, and pipes were laid down for the purpose of providing a supply of unfiltered water. A plan for the general lay-out was designed by Mr. A. de Bois Shrosbree, F.S.I., to whom the Committee are greatly indebted for his valuable assistance. In accordance with this plan roads and paths were made throughout the extension which is now in a condition in which it is possible for gardening operations such as the planting of trees and shrubs and the laying of turf to be undertaken.

The quantity and nature of the work which has yet to be undertaken prevents the Committee from anticipating at present any definite date when it will be possible to open the extension to the public, though the work is being carried on with all possible despatch.

4. IMPROVEMENTS.

Remodelling of the Mullick House.—This house which is used to contain otters, etc., was a substantial structure when built but the woodwork and roof had suffered considerably from the ravages of time. The Committee therefore caused it to be remodelled on approved lines so as to give the inmates more air and opportunities of exercise. Kumar Nagendra Mullick Bahadur contributed Rs. 2,500 towards the cost, and the Committee's thanks are due to him for his donation.

(2) *Roadside stalls.*—For many years a number of sweetmeat sellers have been in the habit of stationing themselves by the side of the public road to the north of the main entrance to the Gardens. They were subject to no control, and their ever increasing numbers added to the unsightliness and disfigurement of the approach to the Gardens. This nuisance has now been abated by the erection, with the sanction of the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, of four moveable stalls. These are placed on the same site and are let by the Committee to approved holders at a nominal rent and they provide every facility for the requirements of the public.

5. ANNUAL REPAIRS.

The annual repairs to the buildings of the Garden were done departmentally so far as possible, and by these means considerable savings were effected which were devoted to other improvements. The prices of paint and other materials have increased to a considerable extent, but as it is essential that all iron-work should be given a coat of paint annually to

prevent deterioration, it has not been considered advisable to attempt to effect economy by the reduction of the quantity of paint-work undertaken.

The following is a list of more important repairs executed during the year:—

(1) *Burdwan House.*—This house was thoroughly renovated. The roof was overhauled and made watertight and the sandplaster was scraped off where necessary and new sandplaster substituted. The recreation enclosure, the wooden posts of the hand-rail and the building itself were repainted.

(2) *Sarnomoyi House.*—The wire-netting of the outer aviaries and of some of the inner cages was renewed and the wood-work was repaired. The house was colourwashed and the inner walls were limewashed and the wood and iron work were painted

(3) *Small Carnivora House.*—The verandah was thoroughly repaired and the ceiling was limewashed, the exterior walls being pointed with rule joints. The inner dens were sandplastered and limewashed and the iron gratings of the cages were repainted. The outer enclosure was also repainted.

(4) *Dumraon House.*—Portions of wire-netting were repaired. The inner walls were repaired and limewashed and the outer walls were colourwashed. The iron gratings of the cages were painted.

(5) *Gubbay House.*—The inner walls were limewashed and the wire-netting of the Orang-utan's cage was renewed. The outer walls were colourwashed and all the cages were repainted.

(6) *Boundary Wall.*—The whole wall was scraped, the sand plaster was renewed where necessary and the entire length of wall was then colourwashed.

(7) *Bird of Prey House.*—The wire-netting of all the cages was taken out and the iron-posts and rafters were scraped, two coats of paint were given and the wire-netting was fixed and fitted.

(8) *Sonebursa House.*—The inner walls were limewashed and the outer walls were colourwashed. The wooden roof was repaired and repainted.

(9) The following buildings were repaired and repainted:—

Entrance Lodge and Office.
Durbhanga House.
Refreshment Pavilion.
New Antelope House.
Abdul Gani House.
Jhind House.

(10) *Bear House.*—This was repaired and the iron gratings of the cages were repainted.

(11) The following buildings were repaired, colourwashed and repainted:—

Schwendler House.
Old Hospital.
Cooch Behar House.
Rhinoceros' Enclosure.
Mandrill House.

Petty repairs of smaller houses, sheds and enclosures were, as usual attended to, the iron fencing of the paddocks was coal-tarred, roads and paths were thoroughly repaired and the drainage put in order.

6. VISITORS.

The Committee observe with satisfaction that the reduction in the attendance of visitors which was very marked for the year after the outbreak of war has not again occurred, and though pre-war figures have not yet been attained, there is a steady annual increase in the number of visitors as in the years before the war. The turnstile records show a total of 671,495 visitors, and an increase of 73,471 over the figures

for 1915-16. The following is a comparative table of visitors for the last three years :—

Year.	Visitors.
1914-15	... 559,759
1915-16	... 598,024
1916-17	... 671,495

7. FINANCE.

The receipts from visitors amount to Rs. 50,024-11 which is an increase of Rs. 5,691-14 upon the figure for the preceding year.

The following is a comparative statement of receipts from visitors for the last three years :—

Year.	Receipts. Rs. A.
1914-15	... 42,269 1
1915-16	... 44,332 13
1916-17	... 50,024 11

In comparing these figures with the figures given in the previous paragraph it must be borne in mind that a large number of children under four years of age and school children attended by their teachers were admitted free. On the day of the Fancy Fair when visitors are not charged individually about 9,000 people entered the Garden. In addition 28,619 persons visited the Garden on the free days, of which a list, with the number of visitors, is to be found in Appendix C.

The financial condition of the Garden during the year under review was very satisfactory.

The amounts of income and expenditure are summarised in Appendix A.

Economy has been to a large extent enforced, owing partly to the high prices for materials now prevailing and partly to the fact that under present conditions none of the larger and more expensive animals, other than those obtainable in Asia, are to be had. But this enforced economy has been most opportune in that it has rendered a substantial sum available for the development of the new extension in regard to which during the year under review, out of the total disbursements, a sum of about Rs. 18,500 has been expended.

8. GARDEN.

The Gardens have maintained their high standard of horticulture and the display of annuals and their artistic arrangement has been greatly appreciated by the public. More attention has been given to the state of the trees, many of which were unsightly or a source of danger to neighbouring buildings. Some were removed and from others branches were lopped off, by which timely action serious damage was averted as a few days subsequently a severe storm passed over Calcutta causing considerable damage. The Zoological Gardens fortunately came off lightly and the damage sustained was very slight.

CONCLUSION.

The Committee desire to express their thanks to the Corporation of Calcutta for their continued generosity in remitting the consolidated rates in respect of the Gardens.

The thanks of the Committee are also due to those ladies and gentlemen who have added to the Zoological collection by donations, a list of which is given in Appendix D. Thanks are also due to those who kindly offered to present animals to the Garden, but whose offers could not be accepted, either because the particular species of animals was already sufficiently well represented, or owing to want of accommodation.

The Committee also desire to express their thanks to various Railways and Steamer Companies for the conveyance of animals belonging to the Gardens free of charge.

S. C. BERRIDGE,
Honorary Secretary.

F. J. MONAHAN,
President.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

I HAVE the honor to submit the following report on the existing condition and the progress of the Zoological collection :—

The following comparative table shows how the various collection of specimens in the Garden has stood during the last four years :—

Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.	Year.	Mammals.	Birds.	Reptiles.
1913-14	... 378	1,659	223	1915-16	... 351	1,940	198
1914-15	... 334	1,893	246	1916-17	. 318	1,975	263

ACQUISITIONS.

Among other acquisitions the following deserve special notice :—

1 One-wattled cassowary (*Casuarus uniappendiculatus*), purchased.

1 Malayan tapir (*Tapirus indicus*), purchased.

2 Zebra-ass hybrids, presented by E. W. Harper, Esq.

1 Tiger (*Felis tigris*), presented by J. C Carrol, Esq.

2 Proboscis monkeys (*Semnopithecus Nasalis larvatus*), purchased.

1 Orang-utan (*Simia satyrus*), purchased.

1 Diana monkey (*Cercopithecus diana*), purchased.

2 Anoas (*Anoa depressicornis*), purchased.

2 Hoolock gibbons (*Hylobates hoolock*), purchased.

1 Hoolock gibbon (*Hylobates hoolock*) presented by Mrs. Curlender.

1 Serow (*Nemorhaedus bubalinus*), purchased.

2 Wild asses (*Equus onager*), purchased.

1 Siamang (*Hylobates syndactylus*), purchased.

2 White-handed gibbons (*Hylobates lar*), purchased.

1 Lynx (*Felis lynx*), purchased.

1 Tibet fox (*Vulpes alopex*), purchased.

1 Palas cat (*Felis manul*), purchased.

2 Barasingha deer (*Cervus duvaucelli*), born.

2 Gayals (bulls) (*Bos frontalis*), purchased.

1 Great kangaroo (*Macropus giganteus*), born.

2 Hoary-bellied Himalayan squirrels (*Sciurus lokroides*), born.

1 Golden cat (*dark variety*) (*Felis nigrescens*), presented by His Excellency the Governor

1 Elephant (*Elephas indicus*), presented by United Provinces Government.

1 Great Indian barbet (*Megalaema marshallorum*), presented by J. Caldwell, Esq.

1 Great Kangaroo (*Macropus giganteus*), born.

GENERAL CONDITION OF THE ANIMALS.

On the whole the health of the animals has been satisfactory and the death rate normal. There has been no outbreak of any epidemic during the year. The larger carnivores thrived extremely well, and there were no important casualties amongst them except the deaths of one Indian lion due to old age and a lion cub from rickets. The ruminants maintained excellent health as is evidenced by the birth rate amongst them. The birds were in splendid condition and the Himalayan birds stood the heat remarkably well. There were cases of illness and deaths amongst the delicate birds but these were unavoidable.

APPENDIX A.

I.—Comparative Statement of Receipts for 1915-16 and 1916-17.

	1915-16.			1916-17.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Opening balance	14,471	0	2	29,792	12	9
Interest	231	3	4	237	6	6
Donation and subscription	654	0	0	2,008	0	0
Entrance receipts	44,332	13	0	50,024	11	0
Rent	5,988	11	0	5,644	0	0
Carriage, rickshaw, elephant ride, etc.	867	10	0	982	10	0
Fishing	288	0	0	176	0	0
Picnic	175	0	0	175	0	0
Rhino urine	1,968	0	0	2,106	0	0
Miscellaneous receipts	6,631	4	8	4,005	3	0
Government contribution	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0
Total ...	95,607	10	2	1,15,151	11	3
Add—						
Receipts of 31st March 1915 which were included in 1915-16.	96	14	0	.....		
Receipts of 31st March 1916, which are included in 1916-17.	.....			125	4	0
Total ...	95,704	8	2	1,15,276	15	3
Deduct—						
Receipts of 31st March 1916, which are included in 1916-17.	125	4	0	.....		
Receipts of 31st March 1917, which will be included in 1917-18.	.....			87	5	0
GRAND TOTAL ...	95,579	4	2	1,15,189	10	3

II.—Comparative Statement of Expenditure for 1915-16 and 1916-17.

	1915-16.			1916-17.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Establishment	8,539	7	10	8,742	8	6
Food of animals	29,564	6	0	30,183	9	0
Purchase of animals	6,219	13	6	6,923	4	0
Transport of animals	869	12	6	981	5	9
Miscellaneous contingencies	5,488	2	1	8,895	6	5
Repairs of roads	1,500	0	0	2,566	14	6
„ of buildings	7,218	15	9	9,844	14	0
Original construction	3,939	13	9	20,408	5	0
Garden construction	2,446	0	0	5,481	13	6
Total ...	65,786	7	5	94,028	0	8
Closing balance ...	29,792	12	9	21,161	9	7
GRAND TOTAL ...	95,579	4	2	1,15,189	10	3

APPENDIX B.

Summary of Visitors and Gate receipts during 1916-17.

Month and year.			Number of visitors.	Receipts. Rs.	A.	Month and year.			Number of visitors.	Receipts. Rs.	A.
April	1916	...	89,518	3,180	10	November	1916	...	54,486	4,175	7
May	„	...	34,883	2,683	3	December	„	...	62,807	4,975	11
June	„	...	46,137	3,390	13	January	1917	...	62,862	4,636	12
July	„	...	44,251	3,609	8	February	„	...	47,953	3,543	10
August	„	...	57,730	4,105	14	March	„	...	45,590	3,500	14
September	„	...	54,922	3,981	1						
October	„	...	120,356	8,241	4		Total	...	671,495	50,024	11

APPENDIX C.

A list of free days showing free visitors during the year 1916-17.

17th April	1916	...	...	2,394
15th May	,,	...	...	2,610
19th June	,,	...	...	2,525
24th July	,,	...	...	2,355
28th August	,,	...	...	1,832
25th September	,,	...	...	2,905
23rd October	,,	...	...	1,111
27th November	1916	...	...	2,021
18th December	,,	...	...	3,514
15th January	1917	...	...	2,749
19th February	,,	...	..	2,446
19th March	,,	...	...	2,157
				28,619

APPENDIX D.

List of Donors, 1916-17.

A

Andamans, Deputy Conservator of Forests	1 Cobra, 2 Coral-billed pigeons.
Annandale, Dr. N. ...	1 Spotted deer, 1 Testudo elongata. 1 Gœemyda tricarinata.
Acharjya, Babu Salil Kumar.	2 Brahminy ducks.
Ariff, Begum S. E. ...	1 Leopard cub.

B

Basu, Babu Annada Charan.	1 Nilgai.
Bowers, Rev. A. C. ...	1 Python.
Banerji, Babu Jagadish Chandra.	1 Sloth bear cub.
Brown, Miss E R. ...	1 Jungle cat.

C

Coombs, Mr. G. O. ...	1 Wild dog.
Carrol, Mr. J. C. ...	1 Tiger.
Conserat, Miss ...	1 Indian antelope.
Curlender, Mrs. H. ...	1 Indian antelope. 1 Hoolock.
Caldwell, Mr. J. ...	1 Great Himalayan barbet.
Crosse, Master ...	1 Spotted deer.
Cossimbazar, Maharaja of	1 Leopard.

D

Dods, Mr. W. K. ...	7 Brown-winged Jacanas, 11 Pheasant-tailed Jacanas, 16 Common herons, 10 Purple coots, 3 White-breasted kingfishers, 1 Red-crested pochard, 1 Crested pochard, 13 Corn crakes, 2 Common foxes, 4 Indian rails, 7 Black-tailed waterhen, 2 White-tailed Sea-eagles, 1 Gargeny teal.

F

Fell, Mr. H. L. ...	1 Python, 1 Leopard.
Fawcett, Mr. R. W, ...	2 Himalayan bear cubs.

G

Girard, Mrs. ...	2 Marsh crocodiles.
Girard, Mr. R. G., F.R.H.S., I.S.O.	1 Brown-winged kingfisher.
Goode, Mr. S. W. ...	1 Sharpnosed crocodile.
Grant, Mr. N. ...	1 Jungle cat.
Gregory, Mr. G. M. ...	1 Indian antelope.

H

Harper, Mr. E. W. ...	2 Zebra-ass hybrids
Health Officer, Howrah	1 Hanuman.
Humphries, Mr. F. W.	1 Black-necked stork.

J

Johannes, Mr. A. ..	1 Slow loris.

K

Kemp, Mr. F. A. ...	1 Pair peacock pheasants.

L

Lal, Babu Radhakanta ...	1 Chameleon.
Lauder, Mrs. P. ...	2 White Java sparrows. 1 Blossom-headed parrakeet. 1 Paradise whydah.
Lumsden, Mr. W. M. ...	1 Gharial.
Longley, Mr. F. ...	1 Hyaena cub.

M

McMohan Museum ...	1 Wolf.
Master Madan ...	1 Porcupine.
Middleton, Mr. L. W. ...	5 Large Indian civets, 1 Rock-horned owl, 1 Brown hawk owl, 1 Purple coot, 1 Spotted tiger civet.
Mazumdar, Babu Nishi Kanto.	1 Python.
Mackenzie, Captain W.	1 Green monkey.
Morris, Mr. H. ...	1 Civet cat.

P

Perrego, Mr. T. G. ...	1 Peacock
Pitt, Mrs. ...	1 Otter.
Polwhele, Mr. J. A. ...	1 Leopard.
Patterson, Mr. A. L. ...	1 Python.
Parikud, Raja Bahadur of	3 Barheaded geese, Brahminy ducks, 1 Pin-tailed duck, 1 Gargeny teal, 1 Spotted-bill duck, 1 Wigeon.
Pratt, Miss ...	1 Hog deer.

R

Roberts, J. L ... 1 Otter.
Ray, Mr. S. K. ... 1 Ornamental snake.
Randell, Mr. ... 1 Green monkey.

S

Sharpe, Mr. P. A. ... 1 Slow loris.
Smith, Dr. S. H ... 1 Hanuman.
Sahazada Mahammud Behroz Shah. 1 Python

T

Travers, Mr. W. L ... 2 *Testudo elongata.*

W

Wordsworth, Mr. W ... 1 Nilgai.
White, Mr. E. .. 1 Cobra

Y

Yule, Sir David ... 1 Ring-necked parrakeet, 1 Canary, 18 Munias, 1 Bulbul

Z

Zorab, Mrs. L. R ... 1 Saras crane.
Zoological Survey of India, Director. 1 Emyda granosa, 1 Testudo elongata.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

1 Leopard cat, 1 Burrhal sheep. | 1 Golden cat, 2 Scorpions.

No. 13119P., dated Calcutta, the 18th October 1917.

From—J. D. V. HODGE, ESQ., I.C.S, Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal. Political Department,

To—The Honorary Secretary, Zoological Garden, Calcutta.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of the Report of the Honorary Committee for the management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, for the year 1916-17, forwarded with your letter No 41, dated the 8th October 1917, and to convey the thanks of the Governor in Council to the Committee for their management of the Garden during the year.

2. The acknowledgments of His Excellency in Council are due to the gentlemen named in Appendix D to the Report who presented the Garden with various animals during the year.

RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL REPORTS ON INLAND EMIGRATION UNDER THE ASSAM LABOUR AND EMIGRATION ACT, 1901, FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30th JUNE 1917.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

EMIGRATION.

DARJEELING, THE 18TH OCTOBER 1917.

RESOLUTION No. 645 T.-EM.

READ—

The reports on Inland Emigration under the Assam Labour and Emigration Act, 1901 (VI of 1901), for the year ending the 30th June 1917, submitted by the Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, and the District and Assistant Superintendents of Emigration.

The year 1916-17 was an uneventful one in the matter of emigration, and its principal feature was the great falling off in the number of emigrants despatched to Assam. Among the administrative measures of the year the most important was the prohibition of recruitment otherwise than in accordance with Chapter IV of Act VI of 1901, in the districts of the Dacca, Rajshahi and Chittagong Divisions. By this measure one of the loop-holes for evading the provisions of the Act was closed, as from the areas mentioned, where uncontrolled recruitment under section 92 of the Act was legally permissible, attempts had been made to pass on to Assam coolies who had been recruited in Chota Nagpur and elsewhere, on the pretext that they would be employed in the tea-gardens of the Duars and Chittagong.

The lists of medicines, medical stores and comforts prescribed for the use of emigrants during the river journey were revised.

2. One thousand six hundred and ten garden-sardars (including 357 sardarnis) were employed during the year in this Presidency as against 2,948 (including 603 sardarnis) in the year 1915-16 All garden sardars worked under the control of local agents. This seems to indicate that employers in Assam have now realised that their interests are best served by placing their sardars under the supervision of duly licensed local agents who are responsible for seeing that recruitment is carried on lawfully and on proper lines. Six local agents' lisenses were granted as against seven in the preceding year.

3. Recruiting operations were conducted in the districts of Bankura, Birbhum, Burdwan, Midnapore and Murshidabad. where 2,197 emigrants were recruited as against 10,876 in the previous year. There was no recruitment in the district of the 24-Parganas. The largest number of emigrants went from the districts of Midnapore, Bankura and Burdwan, viz., 1,159, 773 and 203, respectively. The number of criminal cases connected with recruitment amounted to four only as compared with nine in the preceding year. and the number of persons convicted was four as against ten in the year 1915-16.

4. The total number of emigrants recruited in Madras, the United Provinces. the Central Provinces, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa who embarked at Goalundo during the year under report was 89,990 as compared with 94,057 in the previous year. The decrease may be attributed partly to the despatch of an unusually large number of emigrants in 1915-16, and partly to the effects of the war on business generally.

5. The places of accommodation and rest-houses for emigrants were duly inspected and kept in proper sanitary condition, while the arrangements for the transport of emigrants were satisfactory. Seventeen deaths were

reported among emigrants during transit to Goalundo, and among the 30,022 emigrants who arrived at that station there were nine deaths. There was no death during the steamer journey to Chandpur among the 8,971 emigrants who embarked for the Surma valley districts, but of the 21,019 emigrants who embarked for the Brahmaputra valley, 14 died during the voyage.

6. Eight emigrants who refused to embark were released under the orders of the Subdivisional Officer, Goalundo, five were rejected as physically unfit to labour in tea estates, and fifty-five were repatriated through Goalundo.

7. In connection with the transport of labour to Assam receipts fell to Rs. 1,682 from Rs. 2,805 in the preceding year, while expenditure rose to Rs. 23,964 from Rs. 23,519 in the year 1915-16.

8. Dr. C. Banks held the office of Superintendent of Emigration, Calcutta, up to the 17th April 1917, when he proceeded on furlough preparatory to retirement. The Governor in Council desires to place on record his high appreciation of the valuable service that Dr. Banks has rendered in connection with the recruitment of labour for Assam. The thanks of the Governor in Council are also due to Dr. Hossack, who has succeeded Dr. Banks, for his report, and to the local officers for their assistance in the administration of the Act.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 22nd October 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report light to moderate rain fell in many places of the Province. The weather has helped the sowings of the spring crops and has also been favourable to the winter rice crop, the condition and prospects of which continue to be very satisfactory. There is practically no jute yet standing in the fields but steeping and washing are still going on. Cattle-disease is reported from eight districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about 0·4 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0·11	8½	8⅝	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy continue in Barrackpore subdivision. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·22	9 1/16	9 1/16	
	Barrackpore	0·59	8	8	
	Barasat ...	1·65	8½	8½	
	Basirhat ...	0·39	9	9	
2	NADIA ...	2·45	9½	9⅝	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	1·34	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	3·27	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	1·34	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	0·19	10	9	
3	MURSHIDABAD	0·45	11	10	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	0·04	10	10	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	0·30	11½	11½	
4	JESSORE ..	1·79	9	9	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute is still going on in places. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Jhenidah ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
	Magura ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
5	KHULNA ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	Report not received.
	Satkhira ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Bagerhat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8½	
6	BURDWAN ...	0·76	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* is going on. *Aman* paddy is doing well. Sugarcane has suffered owing to heavy rain. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from Asansol subdivision. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from one village in thana Jamalpur. About Rs. 1,000 has been distributed as gratuitous relief in the flood-stricken areas.
	Asansol ...	0·18	10	10	
	Katwa ...	1·58	10½	10¾	
	Kalna ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10¼	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
7	BIRBHUM ...	1·18	11½	11½	Weather cloudy. *Aus* paddy is being harvested. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	0·20	11½	11½	
8	BÁNKURA ...	0·27	14(new) 11(old)	14(new) 11(old)	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy and *kelas* continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Simlapal and Taldangra. Prospects of winter paddy are good barring some damage by *bhepu* pest.
	Vishnupur ...	0·46	14(new) 11(old)	14(new) 11(old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·63	9 1/16	9 1/16	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Prospects of winter rice are good.
	Ghatal ...	1·03	10	9⅞	
	Tamluk ...	0·57	10 5/16	9 3/16	
	Contai ...	0·25	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	0·68	9	9½	Weather seasonable. Weeding of winter paddy is still going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	0·09	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	0·05	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are favourable except in the flooded area in the Singti and Amta police-stations. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	0·19	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping of jute continues. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	1·30	9½	(*n*)	
	Nator ...	0·52	7½	(*n*)	
13	DINAJPUR ...	0·64	8⅞	8⅞	Weather seasonable and favourable for the growth of winter rice and for the preparation of lands for *rabi* crops. Steeping and washing of jute are in progress. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Patnitola.
	Thakurgaon	(*n*)	(*n*)	9½	
	Balurghat ...	1·62	10	9	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *haimanti* paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	0·35	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Harvesting of potatoes, cardamom, *marua* and maize is in progress. Winter rice and millets are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	0·97	8	8	Weather seasonable. Slight damage is done to the standing crops on low lands only by the recent flood. Harvesting of jute continues. Lands are being ploughed for *rabi* crops. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	(*n*)	
	Kurigram ...	0·14	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	0·60	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	1·27	9½	9½	Weather is cloudy. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	0·28	(*n*)	7½	Weather hot during day but somewhat cool late at night. Harvesting of jute is over. The water of the Ganges is going down. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	1·58	(*n*)	8	
19	MALDA ...	2·11	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Resowing of *kalai* in the *diara* continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	0·39	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Lands are being prepared for wheat, mustard and tobacco. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the Sadar and Mathabhanga subdivisions.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather hot and favourable to the growth of *aman* paddy. Prospects of the standing crops are good. Transplantation of *roa* paddy is finished. Sowing of *kalai* and sweet potato is in progress. Harvesting of jute is almost finished. Price of rice is steady. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Narayanganj	Nil	(*n*)	8½	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	8	(*n*)	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	0·03	7 3/16	7 3/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is over. Winter paddy is doing well. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	0·73	8	(n)	
	Tangail ...	0·12	8 1/8	8 1/8	
	Netrakona ...	0·02	7 9/16	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8	8	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	0·30	10	10	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gopalganj† ...	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	(n)	7 1/4	7 1/4	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from parts of the Bholá subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	0·43	7 1/2	7 1/2	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	7 1/2	7 1/2	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7 1/2	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	9 1/2	9 1/2	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 7 and 6 1/2 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10	10	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	8 1/2	9 1/2	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported except from some villages in Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	9 3/8	9 3/8	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	8 1/2	8 1/2	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is reported from Sudharam thana. Salt is selling at 6 1/2 seers per rupee (retail).
	Feni ...	(n)	(n)	10	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(n) Not reported.

D. N. MOOKERJI.

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 23rd October 1917.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 13th October 1917.

Date.	Time	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
7th Oct 1917	At low tide.	64·7	Not connected with mean sea-level.	64·4	Top of the setting tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
8th " "	Ditto	64·5		64·7	
9th " "	Ditto	64·3		64·0	
10th " "	Ditto	64·0		64·0	
11th " "	Ditto	64·0		63·8	
12th " "	Ditto	64·0		63·7	
13th " "	Ditto	64·0		63·6	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
31st "	1912	67·16	
26th "	1914	66·7	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th "	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 17th October 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 13th October 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero : *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 61·00 and from 12-10-1917 R. L. of zero = 56·00.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
7th Oct. 1917	8 A M	1·40	62·40	60 00	R. L. of gauge post is 61·00 and from 12-10-1917.
8th " "	7 "	1·10	62·10	60 40	
9th " "	7 "	·80	61·80	60·50	L. R. of gauge post is 56·00.
10th " "	7 "	·50	61·50	60 60	B. M. on College step 69·74.
11th " "	7 "	·30	61·30	60·90	
12th " "	8 "	4·50	60·50	60 80	
13th " "	8 "	4·00	60 00	60·60	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916
Ditto	... Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	... Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890
Do ...	... Lowest "	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	38 13 on 14th-15th April 1883
Do. ..	... Ditto "	...	39 02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 13th October 1917.

M. S. SEN GUPTA,
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Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 13th October 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
7th Oct. 1917	7 A.M.	21·2	21·2	20·8	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
8th " "	7 "	21·0	21 0	20·7	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
9th " "	7 "	20·9	20·9	20 6	
10th " "	7 "	20·9	20·9	20·8	
11th " "	7 "	20·9	20·9	- 21·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
12th " "	7 "	20·9	20 9	21·1	
13th " "	7 "	20·4	20 4	21·2	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 24·4 on 1st August 1916
Ditto	...	Lowest "	... 1·8 on 16th February 1916
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest "	... 25 75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	... 25 66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only)		Ditto "	... 25 66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest "	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	...	Ditto "	... 2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	.. ...	Ditto "	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 14th October 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 13th October 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 14th October 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	218	19,515	277	172	21,797	283
Jute	223	64,853*	808	305	114,118†	1,341
Firewood	57	27,225	422	33	18,100	293
Other articles ...	804	126,545	1,607	941	171,284	2,033
Total ...	1,302	238,138	3,114	1,451	325,299	3,950
Empty boats and rafts ...	652	...	1,019	684	...	795
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,954	238,138	4.133	2,135	325.299	4,745

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 71,012½
† Ditto ditto 136,625

CALCUTTA,
The 20th October 1917.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA.

CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to August, 1917, by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the District Magistrates of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta by rail, river, canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during April to August, 1917, amounted to 3,977,000 maunds as against 6,795.000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year—a decline of 41 per cent. There was a decrease (22 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (35,864,000 maunds as against 46,140,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece goods showed a decrease of 5 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 1,70,80,000 as against Rs. 1,80,60,000 in 1916. The imports of raw jute amounted to 1,011,000 bales as against 945,000 bales—an increase of 7 per cent. The importations of gunny bags also showed an increase of 21 million bags or 13 per cent (186 million bags as against 165 millions in the preceding year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) decreased by 50 per cent (2,260,000 maunds as against 4,499,000 maunds). There were slight increases in the imports of sugar and tea. The former rose by 6 per cent (294,000 maunds as against 276,000 maunds), and the latter by 3 per cent (1,019,000 maunds as against 984,000 maunds).

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece goods, foreign, from Calcutta by all routes during April to August, 1917, increased by 12 per cent (Rs. 9,46,90,000 as against Rs. 8,43,44.000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding exports by sea to foreign countries) increased from 40 million bags to 41½ million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports decreased by 1,314,000 in number in the period under review (9,269,000 as against 10,583,000). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 2,531,000 maunds to 2,426.000 maunds.

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* The Calcutta Block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected Articles for the five months of April to August 1917, compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
	BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE) (a)		BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE)	
	April to August 1917	April to August 1916	April to August 1917	April to August 1916
Food-grains—				
Rice ... ... Mds	3,594,309	6,064,842	5,964	29,387
Paddy ... ... ,,	723,506	1,168,927	.....	.....
Total (in rice) (b) ... ... ,,	3,976,700	6,795,422	5,964	29,387
Wheat ... ... ,,	5,368,991	2,285,590	22,159	56,578
Wheat flour ... ... ,,	100,696	107,704	117,171 (c)	93,802 (c)
Gram and pulse ... ... ,,	2,466,980	2,922,708	187,945	189,955
Other food-grains ... ... ,,	236,248	289,346	15,217	14,392
Total food-grains ... ... ,,	12,149,615	11,700,770	348,456	384,109
Coal and coke ... ... ,,	35,864,314	46,135,854	9,089,459	10,655,683
Cotton, raw ... ...Bales	89,032	70,468	25,972	42,968
,, twist and yarn, Indian ... ... Mds	205,413	167,374	52,075	29,778
,, piece goods, Indian ... ... Rs	1,70,80,373	1,80,50,877	17,45,113	4,86,194
Indigo ... ... Mds	1,533	1,916	13,374	5,700
Jute, raw ... ...Bales	1,010,860	945,382	579,997	521,039
,, gunny bags ... ... No.	186,168,889	165,437,585	9,969,483 (a)	10,585,412 (c)
Lac ... ... Mds	268,705	245,875	166,440	284,642
Oilseeds—Linseed ... ... ,,	719,712	2,534,865	374,007	1,726,186
,, —Rape and mustard ... ... ,,	1,544,727	2,174,387	107,043	3,051
Silk, raw ... ... ,,	1,626	2,026	1,479	2,565
Sugar—Refined ... ... ,,	122,214	65,376	1,955	6,505
,, —Unrefined ... ... ,,	171,971	210,544	990	7,795
Tea (Indian) ... ... ,,	1,019,071	983,689	7,386 (c)	7,213 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured ... ... ,,	394,970	493,388	92,645	77,366
,, manufactured ... ... ,,	26,609	35,225	2,502	1,931

	IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
	BY SEA (FOREIGN AND COASTWISE) (d)		BY RAIL, ROAD, RIVER, CANAL AND SEA (COASTWISE)	
	April to August 1917	April to August 1916	April to August 1917	April to August 1916
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign ... ... Mds	32,640	45,768	79,274	83,324
,, ,, —Indian ... ... ,,	1,073	12,564	177,018	166,278
Cotton piece goods—Foreign ... ... Rs	10,31,59,379	9,66,54,838	9,48,99,098	8,43,44,506
,, ,, ,, —Indian ... ... ,,	73,789	51,434	91,41,115	81,05,071
Kerosene oil (e) ... ... Mds	2,230,756	2,471,883	2,425,845	2,550,628
Salt ... ... ,,	2,844,718	4,564,192	2,826,067	4,299,440
Gunny bags ... ... No	.....	.....	41,599,307	40,228,854

(a) The imports by sea are imports from other Indian ports only, exclusive of foreign imports.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea (coastwise) only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	47,765	333,557	256,288	1,934	2,774	14,749	139	275,754	13,648,729	12	1	.....
Birbhum	342,068	34,340	368,931	5,962	10	1,386	.....	370,889	.....	22	24	.....
Bankura	2,581	3,616	4,841	424	8	355	.....	5,628	.....	3	376	5,406
Midnapur	389,407	23,369	404,013	.....	28	2,023	24	406,088	1,441	37	166	10,741
Hooghly	268,511	104,960	314,123	89	171	9,388	44	323,815	14,817	1,541	37,018	3,90,386
24-Parganas	745,074	81,737	798,160	101	.....	6,000	.....	803,261	28,831	420	42,497	3,21,800
Nadia	39,650	1,141	40,363	34,194	.....	409,775	3,998	487,260	.....	425	268	33,374
Murshidabad	44,994	28	45,011	111,021	24	119 973	1,190	277,319	.....	18	34	477
Jessore	5,737	.....	5,737	2,125	.....	101,906	12,897	122,665	.....	732	.....	.....
Khulna	1,676	51,695	33,985	415	.....	8,331	943	43,664	.....	152	4	2,435
Rajshahi	77	.....	77	87	.....	750	499	1,413	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dinajpur	492	10,349	6,960	.....	.....	.....	87	7,047	.....	3	.....	265
Jalpaiguri	426	116	499	.....	.....	.....	.....	499	.....	.....	.....	424
Darjeeling	18	101	81	.....	.....	13	.....	94	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3,977	306	4,168	.....	.....	59	.....	4,227	.....	1,309	6	.....
Bogra	304	3,699	2,615	4	2	384	.....	3,005	.....	1	10	265
Pabna	453	.....	453	23,553	12	1,937	.....	25,955	.....	3	9	584
Malda	322	.....	322	33,149	1,014	1,507	.....	36,492	.....	.....	4	.....
Cooch Behar	20	99	82	.....	.....	588	403	1,073	.....	1	.....	.....
Dacca	23	153	119	39	88	1,964	.....	2,210	.....	6,713	.....	3,769
Mymensingh	440	317	638	.....	.....	869	.....	1,507	.....	97	24	3,198
Faridpur	46	.....	46	28,539	102	33,904	.....	62,501	.....	855	174	939
Bakarganj	107,134	48	107,184	.....	8	70	167	107,409	.....	5	64	473
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	109	1,700	1,172	.....	2	1	155	1,330	.....	2	.....	.....
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	11	237
Chittagong	6	.....	6	.....	55	321	.....	382	.....	10,269	.....	7,769
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	368	24	1,913
Total of Bengal ...	1,981,310	651,351	2,388,404	241,556	4,798	716,243	19,476	3,370,477	13,693,518	22,892	80,714	7,80,495
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES												
Bihar and Orissa ...	252,020	62,785	291,261	1,128,515	3,286	696,922	103,226	2,223,210	22,170,496	940	1,000	24,067
Assam	105	56	140	59	4	459	.....	662	.....	1,295	174	5,610
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,270	.....	5,270	2,805,620	64,949	936,172	10,404	3,822,415	.....	5,867	8,815	1,90,925
Punjab	6,640	.....	6,640	14,795	26,411	3,082	4,762	55,690	.....	1,346	120	6,790
Sind and British Baluchistan.	4	.....	4	.....	.....	25	.....	29	.....	.....	12	.....
Central Provinces and Berar.	27,401	2,537	28,749	1,088,506	972	62,287	1,952	1,182,466	.....	8,803	16,308	9,39,359
Bombay	29,436	.....	29,436	1,944	5	15	1	31,401	.....	17,446	67,624	1,44,93,020
Madras	19,940	396	20,187	795	244	2,204	942	24,372	.....	16,516	21,962	2,71,150
Burma	1,200,177	6,281	1,204,103	.....	.....	19,965	93,601	1,317,669	.....	6,739	.....	.....
Rajputana and Central India.	2,440	.....	2,440	137,201	27	26 280	1,884	167,782	.....	188	1,108	2,20,359
Nizam's Territory ...	66	.....	66	.....	.....	3,376	.....	3,442	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,494	74,749
GRAND TOTAL 1917	3,524,509	733,508	3,976,700	5,368,991	100,696	2,466,980	236,248	12,149,615	35,864,314	82,032	204,240	1,70,06,484
GRAND TOTAL 1916	6,064,843	1,168,927	6,795,422	2,285,590	107,704	2,222,708	289,346	11,700,770	46,139,854	70,468	154,810	1,80,08,443
GRAND TOTAL 1915	10,692,243	2,838,164	12,466,095	3,684,046	124,745	2,310,970	368,902	18,954,758	45,049,492	81,051	164,770	67,53,583

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise)
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the five months of April to August, 1917.

Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea, Indian	TOBACCO		Whence imported
	Raw(d)	Gunny-bags(e)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Un-refined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL.
.....	102	68,842	68	1,177	1,592	4	.....	1,372	3	26	.....	Burdwan
.....	.....	26,896	517	524	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	....	.....	Birbhum
.....	.....	19,270	77	.....	377	.....	.....	11	.....	131	53	Bankura
.....	334	103,880	93	3,595	.....	28	.....	23,542	17	37	29	Midnapur
.....	6,752	58,016,160	19	1,217	560	5	23	27,202	.....	3,676	3,868	Hooghly
.....	41,779	135,566,125	.....	694	.....	.....	6,322	31,623	.....	2,573	4,597	24-Parganas
.....	6,053	195,218	.....	36,038	442	43	68	6,858	.....	6,937	145	Nadia
.....	9,185	23,165	1,050	15,951	271	1,167	30	40	.....	82	.....	Murshidabad
.....	7,524	61,377	.....	1,443	.....	.....	.....	33,130	.....	1,110	2	Jessore
.....	9,814	12,646	.....	1,675	.....	.....	100	10,560	.....	240	.....	Khulna
.....	36,249	1,927	.....	1,640	58	21	.....	.....	.....	22	4	Rajshahi
.....	10,015	142,762	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,504	.....	Dinajpur
.....	18,471	40,672	.....	3	987	.....	.....	.....	361,246	25,989	.....	Jalpaiguri
.....	418	556	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	117,598	.....	.....	Darjeeling
.....	152,451	86,838	.....	59	589	.....	2	11	4,544	90,568	2	Rangpur
.....	56,895	10,496	.....	196	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bogra
.....	87,931	8,056	.....	2,930	4,861	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Pabna
.....	4,040	1,476	.....	1,723	2,410	151	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Malda
.....	19,883	328	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,315	29,545	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	179,107	39,165	.....	1,093	43	.....	20	460	.....	.....	3	Dacca
.....	128,142	18,327	.....	2,569	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	450	.....	Mymensingh
.....	104,766	27,019	.....	750	196	.....	.....	650	.....	.....	6	Faridpur
.....	4,206	13,571	.....	570	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	1	Bakarganj
.....	18,111	63,755	.....	4,133	.....	.....	.....	.....	804	11	.....	Tippera including Hill Tippera
.....	248	861	.....	1,946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Noakhali
.....	28	15,047	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,251	.....	4	Chittagong
.....	.....	3,198	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	902,490	185,467,603	1,824	79,926	12,406	1,419	6,576	135,489	493,910	177,910	8,717	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
1,107	76,989	168,974	151,867	508,497	72,284	10	1,379	17,161	1,352	108,769	13,107	Bihar and Orissa
.....	31,372	310,411	5,523	16,765	66,767	60	65	507	519,453	1,164	13	Assam
375	.....	45,592	75,891	107,779	746,087	.....	1,619	5,147	143	316	308	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	2,542	.....	.....	310,071	7	1	.....	123	18	2	Punjab
.....	.....	451	.....	.....	29,075	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.....	68,880	15,790	1,188	105,807	.....	.....	.....	6	585	68	Central Provinces and Berar
.....	.....	2,419	.....	.....	5,750	124	1,729	1	33	10,329	266	Bombay
50	.....	30,258	1,683	103	37,728	6	78,758	9,123	3,930	88,960	318	Madras
1	.....	6,850	5,400	.....	.....	.....	32,087	4,571	115	6,721	1,092	Burma
.....	.....	4,879	5,794	1,454	154,782	.....	.....	2	6	195	.....	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,735	Mysore
1,533	1,010,860(f)	186,108,859	262,705	2,715,712	1,544,737	1,626	122,214	171,971	1,019,071	394,970	26,669	1917
1,916	945,382	165,437,585	245,875	2,324,865	2,174,387	2,026	65,376	210,544	983,630	493,388	36,325	1916 GRAND TOTAL
628	2,016,925	133,985,623	251,849	1,721,178	1,542,249	1,837	67,218	196,350	1,219,744	304,152	35,976	1915

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 994,379 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 16,706 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth 2 yards = 1 bag
(f) Of this, 613,721 bales came by rail, 376,100 bales by river, 15,055 bales by road, and 5,984 bales by sea

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August 1917.

Routes		Food-grains: Rice	Food-grains: Paddy (a)	Food-grains: Wheat	Food-grains: Wheat flour	Food-grains: Gram and pulse	Food-grains: Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Its	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	418,873	432,769	4,074,979	95,661	1,640,819	106,095	35,862,900	9,283	9,451	4,50,403	1,985
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	371,914	80,865	164,865	2,185	490,443	14,284	3,017,477	1,428	58,502	71,98,143	197
	A.-B Railway..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	41	117	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway..>	333,704	40,140	1,062,154	668	78,065	2,841	7,447,368	31,750	87,768	86,20,057	.....
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	434	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	516	1 066	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	7	15,069	.....
,, river steamer		96,830	3,879	25,723	1,983	42,842	15,709	.....	11,904	361	23,789	.....
,, boat		680,425	135,324	40,270	199	249,389	796	250	10,362	37,528	2,65,200	.....
,, road		379,926	15,551	.....	.....	5,441	2,928	36,419	358	15,606	4,34,306	.....
,, sea		1,242,319	13,919	.....	.....	19 972	93,602	.....	16,876	.....	.....	51
Total ...	1917 ...	3,524,509	732,506	5,368,991	100,696	2,466,960	236,248	35,864,314	83,032	204,340	1,70,06,484	1,533
	1916 ...	6,064,843	1,168,927	2,285,590	107,704	2,222,708	269,346	46,139,854	70 468	184,810	1,80,08,448	1,916
	1915 ...	10,692,243	2,838,164	3,684,048	124,745	2,310,970	368,902	45,049,493	81,051	184,770	67,33,583	616

Routes		Jute: Raw(d)	Jute: Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Oilseeds: Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Sugar: Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Tobacco: Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	25,094	239,113	117,654	617,581	1,336,979	641	1,025	20,942	539	62,630	7,179
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	586,440	1,803,962	14,099	56,049	14,202	869	162	30,672	499,410	271,883	174
	A.-B. Railway ..	34	111,271	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87,369	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	2,100	256,947	134,816	4,856	125,856	105	31,169	13,778	5,092	30,900	3,409
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	1,763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	91,326	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	55	27,429	.....	24	.....	.....	1	16	.....	22	12
,, river steamer		316,458	397,782	1,404	21,705	56,866	466	1,295	1,257	334,817	2,931	6,150
,, boat		99,647	181,162,888	.....	14,876	804	.....	354	70,380	.....	14,974	120
,, road		15,055	2,092,847	.....	401	.....	.....	6,122	34,077	.....	3,902	8,311
,, sea		5,984	14,856	5,676	218	...	25	82,085	849	118	6,738	1,264
Total ...	1917 ...	1,010,860	186,109,859	263,705	715,712	1,544,737	1,626	122,214	171,971	1,019,071	394,970	26,609
	1916 ...	945,382	165,437,585	245,875	2,324,865	2,174,387	2,026	65,376	210,544	983,639	493,284	25,226
	1915 ...	2,016,926	133,985,625	251,549	1 721,178	1,542,249	1,857	67,318	196,350	1,319,744	304,152	25,976

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block, which are 994,379 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 16,706 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coastwise) in the five months of April to August 1917

		Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries* ...		32,405	.....	10,30,57,970	.....	360,006	2,723,622
Coastwise–							
From British Ports in							
Bihar and Orissa ...		.....	27	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay ...		.....	1,021	15,002	66,021	.....	10,084
Madras ...		...	.....	...	...	...	101,618
Burma ...		385	25	93,401	7,768	1,870,750	..
	Total ...	385	1,073	1,01,403	73,789	1,870,750	111,696
GRAND TOTAL ...	1917 ...	32,640	1,073	10,31,59,379	73,789	2,230,756	2,844,718
	1916 ...	45,768	12,564	9,66,54,888	51,484	2,471,883	4,564,192
	1915 ...	63,589	17,097	9,09,50,018	2,35,655	2,465,503	6,175,005

Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the five months of April to August, 1917.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	96	.....	96	.....	35	39	4	174	... ..	1	490	740
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	867	.. ..	894	14,619	.....	1,240	.....
Bombay ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	.....	.....	.....	263	13	46,127	.....	46,403	313,328	.....	729	25,500
Burma	5,868	.....	5,868	21,896	117,097	140,912	15,213	300,986	2,915,290	425	29,860	16,64,392
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,657	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	5,964	.....	5,964	22,159	117,171	187,945	15,217	348,456	4,300,894	426	32,319	16,90,632
To Foreign countries †	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,761,575	25,546	19,756	54,481
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	5,964‡	.....‡	5,964‡	22,159‡	117,171‡	187,945‡	15,217‡	348,456‡	9,062,469	25,972	52,075	17,45,113
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	29,387	.....	29,387	56,573	93,802	189,955	14,392	384,109	15,855,683	42,268	39,778	4,86,194
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	110,928	6,933	115,261	67,530	113,547	198,020	14,547	507,705	19,546,890	49,562	46,282	5,10,184

	Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea (Indian)	TOBACCO	
		Raw	Gunny bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	...	.....	476	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	1,008	212	4	288	4
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	18,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	899	.....	.....	364	98
Bombay ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	...	.....	272	.....	....
Madras ...	...	.....	602,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	490	.....	.....
Burma ...	...	50	8,643,857	29	8	554	54	458	776	6,590	91,993	2,406
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	...	.....	4,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	...	50	9,269,483	29	8	554	54	1,955	990	7,356	92,645	2,508
To Foreign countries †	12,374	372,177	.....	166,411	374,899	103,489	1,425	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	12,374	372,227	9,269,483‡	166,440	374,907	107,043	1,479	1,955‡	990‡	7,356‡	92,645‡	2,508‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	5,700	521,039	10,583,413	284,842	1,728,186	3,051	2,566	6,505	7,795	7,213	77,466	1,921
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	1,995	840,908	18,028,645	252,015	1,459,389	1,540	1,555	9,540	4,258	6,152	78,946	3,292

* Including gunny cloth. 2 yards = 1 bag
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny-bags, sugar, tea and tobacco, as also of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued
‡ Represents trade by sea—coastwise only

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal and Sea (coastwise) in the five months of April to August, 1917.

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
Bengal	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	196	4,315	19,00,582	83,651	528,074	20,200	56,687	75,796
Birbhum	76	5,055	7,03,968	33,072	284,787	87	21,224	44,706
Bankura	490	2,984	3,40,7e5	956	2,091	110	.....	13,216
Midnapur	5,031	7,161	10,75,696	1,12,895	79,643	911	44,279	115,260
Hooghly	1,739	7,224	7,34,189	1,17,023	235,139	24,859	76,237	79,595
24-Parganas	1,401	9,003	6,03,898	2,71,963	449,172	52,861	94,768	102,237
Nadia	1,690	11,647	22,11,070	1,72,915	264 016	1,407	43,732	113,863
Murshidabad	360	4,552	14,81 812	24,419	189 975	2,339	52,836	131,442
Jessore	1,606	4,376	11,78,591	1,24,640	33,421	5,826	28,700	79,433
Khulna	1,736	943	7,05,435	99,035	27,675	16,471	44,610	67,398
Rajshahi	27	522	9,54,144	1,59,182	31,734	4,622	9,786	42,143
Dinajpur	57	811	8,41,526	89,199	113,078	387	30,566	58,996
Jalpaiguri	103	1,141	9,13 573	84,986	79,581	6,680	27,793	45,812
Darjeeling	12	1,357	6,05,113	64 408	20,151	169	17,162	33,843
Rangpur	280	731	29,58,616	1,93,513	86,100	5,302	82,685	144,074
Bogra	540	656	14,86,784	2,81,485	24,067	106	29,968	75,716
Pabna	2,322	4,975	17,89,947	2,25,194	49,487	559	83,787	113,842
Malda	26	3,473	10,75,037	98,023	61,320	4	1,820	32,260
Cooch Behar	.....	346	6,79,013	34,007	31,734	1,056	12,843	25,185
Dacca	9,947	11 461	37,07,456	2,49,289	77,777	375	199,997	203,557
Mymensingh	3,495	2,911	10,11,051	11,70,629	26,527	233	39,898	131,812
Faridpur	6,937	1,073	11,07,560	1,46,923	103,623	5,007	40,149	125,122
Bakarganj	10,815	160	7,54,664	3,78,470	175,439	1,133	28,331	94,922
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	1,852	5,611	14,57,300	16,146	37,802	358	500	44,993
Noakhali	2,386	2,155	4,98,548	1,07,973	26,281	2	.....	419
Chittagong	2,555	398	2,43,409	55,606	53,833	454	.....	4,281
Chittagong Port	375	62,636	5,28,590	49,649	1,640	5	.....	31
Total of Bengal	56,232	83,505	3,16,65,814	44,50,253	3,074,307	181,022	1,068,103	1,999,853
Other Provinces and Places								
Bihar and Orissa	4,115	48,251	2,39,71,975	14,46,380	3,852,032	8,209	567,878	605,076
Assam	6,647	5,554	53,51,997	7,95,134	321,643	8,089	19,385	216,040
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	756	871	1,59,31,498	5,55,471	4,108,282	1,423	534,950	2,998
Punjab	3,944	1,159	1,10,48,772	25,625	5,559,149	95	37,397	25
Sind and British Baluchistan	33	.....	1 49,927	.....	1,980,300	.....	699	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	217	675	4,94,609	25,861	1,780,179	901	11,222	1,310
Bombay	1,627	444	37,98,002	4,910	7,354,252	.....	.....	.....
Madras	5,152	6,152	6,72,047	1,32,479	3,557,931	532	.....	452
Burma	79	29,860	9,54,741	16,54,392	8,643,857	.....	.....	62
Rajputana and Central India	45	27	4,58,534	33,251	1,005,566	836	15,310	...
Nizam's Territory	327	.....	2,65,692	5,619	115,702	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	...	.....	.....	171,491	.....	.....	250
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	490	8,790	740	476	.....	94	1
Grand Total 1917	79,274	177,018	9,46,90,098	91,41,115	41,529,307	170,807	2,255,038	2,826,067
Grand Total 1916	83,334	166,278	8,43,44,806	81,05,971	40 228,654	212,975	2,317,851	4,299,440
Grand Total 1915	117,815	165,458	7,58,42,690	59,96,638	37,721,703	266,572	2,194,872	4,367,018

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of Kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta in the five months of April to August, 1917, were 365,960 mds. as against 421,220 mds and 444,880 mds in the corresponding periods of 1916 and 1915, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the five months of April to August, 1917.

Route		COTTON TWIST AND YARN		COTTON PIECE-GOODS*		Gunny-bags†	KEROSENE OIL		Salt
		Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge Budge	
		Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	3,606	29,972	2,05,74,103	8,41,673	5,585,389	25,878	874,947	305,878
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway).	2,092	39,190	1,88,60,577	21 05,133	1,283,710	17,566	451,939	940,738
	A.-B Railway ...	1,820	10,009	31.92,701	1,30,886	26,008	1,945	212	43,139
	B.-N. Railway ...	2,197	34,129	28,12 364	1,64,913	1,646,478	5,184	7,138	267,316
	B. and N.-W. Railway	194	2,772	1,51,67,664	5,66,047	1,677,269	716	359,009	62,997
	O. and R. Railway ...	362	184	27,52,188	1,04,566	1,186,876	577	216,198	961
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sealdahs Light Railways	936	... ...	2,75,462	.....	14,022	3,538	.....	9,288
	N.-W Railway ..	1,736	1,147	18,89,522	24,530	6,964,913	95	14,327	.....
	G. I P. Railway ...	1,077	297	42.63 777	21,219	7,917,089	1	2,916	1
	B. B. & C. I. Railway	81	187	2,94,143	1,325	916,760	85	3,685	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway ...	4,023	1,860	4,79,309	49,679	2,667,870	.....	.....	472
	S. I. Railway ...	...	244	8,106	664	241,079	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway ..	2	...	91,317	159	12,259	10	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway ...	327	...	3,44,690	5,619	77,385	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways ...	31	18	1,61,335	45,910	103,436	1,461	16,802	10,288
,, river steamer		52,389	24,304	1,70,43,081	29.53 301	1,367,901	12,672	416,181	994,284
,, boat		6,163	269	4.78,800	1,05,800	101,420	39 410	172,096	410,644
,, road		762	224	6.31,088	3,36,759	375,696	62,669	3,536	66,120
,, sea		1,036	32,319	9,68,875	16,90,633	9,269,483	.....	7,154	9,236
Total ...	1917 ...	79,274	177,018	9,46,90,098	91,41,115	41,529,807	170,807	2,255,038	2,836,067
	1916 ...	83,324	166,270	8,43,44,506	81,05,971	40,228,554	212,975	2,317,651	4,298,440
	1915 ...	117,815	164,4.5	7,58,42,690	59,26,638	37,721,703	266,572	2,194,872	4,367,013

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

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WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. (e)			
Total Traffic for the first 13 days	1,025,260	5,38,700 0 0	3,622,020 0	5,87,860 0 0	57,530 0 0	11,84,090 0 0	148,761	(d) 99,617	248,378
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 353	(a) 185 0 0	1,238 0	201 0 0	(c) 15 0 0	(c)400 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	1,025,260	5,38,700 0 0	3,622,020 0	5,87,860 0 0	57,530 0 0	11,84,090 0 0	148,761	99,617	248,378
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	1,190,752	5,25,415 0 0	5,433,472 0	9,07,791 0 0	90,018 0 0	15,28,224 0 0	184,773	122,983	307,756
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 410	(b) 181 0 0	1,797 0	300 0 0	25 0 0	499 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	1,190,752	5,25,415 0 0	5,433,472 0	9,07,791 0 0	90,018 0 0	15,28,224 0 0	184,773	122,983	307,756

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings Rs. 12,350.
(d) Including ballast train-miles, 16,816.
(e) Decrease is chiefly due to jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	126,570	37,170 0 0	223,010 0	11,780 0 0	5,970 0 0	54,920 0 0	8,341	(b) 8,475	16,816
Per mile of railway per week	588	172 0 0	1,036 0	55 0 0	(a) 27 0 0	(a)299 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year (c).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	126 570	37,170 0 0	223,310 0	11,780 0 0	5,970 0 0	54,920 0 0	8,341	8,475	16,816
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	121,810	34,075 0 0	283,331 0	14,416 0 0	5,238 0 0	53,729 0 0	13,002	4,370	17,372
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	565	158 0 0	1,315 0	67 0 0	2 0 0	227 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	121,810	34,075 0 0	283,331 0	14,416 0 0	5,238 0 0	53,729 0 0	13,002	4,370	17,372

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings Rs. 5,600.
(b) Including ballast train-miles 1,300.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	12,780	4,630 0 0	48,250 0	2,990 0 0	50 0 0	7,670 0 0	1,404	(a)364	1,768
Per mile of railway per week	208	75 0 0	787 0	49 0 0	1 0 0	125 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	12,780	4,630 0 0	48,250 0	2,990 0 0	50 0 0	7,670 0 0	1,404	364	1,768
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	7,839	3,079 0 0	34,966 0	4,791 0 0	75 0 0	7,942 0 0	1,776	688	2,464
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	199	80 0 0	897 0	78 0 0	2 0 0	130 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	2,339	3,079 0 0	34,966 0	4,791 0 0	75 0 0	7,942 0 0	1,776	688	2,464

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil.

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	30,310	11,260 0 0	328,600 0	14,710 0 0	70 0 0	26,040 0 0	2,280	(a) 3,060	5,330
Per mile of railway per week	291	108 0 0	3,160 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	250 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	30,310	11,260 0 0	328,600 0	14,710 0 0	70 0 0	26,040 0 0	2,280	3,060	5,330
Total for 15 weeks of calendar half-year(b).	249,988	80,406 0 0	1,623,429 0	86,112 0 0	514 0 0	1,67,032 0 0	23,465	16,891	40,356
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	28,616	9,965 0 0	386,611 0	15 144 0 0	58 0 0	24,467 0 0	3,123	2,427	5,550
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	275	89 0 0	3,717 0	146 0 0	.....	238 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	28,616	9,965 0 0	386,616 0	15,144 0 0	58 0 0	24,467 0 0	3,123	2,427	5,550
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	225,747	69,723 0 0	2,774,228 0	1,05,044 0 0	521 0 0	1,75,287 0 0	27,562	19,234	46,796

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil. (b) Audited figures to end of July 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	15,870	4,570 0 0	69,020 0	5,320 0 0	30 0 0	9,920 0 0	2,122	(a)1,880	4,002
Per mile of railway per week	161	47 0 0	701 0	54 0 0	.....	101 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 2 weeks ...	15 870	4,570 0 0	69,020 0	5,320 0 0	30 0 0	9,920 0 0	2,122	1,880	4,002
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	18,346	4,909 0 0	105,467 0	8,928 0 0	28 0 0	13,865 0 0	2,658	1,421	4,079
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	198	53 0 0	1,186 0	96 0 0	.....	149 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	18,346	4,909 0 0	105,467 0	8,928 0 0	28 0 0	13,865 0 0	2,658	1,421	4,079

(a) Including ballast train miles, nil.

N.B.—Decrease in goods earnings is due to less jute traffic and in coaching is due to less local passenger traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for first 13 days of October 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,618	32,815 0 0	44,838 0	17,100 0 0	647 0 0	50,562 0 0	5,500	4,399	9,899
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	346 0 0	.....	181 0 0	7 0 0	534 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 13th October 1917 ...	10,618	32,815 0 0	44,838 0	17,100 0 0	647 0 0	50,562 0 0	5,500	4,399	9,899
(13 days) Or per week per mile of railway	... ...	346 0 0	.....	181 0 0	7 0 0	534 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	14,372	26,739 0 0	53,019 0	25,335 0 0	564 0 0	34,628 0 0	4,949	7,268	12,217
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	303 0 0	.....	268 0 0	6 0 0	577 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	14,372	26,739 0 0	53,019 0	25,335 0 0	564 0 0	34,628 0 0	4,949	7,268	12,217
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	303 0 0	.....	268 0 0	6 0 0	577 0 0	... ...	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week	+ 4,056		— 8,235		+ 83	— 4,066			
Difference up to date	+ 4,056		— 8,235		+ 83	— 4,066			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Troop and Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Rice, Potatoes and Tea traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 13 days of October 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,701	4,142 0 0	15,437 0	2,034 0 0	38 0 0	6,214 0 0	1,231	2,549	3,780
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	32 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 13th October 1917	7,701	4,142 0 0	15,437 0	2,034 0 0	38 0 0	6,214 0 0	1,231	2,549	3,780
(13 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	32 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	48 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	14,087	3,654 0 0	32,020 0	2,355 0 0	32 0 0	6,041 0 0	1,664	1,368	3,032
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	28 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	14,087	3,654 0 0	32,020 0	2,355 0 0	32 0 0	6,041 0 0	1,664	1,368	3,032
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	28 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	46 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Notes:—				
Difference for the week ...	+ 488	— 321	+ 6	+ 173
Difference up to date ...	+ 488	— 321	+ 6	+ 173

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Jute traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 13 days of October 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	890	480 0 0	1,619 0	312 0 0	5 0 0	797 0 0	357	295	652
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	9 0 0	.....	6 0 0	.....	15 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of the half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total traffic up to 13th October 1917	890	480 0 0	1,619 0	312 0 0	5 0 0	797 0 0	357	295	652
(13 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	9 0 0	.....	6 0 0	.....	15 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	126	85 0 0	3,023 0	507 0 0	4 0 0	596 0 0	172	86	258
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	2 0 0	.....	9 0 0	.....	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	126	85 0 0	3,023 0	507 0 0	4 0 0	596 0 0	172	86	258
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	2 0 0	.....	9 0 0	.....	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Notes:—				
Difference for the week	+ 395	— 195	+ 1	+ 201
Difference up to date	+ 395	— 195	+ 1	+ 201

The increase during the week in coaching is mainly in local passenger.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(d)	
Total traffic days of October.		0 0	109,862 0	17,974 0 0	(a)645 0 0	22,510 0 0	961	1,268	2,229
Or per mile of Railway per week.	...	58 0 0	...	269 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 328 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	13,042	3,891 0 0	109,862 0	17,974 0 0	645 0 0	22,510 0 0	961	1,268	2,229
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding first 13 days of previous year.	13,297	3,930 0 0	113,558 0	18,244 0 0	(b)451 0 0	22,525 0 0	780	(c) 1,730	2,510
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	57 0 0	...	273 0 0	...	(c) 330 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	13,297	3,8 0 0 0	113,558 0	18,244 0 0	451 0 0	22,525 0 0	780	1,730	2,510

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 562.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 439.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles 160.
(e) Ditto, 1915, 179.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the first 13 days of October	25,886	9,674 0 0	171,437 0	24,991 0 0	45 0 0	34,710 0 0	3,575	5,542	9,117
Or per mile of Railway per week.	...	45 0 0	...	115 0 0	...	160 0 0	...	...	...
For previous weeks of half-year.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total for 2 weeks ...	25,886	9,674 0 0	171,437 0	24,991 0 0	45 0 0	34,710 0 0	3,575	5,542	9,117
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding first 13 days of previous year.	29,439	9,258 0 0	172,910 0	28,239 0 0	15 0 0	37,512 0 0	3,640	(b)3,145	9,785
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	43 0 0	...	129 0 0	...	172 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	29,439	9,258 0 0	172,910 0	28,239 0 0	15 0 0	37,512 0 0	3,640	6,145	9,785

(a) Ballast train-miles, 768.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,366.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2999.—His Excellency the Governor will leave Darjeeling at 9 A.M. on the 1st November 1917, and after visiting Namchi, Kewsing, Pemionchi, Temi and Rangpo, will arrive in Kalimpong on the 7th idem. He will leave Kalimpong Road by special train at 4 P.M. on the 10th November and arrive in Calcutta at 11-45 A.M. (standard time) on the 11th.

The party accompanying His Excellency will be:—

(1) Mr. W. R. Gourlay, C.I.E., I.C.S., Private Secretary (from Kalimpong).

(2) Captain J. D. Sandes, I.M.S., Surgeon.

His Excellency's arrivals at and departures from all places will be private.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary, Bengal.

DARJEELING, *27th October 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2850A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—The Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

Calcutta.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2852A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—Mr. N. G. A. Edgley, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, is appointed to act as Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble Mr. J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E., I.C.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 5190A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2784A.D.—The 23rd October 1917.*—Maulvi Shams-ud-din Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, was employed at Kandi, Murshidabad, from the forenoon of the 26th September 1917 to the afternoon of the 1st October 1917.

Murshidabad.

No. 2804A.D.—The 25th October 1917.—Babu Brajabandhu Bhaumik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Khulna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Khulna. Bakarganj.

No. 2856A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—The services of Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Dacca.

LEAVE.

POLICE.—*No. 2779A.D.—The 23rd October 1917.*—Mr. F. N. Warden, Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range, is allowed privilege leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 24th September 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 2792A.D.—The 25th October 1917.—Mr. J. A. M. J. Goldie, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is allowed leave under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 9th October 1917 or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it, up to the 18th October 1917.

Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2135T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Wild Birds and Animals Protection Act, 1912 (VIII of 1912), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in list B of the lists indicating the periods declared to be close seasons for certain birds and animals throughout the whole of the Presidency of Bengal, published under Notification No. 10479For., dated the 10th November 1914, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th *idem*, namely :—

For the entry "Ducks { Whistling Teal / Cotton Teal } 1st May to 31st August,"

Substitute the following :—"All wild ducks 1st May to 30th September."

Darjeeling.

No. 2201T.R.—The 24th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in Notification No. 617T.R., dated the 25th May 1917 (published at page 776 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 30th *idem*), declaring the Lebong Cantonment Forest to be a Protected Forest, namely:—

For the portion of the said notification relating to the description of the boundaries of the said forest *substitute* the following:—

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES.

Block I.—Commencing from a point on the Rangit Road approximately 280 feet south of the Lebong Cantonment boundary pillar No. 8, thence in a north-easterly direction to pillar No. 9, thence north-west to Cantonment boundary pillars Nos. 10, 11, 12 and 13, thence north-east to Cantonment boundary pillars Nos. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 22A, 22B and 22C, thence south-west to Cantonment boundary pillars Nos. 22D, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 and along the Western Lebong Road to a point approximately 3,000 feet north of Cantonment boundary pillar No. 28 and 80 feet west of the north-west corner of the Supply and Transport Store, thence east 120 feet to the Hospital pathway, thence south following the said pathway, past the east side of the Mortuary and the Male Hospital to a point near the south-east corner of the Male Hospital, thence east to a point approximately 50 feet north of the north-east corner of another Supply and Transport Store, thence south following the foot-path on the east side of the Family Hospital, to a point approximately 100 feet south-west of the Assistant Surgeon's quarters, thence east to the point of commencement.

Block II.—Commencing from a point approximately 210 feet south of No. 1 Cantonment boundary pillar, thence north along the Rangit Road to a point approximately 220 feet north of Cantonment boundary pillar No. 3, thence north-west following a drain to a point approximately 80 feet of the most northerly Family Barracks, thence south following the pathway, to the north-east corner of the Parade ground, thence south following the eastern boundary of the Parade ground, and the Post Office Road to the point of commencement.

Block III.—Commencing from Cantonment boundary pillar No. 37 following the Western Lebong Road in a south-westerly direction to Cantonment boundary pillar No. 38, thence east following the Cantonment boundary pillars Nos. 39 and 40, thence following the short cut pathway in an east and north-westerly direction to a point on the said pathway approximately 90 feet east of the said Cantonment boundary pillar No. 37, thence east to the point of commencement, excluding the land occupied by Officers' quarters No. 3 and the garden thereof.

Block IV.—Commencing at Cantonment boundary pillar No. 49, thence north following the Lebong Cantonment Cart Road to a point approximately 50 feet east of the south-east corner of the servants' quarters and stables No. 3, thence west to a short cut pathway, following the short cut pathway and said Cart Road to the Cantonment boundary near Cantonment boundary pillar No. 47, thence east to Cantonment boundary pillar No. 48, thence to the point of commencement.

Block V.—Commencing at Cantonment boundary pillar No. 42, thence east following the Cantonment boundary pillars Nos. 43, 44 to Cantonment boundary pillar No. 45, thence north following the Cart Road to Cantonment boundary pillar No. 46, and thence following the Lebong Cart Road through Cantonment boundary pillar No. 41 to the point of commencement, excepting the land occupied by Field Officers' quarters Nos. 1 and 2 and the servants' quarters thereof and by the St. George's Church and Cemetery and by the Military Works Department Chowkidars' huts and all gardens thereof.

Darjeeling.

No. 2202T.R.—The 24th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to declare all trees in the Lebong Cantonment Protected Forest, in the district of Darjeeling, to be reserved trees with effect from the 31st October 1917; and

(*b*) to prohibit the following acts in the said forest, subject to any rule made in respect of the said forest under section 31 of the said Act, with effect from the same date, namely:—

(*1*) the quarrying of stone;
(*2*) the burning of lime and charcoal;
(*3*) the collection or subjection to any manufacturing process, or the removal, of any forest produce; and
(*4*) the breaking up or clearing of any land for cultivation, for building, for herding cattle or any other purpose:

Provided that nothing in this notification shall be deemed to prohibit any act done with the permission in writing of the Cantonment Forest Officer or of the Divisional Forest Officer in charge of the Darjeeling Division.

II.—Notification No. 621T.R., dated the 25th May 1917, is hereby cancelled.

No. 1829T.R.—The 10th October 1917.—Babu Radha Krishna Goswami, Deputy Collector, employed on cess revaluation work, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six weeks, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bakarganj.

2. This cancels Notification No. 6133L.R., dated the 18th August 1917

No. 2098T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Hangsha Prasad Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Hooghly, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Hooghly.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 2099T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Hangsha Prasad Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the district of Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 2102T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—In supersession of Notification No. 6138L.R., dated the 18th August 1917, Babu Sati Prasad Ganguli, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and sixteen days, with effect from the 3rd September 1917.

Tippera.
Noakhali.

No. 2144T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Akhil Chandra Ganguli, a Kanungo, is appointed to be Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer, Noakhali and Tippera.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

No. 2145T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Akhil Chandra Ganguli, Technical Adviser, to be an Assistant Superintendent of Survey, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, with effect from the 31st October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

Noakhali.
Tippera.

No. 2198T.R.—The 24th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. W H. Thompson, I.C.S., employed as Settlement Officer of Tippera-Noakhali, is appointed to discharge in the area comprised within the boundaries of estate bearing tauzi No. 60 on the revenue roll of the district of Malda, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of the Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of a Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid area.

No. 2204T.R.—The 26th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are authorised to discharge, in the district of Midnapore, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Midnapore.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act:—

Babu Bisweswar Mazumdar, Munsif.
„ Rajendra Lal Chakrabatti, Munsif.

No. 2225T.R.—The 27th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Sasi Bhusan Ghose, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector and Technical Adviser to the Settlement Officer of Bankura, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to the surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 7074L.R.—The 29th October 1917.—Notification No. 6616L.R., dated the 4th September 1917, granting Mr. W. H Nelson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Rajshahi, privilege leave for fifteen days, with effect from the 31st October 1917, is hereby cancelled.

Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2122T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Murshidabad for a public purpose, viz., for establishing Sagardighi Charitable Dispensary in Chak Debatter Bajeapti, mauza Jote Kaji, situated in the village of Pupara, parganas Rukunpur and Akbarshahi, zilla Murshidabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas and 6 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·09 acres, bounded on the—

Murshidabad.

North—By land of Eradat Shaikh,
East—By khas patit land and land of Rahat Shaikh,
South—By khas patit land,
West—By khas patit land and land of Eradat Shaikh,

is required within the aforesaid Chak Debatter Bajeapti, mauza Jote Kaji, situated in the village of Pupara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Lalbagh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2125T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bogra for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a feeder road from Kahaloo Railway station to Malchahat, in the villages of Ullot, Maheshpur, Pubra and Aughor Malcha, pargana Selbarsha, zilla Bogra, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less,

Bogra.

79 bighas 11 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, as detailed below, is required within the aforesaid villages :—

		B.	C.	CH.
In the village of	Ullot	20	12	5
„ „	Maheshpur	21	6	9
„ „	Pubra	10	5	13
„ „	Aughor Malcha ...	27	6	13
	Total ..	79	11	8

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bogra.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 2128T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the cremation ground at Dakhin Baraset, in the village of Kalikapur, pargana Baridhati, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 3 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1.

North—By the lands of Khettra Nath Chakravarti, Pramila Bala Dasi and Bhuban Mohan Sen,
East, South and West—By the drain of the existing village road.

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By the drain of the existing village road,
East and South—By the lands of Asutosh Bhattacharji,
West—By the lands of Bhubon Mohan Sen and Nibaran Sen,

are required within the aforesaid village of Kalikapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 2131T R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz., for a tank at Agailjhara, in the village of Malshi-Fulasree, pargana Bongorora, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 5 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Gopal Barai, Chandra Barai, Bhedu Barai and Nishi Kanta Falia and others,
East—By the lands of Ram Chandra Barai, Bhedu Barai and others,
South—By Gaila Shimul Bhanga Road,
West—By Bakal branch road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Malshi-Fulasree.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2134T.R.— The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a retired embankment at Jote Kubir in the 42nd mile of the Damodar left embankment, in the village of Kalna, pargana Haveli, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 17 bighas 7 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 5·745 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North and West—By Public Works Department embankments,
South—By the lands of Paresh Chandra Das, Chandi Charan Ghosh and others, Surendra Nath Ghosh, Jasoda Adak and Local Board road,
East—By the lands of Umacharan Sarkar, Dasarathi Chakravarty and Surendra Nath Chakravarty,

excluding the temples shown in the plan, is required within the aforesaid village of Kalna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2146T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Reserve Police buildings at Burdwan, in the village of Birhatta, pargana Burdwan, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 29 bighas 15 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 9 84 acres, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the land of late Bangsa Gopal Nanday,
East—By nulla (water channel),
South—By the houses of Upendra Nath Roy, Probhat Ranjan Mitra, Amulya Charan Mitra and the land of late Bangsa Gopal Nanday,
West—By the Grand Trunk Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Birhatta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2149T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Serampore Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for a new outlet drain, in the village of Mahesh, pargana Boro, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above

Hooghly.

purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·135 of an acre, bounded on the—

North and South—By the lands of Kiron Chandra Ganguly, Kedar Nath Ghose and of Adhikari family,
East—By Khatir Bazar Bye-Lane,
West—By a Nikasi drain,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mahesh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION

Dacca.

No. 2152T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for excavating a khal to connect the opening of the Aliganj bridge with the khal to the north of the bridge on the Dacca-Narayanganj Road, in the village of Aliganj, pargana Khizirpur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the khal and the remaining portion of the land of Manik Bepari,

East—By the remaining portion of the land of Manik Bepari,

South and West—By the District Board road-side khal and remaining portion of the land of Manik Bepari,

is required within the aforesaid village of Aliganj.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 2208T.R.—The 26th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Chandpur Hasanali Jubilee High English School, in the village of Bishnudi, pargana Purchandi, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas and 3 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By *bagan bhiti* land and tank of Brindaban Gope,

East—By *nal* lands of Brindaban Gope,

South—By the Comilla Road,

West—By *bagan bhiti* lands of Brindaban Gope,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bishnudi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 2212T.R.—The 27th October 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Primary School at Barabaxanagar in the village of Barabaxanagar, pargana Jalalpur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha and 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the land of Sukhu Coracha and Halat,

East and West—By the Halat,

South—By the land of Sukhu Coracha,

is required within the aforesaid village of Barabaxanagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 2113T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, Ulubaria, in the district of Howrah, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Howrah.

No. 2114T.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Sahibzada Fateh Muhammad Shah, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Ulubaria in the district of Howrah, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bhababhuti Mukharji, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Howrah.

No. 2115T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu John Ballav Chaudhuri, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Lalmonirhat, in the district of Rangpur, with effect from the afternoon of the 24th September 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mazhrul Haq, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Rangpur.

No. 2116T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh, Probationer of Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate, under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 26th September 1917 to the 18th October 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 2117T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Guha, Sub-Registrar of Jangipara, in the district of Hooghly, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eighteen days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Hooghly.

No. 2118T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Upendra Nath Chatarji, Probationer of Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jangipara, in the district of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jnanendra Nath Guha, or until further orders.

Howrah.
Hooghly.

No. 2119T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Mustafa Ali, Sub-Registrar of Haroa, in the district of 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Ramnagar in the district of Nadia.

24-Parganas.
Nadia.

No. 2120T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Maulvi Ahmad Ali, Sub-Registrar of Ramnagar, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Dumuria in the district of Khulna.

Nadia.
Khulna.

No. 2121T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Kunja Bihari Chakrabutty, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, attached to the Sadar Registration office at Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Haroa in the same district.

24-Parganas.

No. 2142T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Atul Chandra Bakshi, Sub-Registrar, grade V, Bankura, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jara, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Sachipati Roy, or until further orders.

Bankura. Midnapore.

No. 2143T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Government Notification No. 1757T.R., dated the 6th October 1917, published at Part 1, page 1626 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, regarding the appointment of Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh as Sub-Registrar of Jara, in the district of Midnapore, is cancelled.

Midnapore.

No. 2155T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Maulvi Makbul Ahmed, Sub-Registrar, grade V, Tippera, was on privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, with effect from the 16th September 1917.

Tippera.

No. 2156T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Mr. Arthur Gupta, Joint Sub-Registrar of Alipore at Behala, in the district of 24-Parganas is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eighteen days, with effect from the 1st October 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 2157T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Kunja Behari Chakrabutty, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, Alipore, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as the Joint Sub-Registrar of Alipore at Behala in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Arthur Gupta, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No 2158T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Maulvi Mir Saiyid Ali, Joint Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Rajshahi, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Taskinuddin Ahmad, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 2159T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Ashu Tosh Bakshi, Sub-Registrar of Egra, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for thirty-one days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

This cancels notification No. 1372T.R., dated the 22nd September 1917.

Midnapore.

No. 2160T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Sashi Bhusan Datta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Egra, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ashu Tosh Bakshi, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 2161T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—Babu Jitendra Nath Basu Mullik, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, of Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, is appointed to be the Sub-Registrar of Chuadanga in the district of Nadia.

24-Parganas. Nadia.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2136T.R.—The 22nd October 1917.—It is hereby notified that the Departmental Examination of Probationers and Sub-Registrars, instituted under Government Notification No. 1301Regn., dated the 7th February 1914, will be held on Monday, the 19th November 1917, and Tuesday, the 20th November 1917, at the Town Hall, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 734T.-Edn.—The 27th October 1917.—The services of the Hon'ble Mr. W. W. Hornell, Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, with effect from the 1st November 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 735T.-Edn.—The 27th October 1917.—Mr. W. C. Wordsworth, Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. W. Hornell, or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 736T.-Edn.—The 27th October 1917.—Mr. J. B. Barrow, Principal, Chittagong College, is appointed to act as Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. C. Wordsworth, or until further orders

Chittagong.
Calcutta.

No. 737T.-Edn.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Purna Chandra Kundu, Professor of Physics, Chittagong College (in class V of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act as Principal of the same College and in the Indian Educational Service, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. B. Barrow, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 64T.-Eccle.—The 22nd October 1917.—The Revd. C. G. Stokoe, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to be Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, with effect from the 26th September 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

No. 66T.-Eccle.—The 24th October 1917.—The Revd. John Godber, Bishop's Chaplain and Junior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 592(*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 9th October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2718T.F., dated the 23rd October 1917.

Copy of a letter No. 2719T.F., dated the 23rd October 1917, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 1623T.F., dated the 24th September 1917, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in those districts of Bengal (except the Chittagong Hill Tracts), in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of September 1917. This excludes the districts of Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Jessore, Malda and Chittagong, in addition to the Chittagong Hill Tracts, from the operation of these orders which will have effect for the month of September 1917.

No. 24428.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the eleventh Sale of Opium, the provision of 1915-16, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 6th November 1917, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 583 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 22nd December 1916, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*, except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 3,200 per chest from 1st April 1917 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 1878.R., dated the 23rd January 1917).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 12th and 21st November 1917, respectively, that is to say. no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 12th November 1917, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 21st November 1917.

4th.—In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more-or less, of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory will be brought to sale between the sale now advertised and December next on or about the dates specified below. The Government of Bengal, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates	Manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory. Chests uncertified.
On or about Tuesday, 4th December 1917 ...	587

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA. *the 18th October 1917.*

24-Parganas.

No. 444T.-S.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Tara Prasanna Roy, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, 24-Parganas, *vice* Babu Srish Charan Roy, appointed to act as Superintendent, Dinajpur.

Burdwan. Rangpur.

No. 446T.-S.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Prabodh Chandra Sen, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Rangpur, during the absence on leave of Mr. K. Shompa.

This cancels Notification No. 306T.-S.R., dated the 17th September 1917, appointing Babu Bani Kanta Mukharji, Inspector of Excise and Salt, to act as Superintendent, *vice* Mr. Shompa.

Burdwan. Rangpur.

No. 447T.-S.R.—The 20th October 1917.—Babu Jnanendra Nath Sarkar, Sub-Inspector of Excise and Salt, Burdwan, is appointed to act as Inspector of Excise and Salt, *vice* Babu Prabodh Chandra Sen, appointed to act as Superintendent, Rangpur.

No. 692T.-Com.—The 20th October 1917.—The following draft of Form C which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 37 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), in supersession of Form C incorporated in the schedule to the Bengal Factories Rules, 1912, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with Notification No. 953T.-G., dated the 24th June 1912, is published for information, as required by sub-section (1) of section 39 of the said Act.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 1st January 1918, and any objection or suggestion that may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Draft

FORM C.

[*See* Rules 10, 11 and 12.]

1. Serial No. _____
   Date
2. Name
3. Father's name _____
4. Sex and caste or religion
5. Residence
6. Age certified _____
7. Physical fitness.
8. Distinctive marks _____

Left thumb impression. A. B., *Initials of Certifying Surgeon.*

Certificate.

Serial No. _____

Date

I hereby certify that I have personally examined (name) ... $\frac{\text{son}}{\text{daughter}}$ of _____ (caste, &c.)_____ residing at _____ . _____who is desirous of being employed in a factory and that $\frac{\text{his}}{\text{her}}$ age as nearly as can be ascertained from my examination is years and that $\frac{\text{he}}{\text{she}}$ is ____ for employment in a factory. $\frac{\text{His}}{\text{Her}}$ descriptive marks are _____

Left thumb impression. (Sd.) A. B., *Certifying Surgeon.*

NOTE.—The Certifying Surgeon shall write 'fit' or 'unfit' on the foil with his own hand.

PRESS COMMUNIQUÉ.

The 26th October 1917.—It is notified for general information that a special Mining Equipment Priority Committee has been formed to consider applications for assistance in procuring plant and equipment for coal and other mines from the United Kingdom. All such applications should in future be addressed to the *Chairman, Mines Equipment Priority Committee, c/o the Chief Inspector of Mines, Dhanbaid, East Indian Railway*, instead of to the Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle, Calcutta.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5191A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5188A.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Keshab Chandra Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the date of this notification in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Manikganj subdivision of that district,

Dacca.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Manikganj Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 2826A.D.—The 26th October 1917.—Maulvi Saleh Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate, Narayanganj, Dacca, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dacca.

No. 5168A.—The 26th October 1917.—The officers, named below, are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class :—

Nadia. Maulvi Ahmad, Deputy Magistrate, Nadia.

Khulna. Babu Hiranya Kumar Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate, Khulna.

No. 5170A.—The 26th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3158J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Ram Lal Banarji, substantively *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Sirajganj in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is appointed to be substantively *pro tempore* Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Kishorganj, *vice* Babu Pyari Mohan Chatarji, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Pabna and Bogra Mymensingh.

No. 3161J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Biman Bihari Sarkar, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif of Iswarganj, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 3163J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Dwijendra Nath Pal, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur.

Dinajpur.

No. 3165J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Priya Nath Basu, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Khulna, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station.

Khulna.

No. 3167J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Upendra Chandra Mazumdar, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Chittagong, for the present to be employed at the Sadar station.

Chittagong.

No. 3169J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Sitesh Chandra Sen, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif of Sirajganj, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, *vice* Babu Ram Lal Banarji, transferred.

Pabna and Bogra.

No. 3171J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Dacca, for the present to be employed at the Sadar sation.

Dacca.

No. 3173J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Narayanganj, *vice* Babu Bama Charan Chakrabatti, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Dacca.

No. 3175J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Dhirendra Nath Guha, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Tangail, for the present to be employed at Kishorganj, *vice* Babu Niradeswar Banarji, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Mymensingh.

No. 3177J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Banku Bihari Chatarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Pirojpur, *vice* Babu Gobinda Chandra Chakrabatti, transferred.

Bakarganj.

No. 3179J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Dwarka Nath De, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Dacca, to be ordinarily stationed at Manikganj, *vice* Babu Manindra Prasad Singh, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Dacca.

No. 3181J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Surendra Chandra Basu, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jalpaiguri, *vice* Babu Bisweswar Mazumdar, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Dinajpur.

No. 3183J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, No. II, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif of Kishorganj, in the district of Mymensingh, *vice* Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji.

Mymensingh.

No. 3185J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Amulya Charan Chakrabatti, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif of Satkhira in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

No. 3187J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen, No. II, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Berhampore, *vice* Babu Rajendra Lal Chakrabatti, on deputation to the Settlement Department.

Murshidabad.

No. 3189J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Manindra Nath Bhanja, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif in the district of Noakhali, to be ordinarily stationed at Sandip and Lakhmipur, but for the present to be employed at Feni, *vice* Babu Bhuban Mohan Singh, transferred.

Noakhali.

No. 3191J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Satchidananda Gupta, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as an Additional Munsif of Jamalpur in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 3193J.—The 27th October 1917.—Babu Tarani Kanta Nag, substantively *pro tempore* Additional Munsif of Balurghat, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to be a substantively *pro tempore* Munsif in the district of Burdwan, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station, for the present to be employed at Katwa.

Dinajpur. Burdwan.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5192A.

No. 2795A.D.—The 25th October 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Latif Chaudhuri, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Kandi subdivision of the Murshidabad district. He is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in the English language

Murshidabad.

No. 2821A.D.—The 26th October 1917.—Babu Rajendra Lal Acharji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Manikganj, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Dacca.

No. 2828A.D.—The 26th October 1917.—Babu Amulya Krishna Dutt, Sub-Deputy Collector, Bagerhat, Khulna, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th November 1917 or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Khulna.

No. 5179A.—The 27th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers vested in him by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council hereby appoints Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, who has been appointed to be a Special Magistrate for the districts of Khulna, Faridpur and Dacca, to be also a Special Magistrate for the district of the 24-Parganas for a term not exceeding two months and confers upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code within the district of the 24-Parganas.

Khulna, Faridpur, Dacca. 24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 1609D., dated Darjeeling, the 20th October 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Binod Sinha is allowed privilege leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the two months and twelve days' privilege leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1252D., dated the 24th September 1917.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে যুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন করেদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া যোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ।

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI MUHAMMAD YAHYA, Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to this Division is posted to the Ulubaria subdivision of the Howrah district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN. CHINSURA, *the 23rd October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU KALI CHARAN MUKHARJI, Sub-Deputy Collector, who has been transferred to this Division, is posted to the Vishnupur subdivision of the district of Bankura.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVISION, CHINSURA, *the 22nd October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2842M.—In supersession of this Office Notification No. 98Mct., dated the 11th October 1917, published at page 1672, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 17th October 1917, it is hereby notified for general information that a bye-election will be held under section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act III of 1884, on Saturday, the 8th December 1917, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner for Ward No. I of the Darjeeling Municipality, in the district of Darjeeling, *vice* Babu Bhariruddan Marda, removed under section 20 (*c*) of the Bengal Municipal Act.

J. SEN, *for Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 25th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2793M—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the general election held on the 15th September 1917, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality, in the district of Malda:—

Ward No. I.

Babu Ram Krishna Mukherjee.
„ Romes Chandra Bagchi.
„ Sris Chandra Maulik.

Ward No. II.

Babu Ganga Charan Dutt.

Ward No. III.

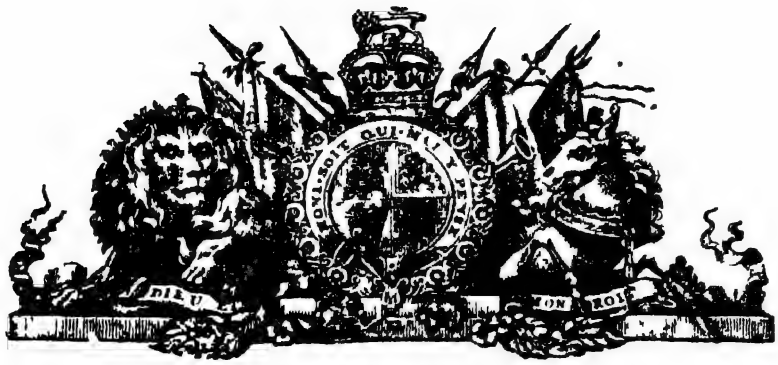
Mahamed Majidulla.
Mahamed Piar Baks.

Ward No. IV.

Mahamed Eakub Mian.
Babu Giris Chandra Sinha.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th October 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India, Extraordinary*, dated the 18th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 18th October 1917.

No. 1760.—The following gracious message from His Imperial Majesty the King Emperor to the Joint Committee of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem and the British Red Cross Society is published for general information :—

"During past twelve months I have had constant opportunity of witnessing afresh both at home and in Flanders the great work of mercy carried out by united efforts of the British Red Cross and the Order of St. John.

"In every theatre of the war regardless of distance, discomfort or danger, the task of alleviation, removal of pain and suffering and of ministering to those in need is performed with unparalleled devotion by men and women who have taken service under the Red Cross.

"The prompt and unstinted provision of medical and general stores and comforts is an all-important work and one of the main responsibilities undertaken by the Joint Committee.

"In hospitals and convalescent Homes, hospital trains, motor ambulances and launches our sick and wounded as well as those of our Allies are I know indeed grateful for the aid and co-operation which the Joint Societies bring to the medical services of the armies, nor have the needs of our prisoners of war been forgotten in allocation of your funds.

"I trust therefore that there will be no falling off of generous financial support on the part of every one at home and in Dominions Overseas without which this work cannot be maintained.

"During the war I have had great satisfaction in sending to the Joint Committee on October 20th a donation of five thousand pounds. This year for 'Our Day' collection on eighteenth it is a pleasure to me to contribute ten thousand pounds to mark my appreciation of what has been achieved by the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John in the past and my deep sense of the importance in continuing these achievements in the future."

GEORGE, R. I.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India* dated the 20th October 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Simla, the 20th October 1917.

No. 12550.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-W., dated the 12th May 1917, in so far as it relates to exports to the undermentioned destinations, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of all goods to the ports of Shehr and Mokalla, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification.

No. 12766—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department Notification No. 9954-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended, namely:—

Delete the words "the Phillipine Islands."

MERCHANT SHIPPING.

The 20th October 1917.

No. 12498.—In modification of the Notifications in the Department of Finance and Commerce No. 2941, dated the 21st August 1884, and No. 2181, dated the 18th December 1884, the following Order in Council is published for general information:—

At the Court at Buckingham Palace.

The 22nd day of August 1917.

PRESENT.

THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

Lord President | Lord Newton.
Lord Chamberlain. | Sir Albert Stanley.
Mr. G. H. Roberts.

WHEREAS by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, it is enacted as follows:—

"Where the Legislature of any British Possession provides for the survey of, and grant of Certificates for, Passenger Steamers, and the Board

of Trade report to Her Majesty the Queen that they are satisfied that the Certificates are to the like effect, and are granted after a like survey, and in such manner as to be equally efficient with the Certificates granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under this Act, Her Majesty in Council may :—

(1) declare that the Certificates granted in the said British Possession shall be of the same force as if granted under this Act; and

(2) declare that all or any of the provisions of this Part of this Act which relate to Passenger Steamer's Certificates shall, either without modification or with such modifications as to Her Majesty may seem necessary, apply to the Certificates granted in the said British Possession ; and

(3) impose such conditions and make such regulations with respect to the certificates, and to the use, delivery, and cancellation thereof, as to Her Majesty may seem fit, and impose fines not exceeding £50 for the breach of those conditions and regulations."

AND WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated respectively the 26th day of June 1884, and the 17th day of October 1884, Her late Majesty was pleased to direct that, subject to the modifications contained in such Orders, Certificates granted by the Governments of Bombay and Bengal respectively should be of the same force as if they had been granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping :

AND WHEREAS it is made to appear expedient to His Majesty that during the present War the modifications contained in the above-recited Orders in Council, dated respectively the 26th day of June 1884, and the 17th day of October 1884, should be suspended :

AND WHEREAS on account of urgency this Order in Council should come into immediate operation :

NOW, THEREFORE, His Majesty, in virtue of the powers vested in Him by the above-recited provision, and by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to direct that during the continuance of the present War :—

1. The Certificates granted by the Governments of Bombay and Bengal respectively for Passenger Steamers shall be of the same force as if they had been granted for the same purpose in the United Kingdom under the provisions of the Acts relating to Merchant Shipping.

2. That all the provisions of the said Acts which relate to Certificates granted for Passenger Steamers under those Acts shall apply to the Certificates referred to in this Order without modification, and that during the continuance of the present War the modifications in the above-recited Orders in Council dated the 26th day of June 1884, and 17th day of October 1884, be and the same are hereby suspended.

AND His Majesty is further pleased, by and with the advice aforesaid, to direct that this Order do come into operation *provisionally*, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, from the date hereof.

Almeric Fitz Roy.

C. E. LOW,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR.
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 19th October 1917.

JUDICIAL.

No. 1791.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 113 of the Indian Army Act, 1911 (VIII of 1911), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that persons wishing to serve as combatants in the Indian

Signal Company for the duration of the present war, shall be enrolled and attested on the following form :—

FORM No. 1-C.

COMBATANTS.

Enrolment of

No.———Name - - - - ——— as a combatant in the Indian Signal Company.

Questions to be put before Enrolment.

You are warned that if after enrolment it is found that you have given a wilfully false answer to any of the following nine questions you will be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act.

1.	What is your name ?	1.———
2.	What is your father's name ?	2.———
3.	What is your religion, class and tribe ?	3.———
4.	What is your Village, Thana, Pergunnah / Tehsil and District ?	4. Village——— Thana ——— Pergunnah / Tehsil ——— District ———
5.	Have you ever been imprisoned by the Civil Power ?	5.———
6.	Do you now belong to His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve, or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ?	6.———
7.	Have you ever served in His Majesty's Forces, the Reserve, or the Imperial Service Troops of any Native State or the Nepal State Army ? If so, state in which, and the cause of discharge* and also whether you desire your previous service in His Majesty's Forces to reckon towards good conduct pay, pension or gratuity, by refunding any gratuity or pension you may have received on or since discharge in not more than 36 monthly instalments, counting from date of re-enlistment ?	7.———
8.	Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your former service ?	8.———

* If so, the recruit should be asked to produce his discharge certificate

9.	Are you in receipt of any allowance from Government; if so, on what account?	9.
10.	Are you willing to be enrolled in the Indian Signal Company?	10.
11.	Are you willing to go wherever ordered, by land or sea, to any place except on overseas theatre of operations and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty?	11.
12.	Are you willing to be vaccinated or re-vaccinated?	12.
13.	Are you willing to serve until discharged in accordance with the following condition provided His Majesty shall so long require your services?	13.

When you have served till the conclusion of the present war, you will be entitled to receive your discharge with all convenient speed.

I _____ do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

*Signature of Recruit*_____

Signature of Witness _____

CERTIFICATE OF ENROLLING OFFICER.

The conditions of the service for which he is now enrolled were read and explained to the above-named person by me (in my presence).

After having cautioned him that if he made any alse answer to any of the above questions Nos. 1 to 9, he would be liable to be punished as provided in the Indian Army Act, I put these questions to him and his answer to each question has been duly entered as replied to.

I am satisfied that he fully understands the questions put to him and consents to the conditions of service.

Signed at this _____ day of _____ 19

*Signature of Enrolling Officer*_____

ATTESTATION.

Certified that the above-named person took the prescribed $\frac{\text{oath}}{\text{affirmation}}$ before me at _____ this _____ day of _____ 19

*Signature of Attesting Officer*_____

No. 1792.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Indian Defence Force Rules, 1917, namely :—

1. In rule 16 of the said rules for categories C, D and E, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"C. Unfit for military service but likely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months.

D. Unfit for military service and unlikely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months."

2. For rule 17 of the said rules, the following shall be substituted namely :—

"17. (1) Persons who are classified in category C or D of medical fitness shall be exempted from military service and conditional certificates of exemption in Form I set out in Schedule I of these rules shall be issued to such persons accordingly by the competent military authority.

Exemption on medical grounds.

(2) Any person

(*a*) who has received a certificate of exemption in accordance with the provisions of sub-rule (1), or

(*b*) who has at any time been exempted from military service on the ground of ill-health or infirmity, or

(*c*) who has at any time been classified under these rules as fit to perform the courses of training or instruction specified by the regulations made under the Act by the Commander-in-Chief in India for persons deemed to be enrolled for local military service, may from time to time be required by the competent military authority to present himself for further medical examination;

Provided, that no person who at his last examination was classified as permanently unfit for any service, or as unfit for military service and unlikely to become fit for inclusion in category A or B within six months shall be required to present himself for further medical examination within six months thereof."

3. In rule 18 the words "in accordance with the terms of a certificate of exemption issued under rule 17" shall be omitted.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India (Indian Munitions Board), published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 18th October 1917.

No. H.-1497-213.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915, as subsequently amended, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Defence of India (Tanning Materials) Rules, 1917, published with the Notification of the Government of India in the

Department of Commerce and Industry No. 255C.W.D., dated the 27th January 1917, namely :—

After rule 4 of the said Rules, the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"4-A. (1) No person shall despatch or cause to be despatched by railway any *tarwad* bark (*Cassia auriculata*) from any railway station in the Bombay Presidency on the following railways or portions thereof, viz. :—

Prohibition of despatch of *tarwad* bark by rail from certain areas except on certain conditions.

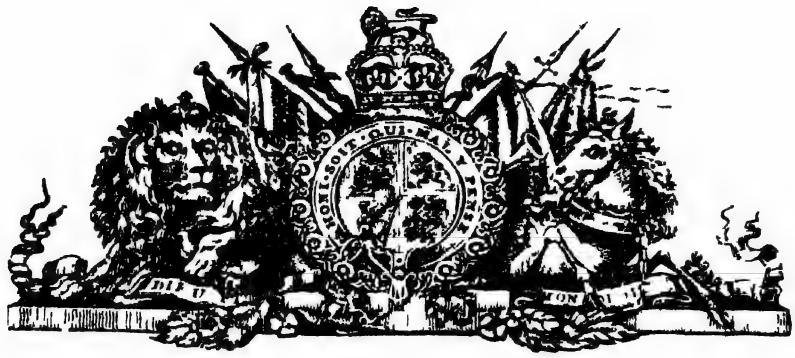
The Great Indian Peninsula Railway,
The Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway,
The Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway,
The Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway,

unless consigned to the Deputy Controller (Hides), Dharavi, Bombay, except in accordance with the terms of a license issued by the said Deputy Controller.

(2) Any person who commits, or attempts to commit, or abets or attempts to abet, the commission of any act prohibited by sub-rule (1) shall be punishable with imprisonment of either description which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees, or with both."

T. RYAN,

Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 745T.M.— The 26th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Bhatpara Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Mr. David Mudie to be their Chairman, *vice* Mr. J. C. Bookless, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 754T.-M.—The 27th October 1917.—Under section 11 (1) of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. F. Payne, I.C.S., to be Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, with effect from the 1st November 1917, or from any subsequent date on which he joins the appointment.

No. 732T.-L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No 317T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Begumpur Union, in the district of Hooghly, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Hooghly.

No. 733T.-L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Begumpur Union, in the district of Hooghly, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

Hooghly.

Hooghly.

No. 731T.-L.S.-G.—The 19th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Chanditala, in the district of Hooghly, into a Union :—

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union with numbers in jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.	
			Name of mauza.	Jurisdiction List No.		
Hooghly ...	Begumpur	9	Adan	112	*North.*	
			Bankagachi ...	111	Thana Singur.	
			Begumpur ...	113		
			Chikrand ...	110		
			Panchghara ...	123	*East.*	
			Chandradip ...	118	Thana Singur.	
			Joykrishnapur ...	122	Mollatera	124
			Kapaharia ...	121		
			Kharsari ...	116	*South.*	
			Okardha ...	119		
			Sahana ...	120	Danpatipur	109
			Sambhubati or Shanka ...	117	Naiti	91
			Tajpur, Chhto Tajpur a patty of Tajpur ...	114	Pairagacha ...	90
			Tisha ...	115	Jamin or Jaminrupbati ...	89
					Janai	87
					West.	
					Monirampur Hareda ...	40
					Madhabpur Janardanpur ...	41
					Baksha ...	42

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Begumpur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IN compliance with the provisions of section 565 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, it is hereby notified for information that the General Committee of the Corporation propose to make the following by-laws under section 559 (24) of the same Act. These by-laws are in modification of those previously notified on the 8th December 1916 for objections :—

As originally proposed.	As revised.
"No door, gate, bar, window or shutter on the ground-floor of any building, wall or other structure whatsoever shall open towards on to or over any public street without the special permission of the General Committee.	1. "No door, gate, bar or window shall be hung or placed on the ground-floor of any building or on any hut or shed or other structure whatsoever, or on any wall, so as to open outwards on any public street without the special permission of the General Committee.

As originally proposed.	As revised.
In localities in which the erection of only detached buildings is allowed, no stable, coach-house or garage shall have any doorway or any other opening which may admit of the passage of any carriage, motor or other vehicle, abutting or opening directly on to any public street without the special permission of the General Committee in that behalf.	2. In localities in which the erection of only detached buildings is allowed, no stable, coach-house or garage shall have any doorway or any other opening which may admit of the passage of any carriage, motor or other vehicle, abutting or opening directly on to any public street without the special permission of the General Committee in that behalf.
These by-laws shall not apply to existing openings but to buildings to be erected or re-erected hereafter".	3. These by-laws shall not apply to existing openings but to buildings to be erected or re-erected after the day of 1917.
	4. A breach of any of these by-laws shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Rs. 20 and, in case of a continuing breach with fine which may extend to Rs. 10 for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach."

Any person having any objection to the proposed by-laws may submit the same so as to reach the undersigned on or before Friday, the 30th November 1917, after which the draft by-laws will be further proceeded with.

S. W. GOODE, *Chairman of the Corporation.*

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, *the 18th October 1917.*

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTICE.

THE BIHAR AND ORISSA MEDICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

THE ensuing examinations of the Board will commence on Monday, the 26th of November 1917, simultaneously at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore, and the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack. Applications, accompanied with the prescribed fees, will be received by the Secretary up to Saturday, the 17th of November 1917, from candidates desirous of appearing at the examinations.

2. The order of examination for the written portion will be according to the following time-table:—

PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Anatomy.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physiology.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Materia Medica.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physics and Chemistry.

FINAL EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Medicine.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Surgery.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Midwifery.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Medical Jurisprudence.
Wednesday,	28th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Hygiene and Vaccination.
„	28th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Pathology.

The oral and practical examinations will commence at Bankipore on Monday, the 3rd of December 1917, on conclusion of which they will be taken up at Cuttack. The time-table for the oral and practical examinations will be notified beforehand at each centre, through the Superintendents of the respective Medical Schools.

I. H. ELIAS,
Secretary, Bihar and Orissa Medical Examination Board.

RANCHI SECRETARIAT,
The 22nd October 1917.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

Junior Scholarships, 1917.

THE following students are awarded junior scholarships on the results of the Matriculation Examination of the Calcutta University held in 1917. The scholarships take effect from 1st June 1917 for two years :—

(The Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarships can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship holder.)

A. 10 first grade scholarships of Rs. 20 a month each.

1.	Manoranjan Chattopadhyay	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
2.	Ramanimohan Ray	...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3.	Sarbbanisahay Guhasarkar	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
4.	Bibhutibhushan Ray	...	Pabna Zilla School.
5.	Phanibhushan Pathak	...	Morton Institution, Calcutta.
6.	Jagadishchandra Bhattacharyya		Dacca Collegiate School.
	Sailendranath Maulik	...	Pabna Institution.
8.	Kumud Bandhu Chakrabarty	...	Feni High School.
	Dhirendranath Laha	...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Kaliprasad Ghosh	...	Ditto ditto.

B. 34 second grade scholarships of Rs. 15 a month each.

TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Sasadhar Goswami	...	Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta.
2.	Amarendranath Basu	...	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
3.	Bimalchandra Mitra	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
4.	Matindradeb Das	...	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Chapalakanta Bhattacharyya	...	Calcutta Aryan Institution.
6.	Praphullakumar Sarkar	...	Mitra Institution, Calcutta.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

1.	Anilchandra Bandyopadhyay		Nakipur H. C. H. E. School.
2.	Khondkar Golam Murshid	...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.
3.	Biswanath Bhattacharyya	...	Harinavi A. S. School.
4.	Kalipada Dasgupta, I	...	Kalia R. H. E. School.
5.	Hariprasad Chattopadhyaya	...	Krishnagar Collegiate School.
6.	Rabindrachandra Guha	...	Ditto.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1.	Praphullakumar Chattopadhyay		Haripal Gurudayal Institution.
2.	Narayanchandra Ghosh	...	Wesleyan Collegiate School.
3.	Pareschandra Datta	...	Howrah Zilla School.
4.	Sukumar Sen ...	...	Burdwan Municipal School.
5.	Rakhahari Chattopadhyay	...	Howrah Ripon Collegiate School.
6.	Dibakar Mukhopadhyay	...	Bankura Hindu H. E. School.

DACCA DIVISION.

1.	Phanindra Mohan Mitra	...	East Bengal Institution, Dacca.
2.	Jogischandra Chakrabarty	...	Faridpur Zilla School.
	Usakarta Guha	...	Ditto.
4.	Taranikumar Ray	...	Kisori Lal Jubilee School, Dacca.
5.	Pareschandra Chakrabarty	...	City Collegiate School, Mymensingh Branch.
6.	Susobhanchandra Sarkar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1.	Baradaprasad Brahma	...	Comilla Zilla School.
2.	Mizanur Rahaman	..	Nabinagar H. E. School.
3.	Niranjan Pal	...	Chittagong Municipal School.
4.	Manoranjan Dasgupta	...	Ditto.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1.	Kumudinikanta Chakrabarty	...	Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
2.	Harakumar Chakrabarty	...	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy
3.	Surajitchandra Lahiri	...	Pabna Zilla School.
4.	Sudhirchandra Ray	...	Dinajpur Zilla School.
5.	Mahtab Uddin Ahmed	...	Ditto.
6.	Monsural Rahman	...	Naokhila P. N. H. E. School.

C. 65 third grade scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Radhadamodar Bakshi	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
2.	Charuchandra Basu	...	Hare School, Calcutta.
3.	Azizul Haque	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
4.	Sudhansukumar Basu	...	Oriental Seminary, Calcutta.
5.	Amulyacharan Mitra	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
6.	Sudhirkumar Sen	...	South Suburban School, Bhowanipur.
	Umapada Nandi	...	Hare School, Calcutta.
	Bijaygopal Gangopadhyay	...	Scottish Churches Collegiate School.
	Subodkumar Majumdar	...	St. Mary's School, Bhowanipur.
	Syamaprasad Mukhopadhyay	...	Mitra Institution, Bhowanipur.
11.	Dhirendranath Ray	...	Hindu School, Calcutta.
12.	Debabrata Mallik	...	City Collegiate School, Calcutta.

24-PARGANAS.

1.	Krishnachandra Maitra	...	Taki Government School.
2.	Bhupendranath Basu	...	Bishtupur H. E. School.
3.	Debidas Brahma	...	Naihati Mohendra School.
4.	Lalitmohan Mandal	...	Bishtupur H. E. School.

NADIA DISTRICT.

1.	Nrisinhaprasad Sen	...	Nabadwip Hindu H. E. School.
2.	Dhirendranath Sinha	...	Ditto.

MURSHIDABAD DISTRICT.

1.	Bhabeschandra Bandyopadhyay.		Khagra L. M. S. School.
2.	Manomohan Sen	...	Krishnath Collegiate School, Berhampur.

JESSORE DISTRICT.

1.	Satischandra Ray	...	Kalia R. H. E. School.
2.	Saratchandra Ghosh	...	Bangaon H. E. School.

KHULNA DISTRICT.

1.	Jogeschandra Basu	...	Daulatpur H. E. School.
2.	Janardan Chakrabarty	...	Senhati High School.

BURDWAN DISTRICT.

1.	Bimalacharan Chakrabarty	...	Ukhara H. E. School.
2.	Adityanath Bandyopadhyay	...	Ikhra B. B. H. E. School.

BIRBHUM DISTRICT.

1	Kaliraman Bhattacharyya	...	Labpur J. L. H. E. School.

BANKURA DISTRICT.

1.	Jogeschandra Bandyopadhyay	Wesleyan Collegiate School.
2.	Ramranjan Mukhopadhyay ...	Bankura Hindu H. E School.

MIDNAPUR DISTRICT.

1.	Rashbihari Bankura	...	Tamluk Hamilton High School.
	Sajanikanta Bhaumik	...	Ditto.
3.	Nagendranath Sinha	...	Garbeta H. E. School.

HOOGHLY DISTRICT.

1.	Dhirendrachandra Kumar	...	Arambagh H. E. School.
2.	Nandadulal Das	...	Chatra Nandalal Institution.

HOWRAH DISTRICT.

1.	Sailendranath Chattopadhyay...		I. R. Belilios Institution.

DACCA DISTRICT.

1.	Kalipada Basu	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Phanibhusan Chanda	...	Kisorilal Jubilee School, Dacca.
3.	Hiralal Saha	...	Rowile High School, Dacca.
4.	Prabhucharan Guhathakurta ...		Ukil's Institution, Dacca.

MYMENSINGH DISTRICT.

1.	Herambanath Bhattacharyya ...		City Collegiate School. Mymensingh Branch.
2.	Abdus Samed	...	Kisorganj H. E. School.
3.	Bhupendrakumar Som	...	Dhalla H. E. School.

FARIDPUR DISTRICT.

1.	Prasantakumar Haldar	...	Madaripur H. E. School.
2.	Kiranbihari Ghosh	...	Bhanga High School.

BAKARGANJ DISTRICT.

1.	Mahendranath De	...	Jhalakati Government High School.
2.	Hirendranath Guha	...	Banaripar Union Institution.
3.	Debendranath Chakrabarty	...	Patuakhali J. H. E. School.

CHITTAGONG DISTRICT.

1.	Dhirendralal Nandi	...	Chittagong Municipal School.
2.	Jagatbandhu De	...	Patiya High School.

TIPPERA DISTRICT

1.	Digindranath Datta	...	Yusuff H. E. School, Comilla.
	Prabodhkumar Bhattacharyya		Nabinagar H. E. School.

NOAKHALI DISTRICT.

1.	Dineschandra Guha	...	Arun Chandra, H. E. School, Noakhali.
2.	Md. Ershad	...	Noakhali Zilla School

CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.

1.	Chandramohan Dewan	...	Rangamati H. E. School.

RAJSHAHI DISTRICT.

1.	Akshaykumar Mandal	...	Rajshahi Bholanath Academy.
2.	Nareschandra Sarkar	...	Nator Maharaja's High School.

DINAJPUR DISTRICT.

1. Praphullachandra De ... Balurghat H. E. School.

JALPAIGURI AND DARJEELING DISTRICTS.

1. Sabdarali Ahmed ... Jalpaiguri Zilla School.
2. Abaninath Bhattacharyya ... Ditto.

RANGPUR DISTRICT.

1. Alim Uddin Khan ... Saidpur H. E. School.
2. Ismail Mondal ... Gaibanda H. E. School.

BOGRA DISTRICT.

1. Sachindrakumar Mazumdar ... Bogra Zilla School.

PABNA DISTRICT.

1. Nirmalchandra Dasgupta ... Pabna Zilla School.

MALDA DISTRICT.

1. Praphullachandra Chakrabarty Malda Zilla School.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR ABORIGINES IN BANKURA, BIRBHUM AND MIDNAPUR DISTRICTS.

1. Madhusudan Hembram ... Bankura Zilla School.

EVAN E. BISS,
Offg. Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 15th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

The Half-yearly Examination of teachers in the Art of Teaching in the Chittagong Division will be held at the Chittagong Normal School on the 10th December 1917, and the following day, if necessary. The examination of teachers of vernacular and classical subjects will also be held on one of those dates at the same school.

2. The examination will consist of :—

(*a*) A practical examination in class management.

(*b*) A practical test of ability to teach by giving two lessons to a class on any three subjects, viz., English, Bengali, History Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Sanskrit, Persian etc.

(*c*) A written examination in which the candidate will have to answer some questions on the Art of Teaching, object-lessons, class control, organisation and discipline.

(*d*) The teacher will submit a course of work in one subject for three months with a diary of his actual experience in teaching it.

3. The following books on the Art of Teaching are recommended :—

1. Nutan Sikhsha Pranali, by Pramathanath Das Gupta.
2. Vidyaloy-bidhayak Bibidha Bidhan, by A. N. Adhikari.
3. Bhugal-Sikha Pranali, by Kazi Imdadul Haque.
4. Patiganit Siksha Pranali, by N. Mazumdar, Cotton Library, Dacca.
5. Pauranikikatha (History), by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, City Library, Dacca.
6. Prathamik Itihash (History), by Gurubandhu Bhattacharyya, City Library, Dacca.
7. Physiography, by Kazi Imdadul Haque, Students' Library, Dacca.

N.B.—Book Nos. 3 to 7 are recommended for all grades of teachers.

(*b*) For Matriculate teachers—

1. New Manual of Method, by Garlick
2. Wren's Indian Teachers' Guide.
3. Yate and Raja Gopalachari's Direct Method,
4. Manual for Teachers of Primary Schools, by Richey (Macmillan & Co.).

(*c*) For Graduate and I. A. passed teachers—

1. The books recommended under (*b*).
2. Lectures on Teaching—J. G. Fitch (Cambridge University Press).
3. School Management—Joseph Landon. (A. M. Holden, London).
4. A New Manual of Method—A. H. Garlick. (Longmans, Green & Co.).
5. The Principles of Education—T. Raymont. (Longmans, Green & Co.).

4. Intending candidates from high schools, Government, aided and unaided, should submit their applications to this office through the Head Masters of their schools at least a fortnight before the date of examination, and those from middle schools through the Deputy Inspectors of Schools at least three weeks before that date. Every candidate will be required to produce his University or other certificates at the time of the examination. A statement containing the following information should accompany the application of the candidate:—

1. Name of the candidate.
2. Name of the candidate's father.
3. Age of the candidate on the day of the examination.
4. The last examination which the candidate passed and the year in which he passed it.
5. Name and date of the present appointment of the candidate.
6. Period of service as a teacher.

ABDUL AZIZ,

Offg. Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Divn.

CHITTAGONG,

The 9th October 1917.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,

Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fusli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2035.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 0	·17	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. GHOSE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of Rajshahi, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on 15th day of December 1917, corresponding with the 29th Agrahayan 1324 B. S. Fusli.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than 15 feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than 3 feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
1 & 2	Rajshahi ...	Rameswarpur and Ramnagar, pargana Bhaturia and Gobindapur.	21 of the E. B. Ry.	East and west of the Railway leading from Sara to Nator.	84 0 0 3 0 0 87 0 0	28·42 1·38 29·80	.....	.....	.. ...	*North*—Hanip Sardar, Ajgar Pramanik, Kripanath Mistri, Idan Pramanik, Innat Molla, Ajgar Pramanik, Mohan Sardar and Hanip Sardar's jote land *East*—Halat Mandal, Ajgar Pramanik, Bharshu Pramanik, Faizu Mandal, Hordal Sardar, Mohan Sardar, Hanip Sardar, and Ajgar Pramanik's jote land. *South*—Ajgar Pramanik, Gobinda Sarkar, Jaintu Mandal and Kusal Mandal's jote land *West*—Kusal Mandal, Krishna Kumar Sarkar and Ismat Pramanik's jote land.

Rajshahi, the 10th October 1917.

W. H. NELSON, Collector.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room, in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of December 1917, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decrees of the said Court made in suit No. 913 of 1915 (wherein The Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China is plaintiff and Joseph Isaac, Joseph Hyam, Harry Jones and Manook Zorab are defendants), and dated, respectively, the 25th day of February 1916 and the 20th day of April 1917, the following properties :—

Lot No. I.—All that partly one, partly two, partly three and partly four storied brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house together with the revenue-free piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, situate, lying at and being premises No. 5 (formerly No. 2), Council House Street in the Southern Division of the town of Calcutta, containing by measurement 1 bigha 1 cottah 6 chitaks and 18 square feet, being holding No. 33, block No. 21, and bounded on the north by the premises No. 6, Council House Street, being lot No. 2 herein, on the south by premises No. 4, Council House Street, on the east partly by Fancy Lane, partly by premises No. 4, Council House Street, and partly by premises No. 6, Council House Street, and on the west by Council House Street. The above premises are subject to a lease in favour of Messrs. Gladstone, Wyllie & Co for a term of 21 years from the 1st day of January 1912 the terms of which appeared in the abstract.

Lot No. II.—All that double storied brick-built messuage, hereditaments or dwelling-house together with the revenue redeemed piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and whereof the same is erected and built, situate, lying at and being premises No. 6, Council House Street, in the Southern Division of the town of Calcutta, containing by measurement 12 cottahs 6 chitaks and 28 square feet, being holding No. 19, block No. 21, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north and east by Fancy Lane, on the west partly by Council House Street and partly by premises No. 5, Council House Street, being lot No. 1 herein, and on the south by the said premises No. 5, Council House Street. The above premises are held by Messrs. Becker, Grey & Co. under a monthly tenancy at a rental of Rs. 1,000

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Registrar in the Court-house or at the office of Messrs. Morgan & Co., the plaintiff's attorneys, at No. 1, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day prior to the sale and they will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Morgan & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, dated the 19th July 1917. (2669—1—2625)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, VI of 1878, that, on the 21st June 1917, treasure consisting of Rs. 46 of the description noted in the margin was discovered in the wall of the house of Perumal Nayudu, when it was demolished for reconstruction in the village of Chinna Koliyur, Kallakurichi taluk, South Arcot district, Madras Presidency.

Full rupees of the year—

	Rs.
1862	16
1877	2
1878	2
1879	1
1882	2
1887	2
1891	1
1892	4
1893	1
1900	1
1901	2
1903	2
1904	1
1905	1
1906	5
1907	2
1916	1
Total ...	46

2. All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of South Arcot at his office in Cuddalore on 4th March 1918 in order to have the matter enquired into and determined according to law.

J. K. LANCASHIRE, Acting Collector.

Collector's Office, the 6th October 1917.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

In the matter of the Liquidation of the Darjeeling Press Co., Ltd., Darjeeling.

(*Under the Indian Companies Act*)

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the shareholders of the abovenamed Company will be held at Willow Bank, Jail Road, Darjeeling, on Sunday, the 4th November 1917, at 4 P.M., to pass the Liquidators' final account, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the properties disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators of their action in the matter and also to determine the manner in which the books of account and other papers of the Company and those of the Liquidators thereof should be disposed of.

RAJENDRA NATH DE,
HARAN CHANDRA BOSE, } Liquidators

Darjeeling, the 3rd October 1917. (2614—3—2623)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR	Day or date of closing of mails	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *vid* United Kingdom.	Friday, 2nd Nov.	6-15	7-15	5-30	6-0
		(Money orders, 4 P.M. on Thursday; parcels, 10 A.M. on Friday.)			
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	Thursday, 1st Nov.	6-15	...	5-30	...
Ceylon	Daily ...	4-30	5-0	4-0	4-30
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NOTICE.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th October 1917.*

CHINA, EAST COAST—HONG KONG—NEW STORM-SIGNALS ESTABLISHED.

No. 274 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 877 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Hong kong, lat. 22° 18′ N., long. 114° 10′ E.

The undermentioned systems of storm-signals have been substituted for those formerly in use at Hong kong :—

1. LOCAL STORM-SIGNALS.

DAY SIGNALS.

Signal	Symbol	Meaning.
1	▲	A typhoon exists which may possibly cause a gale at Hong kong within 24 hours.
2	▲	Gale expected from the North (N.W. to N.E.)
3	▼	" " " South (S.E. to S.W.)
4	■	" " " East (N.E. to S.E.)
5	■	" " " West (N.W. to S.W.)
6	✕	Gale expected to increase.
7	✚	Wind of typhoon force expected (any direction).

The symbol for signal No. 1 is coloured red, the remaining symbols are black.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by three explosive bombs, fired at intervals of 10 seconds at the Water Police Station and repeated at the Harbour Office.

The signals will be lowered when it is considered that all danger is over.

The Day Signals will be displayed at the masthead of the storm-signal mast on Blackhead Hill, the Harbour Office, H.M.S. *Tamar*, Green Island signal mast, a flagstaff on the premises of the Hong kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, a flagstaff on the premises of the Standard Oil Company at Lai-chi-kok, and a flagstaff near the Field Officer's Quarters at Lyemun.

NIGHT SIGNALS (LIGHTS).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	RED
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	RED

The Night Signals will be displayed, at sunset, on the tower of the Railway Station, on H.M.S. *Tamar*, and on the Harbour Office flagstaff. They will have the same signification as the day signals.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by explosive bombs as above, in the event of the information conveyed by this signal being first published at night.

SUPPLEMENTARY WARNINGS.

When signals are displayed in the Harbour a cone will be exhibited at the following stations—

Gap Rock	Sau Ki Wan
Waglan	Sai Kung
Stanley	Sha Tau Kok
Aberdeen	Tai Po

to notify the fact to native craft and passing ocean vessels.

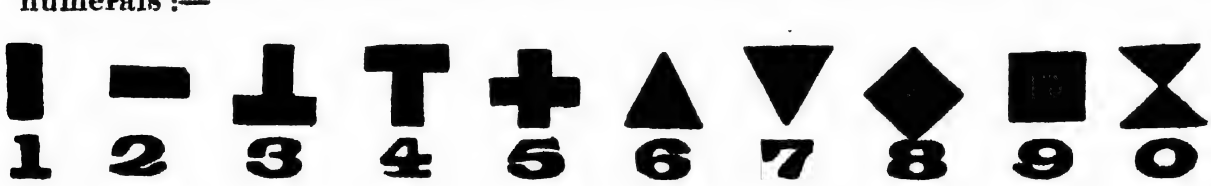
Further details can always be given to ocean vessels, on demand, by signal from lighthouses.

The object of the code is to give at least 24 hours warning of a gale (Force 8 by Beaufort Scale, or 40-45 m.p.h., mean velocity by Dines Anemometer) and also warnings of expected changes in the direction and force of the wind. Owing however to the uncertain movements of typhoon, and to insufficient telegraphic observations, it will occasionally happen that signals 2 to 5 may be displayed without a gale occurring at Hong kong, or even Gap Rock, but the reverse is not likely to happen, except in the case typhoons forming in the vicinity and travelling rapidly towards Hong kong, or of a located typhoon increasing its rate of progression abnormally.

Signal No. 1 is intended as a warning to "Stand By" and watch for the next signal.

2. NON-LOCAL STORM SIGNALS.

The Signals are made by means of ten symbols representing the ten numerals :—



They are displayed at the yard arms of the Storm Signal mast on Blackhead Hill, and remain until an order to change or lower is received from the Observatory.

The following information is given :—

Typhoon and Continental Depression Signals :

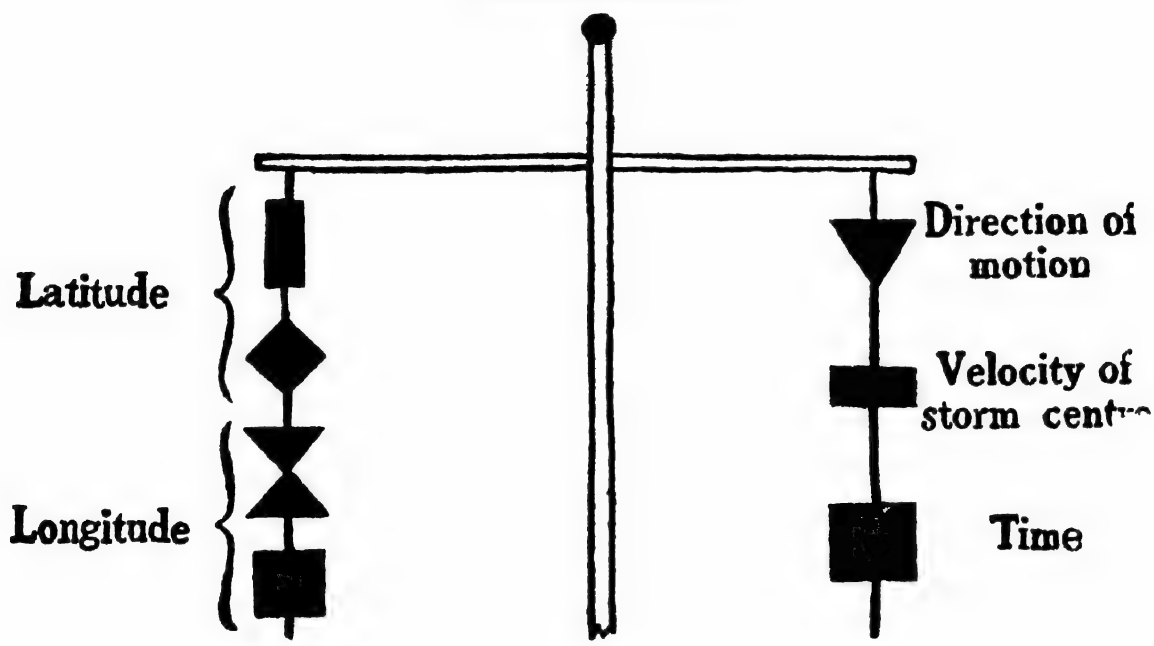
(*a*) Position of centre ; by 4 symbols at one yard arm.

(*b*) Direction of motion and velocity of centre, and the time ; by 3 symbols at the other yard arm (Tables 1, 2 and 3).

Gale signals :

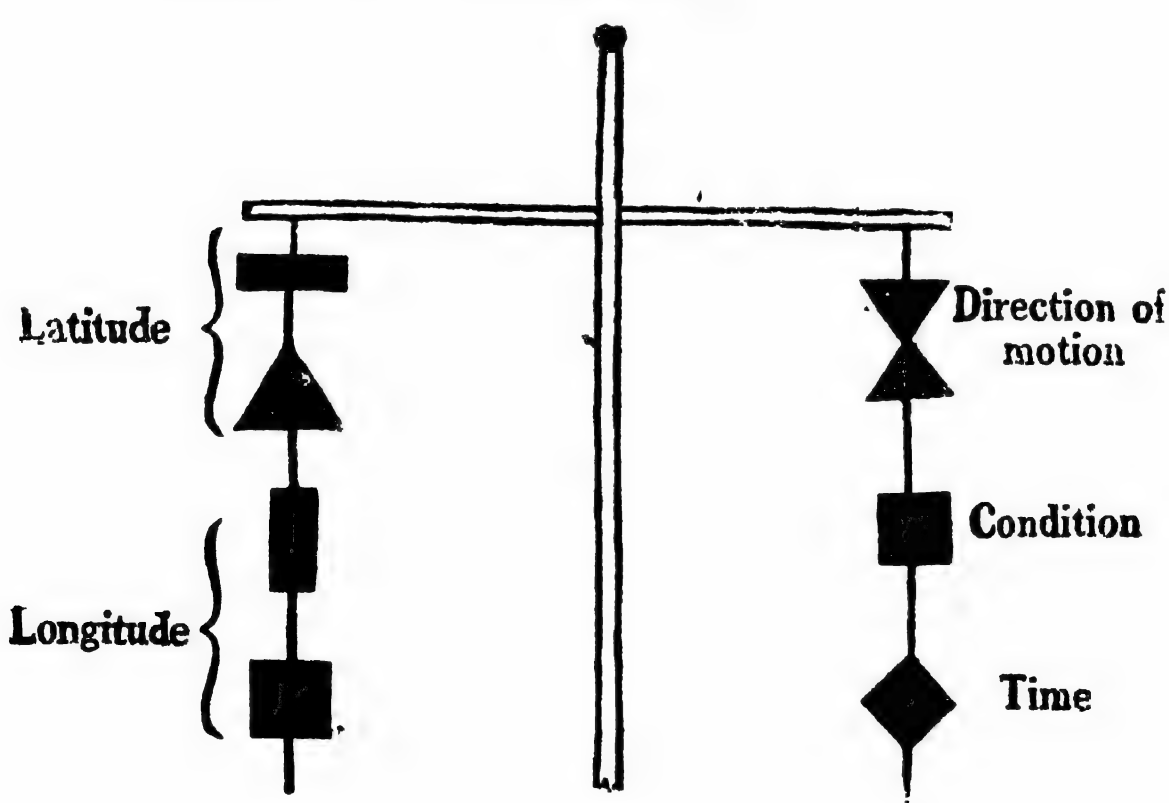
(*c*) The region threatened, the direction from which the gale is expected, and the time ; by 3 symbols at one yard arm (Tables 3 and 4).

TYPHOON SIGNAL.



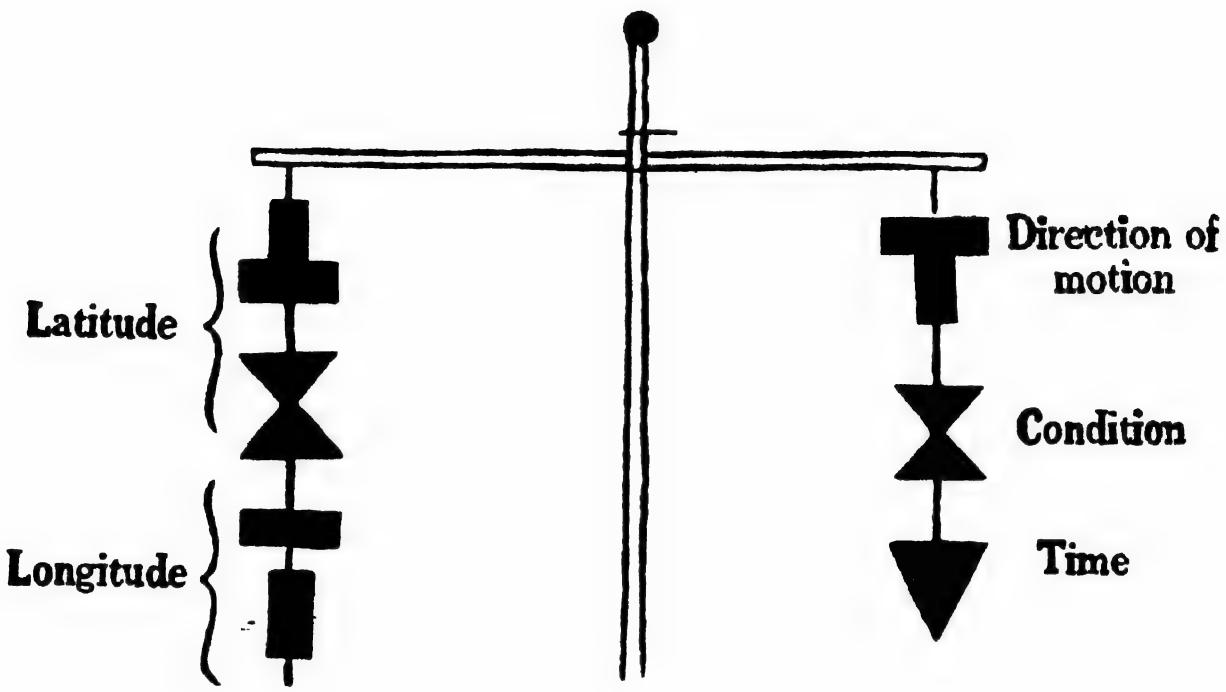
Conditions at 2 P M. to-day indicated a typhoon in about latitude 18° N., and longitude 109° E., travelling W N. W. at the rate of 8 to 12 miles per hour.

TYPHOON SIGNAL.



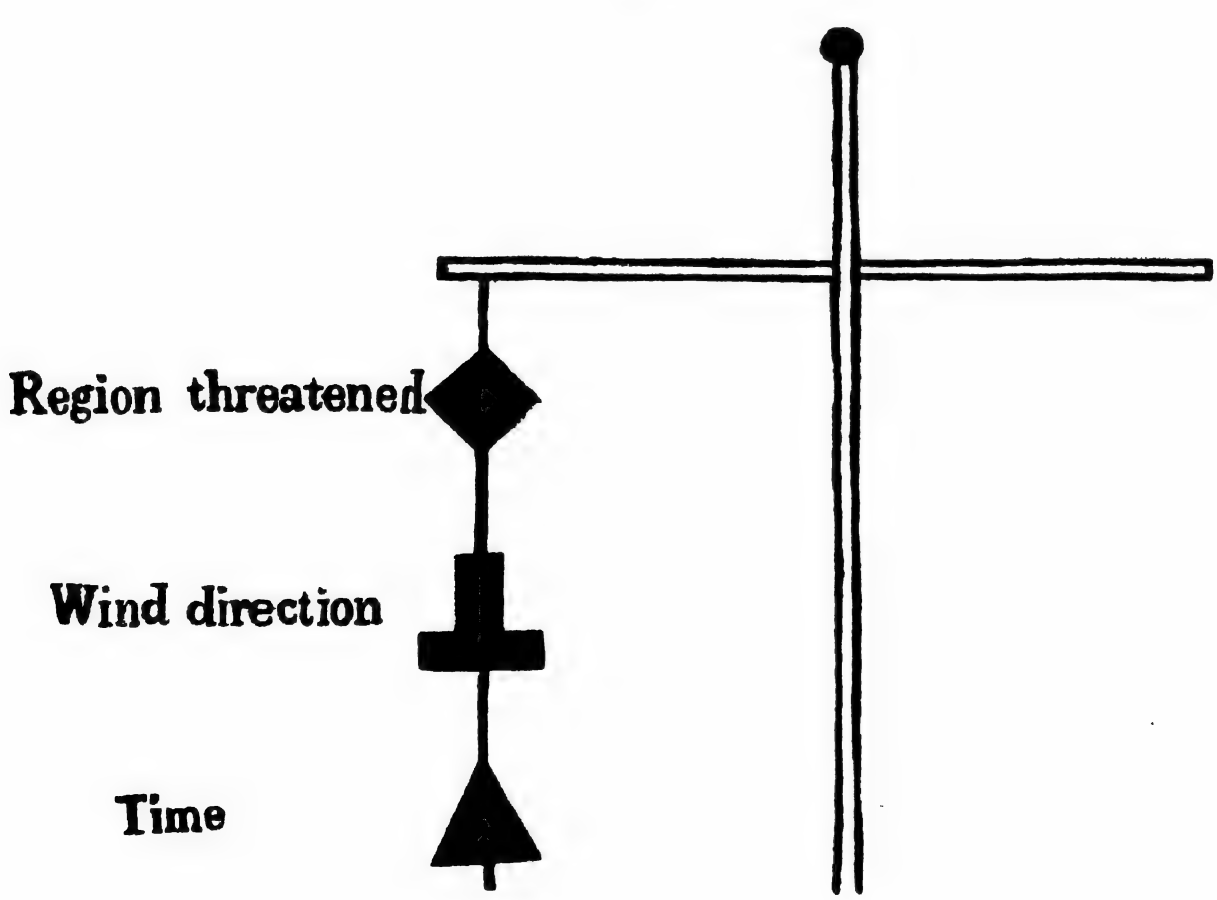
Conditions at 6 A.M. to-day indicated a typhoon filling up in about latitude 26° N., and longitude 119° E. Direction of motion unknown.

CONTINENTAL DEPRESSION SIGNAL.



Conditions at 2 P.M. yesterday indicated a continental depression in about latitude 30° N. and longitude 121° E. travelling E. or E.S.E.

GALE SIGNAL.



Conditions at 6 A.M. yesterday indicated a N.E. gale in the Formosa Channel.

EXPLANATION OF THE SIGNALS.

The two upper signals of group (*a*) indicate the latitude, and the two lower symbols the longitude of the centre of the Typhoon or Depression in degrees, as nearly as can be ascertained from the information available. Only the tens and units of the longitude are given ; thus, 09 indicates longitude 109 E.

The upper symbol of group (*b*) indicates the direction in which the Typhoon or Depression is travelling (Table 1).

The middle symbol of group (*b*) indicates the velocity at which the centre of the Typhoon is travelling. Alternatively it may indicate certain conditions, or a Continental Depression. In such cases no velocity is given.

The lowest symbol of group (*b*) indicates the time at which the centre was in the position signalled.

The upper symbol of group (*c*) indicates the region threatened ; the middle symbol the direction from which the gale is expected, and the lowest symbol the time at which gale conditions were first indicated.

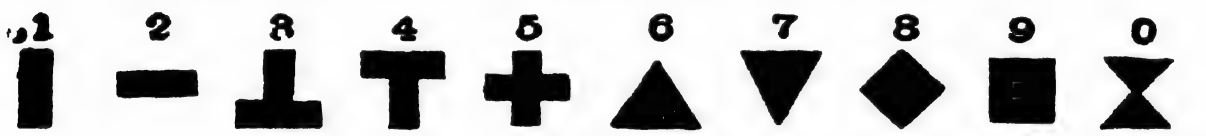
Caution.—Under the most favourable circumstances the position signal indicates only the degree of latitude and longitude nearest to the estimated position of the centre. When the centre is far from any reporting station, or when telegraphic reports are lacking, the position signalled may be as much as 2° in error, both in latitude and longitude, and the velocity and direction of motion will then be in error by corresponding amounts.

It should be particularly noted that the velocity signalled is the mean for the previous 16 or 24 hours.

TABLE NO. 1.—DIRECTION SIGNALS.

Upper symbol of hoist.

These indicate the direction in which a typhoon or depression is travelling, or the direction from which a monsoon gale is expected.

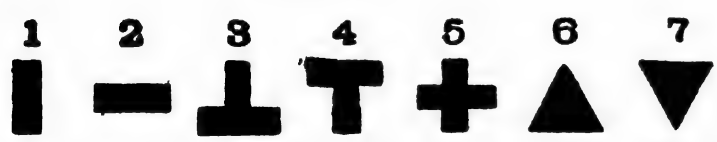


1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
N.	N N.E.	N.E.	E. or E.S.E.	W.S.W.	W	W.N.W.	N.W.	N.N.W.	Unknown.

TABLE NO. 2.—VELOCITY AND CONDITION SIGNALS.

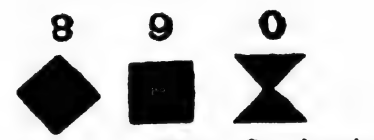
Middle symbol of hoist.

VELOCITY.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7
m.p.h. 4-8	m.p.h 8-12	m p h. 13-20	m.p.h. 21-30	above 30 m p.h.	Nearly stationary.	Velocity unknown.

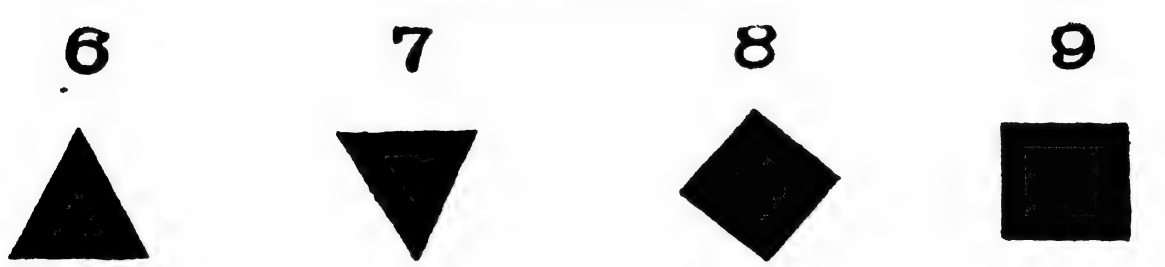
CONDITION.



8	9	0
Forming.	Filling up.	Continental Depression.

TABLE NO. 3.—TIME SIGNALS.

Lowest symbol of hoist.



6	7	8	9
6 a.m. Yesterday.	2 p.m. Yesterday.	6 a.m. To-day.	2 p.m. To-day.

TABLE No. 4.—REGIONS THREATENED BY MONSOON GALES.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
South of Kiushu.	East Coast of Japan.	North of Hokkaido.	Sea of Japan.	Gulf of Pechili	Chusan Id. to Shantung Promontory.	Formosa to Chusan	Formosa Channel.	Gulf of Tongking to Swatau.	Annam Coast

Warnings according to the above code are sent by the Cable Companies to Sharp Peak, Amoy, Swatau, Canton, Wu chau, Pakhoi, Hoihau, Haifong, Macao, Manila, Labuan and Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 32, 510, 511, 512.

Authority.—The Director, Royal Observatory, Hong Kong. (*H. 4973/17.*)

MADAGASCAR, WEST COAST.

Tulléar Channel—Extension of Shoal Water.

No. 275 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 879 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Tulléar lat. 23° 21′ S., long. 43° 39½′ E.

Details.—The shore bank off Anosi extends about 3 cables further south-westward than charted; a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart and the track recommended in this vicinity is to be moved slightly to the westward in consequence, the inner leading line, Mainia or Table hill, bearing S. 57° E., which formerly led up to the anchorage, being expunged.

Chart affected.—No. 692, St. Augustine and Tulléar bays.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 453.

Authority.—Journal Official de Madagascar of 12th May 1917. (*H. 4665/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho Approach—Obstruction reported.

No. 276 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 890 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 11 cables, 123° (*S. 52° E Mag.*) from So Wolmi (Soorumi to) lighthouse.
Lat. 37° 27′ N., long. 126° 35¼′ E.

Description.—An obstruction, believed to be a piece of wreckage.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Obstruction reported (1917).*"

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1270, Approaches to Chemulpho anchorage with plan.

„ 1258, Approaches to Seoul.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 609.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 87 of 1917. (*H. 3582/17.*)

The 13th October 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab Approach—Steam Pilot Vessel established.

No. 271 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 141-M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 111-M. of 1917 (*This Office No. 206 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Details.—Information has now been received that a Steam Pilot Vessel has been established and usually stationed near the Shatt-al-Arab Light-Vessel.

Note.—This Steam Pilot Vessel is liable to be off her usual station, and *not the Light-Vessel* as stated in the former Notice quoted above.

Correction.—The remark in the 36th Issue of Indian Light List for 1917, page 13, No. 182, is to be deleted accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
„ 2837b, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R.I.M.S. "Nearchus," dated August 1917.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Caution. Tienshengkang—River bank protection works.

No. 272 (second publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 645 of 1917) issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 627, notice is hereby given that it has become necessary to again draw the attention of mariners to the river bank protection works on the left bank of the Yangtze River from Tienshengkang towards North Tree Beacon.

These works are spur-dikes, built of stone. They are submerged and project up to 600 feet into the river.

Mariners are therefore cautioned against navigating their vessels too close to the river bank in this locality."

CHINA SEA—OUKIANG, APPROACH TO THE PORT OF WENCHOW.

Chitu island—Crossing beacons discontinued.

No. 273 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 646 of 1917) that the Crossing Beacons on Chitu Island, Oukiang, approach to the Port of Wenchow, have been discontinued.

The 9th October 1917.

CHINA SEA—HAITAN STRAIT—WILSON CHANNEL.

Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, northern turning point—White Cairns established.

No. 256 (third publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 643 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Notice is hereby given that two *white* cairns have been erected to mark the northern turning point for the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line, Wilson Channel, Haitan Strait.

These two *white* cairns are located on the eastern side of the Haitan Strait. The front cairn is situated on the 7-foot rock to the northward of Middle Island; the rear cairn is situated on the 15-foot Saxby Islet.

These cairns in line bear N. 85° E., magnetic, and mark a point where vessels leave the Pass Island Beacons Leading Line when bound to the northward."

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER—SHANGHAI DISTRICT.

Confucius Channel—Alterations in buoyage.

No. 257 (third publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 644 of 1917), issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished:—

"Referring to Special Notice to Mariners No. 489, notice is hereby given that in consequence of the shoal that has been located at the north-western entrance to the Confucius Channel, Yangtze River, the following alterations in buoyage have been made:—

The Centaur Lower Buoy has been moved and is now moored in 40 feet of water on the southern side of the channel, its characteristics remaining unchanged. From the Buoy, Mason Point Beacon bears N. 51½° E., distant 5·81 miles.

The Centaur Upper Buoy has been moved and its navigating colour changed from *red* to *black*. It is now moored in about 28 feet of water on the southern side of the channel and the northern edge of the shoal, and from the Buoy Mason Point Beacon bears N. 81½° E., distant 6·15 miles.

All bearings given are magnetic, and depths are those of low water of spring tides.

CAUTION.

As rapid changes are apparently taking place in this section of the river it should be navigated with caution."

SOUTH AUSTRALIA—GULF OF ST. VINCENT.

Oyster Bay Spit—Beacon replaced; temporary buoy removed.

No. 258 (third publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 150 of 1917 issued by this Office, the President of the Marine Board, Port Adelaide, has given further Notice (No. 10 of 1917) that the beacon marking the Northern End of the South Spit has been replaced, and the temporary buoy removed.

This affects Admiralty charts Nos. 2152 and 2389.

AFRICA, EAST COAST AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 259 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 804 of 1917), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 775 of 1917 (*This office No. 252 of 1917*); hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—
   All lights on the coast of Italian Somáliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.
2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.
Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. RÉUNION.

All lights in the island of Réunion have been re-exhibited.

III. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius are extinguished.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 4721-17.*)

KOREA, SOUTH COAST—SHADWELL GULF.

Cho Do—Light established.

No. 260 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 812 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the northern extreme of the eastern end of Cho do, at a distance of $3\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 178° (*S. 2° W. Mag.*), from the small islet off the extremity of Marquand point.
Lat. 34° 45½′ N., long. 128° 25½′ E.

Abridged description.—Lt. Gp. Fl. (2) *ev. 6 sec., 151 ft., vis. 12 m.* (U).

Details :

Character.—A *group flashing white* light showing *two* flashes *every six seconds*, thus :—

2 Flashes.	eclipse.
1½ secs.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—151 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White circular brick tower, 24 feet in height to centre of lantern.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.
Variation.—4° W.
Charts affected.—No. 2972, Shadwell and Cargodo gulfs.
„ 3366, Fusan harbour to Port Hamilton.
„ 104, Korean archipelago, southern portion.
„ 358, Western coasts of Kiusiu and Honshū.
„ 3480, Shantung promontory to Nagasaki.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI. 1917, No. 1766*a*.
E. C. Korea, &c., Pilot, 1913, page 61.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 58 of 1917. (*H. 2995/17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—North Island.

Auckland Harbour—Correction to Former Notice.

No. 261 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 813 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 771 of 1917. (*This Office No. 251 of 1917.*)
Position.—Stokes point, lat. 36° 49½′ S., long. 174° 45′ E.
Correction.—In paragraph (*b*) of "Position" *for* 4½ cables, 15° (*North Mag.*), *read* 4½ cables, 195° (*South Mag.*).
Variation.—15° E.
Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 42.
Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4862/17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Billiton Island, West Coast.

Tanjong Pandan Approach—Alteration in Lights on Light Buoys.

No. 262 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 816 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) *Position.*—Marking the north extreme of Karang Tenga.
Lat. 2° 43½′ S., long. 107° 33′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light-buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, thus :—

Light.	eclipse.
10 secs.	10 secs.

(2) *Position.*—Northward of Batu Kyang.
Lat. 2° 44′ S., long 107° 34½′ E.
Alteration.—The flashing white light on this light-buoy has been replaced by an *occulting white* light *every twenty seconds*, as in (1).
Charts affected.—No. 3597, Approaches to Tanjong Pandan.
„ 2137, Gaspar strait.
„ 2149, Banka and Gaspar straits.
„ 2160, Carimata strait.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. II, 1915, page 163.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 889 of 1917. (*H. 4415-17.*)

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—Madura, South Coast.

Tanjung Point—Light established.

No. 263 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 823 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 7° 07′ 50″ S., long. 113° 53′ 45″ E., on chart No. 934.

Abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *ev. 3 sec., 59 ft., vis. 12 m.*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
1 sec.	2 secs.

Elevation.—59 feet.
Visibility.—12 miles.
Structure.—White iron framework, 43 feet in height.

Charts affected.—No. 934. Plan of Sapudi strait.
„ 1654, Island of Java, eastern portion.
„ 941*b*, Eastern archipelago, sheet 2.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 920*a*.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part II, 1913, page 166.

Authority.—Hague Notices Nos. 880 and 943 of 1917. (*H. 4410-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

Chalang Bay—Rock reported.

No. 264 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 825 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ cables southward from Johore reef and 3$\frac{8}{10}$ cables, 178° (*S. 1° E. Mag.*), from the conspicuous house shown on the chart.
Lat. 4° 37½′ N., long. 95° 35½′ E.

Depth.—4 feet.
Note.—The rock is to be marked on the chart "*reported* (1917)."
Variation.—1° W.
Chart affected.—No. 1701, Plan of Rigas and Chalang bays.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, page 320.
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 878 of 1917. (*H. 4419-17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—BISAN SETO.

Ozuchi Jima—Wreck south-eastward of.

No. 265 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 829 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of one mile, 130° (*S. 45° E. Mag.*), from Ozuchi jima summit.
Lat. 34° 24½′ N., long. 133° 56′ E.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a sailing vessel.
Variation.—5° W.
Charts affected.—No. 128, Channels between Bingo nada and Ozuchi jima.
„ 1969, Ozuchi jima to Funoko sima.
„ 2875, Naikai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 77 of 1917. (*H. 3576-17.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Portland Bay—Alteration in Character of Light.

No. 266 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 838 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On outer end of New pier.
Lat. 38° 20¾′ S., long. 141° 37′ E.
New abridged description—Lt. Fl., *Red ev. 3 sec*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing red every three seconds.*
Charts affected.—No. 1062, Rivoli bay to Cape Otway, with plan.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, southern portion.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2393.
Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1907, page 391; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 9 of 1917. (*H. 4532-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND, SOUTH ISLAND.

Westport Harbour, Western Breakwater—Alteration in Position of Light.

No. 267 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 840 of 1917), are republished :—

New position.—On the extreme end of the western breakwater, and at a distance of about 400 feet northward from former position,
Lat. 41° 43½′ S., long. 171° 35½′ E.
Description.—A *fixed red* light.
Note.—The Notes with regard to works in progress, in connection with the extension of the above breakwater, are to be expunged from the charts.
Chart affected.—No. 2591, Plan of Buller bay and Westport harbour.
Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 3080.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 326; Supplement No. 3, 1917.
Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 9 of 1917 (*H. 2183-17.*)

SUMATRA, WEST COAST.

(*1*) *Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale—Buoy withdrawn.*
(*2*) *Gosong Reef—Buoy withdrawn.*

No. 268 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 842 of 1917), are republished :—

(1) Telok Brambang, Karang Sigale.

Position.—On the western side of Karang Sigale, at a distance of about one mile south-westward from Ujong Brambang.
Lat. 0° 29½′ N., long. 99° 04′ E.
Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.

(2) Gosong Reef.

Position.—On the western side of the reef, at a distance of about 4 miles south-eastward from Pulo Ujong.
Lat. 0° 28½′ S., long. 99° 57½′ E.
Description.—A black conical buoy with ball topmark.
Charts affected.—No. 709, Ujong Masang to Ujong Indrapura
„ 2760, Acheh head to Chingkuk bay, with plan.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. I, 1916, pages 361, 369
Authority.—Hague Notice No. 887 of 1917. (*H. 4413-17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—KALAMIANES GROUP.

Busuanga—Shoal westward of.

No. 269 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 847 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 12 miles, westward, from Talamputan.

Lat. 12° 07′ 18″ N., long. 119° 37′ 48″ E., on chart No. 2577.

Depth.—4¼ fathoms.

Charts affected.—No. 2577, Philippine islands between San Bernardino and Mindoro straits.
„ 967, Palawan island.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 2661*b*, China sea, northern portion—eastern sheet.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 51.
China Sea Pilot, Vol. IV, 1912, page 209.

Authority.—U.S.A., Hyd. Office Notice No. 1617 of 1917. (*H. 4796-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Auckland Harbour—Prohibited Anchorage.

No. 270 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 853 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—The Bastion, lat. 36° 50¾′ S. long. 174° 49¼′ E.

Details.—Anchorage is prohibited in the entrance to Auckland harbour, within an area enclosed between the following limits :—

On the East.—By a line drawn from the light beacon off the Bastion, in a 326° (*N. 49° W. Mag.*), direction to North Head.

On the West.—By a line drawn from the small jetty, situated about half a cable southwest-ward of the Bastion jetty, in a 323° (*N. 52° W. Mag.*), direction to the end of the Defence wharf at Depôt flat.

Variation.—15° E.

Charts affected.—No. 1970, Auckland harbour and approaches.
„ 1896, Entrances to Auckland harbour.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 39; Supplement No. 3 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 45 of 1917. (*H. 4857-17.*)

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES, BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1917.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

AGRICULTURE.

DARJEELING, THE 26TH OCTOBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 2209T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Department of Fisheries, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa, for the year ending the 30th June 1917.

IN May 1917 the Department of Fisheries was inaugurated as a separate department, and Mr. T. Southwell who, as Deputy Director of Fisheries, had formerly been subordinate to the Director of Agriculture, was appointed to be Director of Fisheries. Mr. Mohsin, one of the two Superintendents of Fisheries, resigned his appointment towards the end of the year under report: his place has since been filled.

2. The improvement of fisheries, as stated in Mr. Southwell's report, involves the solution of two main problems, the increase in the number of fish available and the organisation of the trade in fish; in other words, the department has to deal with fish and with fishermen. The most important aspect of the past year's work is the increased attention which has been paid to the problems of fishermen. The number of co-operative societies among fishermen has grown from 7 to 12. Much interest attaches to the formation of a co-operative society among a few fishermen in a large Government fishery in the Ganges in the neighbourhood of Rajmahal, and to the attempt to arrange for the sale of their catches in Calcutta without the intervention of middlemen. The financial results were so successful that the fishermen received Rs. 14 a maund for their fish in place of Rs. 5, but the members of the society with whom the fishery was settled gave up fishing and sublet the fishery to others. It is evident that much patient work will be necessary before the spirit of co-operation can be developed; and it will probably be necessary to form small societies for strictly limited areas. The work done in connection with this society led to enquiries about the conduct of the fish trade in Calcutta and disclosed the difficulties which are encountered by small traders in bringing consignments of fish to Calcutta and selling them there. The arrangements which have been made for providing better facilities for the education of fishermen's children in two villages in Dacca district constitute a step in the right direction.

3. There has been a notable extension of the useful work of supplying carp fry for cultivation in tanks, the quantity supplied amounting to 6 lakhs of fry compared with 2½ lakhs in the previous year: as the fry are paid for by the public, it is obvious that they are found satisfactory. The completion of the carp tanks at Delabagh in Arrah district will improve the supply of pure fry, and the success in the artificial cultivation of catla gives promise of making it possible to avoid the introduction of predatory fish which is the chief obstacle to the successful cultivation of fish in tanks. The very necessary investigation into the habits of hilsa was continued: artificial cultivation, however, was not achieved, and no discovery of economic value as regards hilsa has yet been made.

4. The statistics of fish imported into Calcutta, which are now compiled in a systematic and comprehensive manner, show marked fluctuations: in the year under review the total imports show an increase of 44 per cent. over the largest amount imported in any of the previous four years: the increased imports from the Chilka Lake are remarkable.

5. The Governor in Council is pleased to hear of the increase in the number of enquiries made from the Department by the public. He recognizes that Mr. Southwell has to deal with very large problems with the aid of a very limited staff, and shares his opinion that there is a great future for the fisheries of Bengal. His thanks are due to Mr. Southwell for his patient labours of the past year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE LAND REVENUE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 1917.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

DARJEELING, THE 24TH OCTOBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 2196T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Land Revenue Administration of the Presidency of Bengal for the year ending 31st March 1917.

THE Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan held charge of the office of Member of the Board of Revenue from the 1st April to the 25th October 1916, and the Hon'ble Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O., for the rest of the year.

2. **General conditions of the year.**—The outturn of crops and the material condition of the people were generally satisfactory. Famine relief operations in Bankura were closed in November 1916, and a bumper crop of winter rice restored normal conditions. Except in small areas which suffered from floods, the harvests in the districts of Tippera, Mymensingh and Noakhali which had suffered from floods in the previous year were excellent. In the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Midnapore and in the Chittagong Hill Tracts some damage was caused by floods at the end of September, and relief measures on a small scale were found necessary. The total amount advanced during the year under the Agriculturists' Loans Act was Rs. 8,39,291, the bulk of which was distributed in the districts of Bankura, Burdwan and Noakhali. Out of Rs. 70,985 advanced under the Land Improvement Loans Act, Rs. 67,585 were expended in Bankura. Suspension of rent and cesses to the extent of about Rs. 21,000 was sanctioned for the two Government estates, Chaora and Kukua, in the district of Bakarganj.

3. **Land Revenue demand and collection.**—The current demand was Rs. 2,77,87,002, the increase of nearly 2 lakhs over the preceding year being mostly due to new settlements, re-settlements and progressive increase of demands in temporarily-settled and Government estates. The collections amounted to Rs. 2,77,47,134, or 99·85 per cent. of the current demand and 93·77 per cent. of the total demand. Remissions amounted to Rs. 72,710.

4. **Road and Public Works Cesses.**—There was an increase of Rs. 1,43,851 in the current demand owing to revaluation proceedings and annual revision of assessment of mines. The percentage of total collection on the current demand was almost the same as in the previous year, being 100·8 against 100·6, and 13 districts against 14 in the preceding year attained the standard of 100 per cent. on the current demand.

Valuations or revaluations, partial or complete, were made in 11 out of the 25 districts in which the Act is in force and were completed in 6. Revaluation operations conducted by the Settlement Department were also in progress in the districts of Dacca, Noakhali and Rajshahi. The question of the modification of the special procedure for making cess revaluations simultaneously with the preparation of record-of-rights is still under consideration.

The current demand of land revenue for the cess-paying districts is more than 2½ crores, and the gross rental on which the cesses are based is nearly 12½ crores. The land revenue is thus about 20 per cent. of the rental.

5. **Coercive measures.**—The number of estates which defaulted in the payment of land revenue and became liable to sale was 11,030, or over 1,400 less than that of the previous year. The largest number of defaults occurred in the districts of Chittagong and Midnapore. Only 981 estates, or less than 9 per cent. of the estates which defaulted, were actually sold, against 1,087

in 1915-16. Sales were proportionately most numerous in the Hooghly and Dacca districts. The number of certificates filed, inclusive of those for cess, was 1,05,814 against 96,639 in the preceding year. The number of cess certificates decreased by 1,964, but there was an increase in the number of revenue certificates by 11,139, which was shared by many districts and was due to various local causes. The number of cases pending at the close of the year showed a decrease of 2,073.

In the majority of cases payments were made on the issue of notices or on attachment of property; and it was necessary to resort to actual sale in only 3,461 cases, or 3·2 per cent. of 107,887 cases disposed of during the year.

6. **Condition of the raiyats in Government estates and expenditure on improvements and education.**—The condition of the tenants in Government estates was generally satisfactory during the year. The total number of estates under direct management, including those of private individuals managed by Government was 2,281, with a current demand of Rs. 42,80,162. Out of Rs. 62,800 expended on miscellaneous and sanitary improvements, nearly two-thirds were for drainage, irrigation and embankments. There were 2,241 schools attended by 75,998 pupils in the Government estates. The expenditure on roads and communications in Government estates was Rs. 3,09,195, of which Rs. 70,335 were met from the Government 1½ per cent. grant and the rest from local funds.

7. **Waste lands.**—The rules for the grant of waste land leases in the 24-Parganas and Khulna portions of the Sundarbans continue to be in abeyance. Experimental raiyatwari settlements on the lines of the Bakarganj colonization scheme are being made in certain lots of the 24-Parganas Sundarbans by a specially selected officer. In the Bakarganj portion of the Sundarbans 638 new colonists were settled on 24,805 bighas of land, against 416 colonists on 24,070 bighas in the previous year. The progress of this scheme is satisfactory.

8. **Drainage, irrigation and embankments.**—No important drainage or irrigation projects were undertaken. The problem of mitigating the severity of the floods of the river Damodar in the districts of Burdwan, Hooghly, Howrah and Midnapore is receiving the attention of Government; and work in connection with the Damodar Reservoir Enquiry Survey is in progress. The Gumti embankments in the district of Tippera, which are maintained by zamindars, were breached by floods, and extensive damage was done to the crops in the inundated area. With a view to improve the embankments it is proposed to put them under the charge of Government with the consent of the zamindars.

9. **Partitions.**—Forty-eight cases were instituted during the year and 273 were pending at the end of the previous year. Fifty cases were disposed of and 271 were pending at the close of the year.

10. **Working of the Bengal Tenancy Act.**—No new facts came to light in the working of the Bengal Tenancy Act. The levy of *abwabs* and of legal cesses at rates in excess of those prescribed by the law, and the failure to grant proper rent receipts are still prevalent. The record-of-rights is appreciated by tenants and assists them in combating illegal claims of landlords. There was an increase in the number of rent money-orders issued, but the amount covered by them decreased. The percentage of money-orders refused by landlords rose from 16·9 in the preceding year to 19·1 in the year under report. The Bill to amend the law relating to the transferability of occupancy holdings by aboriginals has been introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, and the Bill relating to the transfer of occupancy holdings generally is still under consideration.

11. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the Board for its efficient administration of the Land Revenue Department during the year.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF WARDS', ATTACHED AND TRUST ESTATES IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE BENGALI YEAR 1323 (1916-17).

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

LAND REVENUE.

DARJEELING, THE 27TH OCTOBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 2211T.R.

READ—

The Report of the Board of Revenue on the Administration of Wards', Attached and Trust Estates in the Presidency of Bengal for the Bengali year 1323 (1916-17).

Number of Estates under management.—Two new estates were taken charge of and four estates were released, leaving 55 estates under the management of the Court of Wards at the end of the year, against 57 in the preceding year.

2. **Payment of revenue and cesses.**—The total amount of revenue and cesses due to Government, including arrears, was nearly 14 lakhs, of which about 13 lakhs or 93 per cent. was paid, against 92·1 per cent. in the preceding year. The heaviest balance, due by the Tagore estate, is attributed to the unsatisfactory financial condition of the estate.

3. **Rent and cesses due to superior landlords.**—An improvement was made in the payment of rent and cesses due to superior landlords, the amount paid being 83·2 per cent. of the amount due against 79·6 in the previous year. The balance of Rs. 95,071. out of a total demand of Rs. 5,85,290, is said to be due mainly to disputes regarding title and interests of superior landlords, non-adjustment of accounts, and accumulation of petty dues allowed by superior landlords.

4. **Collection of rent and cesses.**—There was a satisfactory increase in the percentage of collections on current demand from 94·5 in 1915-16 to 110·7 in 1916-17. The standard of 100 per cent. was exceeded in all the divisions, the highest percentage (117·7) being attained in the Chittagong Division. The outstanding balances due to all estates aggregate over 57 lakhs or 138·8 per cent. on the current demand, against 145·8 per cent. in the previous year. The balances exceeded the current demand in all but the Rajshahi Division. They are expected to be considerably reduced on the conclusion of the settlement operations in certain districts and on the release of the Tagore estate as a result of the decree obtained by the mortgagees against the estate.

The numbers of civil suits and certificates filed during the year for the recovery of rent and cesses due to Wards' estates increased by 612 and 1,580, respectively, over those of the preceding year. Out of 4,529 civil suits for disposal, 3,777 were disposed of, but less than one-third of the decretal amount was realised. Of the total number of certificates for disposal nearly three-fourths were disposed of and 66·8 per cent. of the total claim was realised against 54·7 per cent. in the previous year.

5. **Debts of Estates.**—The total liabilities of the estates under the management of the Court of Wards were over 90 lakhs, of which over four lakhs were paid off during the year. Eight estates are encumbered to the extent of nearly 78 lakhs. The decree obtained by the mortgagees against the Tagore estate, of which the debts amount to over 20 lakhs, has become

absolute, and the properties will shortly be put up to auction. The special officer appointed to ascertain the exact liabilities of the Bhawal estate has not yet finished his enquiries : a large proportion of the 18½ lakhs of debts of this estate represent the claims of one proprietor against another.

6. **Cost of management and expenditure on improvements.**—The percentage of cost of management on the current demand of estates rose from 12·6 to 13. The standard of 10 per cent. was exceeded in all the divisions except the Chittagong Division. The question of the reduction of the high cost of management (16·7 per cent.) in the Janbazar estate has been taken up by the Collector of the 24-Parganas. The total expenditure on improvements, schools and dispensaries was Rs. 1,68,837 or 4·08 per cent. of the current demand. In accordance with the instructions issued by the Board last year agricultural demonstrations in Wards' estates are being carried out under the supervision of the officers of the Agricultural Department.

7. **Education of wards.**—The education of wards received due attention and progress was generally satisfactory. In accordance with the scheme for giving minors under the Court of Wards some training in survey and settlement work, a son of a ward attended the training camp during the field season of 1916-17.

8. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to the Board for its efficient administration of the estates under the Court of Wards. Miss Cornelia Sorabji, Lady Adviser to the Court of Wards, has done useful work in affording the ladies of the zenanas of Wards' estates, the benefit of her advice in various matters, particularly with regard to the health, comfort and education of these ladies and of minor wards. The good work of the managers commended will be noted.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 29th October 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report light scattered showers fell in a number of places in the Province. The sowing of *rabi* crops continued under favourable conditions. The prospects of winter paddy and other standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is reported from seven districts. The average price of common rice for the Province has fallen by about one per cent. from that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0·27	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute is nearly over in Barrackpore subdivision. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·12	9 1/16	9 1/16	
	Barrackpore	Nil	8	8	
	Barasat ...	1·82	8½	8½	
	Basirhat ...	0·01	9	9	
2	NADIA ...	0·09	9⅛	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
3	MURSHIDABAD	0 12	11	11	Weather seasonable. Steeping and washing of jute continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	10	10	
	Jangipur ...	1·48	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	12	11¼	
4	JESSORE ..	Nil	8	9	Weather seasonable. Steeping of jute is nearly finished. Prospects of standing crops are good.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	10	(*n*)	
	Magura ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	10	(*n*)	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8½	(*n*)	
6	BURDWAN ...	0·08	10	10	Weather rainy. Cutting and steeping of jute and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Lands are being prepared for sowing of potatoes. Standing crops are doing well. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from places. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease isreported from Jamalpur thana.
	Asansol ...	0·19	10	10	
	Katwa ...	Nil	10½	10½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10¼	(*n*)	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
7	BIRBHUM ...	0·15	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	11½	11½	
8	BANKURA ...	1·18	14 (new) / 11 (old)	14 (new) / 11 (o'd)	Weather cloudy. The condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Simlapal.
	Vishnupur ...	1·66	14 (new) / 11 (old)	14 (new) / 11 (old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	10 1/16	9 11/16	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Prospects of winter rice are good.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	10 11/16	10 5/16	
	Contai ...	0·92	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	0·05	10	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Arambagh ...	0·21	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	(*n*)	8½	8½	Weather was seasonable at the begining of the week, it has since become cloudy with occasional rains. Harvesting of jute is almost over. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Steeping of jute continues. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	9 9/16	8⅞	Weather seasonable and not unfavourable to the standing crops and for cultivation of *rabi* crops. Steeping and washing of jute still continue. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Patnitola.
	Thakurgaon	0·45	9½	(*n*)	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	10	10	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *haimanti* paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	0·11	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather fair. Potatoes, cardamom and *marua* are being harvested. Winter rice and millet are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	(*n*)	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable and favourable for the winter rice crop. Preparation of lands for *rabi* crops continues. Steeping and washing of jute are going on. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	0·16	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	Nil	7½	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	0·03	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	0·29	7½	(*n*)	Weather hot in day but somewhat cool at night. Harvesting of jute is over. The water of the Ganges is going down. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	0·78	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced, Resowing of *kalai* coutinues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	9⅛	9⅛	Weather seasonable. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue. Lands are being prepared for tobacco and other *rabi* crops. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the Sadar and Mathabhanga subdivisions.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather sunny and hot. Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of jute has been finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. Price of rice is steady.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	9	9	
	Narayanganj	Nil	8½	(*n*)	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	9	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	7 3/16	7 3/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is over. Winter paddy is doing well. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	8 3/16	8 1/8	
	Netrakona ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable, its effects on the standing crops are good. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	10	10	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gopalganj†...	Nil	9	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·08	7¼	7¼	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Bhola.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	7½	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·46	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panya* salt is selling at 7 and 6½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10	10	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	9½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	9⅜	9⅜	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	0·03	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water sufficient. Salt is selling at 6½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	Nil	13¼	(*n*)	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·60	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported

S. MILLIGAN,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 30th October 1917.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 20th October 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
14th Oct. 1917	7 A.M.	20·0	20·0	21·2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
15th " "	7 "	19·6	19·6	21·0	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
16th " "	7 "	19·3	19·3	20·7	
17th " "	7 "	18·9	18·9	20·4	
18th " "	7 "	18·6	18·6	20·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
19th " "	7 "	18·3	18·3	19·7	
20th " "	7 "	18·1	18·1	19·3	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1898.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	...	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 20th October 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 20th October 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 56·00 and from 19-10-1917 R. L. of zero = 51·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
14th Oct. 1917	8 A.M.	3·30	59·30	60·00	R. L. of gauge post is 56·00 and from 19-10-1917 R. L. of gauge post is 51·40.
15th " "	7 "	2·70	58·70	59·60	
16th " "	8 "	2·00	58·00	59·20	
17th " "	8 "	1·60	57·60	58·70	B. M. on College step 69·74.
18th " "	8 "	1·00	57·00	58·30	
19th " "	8 "	5·40	56·80	57·80	
20th " "	7 "	5·10	56·50	57·40	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do ...	...	Ditto "	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest "	...	37·65 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1888.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·26 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 20th October 1917.

D. M. BANERJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds S	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P			
Total traffic for the week	752,060	3,70,070 0 0	3,960,320 0	4,16,540 0 0	40,980 0 0	8,27,590 0 0	80,101	(d) 53,641	133,742
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 481	(a) 236 0 0	1,872 0	264 0 0	(c) 22 0 0	(c)531 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	1,025,260	5,38,700 0 0	3,622,020 0	5,87,860 0 0	57,530 0 0	11 84,090 0 0	148,761	99,617	248,378
Total for 3 weeks	1,777,320	9,08,770 0 0	6,572,340 0	10,04,400 0 0	98,510 0 0	20,11,680 0 0	228,862	153,258	382,120
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	675,099	2,87,554 0 0	3,341,569 0	5,78,510 0 0	65,968 0 0	9,32,032 0 0	99,770	66,902	166,672
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 431	(b) 184 0 0	2,053 0	355 0 0	36 0 0	567 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	1,365,351	5,12,949 0 0	6,775,041 0	14,66,301 0 0	1,56,008 0 0	24,35 258 0 0	284,543	189,885	474,428

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,650.
(d) Including ballast train-miles 10,700.

N.B.—Decrease in goods earnings is chiefly due to jute traffic, and increase in coaching is due to more passenger traffic for Doorga Puja Holidays.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	68,150	25,010 0 0	120,190 0	6,340 0 0	3,220 0 0	34,570 0 0	4,494	(b) 4,564	9,058
Per mile of railway per week	587	215 0 0	1,036 0	55 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 272 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year.	196 570	37,170 0 0	228,210 0	11,780 0 0	5,970 0 0	54,920 0 0	8,341	8,475	16,816
Total for 3 weeks	194,720	62 180 0 0	348,400 0	18,120 0 0	9,190 0 0	89,490 0 0	12,835	13,039	25,874
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	89,627	19,931 0 0	150,226 0	9,269 0 0	3,039 0 0	32 239 0 0	7,000	2 757	9 757
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	514	172 0 0	1,295 0	80 0 0	3 0 0	255 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	181,437	54,066 0 0	433,557 0	23,685 0 0	8,277 0 0	86,028 0 0	20,902	7,197	27,199

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings Rs. 3,020
(b) Including ballast train-miles 523.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,850	2,790 0 0	25,980 0	2,610 0 0	30 0 0	5,430 0 0	756	196	952
Per mile of railway per week	208	85 0 0	787 0	79 0 0	1 0 0	165 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	12,780	4,630 0 0	48,250 0	2,990 0 0	50 0 0	7,670 0 0	1,404	364	1,768
Total for 3 weeks ...	19,630	7,420 0 0	74,230 0	5,600 0 0	80 0 0	13,100 0 0	2,160	560	2,720
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,717	1 839 0 0	29,722 0	3,225 0 0	34 0 0	5,091 0 0	947	364	1,311
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	143	55 0 0	901 0	98 0 0	1 0 0	154 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	12,056	4,908 0 0	84,688 0	5,016 0 0	109 0 0	13,033 0 0	2,723	1,052	3,775

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	20,220	6 440 0 0	210,940 0	8,990 0 0	40 0 0	15,420 0 0	1,311	1,559	2,870
Per mile of railway per week	361	115 0 0	3,767 0	159 0 0	1 0 0	275 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	30,310	11 260 0 0	328,600 0	14,710 0 0	70 0 0	26,040 0 0	2,250	3,080	5,330
Total for 3 weeks ...	50,530	17,720 0 0	539,540 0	23,680 0 0	110 0 0	41,460 0 0	3 461	4,739	8,200
Total for 17 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	260,698	89,849 0 0	1,836,905 0	94,536 0 0	516 0 0	1,84,891 0 0	24,963	18,965	43,927
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,231	5,483 0 0	223,339 0	9 304 0 0	85 0 0	14,821 0 0	1,700	1,586	3,286
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	304	98 0 0	3,970 0	166 0 0	1 0 0	265 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	45,947	14,747 0 0	808,940 0	24,448 0 0	93 0 0	39,288 0 0	4,823	4,013	8,836
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	253,078	75,204 0 0	3,996,557 0	1,14,348 0 0	551 0 0	1,90,106 0 0	29,362	20,830	50,092

(a) Audited figures to end of August 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,840	2,860 0 0	37,160 0	2,660 0 0	20 0 0	5,540 0 0	1,141	1,015	2,156
Per mile of railway per week	186	54 0 0	701 0	50 0 0	1 0 0	105 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of half-year	15,870	4,570 0 0	69,020 0	5,320 0 0	30 0 0	9,920 0 0	2,122	1,880	4,002
Total for 3 weeks ...	25,710	7,430 0 0	106,180 0	7,980 0 0	50 0 0	15,460 0 0	3,263	2,895	6,158
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	9,640	2,687 0 0	48,225 0	3,236 0 0	10 0 0	5,933 0 0	1,428	804	2,252
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	193	54 0 0	965 0	65 0 0	.....	119 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	27,966	7,598 0 0	153,692 0	12,164 0 0	35 0 0	19,798 0 0	4,080	2,225	6,305

Decrease in goods earnings is due to jute traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 13 days of October 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	164,718	1,09,839 0 0	626,537 0	1,02,662 0 0	11,015 0 0	2,23,516 0 0	23,188	36,105	59,293
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	124·82	.....	116·66	12·34	253·16	.....	.....	.....
For previous week of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 13 weeks ...	164, 18	1,09,839 0 0	626,537 0	1,02,662 0 0	11,015 0 0	2,23,516 0 0	23,188	36,105	59,293
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	172,645	96,122 0 0	757,217 0	1,48,998 0 0	14,012 0 0	2,59,132 0 0	28,112	35,311	63,423
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	130·00	.....	181·04	17·03	318·07	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	172,645	96,122 0 0	757,217 0	1,48,998 0 0	14 012 0 0	2,59,132 0 0	28,112	35,311	63,423

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for the first 13 days of October 1917.			Receipts for the first 13 days of October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 13th October 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 13th October 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
882·66	2,23 516	252·16	823	2,59,132	318·07	*36,40,565	37,07,083	.....	66,518

* Includes audited figures up to August 1917.

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 13 days of October 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional †30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the first 13 days	22,279	7,848 0 0	35,388	5,184 0 0	.....	13,032 0 0	2,169	1,452	3,621
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	136·46	.....	90·13	.....	195·64	.....	.....	.....
For previous week of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ days ...	22,279	7,848 0 0	35,388	5,184 0 0	.....	13,032 0 0	2,169	1,452	3,621
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

† Nilganj to Atharabari 11·50 miles opened for Goods traffic from 1st October 1917.
* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for the first 13 days of October 1917.			Receipts for the first 13 days of October 1916.		Total receipts from 15th August 1917 to 13th October 1917	Total receipts from 15th August 1916 to 13th October 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·59	13,032	195·64	...	.....	...	*53,012	.....	53,012	.....

* Includes audited figures up to August 1917.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week...	7,070	2,288 0 0	60,787 0	10,196 0 0	(a)296 0 0	13,775 0 0	534	632	1,166
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	63 0 0	...	283 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 347 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year.*	13,042	3,891 0 0	109,862 0	17,974 0 0	645 0 0	22,510 0 0	961	1,368	2,329
Total for 3 weeks ...	20,112	6,179 0 0	170,649 0	28,170 0 0	941 0 0	35,285 0 0	1,495	1,900	3,395
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	9,335	2,480 0 0	78,536 0	11,049 0 0	(b)290 0 0	13,819 0 0	582	(e) 807	1 389
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	69 0 0	...	307 0 0	...	(c) 376 0 0	...	..	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	23,632	6,310 0 0	192,094 0	29,293 0 0	741 0 0	36,344 0 0	1,362	2,537	3 899

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 275.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 261.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles Nil.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 163.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 20th October 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,979	5,040 0 0	101,795 0	16,304 0 0	256 0 0	21,600 0 0	1,917	(a) 3,099	5 016
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	43 0 0	..	139 0 0	2 0 0	184 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 2 weeks of half-year *	25,886	9,674 0 0	171,437 0	24,991 0 0	45 0 0	34,710 0 0	3,575	5,542	9,117
Total for 8 weeks ...	41,865	14,714 0 0	273,232 0	41,195 0 0	301 0 0	56,310 0 0	5,492	8,641	14,133
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	22,654	6,638 0 0	114,477 0	16,220 0 0	6 0 0	22,864 0 0	1,833	(b)3,516	5 348
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	57 0 0	...	138 0 0	...	195 0 0	...	...	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	52,093	15,896 0 0	267,387 0	44,459 0 0	21 0 0	60,376 0 0	5,472	9,661	15,133

(a) Ballast train-miles, 384.

(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,354.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of

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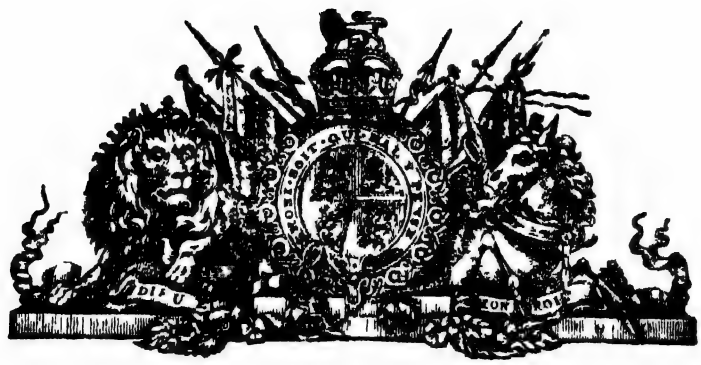

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EXTRAORDINARY.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Military Secretary's Office, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary* dated the 3rd November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 3rd November 1917.

No. 5802-M.—Intelligence having been received of the death of His Royal Highness Prince Christian, K.G., P.C., G.C.V.O., Court Mourning is ordered for four weeks from the 29th October, half mourning commencing from the 19th November 1917.

When attending at the Viceregal Court, ladies will appear in black until the 18th November and thereafter in half mourning (white, grey or mauve). Officers will, when in uniform and attending Viceregal Lodge, wear a crape band on the left arm throughout the period of Court Mourning.

By Command,

R. VERNEY, LT.-COLONEL,
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2999.—His Excellency the Governor will leave Darjeeling at 9 A.M. on the 1st November 1917, and after visiting Namchi, Kewsing, Pemionchi, Temi and Rangpo, will arrive in Kalimpong on the 7th idem. He will leave Kalimpong Road by special train at 4 P.M. on the 10th November and arrive in Calcutta at 11-45 A.M. (standard time) on the 11th.

Mr. W. R. Gourlay, C.I.E., I.C.S., Private Secretary, will accompany His Excellency.

His Excellency's arrivals at and departures from all places will be private.

H. G. VAUX, CAPTAIN,
Military Secretary, Bengal.

DARJEELING, *1st November 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5461A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 2719A.D.—The 18th October 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., to be Additional District Magistrate, Bakarganj, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Bakarganj.

No. 2863A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—The orders of the 12th October 1917, appointing Mr. A. C. Todd, I.C.S., on leave, to have charge of the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district, are cancelled.

Burdwan.

No. 2865A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—Mr. G. D. Pyne, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

Burdwan.
24-Parganas.

This cancels the orders of the 12th October 1917, appointing Mr. Pyne to have charge of the Alipur subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2869A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—Mr. B. A. Hollow, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Alipur subdivision of that district.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 2877A.D.—The 30th October 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad 'Abdullah, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Faridpur district.

Faridpur.

No. 2890A.D.—The 1st November 1917.—Mr. R. F. Lodge, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district on relinquishing charge of his present appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur.

Faridpur
Burdwan.

No. 2914A.D.—The 1st November 1917.—The orders of the 16th October 1917, appointing Babu Satish Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, temporarily to have charge of the Rampurhat subdivision of that district, are cancelled.

Birbhum.

No. 5269A.—The 5th November 1917.—The Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors, and are posted to the stations mentioned opposite their names :—

Pabna.
Burdwan.
Rajshahi.

Babu Atul Gopal Ray, M.A., Sirajganj, Pabna.
„ Kshetra Mohan Mukharji, B.A., Burdwan (Headquarters station).
„ Ramesh Chandra Sen, B.A. (to continue, until further orders, as Assistant Settlement Officer, Rajshahi).

No. 5273A.—The 5th November 1917.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Sachindra Nath Mukharji, M.A., B.L.
Maulvi Saiyid Ahmadulla, M.A.
Babu Nitya Gopal Ray, M.A.
„ Banku Bihari Ghosh, M.A.
Maulvi Khundkar Ali Taib, B.Sc.
Babu Karunamay Mitra, B.Sc.
Maulvi Abdur Rahim, M.A.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

No. 5290A.—The 5th November 1917.—Maulvi Mirza Shigufta Bakht, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is transferred to the Netrakona subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Bakarganj.
Mymensingh.

No. 5292A.—The 5th November 1917.—Maulvi Abu 'Ali Muhammad Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district.

Mymensingh.
Bakarganj.

No 5318A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Dacca.

No. 5320A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. C. Bartley, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge of that district.

Dacca.

No. 5323A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. J. C. H. Macnair, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Faridpur.

Bakarganj.
Faridpur.

No. 5327A.—The 5th November 1917.—The services of Mr. A. Mellor, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Khulna, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Khulna.

No 5330A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. J. H. A. Street, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore and Khulna, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Khulna.

Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 5332A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Ashutosh Gupta, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, Bogra, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Jessore and Khulna.

Bogra.
Jessore.
Khulna.

No. 5337A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi and Malda, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong.

Rajshahi.
Malda.
Chittagong.

No. 5339A—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. C. H. Moseley, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan and Midnapore, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi and Malda.

Burdwan.
Midnapore.
Rajshahi.
Malda.

No. 5343A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. J. A. Ross, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan and Midnapore.

Dacca.
Burdwan.
Midnapore.

No. 5347A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 5350A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Nadia.

No. 5354A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Hooghly. **Hooghly.**

No. 5359A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly. **24-Parganas. Hooghly.**

No. 5363A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. J. A. Woodhead, I.C.S., is appointed temporarily to act as Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas. **24-Parganas.**

No. 5366A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. C. C. V. R. Sells, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pabna, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Tippera and Chittagong. **Pabna. Tippera. Chittagong.**

No. 5371A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Tara Pada Chatarji, District and Sessions Judge, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge, Bakarganj. **Bakarganj.**

No. 5374A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Hubert Graham, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tangail, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of the Narayanganj subdivision of the Dacca district. **Mymensingh. Dacca.**

No. 5376A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Rabindra Nath Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tangail, Mymensingh, is appointed to have charge of that subdivision. **Mymensingh.**

No. 5411A.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, on leave, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Kushtia subdivision of that district, *vice* Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, on leave. **Nadia.**

POLICE.—*No. 5315A.—The 5th November 1917.*—The Inspectors of Police, named below, are appointed to be Honorary Deputy Superintendents of Police :—

Rai Sahib Hem Chandra Basu, Superintendent of the Finger Print Bureau, Bengal.

Babu Keshab Lal Banarji, Chief Law Instructor of the Police Training College, Sarda.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 5426A.—The 6th November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Charles Fredrick Payne, I.C.S., Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta, to be an Additional Member of the said Council. **Council.**

No. 5432A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. William Christopher Wordsworth, Officiating Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, to be an Additional Member of the said Council. **Council.**

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 5401A.—The 6th November 1917.*—Mr. S. C. Berridge is appointed to be Honorary Secretary and Treasurer of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, with effect from the 25th September 1917. **Calcutta.**

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 2910A.D.—The 1st Novem'er 1917.*—Babu Srimanta Kumar Das Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 1st October 1917.

No. 2912A.D.—The 1st November 1917.—The orders of the 16th October 1917, granting Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampurhat, Birbhum, privilege leave for two weeks with effect from the 31st October 1917, are cancelled.

Birbhum.

No. 5313A.—The 5th November 1917.—Babu Ashutosh Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for thirty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 23rd July 1917, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

No. 5352A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th November 1917 to the 15th December 1917, inclusive.

Nadia.

No. 5357A.—The 5th November 1917.—Mr. Mahim Chandra Ghosh, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Pabna and Bogra, is allowed leave for two weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th November 1917.

Pabna.
Bogra.

No. 5407A.—The 6th November 1917.—In modification of the orders, dated the 24th September 1917, Babu Shashibhusan Basu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and thirteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th September 1917 and furlough for the remaining period under article 338 of the Regulations.

No. 5409A.—The 6th November 1917.—Rai Sahib Bhupendra Nath Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kushtia, Nadia, is allowed leave for twenty-three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1917.

Nadia.

No. 5419A.—The 6th November 1917.—The orders of the 16th October 1917, granting privilege leave for four days to Mr. J. T. Rankin, I.C.S., are cancelled.

RESIGNATION.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 5423A.—The 6th November 1917.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Samuel Walter Goode, I.C.S., of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

No. 5429A.—The 6th November 1917.—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. William Woodward Hornell of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

Council.

ZOOLOGICAL.—*No. 5399A.—The 6th November 1917.*—The Governor in Council is pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Mr. W. K. Dods of his appointment as Honorary Secretary and Treasurer of the Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta, with effect from the 25th September 1917.

Calcutta.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2231T.R.—The 29th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Harendra Nath Mukerji, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore, including the area transferred to Faridpur by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914. the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore. Faridpur.

No. 2232T.R.—The 29th October 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Mohini Mohan Chakrabutty, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Tippera and Noakhali.

No. 2242T.R.—The 29th October 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Collector, Bakarganj, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Rajshahi, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bakarganj. Rajshahi.

No. 2268T.R.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included in estate Sambalpur, bearing No. 190 on the revenue-roll of the district of Dinajpur.

Dinajpur.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed, whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise ;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases ;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord, in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well, or any other source of supply ; and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land ;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy ;

(*j*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

Rangpur. *No. 2259T.R.—The 30th October 1917.*—Babu Tara Nath Gupta, Subdivisional Officer of Kurigaon, Rangpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Mymensingh. *No. 7079L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of land bounded as described below and measuring, more or less, ·192 acre which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8233L.A., dated the 9th October 1916, published at page 1877, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, and required for a triangle at Gauripur Station at mile 11 of the Mymensingh-Netrakona Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway, in the village of Gauripur, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh:—

North—By the land of Ramjoy Namasudra and Ananda Namasudra and Halat.
East and South—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway.
West—By the land of Ananda Namasudra.

Mymensingh. *No. 7082L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 2·40 acres which was notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 347T.R, dated the 28th April 1917, published at pages 626-27, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd May 1917, and required by the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway for Netrakona Station Yard at mile No. 28 of the Mymensingh-Netrakona Section in the village of Chakpara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh.

Mymensingh. *No. 7085L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of two pieces of land bounded as described below and altogether measuring, more or less, ·513 acre which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8224L.A., dated the 9th October 1916, published at page 1876, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, and required for the construction of Purbadhala Bazar siding in Syamganj, Bagmara Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway, in the village of Purbadhala, pargana Susang, zilla Mymensingh :—

PLOT A.

North—By the land of Durgacharan Namadas, Nibaran Shaha and Ram Kumar Shaha,
East, South and West—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,

PLOT B.

North—By the homestead land of Bhagirath Shaha,
East—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,
South and West—By the District Board Road in the acquired land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway.

No. 7088L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land bounded as described below and measuring, more or less, ·014 acre which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 270L.A., dated the 9th January 1917, published at page 23, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th idem, and required for realignment at miles 10 and 11 in Samganj-Bagmara Section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway, in the village of Bawrah, pargana Husenshahi, zilla Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

North, East and South—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway,

West—By the land of Krishna Chandra Gope.

No. 7095L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land bounded as described below and measuring, more or less, 2·68 acres which was included in the area notified of acquisition under Declaration No. 2775T.R., dated the 18th October 1913, published at page 1626, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, and required by the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Company, Limited, for the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway, in the villages of Badedihi and Barobazar, pargana Sahujial, zilla Jessore :—

Jessore.

North—By the land of Chand Mridha and Jessore-Jhenidah Road,

East—By Jessore-Jhenidah Road and the land of Ajibar Biswas,

South—By the lands of Darvesh and Panchkari Mondal,

West—By the lands of Panchkari Mondal, Ajibar Biswas, Anej Mondal and Chand Mridha.

No. 7098L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land bounded as described below and measuring, more or less, ·032 acre which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 3005L.A., dated the 31st March 1917, published at pages 502-03, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 4th April 1917, and required for a triangle at Gouripur station of the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway in the village of Gouripur, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

North and East—By the land of Ananda Namasudra.

South and West—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway.

No. 7101L.A.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land bounded as described below and measuring, more or less, ·034 acre which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 8236L.A., dated the 9th October 1916, published at pages 1877-78, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, as amended by erratum No. 4142L.A., dated the 30th May 1917, and required for the Netrokona Station on the Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway in the villages of Satpai and Chakpara, pargana Mymensingh, zilla Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

North, East and West—By the land of Mymensingh-Bhairab Bazar Railway.

South—By the tank of Gopinath Chakraverti.

No. 7235L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Notification No. 1433T.R., dated the 26th September 1917, allowing privilege leave to Rai Bansbidhar Banarji Bahadur, C.I.E., Second Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, for fourteen days from the 31st October to the 13th November 1917, is hereby cancelled.

Calcutta.

Calcutta. *No. 2246T.R.—The 29th October 1917.*—Babu Rajeswar Das Gupta, Superintendent of Agriculture, is appointed to act as Second Deputy Director of Agriculture, Bengal, with effect from the 1st November 1917, *vice* Mr. K. McLean, on deputation to military duty.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 2226T.R.—The 29th October 1917.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a police outpost at Gouripur, in the village of Gouripur, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha, 15 cottahs, 3 chitaks and 15 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Matabuddin Mondal,
East—By the kacha drain,
South—By the kacha drain of the unmetalled road,
West—By the kacha drain of the Jessore Trunk Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gouripur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Nadia. *No. 7128L.A.—The 3rd November 1917.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Eastern Bengal Railway brick-field at Ranaghat, in the villages of Hijuli and Patilia, parganas Mamjoan and Alampur, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 36 bighas 8 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 12·0382 acres, bounded on the—

North—By *jamai* lands of Panchu Ghose, Joti Mandal, Khero Sheikh, Panchu Mandal and Arjun Mandal,
East—By *jamai* lands of Panchu Ghosani, Kanta Ghose, Sasi Ghosani, Panchu Mandal, Banku Sheikh and Samad Ali Mandal,
South—By *jamai* lands of Samad Ali Mandal, Patal Sheikh, Chandra Fakir and Benode Mandal,
West—By the existing brick-field of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Hijuli and Patilia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Nadia.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Darjeeling. *No. 7159L.A.—The 5th November 1917.*—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a cattle shed in the village of Medamedi

Jote, pargana Boikunthapur, zilla Darjeeling, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 bighas 2 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North, South and West—By Medamedi Jote,
East—By Public Works Department Road reserve land.

is required within the aforesaid village of Medamedi Jote.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 7162L.A.—The 5th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed additional siding to the Paper Mill, in the village of Kankinara, pargana Habilishahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas and 7 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the Ferry Fund road, the kutcha road and the lands of Raja Kisori Lal Goswami and others,
East and South—By the lands of Raja Kisori Lal Goswami and others, the kutcha road and a pucca drain,
West—By the lands of Raja Kisori Lal Goswami and others and the kutcha road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kankinara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Calcutta District, Eastern Bengal Railway.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 7180L.A.—The 5th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore, for a public purpose, viz., for excavating a tank in the village of Chachai, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By a halot,
East—By the lands of Jenatulla Fakir, Manik Fakir and Kahel Sarip,
South—By the lands of Kahel Sarip, Meher Sikder, Abdul Jubber and Sabdu Fakir,
West—By the lands of Sabdu Fakir and Baser Fakir,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chachai.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7194L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Raktachari under bridge No. 2, on the old Ramghar Road, in the village of Haroalchari, thana Fatikchari, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·57 of an acre, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

PLOT NO. I.

North—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 4242, 4243, 4244, 4246, 3418, 3417, 3416 and 3415,
East—By a *chara* (cadastral survey plot No. 3617),
South—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 4242, 4241, 4244, 4246, 4247, 3417, 3416 and 3415,
West—By a *chara* (cadastral survey plot No 3617),

PLOT NO. II.

North—By a *chara* (cadastral survey plot No. 2359) and parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2311 and 2318,
East—By the Ramghar Road.
South—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2318, 2317 and 2320,
West—By part of cadastral survey plot No. 2311,

are required within the aforesaid village of Haroalchari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7191L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for Gang-huts at mile No. 44 from Calcutta to Khulna of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the village of Bara Shehana, pargana Khoshdaha, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·34 of an acre, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North, West and South—By the land of Golam Ali Mandal,
East—By the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bara Shehana.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7204L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of Amjhore bund in the villages of Betjhora, Bota and Bara Amjhore, pargana Raipur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of

Bankura.

land measuring, more or less, 70 bighas 8 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 23·28 acres, bounded on the—

North—By District Board land of Amjhore bund,
East—By Jhuri jungle and khas patit land of mauzas Betjhora, Bota and Bara Amjhore,
South—By ejmali khas land of Harihar Singh Mahapatra and others,
West—By District Board land of Bikrampur-Pindargaree Road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Betjhora, Bota and Bara Amjhore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 7207L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an inspection bungalow, in the villages of Chiringa and Kochpara, thana Chakaria, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, ·55 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 257 and part of cadastral survey plot No. 316 in mauza Chiringa,
East—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 257 and 909 in mauza Chiringa and part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 167, 241 and 242 in mauza Kochpara,
South—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 242, 241 and 167 in mauza Kochpara and part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 909, 257 and 316 in mauza Chiringa,
West—By the Arrakan Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chiringa and Kochpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bankura.

No. 7210L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Feeder Road to Sonamukhi Railway Station in the villages of Silta-Kote-Sonamukhi and Sonamukhi, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas 18 cottahs 5 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·95 acres, bounded on the—

North and South—By the jote land of Upendra Nath Chandra and Lal Bihari Biswas and Khas Jhari jungle of Sashi Bhusan Banerjee,
East—By Bankura-Damoder River Railway land,
West—By Vishnupur-Sonamukhi Road,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Silta-Kote-Sonamukhi and Sonamukhi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 7213L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Municipality of Khulna for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Sibbati *alias* Sonadanga, taraf Kirtiprosabpur within Khulna town, pargana Khalishpur, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 6 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Municipal land,
East—By Gopal Pal's house,
South—By Ebrahim Shaikh's land,
West—By Sonadanga Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sibbati *alias* Sonadanga, in Khulna town.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dacca.

No. 7216L.A.—The 6th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Municipality of Dacca for a public purpose, viz., for widening a portion of Lalbag Road, in the town of Dacca, in the mahalla of Atoshkhana, pargana Jahangirnagar and Makimabad, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and East—By the Lalbag Road,
South and West—By the remaining portion of the homestead land of Khiroda Sundari Dassya and Kunja Behari Shaha,

is required within the aforesaid mahalla of Atoshkhana.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

Burdwan.

No. 7091Regn.—The 2nd November 1917.—Babu Jitendra Lal Bose, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Burdwan, acted as Sub-Registrar of Raona in the same district, from the afternoon of the 11th May 1917 to the forenoon of the 1st June 1917.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 7093Regn.—The 2nd November 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Sub-Registrar, grade V, of Howrah, acted as Sub-Registrar of Ramnagar, in the district of Midnapore, from the afternoon of the 23rd May 1917 up to the afternoon of the 18th October 1917.

No. 7104Regn.—The 2nd November 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Mannan Chaudhuri, Probationer of Barisal, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj, with effect from the 23rd September 1917, until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 7106Regn.—The 2nd November 1917.—Babu Surendra Nath Gangali, Sub-Registrar of Kishoreganj, in the district of Rangpur, is granted combined leave for seven months, with effect from the afternoon of the 28th April 1917, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for one month and four days under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

2. This cancels Notifications Nos. 3934Regn., dated the 21st May 1917, and 6069Regn., dated the 17th August 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 7108Regn.—The 2nd November 1917.—Maulvi Manwar Hussain, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Balla, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of his duties.

Mymensingh.

No. 7131Regn.—The 3rd November 1917.—Babu Bankim Chandra Gupta, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is granted leave, on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fourteen days, with effect from the 2nd October 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1131T.-R., dated the 15th September 1917.

No. 7183Regn.—The 5th November 1917.—Babu Pramatha Nath Das Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be First Joint-Sub-Registrar of Mymensingh, Sadar.

Mymensingh.

No. 7185Regn.—The 5th November 1917.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Guha, Sub-Registrar of Daudkandi, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur in the district of Mymensingh.

Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 7187Regn.—The 5th November 1917.—Babu Sadananda Sen, Sub-Registrar of Sherpur, in the district of Bogra, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Daudkandi in the district of Tippera.

Bogra.
Tippera.

No. 7189Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—Maulvi Khwaja Abdul Fattah is appointed to be a Sub-Registrar in grade I I,—on his reversion from the Subordinate Civil Service, and is posted to Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

No. 7198Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—Maulvi Mir Saiyid Ali, Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one day, in extension of the leave already granted to him in notification No. 2561Regn., dated the 19th March 1917.

Rajshahi.

No. 7200Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Durga Kanta Ray Chaudhuri, Sub-Registrar of Pirojpur, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in notification No. 4113Regn., dated the 29th May 1917.

Bakarganj.

No. 7202Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—Maulvi Ibrahim Ali, Sub-Registrar of Rajapur, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Amtoli in the same district.

Bakarganj.

No. 7248Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Kamalini Kanta Sinha Ray, Sub-Registrar Shibganj, in the district of Bogra, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1958T.R., dated the 15th October 1917.

Bogra.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 7229Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Mabilullah temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-station Barguna, in the district of Bakarganj, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Gaffur, appointed as Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of thana Patuakhali in the same district.

Bakarganj.

No. 7230Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Mabilullah temporarily to be Kazi within police-station Barguna, in the district of Bakarganj, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Gaffur appointed as Kazi of thana Patuakhali in the same district.

Bakarganj.

No. 7250Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ali Asghar temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within police-station Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Mahmood, or until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 7251Regn.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Ali Asghar temporarily to be Kazi within police station Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Mahmood or until further orders.

Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 748T.—Edn.—The 31st October 1917.—Mr. E. E. Biss, officiating Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, is appointed to act in the post of Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education in Bengal, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. A. Taylor. He will, in addition, continue to act as Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. C. Turner, or until further orders.

No. 755T.-Edn.—The 1st November 1917.—Mr. M. P. West, officiating Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eight days, with effect from the 11th October 1917.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 758T.-Edn.—The 1st November 1917.—Khan Sahib Maulvi Abdul Aziz, officiating Second Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, in class VII of the Provincial Educational Service, is placed in charge of the current duties of the office of the Inspector of Schools, Chittagong Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. M. P. West.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 69T-Eccle.—The 1st November 1917.—The Rev. C. G. Stokoe, Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of the Presidency Jail, Alipore, in addition to his own duties as Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, with effect from the 1st October 1917, or any subsequent date on which he many take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Beng al.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 476T.—S.R.—The 26th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1911 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules published under Notification No. 601S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, in the *Calcutta Gazette Extraordinary* of the 1st April 1915 (as subsequently amended), namely:—

After rule 51 of the said rules *insert* the following rule:—

"51 A. (*1*) A person, who has imported or transported spirit (other than country spirit) under a bond for payment of duty, shall pay to Government, in lieu of the duty payable under rule 38, duty on any quantity of spirit so imported or transported, which, having been certified as received in any vessel, is not forthcoming at the time when the spirit is gauged and proved for removal, unless he is able to account for the absence to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and subject to the allowances hereunder mentioned (calculated at proof strength):—

On spirits stored in any *wooden* vessel ...	For any period not exceeding one month	1	per cent.
	For any period exceeding one month	1½	„ „
On spirits stored in any *metal* vessel ...	For any period	½	„ „

(*2*) The duty levied under clause (*1*) shall be payable at the rate imposed by section 27 on spirit imported or transported, and shall be paid before the removal from the distillery or excise warehouse, to which it has been taken, of the spirit which has been gauged and proved:

Provided that this rule shall not apply to spirit received and racked into store vats at distilleries and bonded laboratories; deficiencies in respect of such spirit shall be governed by rule 38."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 484T.—S.-R.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), read with section 3 and Schedule D of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Board of Revenue, Bengal, makes the following rule as to work by officers of Customs in the port of Chittagong, to have

effect, during the duration of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter, in partial modification of the rules made under that section and published under the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam's Board of Revenue Notification No. 9 (Customs) of the 8th January 1912 :—

Rule.

Notwithstanding anything contained in the rules published under Notification No. 9 (Customs) of the 8th January 1912, the Collector of Customs may in any case direct that no fees for overtime work by officers of Customs in the port of Chittagong in respect of the discharging of salt from shipboard for bond or the receiving of salt into bond, shall be paid by the ship's agent or the merchant concerned. The fees for overtime work in respect of those matters contained in Notification No. 9 (Customs), dated the 8th January 1912, will, when any such direction is given, be paid by Government.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

D. H. WARES,
Secy. to the Board of Revenue.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 485T.—S.R.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), read with section 3 and Schedule D of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Board of Revenue, Bengal, makes the following rules with regard to the discharge, bonding, and clearance of salt in the port of Chittagong, to have effect, during the duration of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter, in partial modification of the rules made under that section and published under the late Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam's Board of Revenue Notification No. 24 (Salt), dated the 13th January 1912, as subsequently amended :—

Rules.

1. Notwithstanding anything contained in the rules published under Notification No. 24 (Salt), dated the 13th January 1912, as subsequently amended, the following rule shall apply, during the continuance of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter, to the discharge of salt from vessels.

2. No salt shall be discharged from shipboard for consumption except with the special permission of the Collector of Customs.

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

D. H. WARES,
Secy. to the Board of Revenue.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 767T.-Com.—The 30th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 248 of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. K. K. Pillai to be substantively *pro tempore* an Assistant Registrar for the registration of Companies under that Act in the Presidency of Bengal with effect from the 1st November 1917. He is also appointed under sub-section (9) of section 2 of the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912 (V of 1912), and sub-section (9) of section 2 of the Indian Life Assurance Companies Act, 1912 (VI of 1912), to perform the respective duties of the Registrar under those Acts.

No. 5477Com.—The 31st October 1917.—The following Press Communiqué issued by the Government of India, Indian Munitions Board, is published for general information.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

Communiqué, dated Simla, the 30th October 1917.

IN order that arrangements for manufacture may be made in the United Kingdom and that total requirements may be correctly estimated, the Indian Munitions Board requires that all firms having Government orders necessitating the use of tin plates should forward to the Board at Simla before the 10th November a statement containing the following information :—

(1) Stock of tin plate in hand ; (2) orders already placed in the United Kingdom including stocks *en route;* (3) estimated balance required from the United Kingdom by 30th of June 1918 to complete existing Government contracts ; (4) name of Government Department or official by whom contract has been placed with sufficient details of the contracts for identification with returns made officially. All quantities should be given in tons. No information regarding sizes or gauges of sheets is required.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 556T.—Medl.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), and in supersession of all previous rules on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of certain poisons within the limits of municipalities and cantonments in Bengal :—

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. The following poisons shall be deemed to be poisons for the purposes of these rules :—

Aconite, Nux Vomica, Strychnine, Perchloride of Mercury (Corrosive Sublimate), Cyanide of Potash, and Stramonium (Dhatura).

III. No person, unless exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale any poison specified in rule II, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer.

IV. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer, whose decision thereon shall be final.

V. Subject to the provisions of rules VI and VII, a license granted under rule III shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January, or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer, and such application shall bear a court-fee stamp of Re. 1.

VI. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VII. The District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer may for any sufficient cause revoke or cancel any license granted under rule III.

VIII. Every sale of poison shall, so far as possible, be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

IX. A license-holder shall not sell any poison to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any poison to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18, or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

X. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of poison other than those used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely :—

(*a*) Name of poison.
(*b*) Quantity sold.
(*c*) Date of sale.
(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.
(*e*) Purpose for which the poison was stated by the purchaser to be required.
(*f*) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression, if illiterate), or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.
(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered, in separate columns for each poison, the quantity of each sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of rule IX have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

XI. (1) A license-holder shall maintain, in respect of each poison specified in rule II, a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.
(*b*) Date.
(*c*) Amount received.
(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.
(*e*) Amount sold.
(*f*) Balance in stock.
(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XII. Any Magistrate, any police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of kanungo or naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where poison is kept for sale and may inspect all poisons found therein and the registers maintained under rules X and XI.

XIII. All poisons kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules, except those kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (*c*) of the Act, shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained), which shall be secured by lock and key, and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act ; and each poison shall be kept within such box, almirah, room or building in a separate closed receptacle of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box, almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the word "Poison" in red characters, both in English and the vernacular, and in the case of receptacles containing separate poisons, with the name of such poison.

XIV. When any poison is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity), and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in rule X.

XV. The powers conferred by these rules upon a District Magistrate may be exercised in the town of Calcutta, as defined in section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), by the Commissioner of Police, and in a Cantonment by the Cantonment Magistrate.

No 557T.—Medl.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Poisons Act, 1904 (I of 1904), and in supersession of all previous rules on the subject, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the possession for sale and the sale of white arsenic and certain other poisons in Bengal :—

I. In these rules "the Act" means the Poisons Act, 1904.

II. No person, unless exempted under the provisions of the Act, shall sell or possess for sale any of the poisons mentioned below, except under a license granted in that behalf by the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer :—

(*i*) White arsenic.
(*ii*) Sulphides of arsenic—
  (*a*) Red sulphides (realgar).
  (*b*) Yellow sulphide (orpiment).
(*iii*) Impure sulphides of arsenic—
  (*c*) Black arsenic.
  (*d*) Impure orpiments—
    (1) White sulphuret.
    (2) Pink sulphide.
    (3) Brown sulphide.
(*iv*) Green arsenic—
  (*e*) Arsenite of copper (Scheele's green).
  (*f*) Aceto arsenite of copper (Schwinfurth's green).

III. The grant or withdrawal of a license to any applicant shall be at the discretion of the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer, whose decision thereon shall be final.

IV. Subject to the provisions of rules V and VI, a license granted under rule II shall remain in force for one year from the 1st January, or the date of issue, if later than the 1st January, to the 31st December following. Every applicant for the grant or renewal of a license shall make a written application to the District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer, and such application shall bear a court-fee stamp of Re. 1.

V. A license shall terminate on the death of the license-holder, or, if granted to a Firm or Company, on the winding up or transfer of the business of such Firm or Company.

VI. The District Magistrate or Subdivisional Officer may, for any sufficient cause, revoke or cancel any license granted under rule II.

VII. Every sale of any of the said poisons shall, so far as possible, be conducted by the license-holder in person, or, where the license-holder is a Firm or a Company, through, or under the supervision of, an accredited representative of such Firm or Company.

VIII. A license-holder shall not sell any of the said poisons to any person unless the latter is personally known to him, or identified to his satisfaction. He shall not sell any of the said poisons to any person who appears to him to be under the age of 18, or to any person who does not appear to him to be in full possession of his faculties, or to any wandering mendicant.

IX. (1) Every license-holder shall maintain a register in which he shall enter all sales of any of the said poisons other than those used by a chemist, druggist or compounder dispensing or compounding in compliance with the prescription of a medical or veterinary practitioner. The following particulars shall be entered in such register in respect of each such sale, namely:—

(*a*) Name of poison.
(*b*) Quantity sold.
(*c*) Date of sale.
(*d*) Name and address of purchaser.
(*e*) Purpose for which the poison was stated by the purchaser to be required.

(*f*) Signature of purchaser (or thumb impression, if illiterate), or in case of purchase by post, date of letter or written order and reference to the original in the file in which it is preserved.

(*g*) Signature of vendor.

(2) In a separate portion of the register shall be entered the quantity of any of the said poisons sold daily, and these entries shall be filled up from day to day.

(3) The signature under item (*g*) of the register shall be that of the license-holder himself, or, when the license-holder is a Firm or Company, that of an accredited representative of such Firm or Company, and shall be entered at the time of sale or despatch to the purchaser. Such signature shall be held to imply that the writer has satisfied himself that the requirements of rule VIII have been fulfilled.

(4) All letters or written orders referred to in head (*f*) of the register shall be preserved in original by the license-holder for a period of not less than two years from the date of the sale.

X. (1) A license-holder shall maintain in respect of any of the said poisons a stock register which shall contain the following particulars :—

(*a*) Serial number.

(*b*) Date.

(*c*) Amount received.

(*d*) Name and address of person from whom received.

(*e*) Amount sold.

(*f*) Balance in stock.

(*g*) Remarks.

(2) The stock register shall be balanced daily.

XI. Any Magistrate, any police officer of or above the rank of sub-inspector, any revenue officer of or above the rank of kanungo or naib-tahsildar, or any medical officer of or above the rank of sub-assistant surgeon may at any time visit and inspect the premises of a license-holder where any of the said poisons is kept for sale, and may inspect the stock found therein and the registers maintained under rules IX and X.

XII. Any of the said poisons kept for sale by any license-holder under these rules [except that kept for the purpose specified in section 10 (1) (*c*) of the Act] shall be kept in a box, almirah, room or building (according to the quantity maintained), which shall be secured by lock and key, and in which no substance shall be placed other than poisons possessed in accordance with a license granted under the Act; and each poison shall be kept within such box, almirah, room or building in separate closed receptacles of glass, metal or earthenware. Every such box almirah, room or building, and every such receptacle, shall be marked with the word "Poison" in red characters, both in English and the vernacular, and in the case of receptacles containing separate poisons with the name of such poison.

XIII. When any of the said poisons is sold, it shall be securely packed in a closed receptacle or packet (according to the quantity), and every such receptacle or packet shall be labelled by the vendor with a red label bearing the name of the poison in English and the vernacular, and the number and date of the entry in the register of sales specified in rule IX.

XIV. Subject to the proviso to sub-section (3) of section 4 of the Act a license-holder shall not sell powdered white arsenic to any person, unless the same is, before the sale thereof, mixed with soot, indigo, or Prussian blue in the proportion of half an ounce of soot, indigo, or Prussian blue at least to one pound of the white arsenic, and so on in proportion for any greater or less quantity.

XV. The powers conferred by these rules upon a District Magistrate may be exercised in the town of Calcutta, as defined in section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899) by the Commissioner of Police, and in a Cantonment by the Cantonment Magistrate.

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5462A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 5243A.—The 3rd November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased :—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Karunamay Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Titagarh Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5247A.—The 5th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased :—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kali Krishna Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Mymensingh, for a period of three years from the 10th November 1917, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kishoreganj subdivision of the said district,

Mymensingh.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Bajitpur Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5300A.—The 5th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Ram Narayan Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Nabadwip Bench in the said district.

No. 5387A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Rampada Sen the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Krishnagar Bench in the said district.

No. 5389A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Gunendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Ranaghat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5391A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language :—

Babu Pramatha Nath Pramanik.

„ Ram Pratap Chamaria

„ Tinkari Singh.

No. 5393A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Kifayat-ullah Tarafdar the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5395A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Mati Lal Haldar Bahadur the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

Rai Mati Lal Haldar Bahadur is also vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

No. 5397A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Lakshmi Narayan Bez-Barua the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5403A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kshirod Chandra Das the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Noakhali, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and **Noakhali.**

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district.

No. 5405A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. George Thomas Lane the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, and **Howrah.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district.

No. 5415A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Rai Sahib Rasik Lal Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Sealdah Police Court, **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5417A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Bir Singh Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the 18th November 1917, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Ulubaria subdivision of the said district, **Howrah.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Amta Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5436A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Shyama Charan Bose the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district, **24-Parganas.**

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Alipore Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 5302A.—The 5th November 1917.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Babu Harendra Krishna Ray of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kurigaon Bench in the district of Rangpur.

Rangpur.

POWERS.

No. 2871A.D.—The 29th October 1917.—Mr. H. Quinton, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurseong, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Munsif within the Kurseong subdivision. He is also vested with powers to try rent suits within that subdivision and with similar powers within the Siliguri subdivision as regards cases transferred by the Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling from the file of the Subdivisional Officer, Siliguri.

Darjeeling.

No. 5249A.—The 5th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct Kumar Pannaga Bhusan Deb Ray, an Honorary Magistrate of the Jhenidah Bench, in the district of Jessore, to take down evidence in the English language.

Jessore.

No. 5413A.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Babu Debendra Chandra Mazumdar, an Honorary Magistrate of the Narayanganj Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Dacca, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench,—

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Narayanganj subdivision of the said district.

Dacca.

No. 5421A.—The 6th November 1917.—Mr. C. G. B. Stevens, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kalimpong, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Munsif and with powers to try rent suits within that subdivision.

Darjeeling.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No 3306J.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Girish Chandra Sen, substantively *pro tempore* Subordinate Judge, is appointed to act, under further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, from the 19th November 1917, the date on which the Civil Courts reopen after the vacation.

Mymensingh.

No. 3308J.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Midnapore.

Midnapore.

No. 3310J.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Kunja Bihari Biswas is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Chittagong, from the 19th November 1917, on the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the vacation.

Chittagong.

No. 3312J.—The 6th November 1917.—Babu Jitendra Prasad Chatarji, Munsif, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge, Dacca, from the re-opening of the Civil Courts after the vacation.

Dacca.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 4526P.D.—The 29th October 1917.—In pursuance of sub-rule (1) of rule 13 of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, published with the Government of India, Legislative Department, Notification No. 86, dated the 9th December 1915, and the declaration of the Governor-General in Council contained in Notification No. 1310 of the Army Department, Judicial, dated the 24th December 1915, the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the District Magistrate of the 24-Parganas to make regulations for the navigation and mooring of boats between the hours of sunset and sunrise on the river Hooghly between Kulpi and the "James and Mary" Sands.

No. 13684P.—The 5th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), and rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the said Act IV of 1915 (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10873P., dated the 11th September 1915), and in partial modification of this Government Order No. 3996P.D., dated the 9th October 1917, the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to appoint Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge to be a Commissioner, *vice* Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., for the trial of—

(1) Profulla Ranjan Ray, son of Prokash Chandra Ray, and

(2) Satish Chandra Singha, son of Harish Chandra Singha, who are charged with the offences specified in this Government Order No. 3997P.D., dated the 9th October 1917, and

(*b*) to nominate the said Mr. S. E. Stinton to be the President of the Bench of Commissioners appointed by the said Order No. 3996P.D., dated the 9th October 1917, *vice* the said Mr. M. Smither.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 5th November 1917.

No. 107.—Babu Ashutosh Guha, Sub-Engineer, Dacca Division, is granted privilege leave for two months and nineteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th October 1917, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

The 6th November 1917.

No. 108.—Rai Shashi Bhusan Majumdar Bahadur, Executive Engineer, Third Calcutta Division, is appointed to hold charge of the First Calcutta Division in addition to his own duties until further orders.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 5th November 1917.

Notification No. 7.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 21 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint an Embankment Committee for the district of Jalpaiguri, which shall be constituted as follows :—

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Jalpaiguri.
2. The Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle.
3. The Executive Engineer, Duars Road Division.
4. The District Engineer, Jalpaiguri.
5. The Manager, Bengal Duars Railway.
6. Mr. W. L. Travers, Manager, Barodighi Tea Estate.
7. „ R. McLean, Manager, Hantapara Tea Estate.
8. „ H. R. Cheshire, Manager, Rydak Tea Estate.
9. Babu Ambika Charan Sen, Manager, Ambari Tea Estate.

II. The Governor in Council is further pleased to direct, in exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the said Act, that so long as Bengal Government Notification No. 6, dated the 17th September 1917, remains in force, the said Committee shall be consulted by the Deputy Commissioner in the discharge of his functions under clause (*b*) of section 76 of the said Act in respect of the Western Duars : provided that in cases of grave and imminent danger to life or property the Deputy Commissioner may discharge those functions without previously consulting the Committee.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 26th October 1917.

No. 96Marine.—Mr. R. S. Smyth, Branch Pilot, Bengal Pilot Service, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 676(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 5th November 1917.

No. 97Marine.—Mr. O. J. Field is appointed to act as Assistant Inspector of Smoke-Nuisances, *vice* Mr. James Sutherland, on leave, with effect from the date on which he joins his appointment.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE

No. 5463A.

No. 2896A.D.—The 31st October 1917.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Dacca.

No. 5245A.—The 5th November 1917.—Babu Sanat Kumar Mukharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 6th September 1917.

Midnapore.

No. 5265A.—The 5th November 1917.—The orders, dated the 20th October 1917, posting Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, to the Burdwan Division, are cancelled.

Burdwan Divn.

No. 5281A.—The 5th November 1917.—The officers, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Dwarka Nath Das, B.A., Settlement Kanungo.
„ Mohini Mohan Chakrabatti, B.A., Settlement Kanungo.

The postings of these officers are under consideration.

No. 5283A.—The 5th November 1917.—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors :—

Babu Radharaman Singh, M.A.
„ Shyamananda Banarji, M.A.
Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Sattar, B A.
„ Reazuddin Ahmad, B.Sc.
Babu Birendra Nath Bose, B.A.
Maulvi Nurul Halim, B.A.

The postings of these officers are under consideration and the appointments of those who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে স্থবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 18th October 1917.

No. 101P.—Miss Mabel Singh, Officiating Special Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Calcutta (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and eighteen days, from 3rd November 1917.

The 5th November 1917.

No. 102P.—Maulvi Muhammad Musa, Superintendent, Hooghly Madrassa (class VII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from 8th September 1917.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 18For.—The 1st November 1917.—On return from leave Mr. H. S. Gibson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, is posted as an attached officer to the Jaipaiguri Division with headquarters at Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Offg. Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4569J.—This office Notification No. 4497J., dated the 17th October 1917, posting Babu Rajendra Lal Acharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Manikganj in the district of Dacca, temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district, is hereby cancelled.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4676J.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, in the district of Dacca, is transferred temporarily to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

This office Notification No. 4503J., dated the 17th October 1917, posting him to the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, is cancelled.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 29th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4079J.—Babu Phanindra Bhusan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

F. W. STRONG, *Deputy Commissioner in charge.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 29th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 199R.G.—Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is transferred to Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 200R.G.—Babu Nalin Ranjan Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jessore, Sadar, is transferred to Barasat, in the district of the 24-Parganas.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4113J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Subsidiary Jail at Nator in the district of Rajshahi :—

Maulvi Muhammad Ershad Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
Doctor Ramesh Chandra Sarkar.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 12th-31st October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2793M.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at the general election held on the 15th September 1917, the following gentlemen have been duly elected as Commissioners of the Nawabganj Municipality, in the district of Malda :—

Ward No. I.

Babu Ram Krishna Mukherjee.
„ Romes Chandra Bagchi.
„ Sris Chandra Maulik.

Ward No. II.

Babu Ganga Charan Dutt.

Ward No. III.

Mahamed Majidulla.
Mahamed Piar Baks.

Ward No. IV.

Mahamed Eakub Mian.
Babu Giris Chandra Sinha.

J. N. GUPTA, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 17th October 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4688J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 39 of the Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (III of 1885), Muhammad Tufani Pradhan has been duly elected to be a member of the Fatulla Union Committee in the Narainganj subdivision of the district of Dacca, *vice* M. Balai Sardar, deceased.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 1st November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4691J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 19(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, I appoint the Rev. S. B. Bose to be a member of the Gopalganj Local Board in the district of Faridpur in place of Babu Bijoy Mohan Chakrabarty, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 1st November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of hospitals and dispensaries, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the Sultanpur Charitable Dispensary in the district of Burdwan :—

1. Subdivisional Officer, Kalna ... *Ex-officio.*
2. Babu Tulsi Das Kumar.
3. „ Ashutosh Kumar.
4. „ Sita Nath Bachaspati.
5. Munshi Amir Ali.
6. Babu Radhika Pada Pan.
7. „ Jagannath Goswami.
8. „ Rajendra Nath Rai.
9. „ Girindra Chandra Mazumdar.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 31st October 1917*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 20th October 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 20th October 1917.

No. 12455.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 17 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and in supersession of the Commerce and Industry Department Notification No. 5484-4-10, dated the 2nd October 1905, as amended by Notification No. 5631-17, dated the 20th July 1906, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that picric acid, picrates and mixtures of picric acid shall be deemed to be explosives within the meaning of the said Act, subject to the following exceptions:—

(*a*) Picric acid or a picrate when mixed with not less than one-half its own weight of water shall not be deemed to be an explosive.

(*b*) Picric acid when thoroughly mixed with not less than three times its own weight of—

(*i*) anhydrous sulphate of soda, or

(*ii*) crystallised sulphate of soda, and packed in hermetically closed packages, or

(*iii*) potash alum,

shall not be deemed to be an explosive.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 27th October 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

POLITICAL.

Simla, the 26th October 1917.

No. 2584.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 1, sub-section (3) of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act of 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that sections 3 to 11 of the said Act shall come into force, with effect from the date of this notification in the Shahabad and Gaya districts of the province of Bihar and Orissa.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 27th October 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

Simla, the 27th October 1917.

No. 13031.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of the pamphlet entitled "America on British Rule in India" by Andrew Carnegie, Mark Twain, Bishop Henry Petter and others, published in the United States of America by the Indian National Party.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 27h October 1917, are republished for general information.

N G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Simla, the 26th October 1917.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 1794.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the undermentioned to be temporary Lieutenants with effect from the dates specified :—

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Narendra Nath Chowdhury. Dated 25th September 1917.

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LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 1810.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

Second Supplement, dated the 26th August 1916, to the London Gazette of the 25th August 1916, pages 8471 and 8472.

War Office,
26th August 1916.

THE MILITARY CROSS.

REVISED ROYAL WARRANT.

George the Fifth by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India : To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting :

Whereas we did by Royal Warrant under Our Sign Manual dated 28th December, 1914, institute and create a new Decoration entitled "The Military Cross" to be awarded to Officers of certain ranks in Our Army in recognition of distinguished and meritorious services in time of war :

And whereas we are desirous that certain alterations should be made in the regulations governing the said Decoration, We do hereby ordain that the provisions of Our said Royal Warrant shall be cancelled, and that the following regulations shall be substituted in lieu thereof :—

Firstly :—It is ordained that the Cross shall be designated "The Military Cross."

Secondly :—It is ordained that The Military Cross shall consist of a Cross of Silver having on each arm the Imperial Crown and bearing in the centre the Royal and Imperial Cipher.

Thirdly :—It is ordained that no person shall be eligible for this Decoration nor be nominated thereto unless he be a Captain, a Commissioned Officer of a lower grade, or a Warrant Officer, Class I, or Class II, in our Army, or Our Indian or Colonial Military Forces, and that the Military Cross shall be awarded only to Officers of the above ranks on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for War.

Fourthly :—It is ordained that Foreign Officers of an equivalent rank to those above mentioned, who have been associated in Military Operations with Our Army, or Our Indian or Colonial Military Forces, shall be eligible for the award of The Military Cross.

Fifthly :—It is ordained that anyone, who after having performed services for which the Military Cross is awarded, subsequently performs an approved act of gallantry which, if he had not received the Cross, would have entitled him to it, shall be awarded a bar to be attached to the riband by which the Cross is suspended, and for every additional such act an additional bar may be added.

Sixthly :—It is ordained that the names of those upon whom We may be pleased to confer this Decoration shall be published in the *London Gazette*, and that a Register thereof shall be kept in the Office of Our Principal Secretary of State for War.

Seventhly :—It is ordained that the Military Cross shall be worn immediately after all Orders and before all Decorations and Medals (The Victoria Cross alone excepted), and shall be worn on the left breast pendent from a riband of one inch and three-eighths in width, which shall be in colour white with a purple stripe.

Eighthly :—It is ordained that the Military Cross shall not confer any individual precedence, but shall entitle the recipient to the addition after his name of the letters M.C.

Ninthly :—It is ordained that any person whom by an especial Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual We declare to have forfeited the Military Cross shall return the said Decoration to the Office of Our Principal Secretary of State for War, and that his name shall be erased from the Register of those upon whom the said Decoration shall have been conferred.

Lastly :—We reserve to Ourself, Our heirs and successors full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting, or dispensing with these Regulations, or any part thereof, by a notification under Our Royal Sign Manual.

Given at Our Court of St. James's this 23rd day of August 1916, in the seventh year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

D. LLOYD GEORGE.

MEMORANDUM.

This Warrant is in substitution for the original Warrant of 28th December 1914, and the Supplementary Warrant of 31st May 1916. The insertion of the letters M.C. after the recipient's name, under clause 8, will be carried out in the October Army List.

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London Gazette, dated the 3rd July 1917, page 6550.

War Office,
3rd July 1917.

THE MILITARY CROSS.

Royal Warrant of 25th June, 1917, amending the Third Clause of The Military Cross Warrant of 23rd August 1916.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS We deem it expedient that acting or temporary Majors and acting or temporary Chaplains 3rd Class should be considered eligible for the award of The Military Cross:

IT IS OUR WILL AND PLEASURE and We do hereby ordain that the Third Clause of Our Royal Warrant dated 23rd August 1916, governing The Military Cross, shall read as follows :—

Thirdly :—It is ordained that no person shall be eligible for this Decoration nor be nominated thereto unless he be a Captain, a Commissioned Officer of a lower grade, or a Warrant Officer, Class I or Class II in Our Army, or Our Indian or Colonial Military Forces, and that The Military Cross shall be awarded only to Officers of the above ranks on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for War.

Officers not above the substantive rank of Captain who hold the acting or temporary rank of Major, and acting or temporary Chaplains 3rd Class, shall also be eligible.

Given at Our Court at St. James's this 25th day of June, 1917, in the eighth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

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CANTONMENTS.

REGULATIONS.

No. 1838.—The following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), is published as required by section 25, sub-section (1), of the said Act, for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 27th November 1917 Any objections or suggestions which may be received with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor-General in Council :—

Draft notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Cantonment Code, 1912, namely :—

Clause (*a*) of sub-section (*ii*) of section 77 shall be omitted.

Sub-sections (*iii*) and (*iv*) of section 77 shall be renumbered (*ii*) and (*iii*).

JUDICIAL.

No. 1839.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917 (III of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Indian Defence Force Rules, 1917, namely :—

For rule 21 of the said rules the following rule shall be substituted, namely :—

Limits of local military service.

"21. For the purpose of the proviso to section 7 of the Act, the prescribed local area shall be

(1) in the case of any person resident in British India (including British Baluchistan and the Santhal Parganas)—the civil district in which such person ordinarily resides, and shall include

(*a*) where the corps or unit to which such person is appointed consists of persons enrolled in more than one civil district—the whole area comprised in such districts.

(*b*) where the corps or unit to which such person is appointed has its headquarters in any of the Presidency towns or in Karachi or Rangoon—an area with a radius of forty miles from such headquarters, and

(*c*) in the case of any person resident in Coorg—the districts of Shimoga, Hassan, Kadur and Mysore of the Mysore State ; and

(2) in the case of any person resident within the territories of a Native Prince or Chief in India—an area with a radius of forty miles from the ordinary place of residence of such person.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 3rd November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Delhi, the 3rd November 1917.

No. 13175.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations

shall be made in the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz:*

Additions.

American Dry Egg Co. (H. Kirschbaum)	... Shanghai.
Dedeneff's (P. P.) Soap Factory ...	... Harbin.
Dong Fong Tai	... Shanghai
Dupre, L. W.	... "
Energie Electrique de Tientsin.	
Hispano Import and Export Co. ...	... Shanghai.
Hong Yue Cotton Mill	... "
Hudson's Bay Company of Canada.	
Hui Lun Dispensary	... Swatow.
Kirschbaum (H.) (American Dry Egg Co.)	... Shanghai.
Kongmoon Paper Mills	... Canton.
Kroll & Co.'s Candle Factory	... Harbin.
Kuang-ming Soap and Candle Factory ...	... Ningpo.
London Varnish and Enamel Co., Ltd. ...	... Shanghai.
Masuda Yoko	... Tientsin.
Perena Y Munoz	... Shanghai.
Quan Yuen & Co.	... "
Salomos (French Bakery)	... Peking.
Shun Kee & Co.	... Shanghai.
Union de Paris (Compagnie d' Assurances)	... "
Upham, Frank S. & Co.	... Peking.
Wing On Co. (Shanghai), Ltd. ...	... Shanghai.
Zylstra & Co.	

Removals.

Glaeser (F.A.), Ltd. (Conrad Wm. Schmidt).
Schmidt, Conrad Wm. (F. A. Glaeser, Ld.).

Alterations.

Bacha, M. & Co.	*should read*	Codsi Freres (Bacha, M. & Co.), Shanghai.
Grimshaw, R.	" "	Grimshaw, R. (S. Hinrichsen & Aron).
Madier Freres, Shanghai	" "	Madier Freres, Shanghai, Canton.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 3rd November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 2nd November 1917.

JUDICIAL.

CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.

No. 1895.—The following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 23, 24 and 25 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), is published in pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 25 of the said Act for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor-General in Council on or after the 18th day of November 1917. Any objection or suggestion which may be received from any person with respect to the draft before that date will be considered by the Governor-General in Council.

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 23, 24 and 25 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to amend the Cantonment Code, 1912, to the extent set forth below:—

(1) In Chapter IX of the said Code, after section 158, the following shall be inserted:—

158-A. For the purpose of providing or maintaining the water supply or of making or maintaining communications or connections with the mains, the Cantonment Authority shall have all powers which are conferred upon it in respect of drainage and the supply of gas by sections 171-A to 171-I. *Cf.* Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 102.

Powers of Cantonment Authority in respect of communications, e c.

(2) After Chapter IX of the said Code, the following shall be inserted:—

Chapter IX-A.

Drainage. lighting, etc.

171-A. The Cantonment Authority may carry any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer, or channel of any kind, for the purpose of establishing telephonic or other similar communication or of carrying out and establishing or maintaining any system of lighting, drainage, or sewerage, through, across, under, or over, any road, street, or place laid out as or intended for a road or street, and after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier, into, through, across, under, over, or up the side of any land or building whatsoever situate within the limits of the cantonment, and, for the purpose of the introduction, distribution of outfall of water or for removal or outfall of sewage without such limits, and may at all times do all acts and things which may be necessary or expedient for repairing or maintaining any such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer, or channel, as the case may be, in an effective state for the purpose for which the same may be used or intended to be used: *Cf.* Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 132.

Power of Cantonment Authority to lay wires, etc.

Provided that no nuisance more than is necessarily caused by the proper execution of the work is created by any such operation: and

Provided, further, that reasonable compensation shall be paid to the owner or occupier for any damage at the time sustained by him and directly occasioned by the carrying out of such operations.

171-B. In the event of any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel being laid or carried above the surface of any land or through, over or up the side of any building, such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel, as the case may be, shall be so laid or carried as to interfere as little as possible with the rights of the owner or occupier to the due enjoyment of such land or building, and reasonable compensation shall be paid in respect of any substantial interference with any such right to such enjoyment. *Cf.* Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 133.

Provision as to wires, etc, laid above surface of ground.

171-C. Except in cases to which sections 158-K and 158-L relate, the Cantonment Authority shall cause not less than fourteen days' notice in writing to be given to the owner or occupier before commencing any operations under section 158-B. *Cf.* Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 134.

Previous notice to be given.

171-D. No person shall, without the permission of the Cantonment Authority, at any time make, or cause to be made any connection or communication with any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel constructed or maintained by or vested in the Cantonment Authority, or Government, for any purpose whatsoever. *Cf.* Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 135.

Connection with main not to be made without permission of Cantonment Authority.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s 186.

Power to make or require connections in case of sewerage.

171-E. The Cantonment Authority may, at any time, establish any connection or communication from any water main, drain or sewer, to any premises, or may by notice require the owner of any such premises to establish any such connection or communication, in such manner and within such time as the Cantonment Authority, by notice in that behalf, may prescribe, at the cost of such owner or occupier.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s 187.

Power to prescribe size of ferrule and to establish meters and the like.

171-F. The Cantonment Authority may prescribe the size of the ferrules to be used for the supply of gas, and may establish meters or other appliances for the purpose of testing the quantity or quality of any gas or electricity supplied to the premises of any person or to or for the use of any person or business.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 188.

Communications and connections to be made subject to inspection

171-G. The ferrules, communication-pipes, connections, meters, standpipes and all fittings thereon or connected therewith, leading from mains or service cables, wires, pipes, drains, sewers or channels into any house or land and the wires, pipes fittings and works inside any such house or within the limits of any such land, shall in all cases be executed subject to the inspection and to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 189

Power to fix rates and charges

171-H. The Cantonment Authority may, from time to time, fix the charges to be made for the establishment by them or through their agency of communications from and connections with mains or service cables, wires and pipes for the supply of lighting, telephonage or gas, and for meters or other appliances for testing the quantity or quality thereof supplied, and may levy such charges accordingly.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 140

Paving of courtyards, alleys and passages

171-I. For the purpose of efficiently draining any building or land the Cantonment Committee may by notice in writing (*a*) require any courtyard, alley or passage between two or more buildings to be paved with such materials and in such manner as may be approved by them, and (*b*) require such paving to be kept in proper repair.

(3) In Chapter XVII of the said Code after section 238 the following shall be inserted :—

Inspection of drains, privies and cesspools

238-A. The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person to enter between sunrise and sunset into any building or upon any land and to inspect any drain, privy, latrine, urinal, cesspool, cable, wire, pipes, sewer or channel therein, or thereon, and to cause the ground to be opened where such person as aforesaid may think fit for the purpose of preventing or removing any nuisance arising from the drains, privies, latrines, urinals, cesspools, cables, wires, pipes, sewers or channels.

(2) If, on such inspection, it appears that the opening of the ground was necessary for the prevention or removal of a nuisance, the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the land or building; but if it be found that no nuisance exists or but for such opening would have arisen, the ground or portion of any building, drain, or other work, if any, opened, injured or removed for the purpose of such inspection shall be filled in, reinstated and made good by the Cantonment Authority.

(3) No building other than a latrine, urinal or privy, shall be entered under this section until six hours notice in writing has been given to the occupier of the building by the Cantonment Authority or by the person authorised by the Cantonment Authority to make the entry.

Other powers of entry on buildings or land.

238-B. The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person, after giving twenty-four hours notice to the occupier, or, if there be no occupier, to the owner of any building or land, at any time between sunrise and sunset, to enter into any building or on any land, for the purpose of inspecting or repairing gas, water, telephonic, electric or other installations and for taking readings of meters connected therewith.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 764T.-M.—The 29th October 1917.—The following proposed plan for lighting portions of the Maniktala Municipality with gas, which has been submitted by the Commissioners of that Municipality to the Government of Bengal for sanction under section 308 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

II. The proposed plan will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be considered.

Proposed Plan.

1. The portions of the Municipality which it is proposed to light with gas is defined below :—

PLOT A—ARIFF ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road.

West—The municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

PLOT B—BAGMARI ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 132-A, Bagmari Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Bagmari Road, and from No. 8, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, and from the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding Nos. 132-A and 132-B, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

PLOT C—CANAL EAST ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards west up to the Circular Canal.

South—From the Circular Canal towards east up to the south-west corner of the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

West—Circular Canal.

PLOT D—SASTITOLA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, and from the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, towards south-west up to the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, and from the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, and from the said No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, and from the said No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane.

West—From the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

PLOT E—NARKELDANGA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

PLOT F—BELLIAGHATTA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghatta Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghata Main Road.

PLOT G—CHARAKDANGA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road, towards east up to the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road,

East—From the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 70, Charakdanga Road, and from No. 70, Charakdanga Road up to the municipal holding No. 6, Charakdanga Lane, and from No. 6, Charakdanga Lane towards north up to the municipal holding No. 53, Charakdanga Road and from No. 53, Charakdanga Road towards north up to the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road.

2. Sixty-four gas lamps will be installed within these portions of the Maniktala Municipality, viz., eight gas lamps in Ariff Road, ten in Bagmari Road, seven in Canal East Road, three in Narkeldanga Main Road, seven in Sastitola Road, sixteen in Belliaghatta Main Road and thirteen in Charakdanga Road. It is estimated that the total cost for the installation will be Rs. 4,960. The Commissioners have decided to enter into an agreement with the Oriental Gas Company, Limited, on account of the maintenance of these lamps at the rate of Rs. 50 for each lamp a year or at a total annual cost of Rs. 3,200 *per annum*.

3. The Municipal Commissioners propose to meet the charge to be incurred on account of lighting the aforesaid areas by imposing an annual lighting rate of 3 *per cent.* on the annual value of holdings situated within the areas to be lighted as defined in paragraph 1 of this notification. The income to be derived from the lighting-tax of the aforesaid areas is estimated to be Rs. 3,840 a year

Howrah.

No. 762T.M.—The 29th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah, under sections 23 (2) and 27 of that Act, electing Babu Charu Chandra Sinha to be their Chairman during the absence of the Hon'ble Babu Mahendra Nath Ray on leave.

Midnapore.

No. 1895M.—The 6th November 1917.—The following draft order which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 22nd December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Ghatal Municipality, in the district of Midnapore, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the levy, under section 321 of that Act, by the Commissioners of the said Municipality, of fees for the cleansing of private privies and cess-pools within the areas to which the provisions of Part IX of the Act have been restricted by Notification No. 377T.M., dated the 16th June 1917, published at page 181 of Part 1B of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 27th June 1917.

Hooghly.

No. 1897M.—The 6th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Champdani Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 23 (*2*) of that Act electing Mr. W. Allan to be their Chairman.

Hooghly.

No. 1899M.—The 6th October 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Bhadreswar Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, under section 23 of that Act, electing Mr. R. B. Laird to be their Chairman.

Dacca.

No. 1893M.—The 6th November 1917.—Under rule 7 of the Local Authorities' Loans Rules, 1915, it is hereby notified, for general information, that the Governor in Council intends to sanction the following application from the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,00,000 from Government, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and repayable in forty equal half-yearly instalments of Rs. 4,326-3-2 each, unless good reasons are shown to the contrary within one month from the date of the publication of this notification within the said Municipality.

Application from the Commissioners of the Dacca Municipality for a loan of Rs. 1,00,000 for the improvement of the Water-works, Dacca.

The work or works for which the loan is required and the estimate of the cost thereof.	The amount which it is proposed to borrow.	The fund or funds on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The law or laws under which the said fund or funds is or are levied, received or held.	RECEIPT OF LOAN. (a) The period for which the loan is required.	(b) The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow.	(c) The number of instalments on which it is proposed that the loan should be taken.	(d) The amount of each instalment.	(e) The date proposed for receiving each.	REPAYMENT OF LOAN. (f) The number of instalments in which the loan is repayable and the dates of payment thereof.	(g) Amount for each instalment.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
For the improvement and extension of the Dacca Water works. Estimated amount is Rs. 2,36,884.	Rupees 1,00,000 (during the current year).	Dacca Municipal Fund.	Bengal Municipal Act III (B.C.) of 1884 as amended by Act III of 1886 and Acts IV and VI of 1894 (B.C.).	Twenty years.	6 per cent.	One instalment.	Rupees 1,00,000.	1st February 1918	In 40 equal half-yearly instalments payable on the 1st August and 1st February of each year commencing from the 1st August 1918 till the loan is paid off.	Rupees 4,256-3-2.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE LOCAL BODY.

REVENUE (DETAILS OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Sources from which revenue is derived.	Amount for— 1914-15.	1915-16	1916-17.
12	13	14	15
(A) Municipal rates and taxes.	Rs. A. P. 3,07,704 0 0	Rs. A. P 2,99,228 0 0	Rs. A. P. 3,18,071 0 0
(B) Realization under Special Acts.	2,204 0 0	2,292 0 0	2,514 0 0
(C) Revenue derived from Municipal property and powers apart from taxation.	27,410 0 0	31,040 0 0	28,487 0 0
(D) Grants and contributions for general and special purposes (ordinary).	16,742 0 0	17,089 0 0	19,430 0 0
(E) Miscellaneous	12,136 0 0	11,094 0 0	10,456 0 0
Total ordinary income ...	3,66,196 0 0	3,60,743 0 0	3,78,958 0 0
(F) Extraordinary and debts.	45,414 0 0	28,672 0 0	37,833 0 0
(G) Receipt of abnormal character.	.. ..	.....	.....
Total ...	4,11,610 0 0	3,89,415 0 0	4,16,691 0 0
Opening balance ...	1,23,339 0 0	1,06,816 0 0	92,865 0 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	5,34,949 0 0	4,96,231 0 0	5,09,556 0 0

EXPENDITURE (DETAILS OF THE PRECEDING THREE YEARS).

Object on which the expenditure is incurred.	Amount for— 1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.
16	17	18	19
1. General administration and collection charges.	Rs. A. P. 17,753 0 0	Rs. A. P. 18,565 0 0	Rs. A. P. 19,461 0 0
2. Public safety ...	17,390 0 0	17,084 0 0	20,527 0 0
3. Public health and convenience (excluding expenditure from loan funds and from grants other than ordinary).	2,66,328 0 0	2,76,392 0 0	2,51,268 0 0
4 Public instruction ...	28,923 0 0	7,132 0 0	6,987 0 0
5 Miscellaneous ...	40,966 0 0	29,313 0 0	24,949 0 0
6 Repayment of loans ...	15,725 0 0	16,388 0 0	17,080 0 0
Total ordinary expenditure	3,87,085 0 0	3,64,874 0 0	3,40,272 0 0
7. Extraordinary and debt (excluding repayment of loan).	39,048 0 0	40,492 0 0	36,247 0 0
8. Expenditure from loan funds and from grants included under the head "Receipts of abnormal character."	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	4,26,133 0 0	4,05,366 0 0	3,76,519 0 0
Closing balance ...	1,08,816 0 0	92,865 0 0	1,33,037 0 0
GRAND TOTAL ...	5,34,949 0 0	4,98,231 0 0	5,09,556 0 0

The normal surplus which may be expected in future, i.e., the difference between the average ordinary income and the average ordinary expenditure, calculated on the figures in columns 13 to 15 and 17 to 19, respectively.	Remarks.
20	21
Rs. 4,332	

In addition to the details required on the reverse, clear information should be given below under the following heads:—

(*a*) If the ordinary surplus is insufficient to meet the charge of the proposed loan, the particular steps which the Municipality has taken or has agreed to take, in order to make good the deficiency.

In consequence of the revision of the latrine rates the financial position of the Municipality has much improved and is much better than the figure shown in column 20 of the loan application would indicate.

(*b*) The reserve of taxation or other possible means of increase in the revenue of the Municipality.

The revenue may be increased by increased house connections. The income has been increased from the beginning of this year by revising latrine rate, which will yield an increased income of abont Rs. 37,000, the demand being a little over 39,000.

(*c*) A statement of all outstanding loans specifying, in respect of each loan, the date when taken, the purpose (very briefly), the amount, the annual charge involved, and the amount still payable.

(c) Outstanding loan and how payable.	Purpose of loan.	When taken.		Instalments paid.	Balance outstanding on 31st March 1917.
			Rs.		Rs. A. P.
1. Loan of Rs. 1,25,000 from Government payable in 60 half-yearly instalments.	Water-works improvements and extension.	Taken in 1889-90 in instalments.		Half-yearly Rs. 3,816-14-8 or annually Rs. 7,633-13-4.	30,785 15 5
2. Loan of Rs. 75,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Conservancy improvement, construction of tram lines, etc.	On 5th November 1908.	25,000	Half-yearly Rs. 2,157-2-5 or annually Rs. 4,3'5-2-10.	69,742 0 2
		On 5th December 1908.	50,000		
		Total ...	75,000		
3. Loan of Rs. 2,00,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Water-works remodelling and extension.	On 6th January 1910.	1,00,000	Half-yearly Rs. 7,311-1-7 or annually Rs. 14,622-3-2.	1,47,108 11 3
		On 9th February 1910.	1,00,000		
		Total ...	2,00,000		
4. Loan of Rs. 20,000 from Government payable in 40 half-yearly instalments.	Improvement of conservancy tram line.	On 19th September 1911.	20,000	Half-yearly Rs. 731-11 or annually Rs. 1,463-6.	15,963 12 7

(*d*) Any explanation in regard to receipts and expenditure to show the true financial position of the Municipality when such position is otherwise than the ordinary surplus would indicate.

The ordinary surplus does not indicate the true state of the finances of the Municipality. *Vide* remarks under (*a*).

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTICE.

THE BIHAR AND ORISSA MEDICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

THE ensuing examinations of the Board will commence on Monday, the 26th of November 1917, simultaneously at the Temple Medical School, Bankipore, and the Orissa Medical School, Cuttack. Applications, accompanied with the prescribed fees, will be received by the Secretary up to Saturday, the 17th of November 1917, from candidates desirous of appearing at the examinations.

2. The order of examination for the written portion will be according to the following time-table :—

PRIMARY EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Anatomy.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physiology.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Materia Medica.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Physics and Chemistry.

FINAL EXAMINATION.

Monday,	26th November...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Medicine.
„	26th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Surgery.
Tuesday,	27th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Midwifery.
„	27th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Medical Jurisprudence.
Wednesday,	28th „ ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Hygiene and Vaccination.
„	28th „ ...	2 P.M. to 5 P.M.	Pathology.

The oral and practical examinations will commence at Bankipore on Monday, the 3rd of December 1917, on conclusion of which they will be taken up at Cuttack. The time-table for the oral and practical examinations will be notified beforehand at each centre, through the Superintendents of the respective Medical Schools.

I. H. ELIAS,
Secretary, Bihar and Orissa Medical Examination Board.

RANCHI SECRETARIAT,
The 22nd October 1917.

A

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1917, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 16th and 17th February 1917.)

Approved by the Board of Sanskrit Examinations, Calcutta.

60 stipends to pupils at Rs. 2 a month for two years.
25 stipends of Rs. 6 a month, 25 stipends of Rs. 8 a month, and 4 Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs 4 a month and one at Rs. 3 a month, are awarded to teachers (tenable for one year).

These stipends are tenable from September 1917.

Name of Association.	Candidates.				Stipends to pupils.							Stipends to teachers.						
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 2.		Available for the encouragement of the students in backward localities.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different association.		Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 3.		Available for the encouragement of Pandits in backward localities at Rs. 6.	By adding up marks.		Hara umar Tagore Tol stipend at Rs. 4. Endowed scholarships reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.	
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 3.	At Rs. 6.	At Rs. 4.	Total.
Bengal Presidency.																		
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	220	49	113	34	...	2	...	...	6	12	20	1	3	...	1	1	4	4
2. Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha...	20	11	13	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	1	...	...
3. Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha ...	30	6	11	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha... ...	30	4	16	3	2	...	...	...	3	...	5	2	...	1	1	...	...	...
5. Nafadi Vidyotsahini Sabha	5	3	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
6. Dasiatpur Saraswat Samiti	54	14	20	7	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
7. Burdwan Bejoy Centre	86	30	28	15	...	...	1	...	2	3	6	1	1	1	1	1	...	...
8. Srikhanda Chaitanyadaini Sabha ...	10	3	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha ...	56	6	23	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	116	27	35	17	...	...	1	...	3	...	4	...	...	1	3	2	...	...
11. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	128	24	40	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	...	...
12. Tiluri Bamibekash Sanskrit Samiti ...	28	2	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Dacca	58	16	19	6	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
14. Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha	21	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha	22	7	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
16. Idilpur Hitakini Sabha	26	8	13	5	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
17. Bishnupur Vidyotsanmilani Sabha ...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Mymensing Dharma Sabha ...	41	17	14	9	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
19. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College.	5	2	3	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	18	8	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Chittagong Vidyabenodini Sabha ...	45	19	13	14	...	1	...	...	...	3	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
22. Noakhali Subrid Sammilani Sabha ...	31	10	14	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...
23. Comilla Dharma Samiti	32	8	10	5	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
24. Brahmanberia Vidyotsahini Sabha ...	23	3	9	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Assam.																		
25. Gauripur Tarinipreya Sanskrit Samiti	3	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Silchar Prachya Siksha Parisad ...	22	3	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
27. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjiwan Sabha ...	27	3	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Provinces.																		
28. Mandala Sanskrit School Committee ...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29. Jubbalpur K. Hitakarini Sabha ...	49	3	18	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30. Khairagar Sanskrit School Committee	15	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	1,229	294	468	159	2	4	2	4	15	30	57	4	6	10	14	11	4	49

B

Statement of stipends awarded to pupils and to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1917, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; and Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

(Held on the 16th and 17th February 1917.)

Twenty stipends of Rs. 3 a month and fifteen stipends of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for two years, and four Nyaya stipends at Rs. 3 a month, tenable for three year, are awarded to pupils.
Eighteen stipends of Rs. 10 a month, sixteen stipends at Rs. 12 a month, three Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 5 a month, and two Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends of Rs. 6 a month (tenable for one year) are awarded to teachers.

These stipends are tenable from September 1917.

Name of Association.	Candidates.				Stipend to pupils.										Stipends to teachers								
	Number of candidates presented.		Number of candidates passed.		Available for merit at Rs. 4.		Available for the encouragement of students in backward localities at Rs. 3.		Stipends in proportion to passes under different Associations.				Reserved for Nyaya, Rs. 3 for three years.	Total.	Available for merit at Rs. 12.		Available for the encouragement of pandits in the backward localities, Rs. 10.	By adding up marks.		Reserved for Nyaya.	Harakumar Tagore Tol stipends Endowed scholarship reserved for Calcutta Pandit Sabha only.		Total.
	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar	Higher subjects.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 3.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 3.	Higher subjects, Rs. 3.	Kavya and Grammar, Rs. 4.	Higher subjects, Rs. 4.			Kavya and Grammar.	Higher subjects.		At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 10.	At Rs. 12.	At Rs. 5.	At Rs. 6.	
Bengal Presidency.																							
1. Calcutta Pandit Sabha	263	132	169	77	1	2			3	5	2	4	2	18	2	3		8	4			2	2
2. Bhatpara Pariksha Sabha	34	17	16	12						1	1	1		3						1			
3. Navadwip Bibudha Janani Sabha	37	21	18	9													1						
4. Berhampur Pandit Sabha	36	8	7	4														1	1				
5. Narail Vidyotsahini Sabha	4		1																				
6. Dinajpur Saraswat Samiti	24	7	16	7				1				1		2									
7. Burdwan Bijoy Centre	62	27	27	10			1						1	2						1			
8. Srikhanda Chaitanyadaini Sabha	11	5	5	1				1			1			1			1						
9. Midnapur Vidyotsahini Sabha	40	9	16	3					1	1				2				1	1				
10. Ghatal Sanskrit Samiti	91	11	47	7					1					1				2					
11. Contai Sanskrit Samiti	30	13	13	7						1				2									
12. Tilluri Banibekas Sanskrit Samiti	2	1	2	1																			
13. Dacca	48	14	18	8									1	1									
14. Bakla Aryya Sammilani Sabha	31	2	24	2						1				1									
15 Barisal Dharmarakshini Sabha	33	4	17																				
16. Idilpur Hitaishini Sabha	25	4	9	3																			
17. Bishnupur Vidyotsammilani Sabha	8	1	5	1																			
18. Mymensingh Dharma Sabha	42	9	23	2														1					
19. Rajshahi Rani Hemanta Kumari Sanskrit College	12	4	4	2																			
20. Rangpur Dharma Sabha	26	9	15	3						1				1				1					
21. Chittagong Vidyabenodini Sabha	36	17	13	7					1			2		3		1							
22. Noakhali Suhrid Sammilani Sabha	25	4	14	2														1	1				
23. Comilla Dharma Samiti	23	3	14	1																			
24. Brahmanbaria Vidyotsahini Sabha	19	5	11	2																			
Assam.																							
25. Gouripore Tarinipreya Sanskrit Samiti	6	4	6	3																			
26. Silchar Prachya Siksha Parisad	11	4	5	2																			
27. Nalbari Sanskrit Sanjiwan Sabha	13		13																				
Central Provinces.																							
28. Mandola Sanskrit School Committee	1																						
29. Jubbulpur K. Hitakarini Sabha	31	15	16	13																			
30. Khairaghar Sanskrit School Committee	6	1	4																				
Total	990	351	542	189	1	2	1	2	5	9	4	8	4	36	2	4	6	7	8	1	1	3	2	34

C.

Stipends awarded to pupils on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1917, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1898; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to Pupils and Teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1917.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies	Subject.
PANDIT SABHA, BERHAMPORE.				
Hrishikesh Goswami ...	2	Pandit Rash Behari Sankhyatirtha, Rajagunj, Khagra, Murshidabad.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Lalit Krishna Bhaduri ...	2	Pandit Trailakshyanath Smritibhusana. Lalgola Murshidabad.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
VIDYABENODINI SABHA, CHITTAGONG.				
Srimati Jogeswari Sankhya-tirtha.	2	Pandit Surendranath Sankhyatarkatirtha, Jagatpur Asram, Chittagong	With the same teacher ...	Vedanta.
PANDIT-SABHA, CALCUTTA.				
Harikesore Mukhopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Dwarkanath Vidyabenode, Chatra, Srerampore, Hooghly.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Baidyanath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Brajendranath Smrititirtha, Maheshpur, Jessore.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
BIBUDHA JANANI SABHA, NAVADWIP.				
Lalit Mohan Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Benodebehari Jyotiratna, 45, Nandaram Sen Street, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.

Stipends in proportion to passes.

CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.				
Ajitnath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Durgacharan Vedantatirtha, Bhawanipur Bhagabat Chatuspathi, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Rajsingha Budha Das ...	2	Pandit Amulya Chandra Vaidyaratna, 15, St. James Lane, Bowbazar, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Saraswat.
Sacchidananda Gupta ...	2	Pandit Sivaprasad Sarma, 3, Smriti-bhusan Lane, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Hara Kumar Gupta ...	2	Pandit Narendranath Vidyanidhi, 8, Roybagan, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Asutosh Chakravarti ...	2	Deviprasanna Smritibhusana, Belpukur, Nadia.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Madanmohan Das ...	2	Pandit Sidhinath Misra, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	With Pandit Chandrioadutt Misra, 87, Amherst Street.	Laghu Koumudi.
Anantalal Jha ...	2	Pandit Upadhya Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Jyotish.
Bijoy Krishna Mukhopadhyya	2	Pandit Haripada Smrititirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Patitpaban Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Radhaballav Jyotishtirtha, Sanskrit College, Calcutta	Ditto ...	Jyotish.
Jyotindramohan Bhatta-charyya.	2	Pandit Mritunjoy Smrititirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Charu Krishna Smrititirtha ...	2	Mahamahopadhyaya Siva Chandra Sarbavauma, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.

Name of stipend-winner	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject
CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.				
Saileswar Bandopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Dwarkanath Vidyabenode, Chatra, Sreraimpur, Hooghly.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Panchanan Chattopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Ramgopal Smritiratna, Korarbagan, Howrah.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Kamini Kumar Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Jogendranath Tarkatirtha, Cossipur, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Kali Kumar Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Priyanath Tarkatirtha, Cossipur, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Jyotindrakumar Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Ramratna Vedantaratna, Chinsura, Hooghly.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Tareshchandra Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Lalitmohan Smrititirtha, Rukshminikanta tol, Noagaon, Rajshahi.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Narendranath Chaudhury ...	2	Mahamahopadhyaya Gurucharan Tarkadarsantirtha, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.
BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.				
Birajanath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Sitanath Vedantasastri, Chinsura, Hooghly.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Surendrachandra Bhattacharyya.	2	Sitanath Sankhyaratna, Chandanagar, Hooghly.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
BERHAMPORE PANDIT SABHA.				
Taraprasanna Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Ramtaran Smrititirtha, Berhampore, Murshidabad.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
Ambujakshya Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Satyanarain Tarkachudamani, Kundala, Birbhum.	Ditto ...	Sankshiptasar.
Nisakar Bandopadhyaya ...	2	Pandit Rishibhusan Smritiratna, Manikdihi, Nadia.	Ditto ...	Mugdhabodha.
DAULATPUR SARASWAT SAMITI.				
Hemendranath Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Devnath Smrititirtha, Daulatpur, Khulna.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti.
Pareshnath Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Kshetranath Smrititirtha, Tilak, Bawidanga, Khulna.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Kanailal Nath	2	Pandit Kedareshwar Kavyatirtha, Nayapara, Pilganj, Khulna.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
BURDWAN BIJOY CENTRE.				
Rammoy Bhattacharyya ...	2	Pandit Rambrahma Tarkatirtha, Ghurisa, Birbhum.	With the same teacher ...	Sankshiptasar.
Anangamohan Chattopadhyaya	2	Pandit Hemchandra Tarkatirtha, Bamira, Bankura.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Tarapada Vyakarantirtha ...	2	Pandit Ramhari Smrititirtha, Sridharpur, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Harendranath Kavyatirtha ...	2	Pandit Rameshchandra Vedantatirtha, Bijoychatuspathi, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Vedanta.
Chintamany Kavya-Vyakarantirtha	2	Pandit Bireswar Tarkatirtha, Bijoychatuspathi, Burdwan.	Ditto ...	Nyaya.
SANSKRIT SAMITI, GHATAL.				
Bhajahari Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Nivaranchandra Smrititirtha, Tarakeswar, Hooghly.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdhabodha.
Phanindranath Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Trailakshyanath Vidyaratna, Kalagram, Keshpur, Midnapur.	Ditto ...	Sankshiptasar.
Bipulcharan Bharati ...	2	Pandit Karticchandra Misra, Kamarda, Haludhari, Midnapur.	Ditto ...	Kavya.
DACCA.				
Surendramohan Kavyatirtha ...	2	Pandit Rajanikanta Vedantabagisa, Dacca.	With the same teacher ...	Vedanta

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA, BAKLA.				
Manoranjan Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Sriprasanna Kavisekhar, Goila, Barisal.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
DHARMARAKSHINI SABHA, BARISAL.				
Saratchandra Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Chintaharan Smrititirtha, Sohagdal, Barisal.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Mukundalal Bhattacharyya ...	2	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Smriti.
HITAISINI SABHA, IDILPUR.				
Umacharan Chaudhury ...	2	Pandit Navinchandra Tarkaratna, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
DHARMA SABHA, MYMENSINGH.				
Kumudchandra Chackravarti...	2	Pandit Satinath Smrititirtha, Daulatpur, Pabna.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Akshyakumar Vyakarantirtha ...	2	Pandit Girindranath Vedantaratna, Mymensingh.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
VIDYABENODINI SABHA, CHITTAGONG.				
Srimati Saudamini Vyakarantirtha.	2	Pandit Surendra Kumar Sankhyatirtha, Jagatpur Asram, Chittagong.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Srimati Basanti Sankhyatirtha	2	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
COMILLA DHARMA SAMITI.				
Mahendrachandra Sarmacharyya.	2	Pandit Chandramohan Kavyabenode, Comilla, Tippera.	With the same teacher ...	Samaveda.
Rajendrakumar Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Chandrakesore Nyayaratna, Sahapur, Kamalasagar, Tippera.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Stipends for the encouragement of Students in backward localities.				
SANSKRIT SAMITI, GHATAL.				
Basudev Acharyya ...	2	Pandit Barada Kanta Kavyatirtha, Mughberia, Midnapur.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
DHARMA SAMITI, COMILLA.				
Apurbachandra Bhattacharyya	2	Pandit Suryya Kumar Smrititirtha, Comilla, Tippera.	With the same teacher ...	Kalapa.
BEJOY CENTRE, BURDWAN.				
Lalitaprasad Kavyatirtha ...	2	Pandit Radhica Prosad Tarkatirtha, Gopalpur, Burdwan.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
HITAISINI SABHA, IDILPUR.				
Jibankrishna Goswami ...	2	Pandit Annada Charan Tarkabagisa, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
DHARMA SABHA, RANGPUR.				
Nagendrachandra Chackravarti.	2	Pandit Harinarain Smriti Sankhyatirtha, Sairpur, Bogura.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti.
VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA, BRAHMANBERIA.				
Jaminikumar Chackravarti ...	2	Pandit Rajanikanta Nyayaratna, Rasullabad, Tippera.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.

D.

Stipends awarded to pupils on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1917 held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to Pupils and Teachers, dated the 18th March 1906.

[To be paid by the Deputy Inspector of Schools.]

Stipends tenable for two years from September 1917.

For merit.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
PANDIT SABHA, CALCUTTA.				
Saratchandra Chackravarti ...	4	Pandit Madhusudan Kavya Sankhya-tirtha, 18, Srinath Roy Lane, Calcutta.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya
Chandrabhusan Goutam ...	4	Pandit Bahuballav Sastri, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Yayurveda.
Sarat Kumar Bhattacharyya ...	4	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Stipends in proportion to passes.				
CALCUTTA PANDIT SABHA.				
Michrilal Bandopadhyaya ...	4	Pandit Ratikanta Kavyatirtirtha, Ghu-rul, Maju, Howrah.	With the same teacher ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Sivadev Sahail ...	4	Pandit Devicharan Trivedi, 6, Mullick Street, Barabazar, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Saraswat Chandrica.
Dhirendranath Sen ...	3	Pandit Nilmony Kavya Vyakarantirtha, 116, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Mugdha-bodha.
Gangadhur Misra ...	3	Pandit Siddhinath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Siddhanta Koumudi.
Gopalchandra Misra ...	4	Pandit Deviprasanna Smiritibhusan, Bel-pukur, Nadia.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Ramdev Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Asutosh Seroratna, 109, Baranasi Ghose Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Saradacharan Kavyatirtha ...	4	Pandit Iswarchandra Sastri, 90, Sitaram Ghose Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Upanisad.
Jogendranath Roy ...	4	Pandit Krishnacharan Tarkalankar, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Smriti
Ramdayal Misra ...	3	Pandit Siddhinath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Samaveda.
Janakinath Bhattacharyya ...	3	Pandit Dwarkanath Nyaya Sastri, 6-22, Kebal Krishna Sur Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Upanisad.
Tripathanath Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Krishnacharan Tarkalankar, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Teknath Misra	3	Pandit Chandrica Dutt Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Mimansa.
Ramprobesh Misra ...	3	Pandit Teknath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Pandit Siddhinath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Yajurveda.
BHATPARA PARIKSHA SABHA.				
Satischandra Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Lalitmohan Smrititirtha, Noa-gaon, Rajshahi.	With the same teacher ...	Kalap.
Haricharan Bhattacharyya ...	4	Pandit Narayanchandra Smrititirtha, Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
Tarapada Bhattacharyya ...	3	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto
DAULATPUR SARASWAT SAMITI.				
Ambicadutt Ojha ...	4	Pandit Yaminikanta Tarkatirtha, Daulat-pur, Khulna.	With the same teacher ...	Sankhya.
SRIKHANDA CHAITANYADAINI SABHA.				
Khagendranath Sen Gupta ...	4	Pandit Rakhalananda Thakur, Srikhanda, Burdwan.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.

Name of stipend-winner.	Monthly amount of stipend. Rs.	Name and address of teacher.	Place where the stipend-holder continues his studies.	Subject.
MIDNAPUR VIDYOTSAHINI SABHA.				
Sriharsa Nanda ...	3	Pandit Pursottam Vidyanidhi, Midnapur.	With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
Suryyanarain Kavyatirtha ...	3	Pandit Ramrakshya Tarkatirtha, Manikshyaram tol, Aliganj, Midnapur.	Ditto ...	Smriti.
GHATAL SANSKRIT SAMITI.				
Girishchandra Chowdhury ...	3	Pandit Bhutnath Misra Kavyatirtha, Lakhi, Henria, Midnapur.	With the same teacher	Sankshipta-sar.
BAKLA ARYYA SAMMILANI SABHA.				
Hrishikesh Bhattacharyya Kavya Vyakarantirtha.	3	Pandit Sriprasanna Das Gupta, Barisal.	Goila, With the same teacher ...	Sankhya.
RANGPUR DHARMA SABHA.				
Surendramohan Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Ramanimohan Vidyaratna, Rajshahi.	Natore, With the same teacher ...	Smriti.
CHITTAGONG VIDYABENODINI SABHA.				
Krishnachandra Acharyya ...	4	Pandit Tripuracharan Smrititirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong.	With the same teacher ...	Smriti.
Surendrakumar Tarkatirtha ...	4	Mahamahopadhyaya Pramothanath Tarkabhusana, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.	Ditto ...	Vedanta.
Jatindralal Dev ...	3	Pandit Benodebekash Nyayatirtha, Sachia, Barama, Chittagong.	Ditto ...	Kalap.
Stipends for three years reserved for Nyaya.				
PANDIT SABHA, CALCUTTA.				
Bimalananda Vyakarantirtha	3	Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbabhouma, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
Rajendranath Nanda ...	3	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do.
BEJOY CENTRE, BURDWAN.				
Nalinakshya Goswami ...	3	Pandit Dwarkesh Tarkabhusana, Burdwan.	Searsole, With the same teacher ...	Nyaya.
Amarchandra Bhattacharyya	3	Pandit Herambanath Nayaratna, Dacca.	Basail, Ditto ...	Do.
Stipends for two years for the encouragement of students in backward localities.				
BEJOY CENTRE, BURDWAN.				
Haripada Chakravarti ...	3	Pandit Rampada Tarkatirtha, Ukra, Burdwan.	Kumardihi, With the same teacher ...	Kavya.
SARASWAT SAMITI, DAULATPUR.				
Sarojbandhu Mukhopadhyaya	3	Pandit Ramchuran Tarkatirtha, Champaful, Khulna.	With the same teacher ..	Nyaya.
CHAITANYADAINI SABHA, SRIKHANDA.				
Jaykali Kavyatirtha ...	3	Pandit Basantakumar Vidyabhusana, Kirnahar, Birbhum.	With the same teacher ...	Sankhya.

Heralal Mookerjee Silver Medal reserved for Heralal Chatuspathi, Sridharpur, Burdwan.

Heralal Mookerjee Silver Medal awarded to Pasupati Bandopadhyaya for Kavya.

E

Stipends awarded to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit First Examination, 1917, held by different Associations under the rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 857, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to Pupils and Teachers, dated the 18th January 1901.

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Stipends tenable for one year from September 1917.

For merit.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association	Subject.
	Rs.		
Pandit Rashbehari Sankhyatirtha, Rajaganj, Khagra, Murshidabad.	8	Pandit Sabha, Berhampur ...	Mugdhabodha.
„ Trailakshyanath Smritibhusana, Lalgola, Khagra, Murshidabad.	8	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ Durgacharan Sankhya Vedantatirtha, Bhagabat Chatuspathi, Bhawanipur, Calcutta.	8	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	Ditto.
„ Rambrahma Tarkatirtha, Ghurisa, Birbhum ...	8	Bijoy Centre, Burdwan ...	Sankshiptasar.
„ Surendra Kumar Sankhyatirtha, Jagatpur Asrama, Chittagong.	8	Vidyabenodini Sabha, Chittagong	Vedanta.
„ Dwarkanath Vidyabenode, Chatra, Srerampur, Hooghly	8	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	Samaveda.
„ Brajendranath Smrititirtha, Maheshpur, Jessore ...	8	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ Benodebehari Jyotiratna, 45, Nandaram Sen Street, Calcutta.	8	Bibudha Janani Sabha, Navadwip	Ditto.
„ Ramhari Smrititirtha, Sridharpur, Burdwan ...	8	Bijoy Centre, Burdwan ...	Smriti.
„ Upadhyaya Jha, Visudhyananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta ...	8	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	Jyotish.

By adding up marks.

Pandit Nivaran Chandra Smrititirtha, Tarakeswar, Hooghly	8	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
„ Devakar Vedantapanchanan, Contai, Midnapur ...	8	Sanskrit Samiti, Contai ...	.....
„ Rishibhusan Smrititirtha, Manikdihi, Kaliganj, Nadia,	8	Pandit Sabha, Berhampore ...	.....
„ Lalitmohan Smrititirtha, Rukshmini Kanta tol, Naogaon, Rajshahi.	8	Pariksha Sabha, Bhatpara ...	.....
„ Joynarain Kavyatirtha, Samantakhanda, Kharai, Midnapur.	8	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
„ Sripaticharan Kavyatirtha, Balagoria, Midnapur ...	8	Ditto ...	.....
„ Parvaticharan Smritibhusana, Baidyapur, Burdwan ...	8	Bijoy Centre, Burdwan ...	.....
„ Ramlal Smrititirtha, Sripur Bangram, Khulna ...	8	Saraswat Samiti, Daulatpur ...	.....
„ Purosattom Kavyatirtha, Srirampur, Hooghly ...	8	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
„ Upendranath Vyakaranatirtha, Gopalchak, Basuntia, Midnapur.	8	Sanskrit Samiti, Contai ...	.....
„ Kailashchandra Vidyabhusan, Amtali, Tangibari, Dacca.	8	Dacca	.....
„ Ramrakshya Tarkatirtha, Aliganj, Midnapur ...	8	Vidyotsahiniasabha, Midnapur ...	.....
„ Birajmohan Kavyatirtha, Dakshin Sripur, Khulna ...	8	Pariksha Sabha, Bhatpara ...	.....
„ Navinchandra Tarkaratna, Mulgaon, Gossainhat, Faridpur.	8	Hitaishini Sabha, Idilpur ...	.....
„ Radhicaprasad Tarkatirtha, Gopalpur, Burdwan ...	6	Bejoy Centre, Burdwan ...	.....
„ Narayanchandra Smrititirtha, Bhatpara, 24-Parganas.	6	Pariksha Sabha, Bhatpara ...	.....
„ Brajaraj Bhagabatratna, Chaitanya Chatuspathi, Navadwip.	6	Bibudha Janani Sabha, Navadwip.	.....
„ Jogendramohan Sankhyaratna, Dovpara, Chandraganj, Noakhali.	6	Suhrid Sammilani Sabha, Noakhali.	.....
„ Ramcharan Kavyatarkatirtha, Champaful, Khulna ...	6	Saraswat Samiti, Daulatpur ...	.....
„ Rajanikanta Kavyapurantirtha, Deolia Pulsitta, Midnapur.	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
„ Kalinath Tarkavachaspati, Kethuri, Paniulla, Noakhali.	6	Suhrid Samimlani Sabha, Noakhali	.....
„ Kartiochandra Smrititirtha, Padurbheri Janka, Midnapur.	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Contai ...	.....
„ Suryyanarain Smritibhusan, Patnabazar, Midnapur ...	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
„ Dwarkanath Nyayasastri, 6-22, Kebal Krishna Sur Street, Calcutta.	6	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
„ Birnarain Vedantaratna, Bhaitgarh, Banamalichatta, Midnapur.	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Contai ...	.....

Name and address of teacher	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of association.	Subject.
	Rs.		

Stipends for the encouragement of teachers in backward localities.

Pandit Chintaharan Smritititirtha, Sohagdal, Barisal ...	6	Dharmarakshini Sabha, Barisal ...	.....
,, Trailakshyanath Sankhyatirtha, Sarda, Contai, Midnapur.	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Contai ...	.....
,, Yamininath Vyakarantirtha, Ghoshkanta, Sonaimari, Noakhali.	6	Suhrid Sammilani Sabha, Noakhali	.....
,, Sitanath Vyakarantirtha, Boalia, Tippera ...	6	Hitaisini Sabha, Idilpur ...	.....
,, Manibhusan Smritititirtha, Baruikhali, Khulna ...	6	Vidyotsahini Sabha, Narail ...	.....
,, Lahtakanta Vedantabagisa, Hogla Dhakua, Mymensingh.	6	Dharma Sabha, Mymensingh ...	.....
,, Ramendranath Smritititirtha, Doua Arangkearana, Midnapur.	6	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
,, Hemchandra Tarkatirtha, Bamira, Bankura ...	6	Bejoy Centre, Burdwan ...	.....
,, Rajanikanta Vyakarantirtha, Kongai, Dollai, Nawabpur, Tippera.	6	Dharma Samiti, Comilla ...	.....
,, Satkari Smritititirtha, Bilsa, Santhia, Birbhum ...	6	Pandit Sabha, Berhampur ...	.....

Harakumar Tagore Tol Stipends reserved for the Calcutta Pandit Sabha.

[To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College.]

Pandit Ramratna Vedantaratna, Kadamtala, Chinsura, Hooghly.	4	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Nivaranchandra Smritititirtha, Baranagar, 24-Parganas	4	Ditto ...	.....
,, Sivaprasad Sarma, Smritibhusan Lane, Calcutta ...	4	Ditto ...	.....
,, Ramgopal Smritiratna, Korarbagan, Howrah ...	4	Ditto ...	.....

F.

Stipends awarded to teachers on the results of the Sanskrit Second Examination, 1917, held by different Associations under the Rules prescribed in Government Resolution No. 957, dated the 21st March 1892; Notification No. 4236, dated the 29th December 1896; Notification No. 1409, dated the 31st March 1896; and the Director of Public Instruction's Rules for the distribution of stipends to pupils and teachers, dated 18th January 1901.

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Stipends tenable for one year from September 1917.

For merit.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject.
	Rs.		

Pandit Madhusudan Kavya Sankhyatirtha, 18, Srinath Roy Lane, Calcutta.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta. ...	Kavya.
,, Ratikanta Kavyatirtha, Ghurul, Maju, Howrah ...	12	Ditto ...	Mugdhabodha.
,, Deviprasanna Smritibhusana, Belpukur, Nadia ...	12	Ditto ...	Smriti.
,, Tripura Churan Smritititirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong.	12	Vidyabenodini Sabha, Chittagong	Do.
,, Asutosh Seroratna, 109, Baranasi Ghose Street, Calcutta.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	Do.
,, Iswar Chandra Sastri, 90, Sitaram Ghose Street, Calcutta.	12	Ditto ...	Upanisad.

Name and address of teacher.	Monthly amount of stipend.	Name of Association.	Subject
	Rs.		
By adding up marks.			
Pandit Raghubir Vedantatirtha, Visudhananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Sriprasanna Kavisekhar, Goila, Barisal ...	12	Aryya Sammilani Sabha, Bakla	.....
,, Purusottam Vidyanidhi, Bellyabera, Midnapore ...	12	Vidyotsahini Sabha, Midnapore	.....
,, Yogi Jha Vyakarantirtha. Visudhananda Vidyalaya, Calcutta.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Chandricadutt Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	12	Ditto ...	.....
,, Asutosh Kavyatirtha, Khalisakota, Barisal ...	12	Dharmarakshini Sabha, Barisal	.....
,, Sarat Chandra Kavyatirtha, Navadwip, Nadia ...	12	Bibudha Janani Sabha, Navadwip	.....
,, Bireshnath Kavyatirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Rajanikanta Kavyatirtha, Sanskrit College, Chittagong.	10	Vidyabenodini Sabha, Chittagong	.....
,, Barada Kanta Kavyatirtha, Mughberia, Midnapore ...	10	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
,, Haripada Smritirtha, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	10	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Saradacharan Kavyatirtha, Sonachaka, Khilpara, Noakhali.	10	Suhrid Sammilani Sabha, Noakhali.	.....
,, Bhutnath Misra, Lakhi, Henria, Midnapore ...	10	Sanskrit Samiti, Ghatal ...	.....
,, Siddhinath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	10	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Protapchandra Kavyavyakaran-smrititirtha, 6, Sampukur Street, Calcutta.	10	Ditto ...	.....
Stipends reserved for Nyaya.			
Mahamahopadhyaya Sivachandra Sarbavauma, Mulajore Sanskrit College, 24-Parganas.	12	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
Pandit Dwarkesh Tarkabhusana, Searsole, Burdwan ...	10	Bejoy Centre, Burdwan ...	.....
Stipends for the encouragement of teachers in backward localities.			
Pandit Kalikanta Smritibhusana, Bhatikhain, Chittagong ...	10	Vidyabenodini Sabha, Chittagong.	.....
,, Satyanarain Tarkachudamani, Kundala, Birbhum ...	10	Pandit Sabha, Berhampur ...	.....
,, Satinath Smritirtha, Daulatpur, Pabna ...	10	Dharma Sabha, Mymensingh ...	.....
,, Basantakumar Vidyabhusana, Kirnahar, Birbhum ...	10	Chaitanyodaini Sabha, Srikhanda	.....
,, Bangachandra Vyakarantirtha, Fultali, Jaffarganj, Tippera.	10	Dharma Samiti, Comilla ...	.....
,, Iswarchandra Smritirtha, Malatinagar, Bogura ...	10	Dharma Sabha, Rangpur ...	.....
Hara Kumar Tagore Tol Stipends reserved for the Calcutta Pandit Sabha.			
[To be paid by the Principal, Sanskrit College.]			
Pandit Tekanath Misra, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	6	Pandit Sabha, Calcutta ...	.....
,, Balmakunda Sastri, 87, Amherst Street, Calcutta ...	6	Ditto ...	.....
,, Sitanath Siddhantabagisa, 81, Raja Navakrishna Street.	5	Ditto ...	.....
,, Dasarathi Smritirtha, Darhatta, Hooghly ...	5	Ditto ...	.....
,, Kalikrishna Smritiratna, Dhanyakuria, 24-Parganas	5	Ditto ...	.....
Heralal Mookerjee's Tol Reward reserved for Heralal Chatuspathi.			
[To be paid by the Secretary, Board of Sanskrit Examinations.]			
Pandit Ramhari Smritirtha, Sridharpur, Burdwan ...	12	Bejoy Centre, Burdwan ...	.....

W. W. HORNELL,
Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 14th September 1917*

List of students successful at the City and Guilds of London Institute Technological Examinations held in Calcutta and at Serampore, 1917.

Examination number.	Candidate's Name.	Subject of Examination.	Grade or Section.	Class.
1	Fred. Joseph Etridge ...	Electrical Installation Work	I	2
3	K. Narasimham ...	Telephony ...	I	2
4	Narendra Chandra Bhattacharji.	Electrical Engineering ...	I	P
12	Genda Singh Sharma ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	P
14	Ami Chand Bhogea ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	P
31	Fanindra Nath Laha ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	P
26	Debendra Chandra Biswas	Ditto ditto ... (Continuous current).	II	P
25	Debendra Chandra Biswas	Electrical Engineering ... (Alternate current).	II	P
17	Satish Chandra Mukherjee	Mechanical Engineering, Division I.	I	P
27	Debendra Chandra Biswas	Ditto ditto ...	I	P
32	Harendra Krishna Daw ...	Ditto ditto ...	II	2
38	Nalinaksha Banerjee ...	Jute Weaving ...	II	1
33	Indra K. Singha ...	Plumbers' Work ...	I	P
34	Indra K. Singha ...	Principles of Lead Work, etc.	II	P
40	Ram Kishore Basak ...	Principles of Art as applied to Pattern Designing.	I	2
42	Luxman Minajirao Kangralker.	Silk Throwing and Spinning	I	1
43	Luxman Minajirao Kangralker.	Silk Dyeing ...	I	1
46	Noel Moore Bocarro ...	Cotton Spinning ...	I	1
47	Haripada Khan ...	Ditto ...	I	2
48	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty	Ditto ...	I	1
49	Golok Chandra Dey ...	Ditto ...	I	1
50	Jacob Mordecai ...	Ditto ...	I	2
51	Purnendra Nath Chakravarty.	Ditto ...	II	1
53	Hari Pada Khan ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving.	I	1
54	Prabhu Das Lakra ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	2
55	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
56	Golok Chandra Dey ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
57	Arunodoy Ghosh ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	2
58	Rajani Kanta Nath ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
59	Brajendra Chandra Chakravarty.	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
60	Bhuban Mohon Bose ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
61	Devendranath Hazra ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
62	Uriel Bowen ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
63	Nrisinha Chandra Chakravarty.	Ditto ditto ...	I	2
64	Cresswell Ghosh ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
66	Jacob Mordecai ...	Ditto ditto ...	I	1
68	Golok Chandra Dey ...	Ditto ditto ...	II	2
71	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty	Ditto ditto ...	II	2
73	Devendranath Hazra ...	Ditto ditto ...	II	2
74	Uriel Bowen ...	Ditto ditto ...	II	2
75	Noel Moore Bocarro ...	Ditto ditto ...	II	1
78	Jyotirmaya Das Gupta ...	Ditto ditto ...	Final sec. B.	2
80	Nalinaksha Banerjee ...	Ditto ditto ...	Do.	1
81	Haridhan Chakravarty ...	Ditto ditto ...	Do.	1
83	Jyotirmaya Das Gupta ...	Jute Spinning ...	I	2

PRIZES.

The following prizes are awarded to local candidates by the Calcutta Examination Committee on the results of the City and Guilds of London Institute Technological Examinations, 1917 :—

Examination number.	Candidate's Name.	Subject or subjects.	Amount of Prize.
			Rs.
25. 26, 27	Debendra Chandra Biswas.	Electrical Engineering, Grade II (continuous and alternate current), and Mechanical Engineering, Division 1, Grade I.	15
4	Narendra Chandra Bhattacharji.	Electrical Engineering, Grade I	10
38, 80	Nalinaksha Banerjee...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Final Section B; and Jute Weaving, Grade II.	15
75	Noel Moore Bocarro ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Grade II.	10
66	Jacob Mordecai ...	Plain and Fancy Cotton Weaving, Grade I.	10
48	Binoy Kumar Chakravarty.	Cotton Spinning, Grade I ...	10

W. H. EVERETT,

Offg. Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions, Bengal, and Secretary, Local Committee for the City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

(Office of the Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.)

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3-T.C.—The following candidates are permitted to join the First Year Class of the Training Class, Kurseong, in March 1918. They will be on probation for two months and if at the end of that period the Head Mistress reports that they are likely to profit by further instruction, they will be permitted to continue with their training (*vide* article 115 of the European Schools' Code) :—

	Name of student.	Address.
1.	Miss Alma Beryl Clampitt ...	Loreto Convent, Entally.
2.	„ Alice Day ...	Pratt Memorial School, Calcutta.
3.	„ Alice J. deVerinne ...	La Martinière for Girls.
4.	„ Violet Deveria ...	Mackenzie House, Howrah.
5.	„ Ethel Kelly ...	C/o Mrs. Woodward, 7, Mall, Rawalpindi.
6.	„ Irene Kelly ...	Calcutta Free School.
7.	„ Mabel Rowat ...	Mission House, Mihijan, E. I. Ry.
8.	„ Colleen Margaret Smith ...	4, Infantry Road, Bangalore.
9.	„ Florence Smith ...	Calcutta Free School.

ALFRED MERCER,

Offg. Inspector of European Schools, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fusli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Akanda, R.S. No. 2026.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 0	·17	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. GHOSE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 1 P.M., on Saturday, the 8th December 1917, corresponding with the 22nd Agrahayan 1324 B.S., at Asansol Railway Station

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of sale on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Burdwan	Pargana Kamanagar, mauza Dihika.	Sheet No. 104.	Situated on the east side of the railway.	238 4 0	78·09	.....	.....	From chain 51·250 to chain 54·000.	*North*—By the paddy land of Gadadhar Mohanta, Madhu Dhayra, Judu Majhi, Ganesh Majhi, Paran Majhi and by Ghosai Majhi's bandh and the Maharaja of Kasimbazar khas patit land. *East*—By the paddy land of Gadadhar Mohanta, Ganesh Messor, Gopal Majhi, Dina Dhayra, Paran Majhi and by khas patit land of Maharaja of Kasimbazar. *South*—By the stone layers bordering the Damuda river and belonging to the Maharaja of Kasimbazar. *West*—By the land of Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company and the Maharaja of Kasimbazar.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Situated on the west side of the railway.	9 1 8	3·00	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the paddy lands of Dharam Majhi and others, khas jote and khas patit land of the Maharaja of Kasimbazar. *East*—By the paddy lands of Gadadhar Mohanta, khas patit land of the Maharaja of Kasimbazar and by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's land. *South*—By the Damuda river. *West*—By the paddy lands of Dharam Mohanta and others.
					245 5 8	81·09				

Burdwan, the 18th October 1917.

M. N. BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold -	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Rausan, atiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babu ita taraf Sanaullah Khan	1 043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chand a Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Rausan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,485 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 13⅓kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6		248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Hariua Bahalia, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.		Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Daud Mean. Sm Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Rausan and town, taraf Enoch Alop.	2,365 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No 1. Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Paru Dhan Chowdhurani and others.	1,508 8 10	... ..	189 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Daud Meah Sm. Biabibi and others	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas Patiya town, Rausan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	. ..	Sm Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Rausan, taraf Kooja Hoa Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto	.....	Sarada Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Rausan, taraf Monoher Ray	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 19 Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 2pies 10kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14. 15 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts paying annual jama of Rs. 521-12-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 a. 3 pies 3⅓ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 989-2-5	Sukhendu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town and Rausan, taraf Manoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts paying annual jama of Rs. 521-12-9 and also unpaid shares Nos 1, 4, 5 and 19 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18⅓ kts paying annual jama of Rs 1,440-2.	Barada Charan Diar, Sm Monorama	528 11 3	... ..	96 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Md. Ali and Rastum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ..	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612 6-8.	Ditto	870 12 10	..	258 7 7

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mhd. Chhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kaikobad Ahmed, mortgagee Misri jan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 0	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Raozan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2564	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Raozan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 166.	Sm. Rahimunessa herself and on behalf of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 8 9
2564	Thanas Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 3, Nityananda Ray to the extent of interest 3 as 9 pies 10 ta. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 9
23641	Thana Chakaria, Kaimi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1,055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Deorus and Shaik Waisuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th October 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 2,20,91,862 2 3			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,48,56,270 13 2	3,69,47,632	15	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,12,64,188	14	4
Bank Post Bills, etc	9,16,482	1	0
Sundries	18,62,055	15	10
	38,22,40,254	14	7

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P
Government Securities	6,26,95,646	0	0
Other authorised Investments	1,82,14,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	5,25,85,894	9	8
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto	4,82,16,991	5	9
Bills discounted and purchased	2,64,59,710	2	10
Balances with other Banks	49,12,016	14	6
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,96,092	8	4
Stamps	11,960	12	11
Sundries	8,75,786	9	10
	21,18,18,744	15	5
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 10,20,89,053 9 6			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 6,88,32,456 5 8	17,01,21,509	15	2
	38,22,40,254	14	7

* Includes Bovs. & ₹ Bovs.; value Rs 3,77,992 8 0

† Do. do do „ 7,48,732 8 0

Rs. 11,26,725 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent

Percentage 50·19

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 1st November 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2691—1)

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to an order of the Calcutta High Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 359 of 1899 (wherein Sreemutty Basanta Kumari Dasi is plaintiff and Kartic Chandra Nandan and others are defendants), dated the 23rd day of January 1907, by the Official Receiver of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of December 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, the following properties belonging to the estate of Iswar Chandra Nandan, deceased, unless previously disposed of by private treaty :—

Lot No. I.—All that piece or parcel of land or ground containing by estimation 13 cottahs, more or less, situate at, lying in and being premises **No. 41, Ramtanu Bose's Lane** in Sootanutty in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by two tenanted houses belonging to Motilal Burdhan, on the east by the premises No. 42, Ramtanu Bose's Lane (Lot No. II), on the south by dwelling-house of Nagendra Nath De, on the west partly by the dwelling-house of Biseswar Ghose and Kedar Nath Ghose and partly by the dwelling-house of Upendra Nath Chakrabarty, being premises Nos. 29-2 and 29-3, Ram Kanta Bose's Lane, respectively.

Lot No II.—All that piece or parcel of tenanted land or ground containing by estimation 10 cottahs, more or less, situate at, lying in and being premises **No. 42, Ramtanu Bose's Lane** in Sootanutty in the Northern Division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded on the north by the dwelling-house of Motilal Burdhan, on the east partly by the dwelling-house of Preo Nath Paul and partly by a small tiled hut belonging to Saraswaty Bewa, on the south by the dwelling-house of Nagendra Nath De and partly by two tiled huts and on the west by the premises No. 41, Ramtanu Bose's Lane.

NOTE.—The two lots will be put up for sale together in the first instance, but if in the opinion of the Receiver a sufficient bid is not offered they will be sold separately.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the said Official Receiver or at the office of Messrs. Ghosh & Kar, Attorneys for the defendant Sreemutty Nandarani Dassi, at No. 11, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

K. S. BONNERJEE,
Official Receiver, High Court.

Ghosh & Kar, Attorneys for the defendant Sreemutty Nandarani Dassi.

High Court, Original Side, Receiver's Office, dated this 21st day of October 1917. (2687—1—2689)

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 of 1917.

Puna Singh Sardar, of Tanglu, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed insolvent has applied by a petition to be declared an insolvent, and the Court has fixed the 19th November 1917 for the hearing of the petition. Any one desirous to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

L. BURROW'S, for Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 18th October 1917. (2686—1—2626)

WANTED for the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Presidency and Burdwan Divisions, 2, Norton Buildings, Old Court House Corner, Calcutta, a good clerk on Rs. 25 a month. Good English and experience of office work essential. Preference will be given to a man who knows type-writing.

H. BOSE,
Offg. Inspectress of Schools,
Presidency and Burdwan Divisions.

Calcutta, the 6th November 1917.

Notice.

THE Governing Body of Presidency College invite applications for the post of a *temporary* Professor of English on a salary of Rs. 200 a month in Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service.

Qualifications.—An M.A. in English with high honours and some experience of teaching

Applications accompanied by copies of testimonials should be received by the undersigned not later than Saturday, November the 17th, 1917.

J. R. BARROW, Offg. Secretary, Governing Body, Presidency College.

Notice.

IN accordance with paragraph 1 of the rules for the recruitment of Sub-Inspectors of Excise and Salt published in Notification No. 501S.R, dated the 15th March 1915, applications are called for from the following districts :—Burdwan, Birbhum.

Applicants must be domiciled in one of the districts named, must have passed the Intermediate Examination of the Calcutta University, and must not be under 20 or over 25 years of age. They must be of good character, physically fit, of active habits and not less than 5 feet 3 inches in height and 30 inches round the chest. Further particulars will be found in the rules referred to above and may be obtained from the Collectors of the abovementioned districts or from the undersigned. At least one-half of the appointments will be offered to duly qualified and suitable Muhammadan candidates, should such apply.

Candidates who are finally selected will be appointed on a salary of Rs. 50 a month and will be subject to a period of probation, the minimum period of which will be one year.

Applications will be received by the Collectors of the districts mentioned above up to 20th November 1917.

A. N MOBERLY, Commissioner of Excise and Salt Bengal.

Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, the 1st November 1917.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found on 21st February 1917 by Agoram and Govindan while digging earth in S. F. No. 336-A (patta dry land) of Perunthottam village, Shiyali taluk, belonging to Muhammad Naina Marakkayar, pattadar No. 1 of the village :—

Description of the Treasure.

	Name.		Weight. Seers.	Value. Rs.	A.
1.	Rumar with arrow	...	4 3/8	12	0
2.	Lakshmanar with arrow	...	3 1/8	9	0
3.	Seethai	...	2 1/2	6	0
4.	Hanumar	...	2 1/2	4	0
5	Krishnan	...	2 1/8	7	0
6.	Radha	...	1/2	1	8
7.	Rukmani	...	1/2	1	8
8.	Peedam	...	1/8	0	6
				41	6

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office, on Saturday, the 9th March 1918, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS, Collector.

Tanjore, the 24th October 1917.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found by Krishnamurthi, son of Chinna Ratna Padayachi of Tirukkolakaval, Shiyali taluk, while removing earth on 27th July 1917, in house No. 172, North Street, Tadalankoil, Shiyali taluk, belonging to Siva Chidambaram Pillai :—

Description of the Treasure.

	Name.	Weight.	Value.
		Seers.	Rs. A.
1.	Chombu	2½	1 9
2.	Twenty-two full sovereigns ...		330 0
3.	Eight half sovereigns ...		60 0
			391 9

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office on Saturday, the 9th March 1918, in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS, Collector.

Tanjore, the 24th October 1917.

Treasure Trove.

IT is hereby notified, under section 5 of Act VI of 1878, that the undermentioned treasure was found on 18th February 1917 by Vaithilinga Thevan, Mari Padayachi and Ramayya Gurukkal, of Kothangudi village, Tirutturaipundi taluk, while digging earth in the Ardhamantapam of Sri Agastiswaraswami temple situated in S. F. No 66-B (classed as Iswarankoil Poramboke) of the village :—

Description of the Treasure.

Name.	Weight.	Value.
	Seers.	Rs.
Big Amman ...	97½	45
Small ,, ...	27½	14
Chandrasekharar ...	6½	4
Haster Devar ...	21	3
Pedestal, big ...	65	9
,, small ...	42	6
Pipe	3½	1
Stone images Durgai Amman Bairavar ...	Mutilated.	

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof, are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Tanjore, at his office on the 9th March 1918 in view to the matter being enquired into and determined according to law.

J. R. HUGGINS, Collector.

Tanjore, the 28th October 1917.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Lost

FOUR receipts numbered 1217, 1247, 360 and 20156, dated 24th September 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

	G. P. Note No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
			Rs.	
One 3 per cent.	069733	1896-17	500	Peary Lall Mullick.
Three 4 ,,	P. T. Debenture—4917-3851, 3526-2916, 4527-2916.	1906	300	Peary Lall Mullick and Sharath Coomary Dassee.
Two 4 ,,	M. D bentures 210 and 1844.	1910-11 and 1909-10.	200	,, Ditto.
			1,000	

Name of the proprietor—Peary Lall Mullick.

Residence—34, Phear Lane, Calcutta.

(2683—1—2686)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and in the matter of the Indian (Long-Stapled) Cotton Growing Syndicate, Ltd., in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Syndicate will be held at the Registered Office of the Syndicate, No. 4, Bankshall Street, Calcutta, at 12 noon on Friday, the 14th December 1917, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining, by extraordinary resolution, the manner in which the books and documents of the Company and of the liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

W. R. C. BRIERLEY, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 31st day of October 1917.

(2688—1—2688)

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR	Day or date of closing of mails.	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee.	With late fee.*	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover *viâ* United Kingdom.	...	6-15	7-15	5-30	6-0
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	...	6-15	...	5-30	...
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,, ,,	II ,,	Urdu.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
,, ,,	,,	Hindi.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
,, ,,	III ,,	Urdu.	6*p*.	(1*a*.)
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,, ,,	IV ,,	Urdu.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
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Act No.	IX of 1917.	Urdu.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
,, ,,	,,	Hindi.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
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,, ,,	,,	Hindi.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
,, ,,	XIV ,,	Urdu.	3*p*.	(1*a*.)
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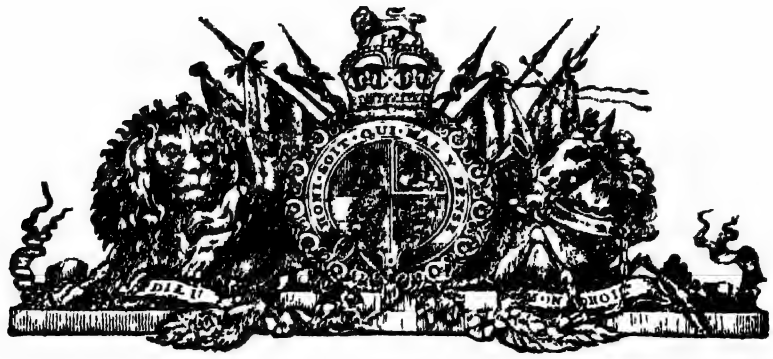

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1077L., dated the 5th November, 1917.—His Excellency the Governor having been pleased to order, under rule 31 *(1)* of the Bengal Legislative Rules, 1912, the publication of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons which accompanies it, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information. It is proposed to introduce the Bill and refer it to a Select Committee at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council to be held on Tuesday, the 20th November, 1917:—

THE BENGAL PUBLIC DEMANDS RECOVERY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

A

BILL

to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913. Ben. Act III of 1913.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, in order to provide for a more effective method of realising the contributions to the assets of a Co-operative Society under liquidation and the costs of such liquidation;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. 1. This Act may be called the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1917.

Amendment of section 5 of Bengal Act III of 1913.

2. After sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that no action shall be taken under this Act on a requisition made by a liquidator in pursuance of an order under clause (*b*) or clause (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, unless the requisition be countersigned by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal." [*Cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, s. 5(*1*), proviso.] II of 1912.

Amendment of Schedule I.

3. After article 12 of Schedule I to the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"12-A. Any sum ordered by a liquidator appointed under sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, to be recovered as a contribution to the assets of a society or as the cost of liquidation." [*Cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, Sch. I., Art. 14.] II of 1912.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Under sub-section (*5*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912), the orders made by the liquidator of a Co-operative Society, the registration of which has been cancelled, have to be enforced by the Civil Court. It is of very great importance that the dues of societies which are proved failures should be collected and their liabilities paid off as early as possible. To secure this end, it has become imperative to adopt a procedure for realising the dues of these societies under liquidation, which will be quicker and more efficacious than the ordinary Civil Court procedure. The Eighth Session of the Bengal Provincial Conference unanimously recommended that the provisions of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913 (Bengal Act III of 1913), be made applicable to Co-operative Societies under liquidation, so that the orders of the liquidator may be enforced by the certificate procedure. A somewhat similar provision was brought into force in the Province of Bihar and Orissa by the Bihar and Orissa Public Demands Recovery Act, 1914.

It is proposed, therefore, to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, by inserting a new clause in Schedule I to the Act, so as to allow the application of the Act to the orders of a liquidator under clauses (*b*) and (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912. To prevent any possibility of abuse of this provision, it is proposed to add a proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act by which the requisition for a certificate by a liquidator can be enforced under this Act only if it is countersigned by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

J. G. CUMMING,
Member in charge.

C. TINDALL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council.

CALCUTTA;
The 5th November, 1917.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 29th October 1917.*

CHINA SEA—CHEFOO HARBOUR.

Entrance to Inner Harbour under construction—Buoy moved.

No. 277 (first publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice No. 647 of 1917 that the *black* Buoy, gas-lighted, marking the eastern side of the entrance to the Inner Harbour under construction in Chefoo Harbour, has been moved. From the Buoy, Tower Hill Lighthouse bears S. 3½° W., magnetic, distant 3,620 feet. The characteristics of the Buoy remain unchanged.

PERSIAN GULF.

Ras-al-Mutaf—Shoal water reported South-westward of

No. 278 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 156M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 32¼ miles 232° (S. 50° W, Mag.) from Funnel Hill.

Lat. 27° 33′ N.
Long. 51° 13′ E. } Approximate on Chart No. 2837*b*.

Details.—The Master of the H. T. "Sandakan" reports having come across shoal water in the position given above, the bottom of which was plainly visible and appeared to be a coral reef lying in a N.-W. and S.-E. directions about one mile in length.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf. Western Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 253.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 12th October 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 279-I (first publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 28th November 1917, and replaced in March 1918.

A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.
„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 630.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 20th October 1917.

The 18th October 1917.

CHINA, EAST COAST—HONG KONG—NEW STORM-SIGNALS ESTABLISHED.

No. 274 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 877 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Hong kong, lat. 22° 18′ N., long. 114° 10′ E.

The undermentioned systems of storm-signals have been substituted for those formerly in use at Hong kong :—

1. LOCAL STORM-SIGNALS.

DAY SIGNALS.

Signal.	Symbol.	Meaning.
1	▲	A typhoon exists which may possibly cause a gale at Hong kong within 24 hours.
2	▲	Gale expected from the North (N.W. to N.E.)
3	▼	„ „ „ South (S.E. to S.W.)
4	■	„ „ „ East (N.E. to S.E.)
5	●	„ „ „ West (N.W. to S.W.)
6	▲▼	Gale expected to increase.
7	▲ ▼	Wind of typhoon force expected (any direction).

The symbol for signal No. 1 is coloured red, the remaining symbols are black.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by three explosive bombs, fired at intervals of 10 seconds at the Water Police Station and repeated at the Harbour Office.

The signals will be lowered when it is considered that all danger is over.

The Day Signals will be displayed at the masthead of the storm-signal mast on Blackhead Hill, the Harbour Office, H.M.S. *Tamar*, Green Island signal mast, a flagstaff on the premises of the Hong kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, a flagstaff on the premises of the Standard Oil Company at Lai-chi-kok, and a flagstaff near the Field Officer's Quarters at Lyemun.

NIGHT SIGNALS (LIGHTS).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	RED
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	RED

The Night Signals will be displayed, at sunset, on the tower of the Railway Station, on H.M.S. *Tamar*, and on the Harbour Office flagstaff. They will have the same signification as the day signals.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by explosive bombs as above, in the event of the information conveyed by this signal being first published at night.

SUPPLEMENTARY WARNINGS.

When signals are displayed in the Harbour a cone will be exhibited at the following stations —

Gap Rock	Sau Ki Wan
Waglan	Sai Kung
Stanley	Sha Tau Kok
Aberdeen	Tai Po

to notify the fact to native craft and passing ocean vessels.

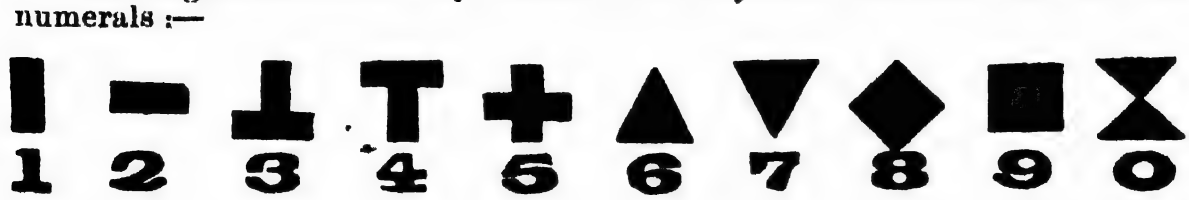
Further details can always be given to ocean vessels, on demand, by signal from lighthouses.

The object of the code is to give at least 24 hours warning of a gale (Force 8 by Beaufort Scale, or 40-45 m.p.h., mean velocity by Dines Anemometer) and also warnings of expected changes in the direction and force of the wind. Owing however to the uncertain movements of typhoon, and to insufficient telegraphic observations, it will occasionally happen that signals 2 to 5 may be displayed without a gale occurring at Hong kong, or even Gap Rock, but the reverse is not likely to happen, except in the case typhoons forming in the vicinity and travelling rapidly towards Hong kong, or of a located typhoon increasing its rate of progression abnormally.

Signal No. 1 is intended as a warning to "Stand By" and watch for the next signal.

2. NON-LOCAL STORM SIGNALS.

The Signals are made by means of ten symbols representing the ten numerals :—



They are displayed at the yard arms of the Storm Signal mast on Blackhead Hill, and remain until an order to change or lower is received from the Observatory.

The following information is given:—

Typhoon and Continental Depression Signals:

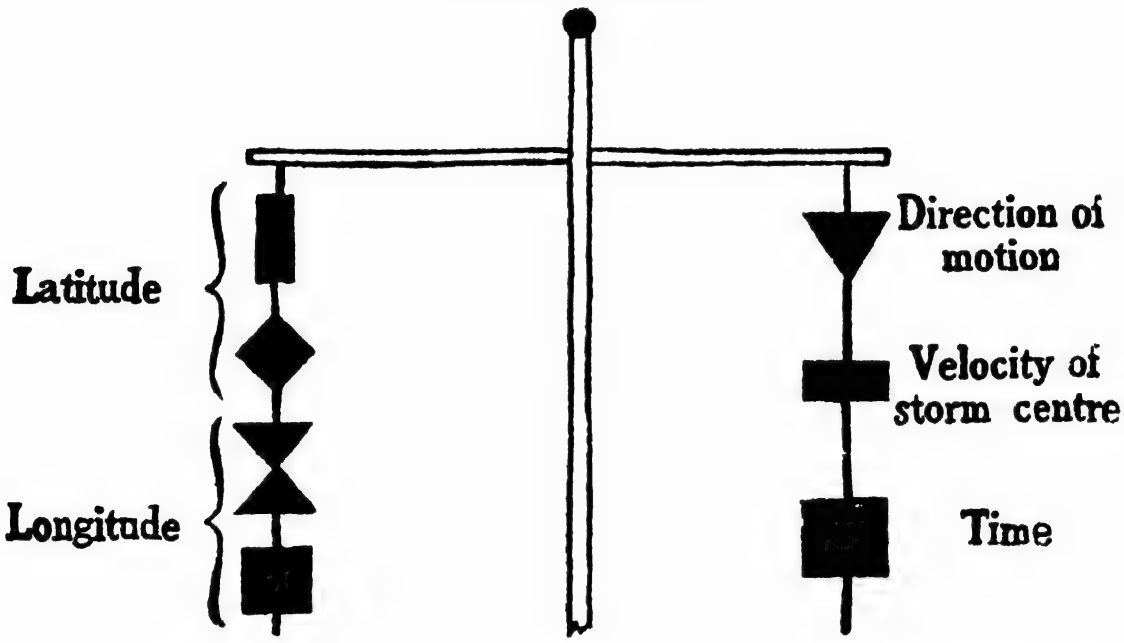
(*a*) Position of centre; by 4 symbols at one yard arm.

(*b*) Direction of motion and velocity of centre, and the time; by 3 symbols at the other yard arm (Tables 1, 2 and 3).

Gale signals:

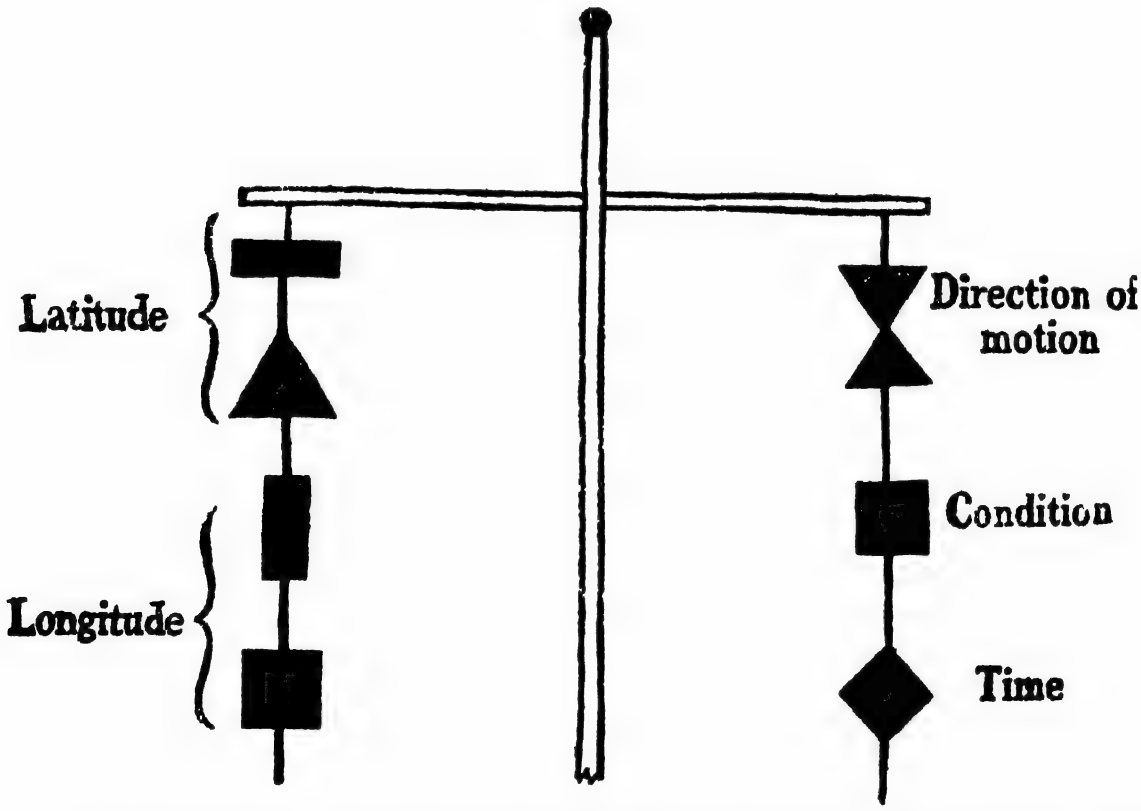
(*c*) The region threatened, the direction from which the gale is expected, and the time; by 3 symbols at one yard arm (Tables 3 and 4).

TYPHOON SIGNAL.



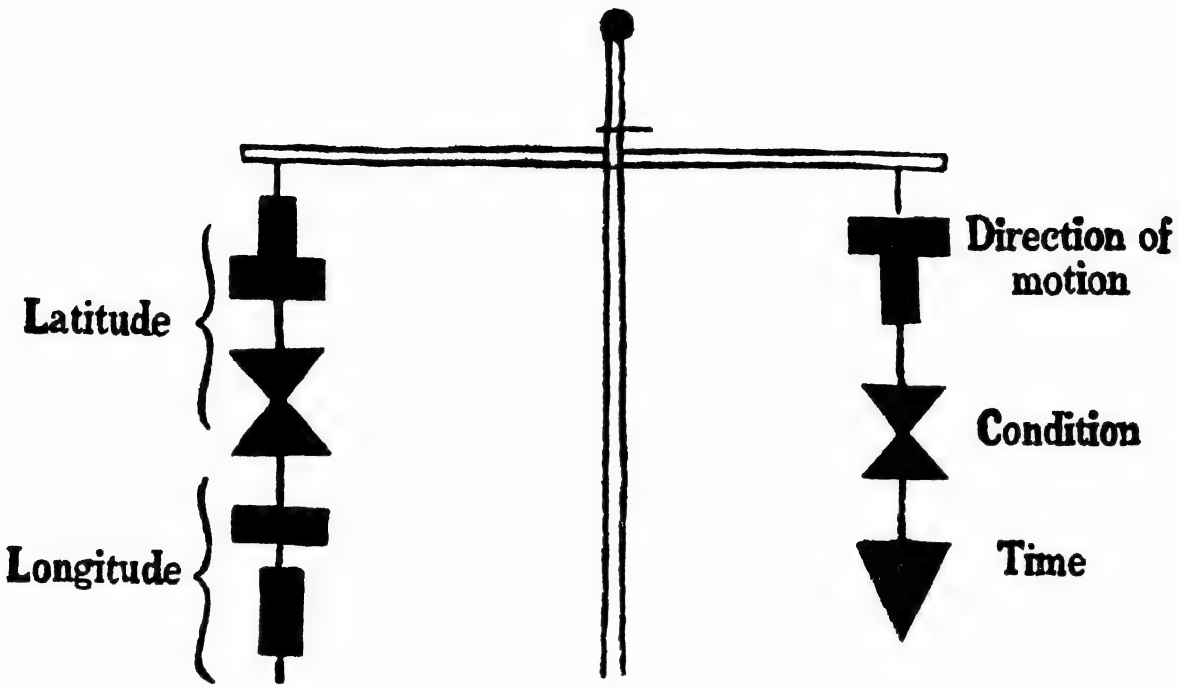
Conditions at 2 P.M. to-day indicated a typhoon in about latitude 18° N., and longitude 109° E., travelling W. N. W. at the rate of 8 to 12 miles per hour.

TYPHOON SIGNAL.



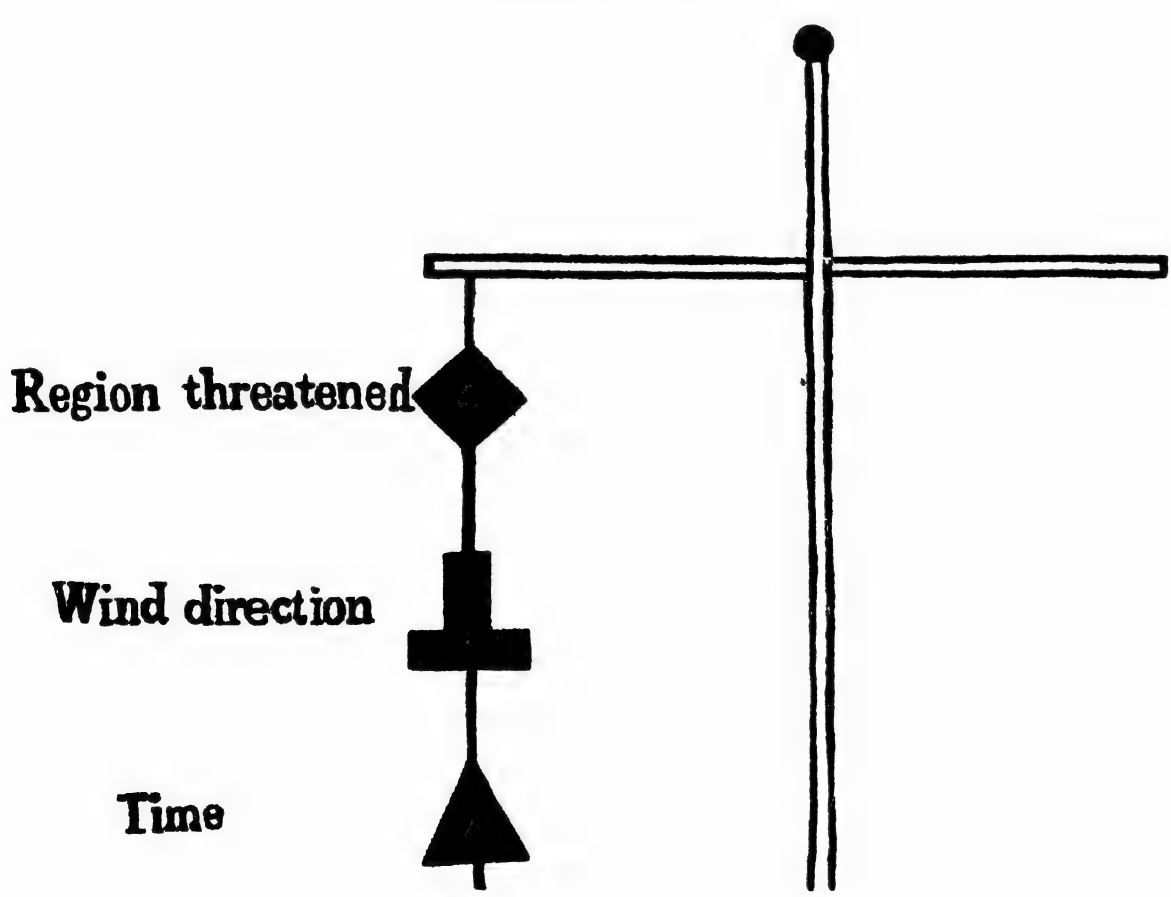
Conditions at 6 A.M. to-day indicated a typhoon filling up in about latitude 26° N., and longitude 119° E. Direction of motion unknown.

CONTINENTAL DEPRESSION SIGNAL



Conditions at 2 P.M. yesterday indicated a continental depression in about latitude 30° N. and longitude 121° E. travelling E or E.S.E.

GALE SIGNAL.



Conditions at 6 A.M. yesterday indicated a N.E. gale in the Formosa Channel.

EXPLANATION OF THE SIGNALS.

The two upper signals of group (*a*) indicate the latitude, and the two lower symbols the longitude of the centre of the Typhoon or Depression in degrees, as nearly as can be ascertained from the information available. Only the tens and units of the longitude are given ; thus, 09 indicates longitude 109 E.

The upper symbol of group (*b*) indicates the direction in which the Typhoon or Depression is travelling (Table 1).

The middle symbol of group (*b*) indicates the velocity at which the centre of the Typhoon is travelling. Alternatively it may indicate certain conditions, or a Continental Depression. In such cases no velocity is given.

The lowest symbol of group (*b*) indicates the time at which the centre was in the position signalled.

The upper symbol of group (*c*) indicates the region threatened ; the middle symbol the direction from which the gale is expected, and the lowest symbol the time at which gale conditions were first indicated.

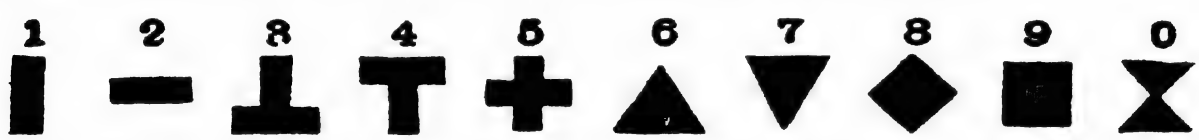
Caution.—Under the most favourable circumstances the position signal indicates only the degree of latitude and longitude nearest to the estimated position of the centre. When the centre is far from any reporting station, or when telegraphic reports are lacking, the position signalled may be as much as 2° in error, both in latitude and longitude, and the velocity and direction of motion will then be in error by corresponding amounts.

It should be particularly noted that the velocity signalled is the mean for the previous 16 or 24 hours.

TABLE NO. 1.—DIRECTION SIGNALS.

Upper symbol of hoist.

These indicate the direction in which a typhoon or depression is travelling, or the direction from which a monsoon gale is expected.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
N.	N N.E.	N.E.	E. or E.S.E.	W.S.W.	W	W.N.W.	N.W.	N.N.W.	Unknown.

TABLE NO. 2.—VELOCITY AND CONDITION SIGNALS.

Middle symbol of hoist.

VELOCITY.

CONDITION.

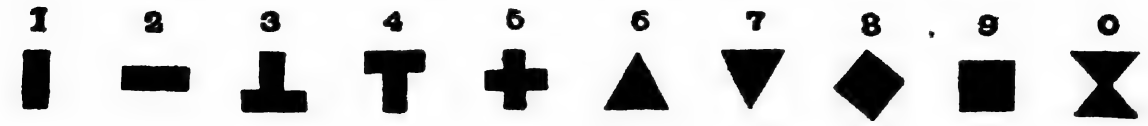
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
m.p.h. 4-8	m.p.h. 8-12	m.p.h. 13-20	m.p.h. 21-30	above 30 m.p.h.	Nearly stationary.	Velocity unknown.	Forming.	Filling up.	Continental Depression.

TABLE NO. 3.—TIME SIGNALS.

Lowest symbol of hoist.

6	7	8	9
6 a.m. Yesterday.	2 p.m. Yesterday.	6 a.m. To-day.	2 p.m. To-day

TABLE No. 4.—REGIONS THREATENED BY MONSOON GALES.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
South of Kiushu.	East Coast of Japan.	North of Hokkaido	Sea of Japan.	Gulf of Pechili	Chusan Id. to Shantung Promontory.	Formosa to Chusan	Formosa Channel.	Gulf of Tongking to Swatau.	Annam Coast.

Warnings according to the above code are sent by the Cable Companies to Sharp Peak, Amoy, Swatau, Canton, Wu chau, Pakhoi, Hoihau, Haifong, Macao, Manila, Labuan and Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 32, 510, 511, 512.

Authority.—The Director, Royal Observatory, Hong Kong. (*H. 4973/17.*)

MADAGASCAR, WEST COAST.

Tulléar Channel—Extension of Shoal Water.

No. 275 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 879 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Tulléar lat. 23° 21′ S., long. 43° 39½′ E.

Details.—The shore bank off Anosi extends about 3 cables further south-westward than charted; a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart and the track recommended in this vicinity is to be moved slightly to the westward in consequence. the inner leading line, Mainia or Table hill, bearing S. 57° E., which formerly led up to the anchorage, being expunged.

Chart affected.—No. 692, St. Augustine and Tullear bays.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 453.

Authority.—Journal Official de Madagascar of 12th May 1917. (*H. 4665/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho Approach—Obstruction reported.

No. 276 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 890 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 11 cables, 123° (*S. 52° E. Mag.*) from So Wolmi (Soorumi to) lighthouse.
Lat. 37° 27′ N., long. 126° 35¼′ E.

Description.—An obstruction, believed to be a piece of wreckage.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Obstruction reported (1917).*"

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1270, Approaches to Chemulpho anchorage, with plan.

„ 1258, Approaches to Seoul.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 609.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 87 of 1917. (*H. 3582/17.*)

The 13th October 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab Approach—Steam Pilot Vessel established.

No. 271 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 141-M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 111-M. of 1917 (*This Office No. 206 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

Details.—Information has now been received that a Steam Pilot Vessel has been established and usually stationed near the Shatt-al-Arab Light-Vessel.

Note.—This Steam Pilot Vessel is liable to be off her usual station, and *not the Light-Vessel* as stated in the former Notice quoted above.

Correction.—The remark in the 36th Issue of Indian Light List for 1917, page 13, No. 182, is to be deleted accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.
„ 2837b, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R.I.M.S. "Nearchus," dated August 1917.

CHINA SEA—YANGTZE RIVER.

Caution. Tienshengkang—River bank protection works.

No. 272 (third publication).—The following Notice to Mariners (No. 645 of 1917) issued by the Coast Inspector, Shanghai, is republished :—

"Referring to Notice to Mariners No. 627, notice is hereby given that it has become necessary to again draw the attention of mariners to the river bank protection works on the left bank of the Yangtze River from Tienshengkang towards North Tree Beacon.

These works are spur-dikes, built of stone. They are submerged and project up to 600 feet into the river.

Mariners are therefore cautioned against navigating their vessels too close to the river bank in this locality."

CHINA SEA—OUKIANG, APPROACH TO THE PORT OF WENCHOW.

Chitu island—Crossing beacons discontinued.

No. 273 (third publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice (No. 646 of 1917) that the Crossing Beacons on Chitu Island, Oukiang, approach to the Port of Wenchow, have been discontinued.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

REGISTERED No. C 207. No. 45 of 1917.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT ON THE HOWRAH BRIDGE FOR THE YEAR 1916-17.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 31ST OCTOBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 3150Marine.

READ—

The Administration Report on the Howrah Bridge for the year 1916-17.

ON the 31st March 1916 the balance sheet of the Bridge showed a deficit of Rs. 3,32,021, which has been carried forward as a debit on Revenue Account.

The presence of this debit combined with the necessity for providing for a probable deficit on working account attributable to a decline in receipts and to the heavy expenditure to be incurred on the structural repairs to the Bridge itself, led to the appointment by Government of a special Committee for a consideration of the means for improving the finances of the Bridge. The income of the Bridge during the year 1916-17 amounted to Rs. 2,50,546 against Rs. 1,95,365, the actuals of the preceding year. The increase is mainly due to the fact that the East Indian Railway offered to increase their contribution to a minimum of Rs. 2 lakhs as earnings from Railway traffic, as a result of the deliberations of the said Committee.

The expenditure for the year amounted to Rs. 4,51,455. This amount includes the abnormal expenditure of Rs. 2,13,556 on special renewals to the Bridge structure and repairs to Howrah Ferry landing stage. The net working result was a deficit of Rs. 2,00,908, so that the aggregate debit on all accounts on the 31st March 1917 stood at Rs. 5,29,775. In consequence of this state of affairs Government have decided on the re-imposition of a terminal fee of 2 pies per maund on grains and seeds traffic over the Bridge to and from Howrah, with effect from 1st April 1917. This increase will, it is anticipated, result in additional revenue to the extent of about Rs. 1,50,000 per annum and should yield a surplus on working account which will gradually extinguish the present debit.

2. The number of vessels that passed through the Bridge during the year 1916-17 and four preceding years is shown below :—

	1916-17.	1915-16	1914-15	1913-14	1912-13
Sea-going vessels ...	61	80	75	87	93
Inland steamers and flats ...	2,806	2,704	2,422	2,887	2,906
Steam-tug and steam-launches	886	897	805	569	670
Port Commissioners' vessels	27	39	71	44	63
Government steamers and flats	9	9	...	20	15
Total ...	3,789	3,729	3,372	3,607	3,837

2. The total number of accidents during the year was 17 against 11 in the preceding year.

3. The Bridge was opened on 308 occasions, of which 41 were during the day and 267 at night.

4. Owing to the war it cannot be said for certain when the construction of the new Bridge, which is under consideration, will be definitely taken in hand. In November 1916, at the instance of Government, Mr. Basil Mott visited Calcutta to examine local conditions at the site of the Bridge and to advise Government on the best type of bridge suited to the locality and the traffic using the river. His report is awaited. The existing Bridge is an old structure, and the immediate renewal and repair of certain structural parts was a pressing necessity. The Port Commissioners, Calcutta, with the sanction of this Government, accepted the tender of Messrs. Jessop & Company for the repair work, but the Company were unable to push on with the work as rapidly as desirable, owing to the restrictions imposed on the export of iron and steel from England.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY.

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA FOR THE YEAR 1916-17.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 31ST OCTOBER 1917

RESOLUTION No. 3152Marine..

READ—

Letter No. 4571, dated the 3rd September 1917, from the Vice-Chairman, Port Commissioners, Calcutta, submitting the Administration Report for the Port of Calcutta for the year 1916-17.

General Features of the Administration.—As in the preceding year the war considerably affected the import and export trade of the Port. The loss of traffic was compensated to some extent by development in trade with Japan, and in a minor degree, with the United States of America. By reason of the heavy loss of the ordinary revenue of the Trust, since the beginning of the war, the Port Commissioners with the sanction of Government introduced the levy of special war surcharges to make up the deficiency.

The effect of the war on the trade of the Port will be evident from the following comparative statistics of traffic :—

	1913-14.	1914-15	1915-16.	1916-17.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
I.—Net tonnage of the Port ...	4,256,987	3,705,160	2,967,798	2,804,680
II.—Jetties, Imports ...	1,186,797	917,978	788,431	686,010
III.—Docks, Imports ...	613,876	700,133	570,997	444,210
IV.— „ General Exports ...	1,231,589	920,659	1,054,985	1,185,159
V.— „ Coal „ ...	3,017,180	2,633,805	1,610,645	1,789,482

The decrease in the net tonnage of the Port and in imports at the Jetties and Docks is significant. The improvement in exports at the Docks is due to a large business on Government account in gunnies, manganese and pig iron. There was also an increase in the export of coal at the Docks as compared with the previous year.

Income.—The income from ordinary sources during the year amounted to Rs. 1,30,62,532, or Rs. 1,75,241 less than that of the previous year This was supplemented by the special war surcharge amounting to Rs. 26,60,897 as against Rs. 26,97,683 in 1915-16. The total income thus amounted to Rs. 1,57,23,432, which was less than that of the preceding year by Rs. 2,12,024.

Under the following heads the receipts fell appreciably below the estimate for the year :—

	Actual	Estimate	Decrease.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs
Jetties ...	17,31,701	17,67,650	35,949
Inland Vessels Wharves	4,22,698	4,51,480	28,782
Railway ...	15,70,062	15,98,000	27,938
Dry Docks ...	2,38,060	2,50,500	12,440
River Dues ...	16,60,582	18,15,625	1,65,043
War surcharges ...	26,60,897	28,50,000	1 89,103

This decrease was more than counterbalanced by increases over the budget estimate under other heads the principal of which are the following :—

	Actual.	Budget.	Increase.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Tea Warehouse ...	3,37,168	2,62,500	74,668
Rentable lands and buildings.	8,13,652	7,94,100	19,532
Wet Docks ...	41,31,446	37,69,380	3,62,066
Port approaches ...	5,96,074	5,75,600	20,474
Ferry service ...	4,33,361	4,10,000	23,361
Sale of unserviceable materials.	54,844	20,000	34,844

Expenditure.—The expenditure on Revenue Account amounted to Rs. 1,56,31,738 as against Rs. 1,51,35,847 estimated for the year and Rs. 1,49,07,001, the actual expenditure of the previous year. After meeting the debit of Rs. 60,035 with which the year opened, there was left a small credit balance of Rs. 31,658 to carry forward to 1917-18.

The actual expenditure noticeably exceeded the budget estimate for the year under the following heads :—

	Actual	Estimate.	Increase
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Control ...	9,97,085	9,69,135	27,950
Tea Warehouse ...	1,39,986	1,23,271	16,715
Inland Vessels Wharves	1,81,413	1,68,767	12,646
Rentable land and buildings.	1,40,095	1,28,479	11,616
Port ...	6,51,164	6,36,613	14,551
Port approaches ...	8,82,621	8,19,148	63,473
Railway ...	13,12,187	12,61,166	51,021
Wet Docks ...	30,55,657	26,38,702	4,16,955
Ferry Service ...	3,47,793	3,34,906	12,887
Depreciation of Government Promissory Notes of Reserve Fund at market rate.	3,96,740	.....	3,96,740

The expenditure showed a decrease of Rs. 5·88 lakhs under Interest and Sinking Fund charges, attributable chiefly to countervailing interest on capital moneys in hand, the expenditure of which has been retarded by war conditions.

Jetties.—The tonnage handled at the jetties during the year amounted to 6,86,010 against 788,431 in 1915-16 and 917,978 in 1914-15. The total earnings came up to Rs. 14,33,623, of which 84 per cent. was paid by goods and 16 per cent. by vessels.

Docks.—During the year 1,018 vessels were berthed at the Docks (of which 65 were Government transports) as against 905 vessels in the previous year (of which 26 were Government transports). The total number of vessels that entered empty and loaded exports was 383 as against 354 of the previous year. There was, however, a marked increase in the number of vessels that entered empty and loaded coal. The total imports and exports in tons landed and shipped over the Dock quays were 444,210 and 2,974,641, respectively, as against 570,997 and 2,665,630 of the previous year.

Docks traffic.—The tonnage of sugar imported, 177,965 tons, was the lowest since 1908-09 but that of rice, 244,778 tons, although much less than in 1914-15 and 1915-16, was higher than in any other preceding years.

The tonnage of exports, 2,974,641 tons, slightly improved as compared with the previous year, 2,665,630 tons. The noticeable figures of improvement are those under gunnies, 100,951 tons which constitutes a record, and under miscellaneous, 408,591 tons. The rise of tonnage under the latter is, as already stated, attributable chiefly to the increased shipment of manganese ore (230,509 tons) and of pig iron (97,808 tons). The export of wheat and seed was far from satisfactory and that of jute and tea showed some reduction. There was a slight improvement in the export of coal.

Petroleum Wharf at Budge-Budge.—Eightly-seven vessels discharged kerosine oil at the Budge-Budge Petroleum wharf against 99 in the previous year.

In addition to kerosine, batching and other oils were landed there, amounting to over 18 million gallons as against 16 million gallons in the preceding year. The total revenue of the depôt amounted to Rs. 4,16,879, or a decrease of Rs. 7,910 as compared with the earnings of the previous year.

Tea Warehouse.—The tea traffic showed a decrease of 344,750 packages. This drop in traffic did not, however, affect the income which showed an increase of Rs. 40,753 as compared with the previous year, due to increased earnings for storage.

Ferry Service.—Three of the Commissioners' steamers were utilised by Government for portions of the year. There was a rise in the number of passengers carried, resulting in a slight improvement in earnings.

Engineering.—The Port Commissioners exercised the strictest economy on all maintenance and repairs works; but the actual expenditure could not be kept within the budget provision owing to the unusually high prices of materials.

Of the works in progress the three trial wells at Garden Reach deserve mention. The work proceeded satisfactorily, and the knowledge obtained should be of much help in the preparation of detailed plans for the construction of the New River Entrance to the King George's Docks.

Of the five Garden Reach berths, only one berth, viz., the Coaling Jetty replacing the old Jetty at Brace Bridge Hall, was completed and opened in June 1916.

Port and Port approaches.—The condition of the four governing bars was satisfactory. The Eastern Gut Bar reached its worst point in June 1916 on account of the temporary absence of the dredger, but rapidly improved after the return of the dredger and the arrival of the freshets.

The light ships were maintained during the year. A new unattended light vessel, the *Planet*, was completed and placed on station in the Upper Gasper Channel in May 1916. To facilitate night navigation an additional attended light vessel was placed in the Gabtola Channel, the buoys were re-arranged, and an automatic tide gauge and electric semaphore apparatus, designed by Mr. Reaks, Officiating River Surveyor, were erected at Phuldhobi. Since February 1917 all lights have been extinguished under the orders of Government for reasons in connection with the defence of the Port.

Capital Expenditure.—The amount actually spent on capital account was less than was anticipated, *i.e.*, Rs. 38·50 lakhs as against Rs. 70·8 lakhs of the budget estimate. This was due to the restrictions imposed in April 1916 on the export of iron and steel from the United Kingdom. The expenditure was met from the opening balance of Rs. 53·5 lakhs, supplemented by a loan of Rs. 50 lakhs which was obtained from the Bank of Bengal under special arrangement, a portion of the credit balance having been utilised to finance the Suspense Account and to meet the debits incurred by the Bridge Commissioners on the working of the Howrah Bridge.

Capital Account.—The Capital debt of the year was Rs. 10,80,56,688, while the sum of the value of the property according to the Block Account and of the balance of the Capital account was Rs. 14,40,04,267.

In addition to these assets there are three other funds of the Commissioners which constitute important assets of the Trust. These are the Reserve Fund, the Depreciatton Fund and the Fire Insurance Fund. The total assets at credit of these funds on 31st March 1917 was Rs. 35,38,587.

General.—Mr. H. J. Hilary, Vice-Chairman, proceeded to England on combined leave at the commencement of the year. Subsequently he received the sanction of the Commissioners and of Government to the acceptance a commission in the Field Artillery. He was serving in France at the close of the year, since when the Governor in Council has received with the deepest regret the news of his death in action on the 3rd June 1917.

As to the officers and servants of the Port Commissioners there were altogether 14 members of the supervising staff and 39 members of the subordinate staff serving with His Majesty's Forces either in the Army or the Navy. Lieutenant E. E. Grimwade, who served the Trust for 6½ years as Assistant Traffic Manager, lost his life in action in France. Ten officers received Commissions in the Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

The Governor in Council desires to take this opportunity of thanking the Commissioners, and specially Mr. S. C. Williams, who officiated as Vice-Chairman throughout the whole of the year, for so ably carrying out the work of the Trust particularly in circumstances of such stress and strain as created by the war.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of the Resolution be forwarded to the Government of India and to the officers and departments concerned and that it be published in the supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 5th November 1917.

Summary.—During the beginning of the week under report heavy rain accompanied by high wind was almost general throughout the province. Winter paddy and spring crops already sown somewhat suffered in consequence. The weather, however, turned favourable during the latter part of the week. The condition of standing crops is reported to be satisfactory on the whole. Sowing of spring crops continues. Heavy rains early in the week hampered sowing in places. Cattle-disease exists in seven districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by 0·9 per cent. from that of the previous week.

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	4·10	9	8½	Weather seasonable. The recent heavy rainfall has caused slight damage to standing winter paddy. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops in Basirhat subdivision. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Kulpi in Diamond Harbour subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	5·11	10	9 11/16	
	Barrackpore	5·88	8	8	
	Barasat ...	3·50	10	8½	
	Basirhat ...	3·78	9	9	
2	Nadia ...	4·28	10	9½	There was heavy rain in the beginning of the week. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues, but it has been retarded in some places on account of heavy rainfall. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Kushtia ...	1·27	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	7·47	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	5·12	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	3·68	10	(*a*)	
3	Murshidabad	15 35	(*a*)	11	Weather stormy with incessant rain at the beginning and seasonable during latter part of the week. It is unfavourable to the outturn of winter paddy and sowing of *rabi* crops. Some damage by heavy rain and flood has been done to winter paddy and to *rabi* crops which have already been sown. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	12·41	(*a*)	10	
	Jangipur ...	8·38	(*a*)	11½	
	Kandi ...	7·04	(*a*)	12	
4	Jessore ..	3·12	8	8	Weather cyclonic at the beginning but seasonable now. The recent rains have caused some damage to *rabi* and standing *aman* paddy in Magura subdivision. Standing crops have slightly been damaged by high wind in Bongaon subdivision: in other subdivisions prospects are good. Fodder is insufficient in Magura.
	Jhenidah ...	5·64	10½	10	
	Magura ...	4·57	12	10	
	Narail ...	4·34	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	4·64	10	10	
5	Khulna ...	3·72	8	8	Weather rainy and cloudy during the first part and seasonable during the latter part of the week. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Sarankhola in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	2·42	8⅛	8	
	Bagerhat ...	4·75	8½	8½	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	5·97	10	10	Weather cool and clear. The heavy rainfall has done some damage to paddy and *rabi* crops. Cutting and steeping of jute and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Lands are being prepared for sowing of potatoes. Attacks of insect-pests are reported from Barabani police-station. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	6·43	11	10	
	Katwa ...	8·45	10⅝	10½	
	Kalna ...	5·28	10½	10½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	5·40	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	9·52	11	11½	
8	BANKURA ...	3·63	13 (new) 11½ (old)	14 (new) 11 (old)	Weather cold. The condition of standing crops is good, but they have been damaged a little by recent rainfall. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Simlapal.
	Vishnupur ...	2·47	14 (new) 11 (old)	14 (new) 11 (old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	4·16	10 1/16	10 1/16	Weather now dry and cold. Some damage has been done to winter paddy by heavy rainfall. Sowing of rape and mustard and tobacco has commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	4·59	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	5·75	10	10 1/16	
	Contai ...	7·08	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	4·00	10	10	Weather rainy at the beginning and seasonable during latter part of the week. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	3·80	8	7½	
	Arambagh ...	7·23	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	4·81	8½	8½	There was heavy rainfall in the earlier part of the week. Harvesting of jute is over. Prospects of standing crops are favourable except in flooded areas in Amta and Singti police-stations. The standing *aman* paddy suffered from the rains. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Uluberia ...	5·66	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	7·77	9½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good except in low-lying areas where heavy rain has affected them. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	7·12	9	9½	
	Nator ...	13·53	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	2·05	9 9/16	9 9/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Washing of jute is nearing completion. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	1·08	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	4·15	10	10	
14	JALPAIGURI	0·88	8	8	Weather seasonable. Recent rain is favourable for winter paddy and for cultivation of *rabi* crops. Prospects of *haimanti* paddy are good. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	1·50	8	8	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	1·03	8	8	Weather fair. Potatoes and cardamom are being harvested. Winter rice, *marua* and millet are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	0·63	7⅛	7½	
	Siliguri ...	1·00	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	0·53	7½	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	1·84	8	8	Weather seasonable and favourable for the winter rice crop. Preparation of lands for *rabi* crops continues. Harvesting of jute is nearly finished. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Pirgachha in Sadar subdivision.
	Nilphamari	1·81	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	2·16	8	8	
	Gaibandha ...	5·14	7¼	7¼	
17	BOGRA ...	7·86	9¼	9¼	Weather seasonable. The recent heavy rain has retarded cultivation of potato and other *rabi* crops. Prospects of winter paddy good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	9·68	7½	7½	Rainfall at Sara 8·55 inches. Weather is cool and pleasant. Harvesting of jute is over. The water of the Ganges is going down. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	4·92	(*n*)	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	7·12	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Re-sowing of *kalai* is approaching completion. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	1·64	9⅜	9⅜	Weather seasonable. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute continue. Lands are being prepared for tobacco and other *rabi* crops. Sowing of tobacco seeds in the nursery is going on. Prospects and condition of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Mathabhanga subdivision.
21	DACCA ...	2·98	9	9	There was heavy rain in the first part of the week succeeded by cool weather. Some damage has been done to *aman* paddy by high wind. Prospects of standing crops good. Harvesting of jute has been finished. Sowing of *kalai* and sweet potatoes is in progress. Import of rice continues. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is steady.
	Manikganj ...	3·05	10	9	
	Narayanganj	3·75	8½	8½	
	Munshiganj*	4·02	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	7·28	7 1/16	7 3/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of jute is over. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	6·14	8	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	3·77	9	8 1/16	
	Netrakona ...	12·06	7 1/16	(*n*)	
	Kishorganj...	5·45	8½	(*n*)	
23	FARIDPUR ...	4·26	9	9	Weather seasonable, but it was stormy for two days causing some damage to the paddy crop. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported
	Goalundo ...	3·70	12	10	
	Madaripur ...	4·73	8	8	
	Gopalganj† ...	3·87	10	9	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	3·42	7¼	7¼	*Aman* paddy at Pirojpur and Bhola is much damaged by storm of 30th October Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas of the Bhola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	4·73	7½	7¾	
	Patuakhali...	7·96	7½	7¾	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	2·85	7	7½	
25	CHITTAGONG	4·58	10	10	Weather windy and rainy for two days. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of early winter paddy has commenced; outturn good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 7½ and 5½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	4·56	10	10	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	2·94	9½	9½	Weather stormy during the first part of the week; it is now cool and seasonable Prospects of *aman* paddy are good. weather benefitting on the whole. Sowing of *rabi* crops has begun. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	2·96	9⅜	9⅜	
	Chandpur ...	3·13	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	4·73	9	8½	Weather squally for a part of the week. Prospects of standing crops are good Salt is selling at 6½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	4·92	12	13½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	2·64	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. No cattle-disease is reported.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here

(*n*) Not reported

D. N. MOOKERJI,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal*

CALCUTTA, *the 6th November 1917*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice — Average.			Common rice — Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 6	9 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	10 10	10 0	11 8
	2	Magra Hat ...	9 7	9 1	7 10	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 4	7 4	6 10	8 3	9 7	13 14
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	7 0	7 0	5 14	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	7 1	8 6	10 0	11 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	8 10	9 8	6 10	9 8	10 0	7 0	6 10	6 10	5 8	7 4	7 4	8 0	13 5	13 5	13 0
	5	Ranaghat	9 0	9 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	6 12	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 4	6 4	6 0	10 8	10 8	10 8
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	10 8	10 8	7 0	10 12	10 12	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	14 0
	7	Kandi	11 8	11 8	8 4	12 0	12 0	8 8	5 4	5 4	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	10 8	10 8	7 8	11 8	11 8	8 4	6 0	5 8	7 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	12 0	13 0	15 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	11 8 (a)	12 0
	10	Bangaon ...	8 0	8 0	7 3	9 6	11 1	7 10	5 5	5 5	5 5	7 2	7 2	6 6	8 4	9 12	12 13
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 4	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	10 8
	12	Bagerhat (n)	...	7 8	7 0	...	8 0	8 0	...	6 8	6 8	...	5 8	5 8	...	10 0	10 0
Burdwan.		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	9 8	9 0	7 8	12 0	10 8	8 0	9 0	8 8	6 8	9 8	9 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	13 0
	14	Kalna	9 12	9 12	7 4	10 4	10 4	7 8	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 4	18 0	13 0	13 0
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	11 8	11 8	7 8	12 0	12 0	8 4	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	10 0	13 0	12 12
	16	Rampur Hat	10 8	10 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	8 8	8 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	13 0	13 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	10 12	10 8	8 0	14 0	11 4	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	10 0	13 0
	18	Vishnupur	11 0	10 8	7 8	14 0	11 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	6 0	9 0	10 8	11 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	9 11	10 1	8 1	10 6	10 12	8 6	7 0	7 0	5 8	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	10 8
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	9 0	13 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 8	9 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	9 0	11 0
	22	Arambagh ...	10 0	10 0	7 4	10 4	10 4	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	9 8	13 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 4	8 2	7 4	9 12	9 12	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	13 0
	24	Uluberia	8 0	8 8	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	10 0	13 12
Rajshahi.		Rajshahi.															
	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	8 4	7 14	7 2	8 10	8 4	7 5	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	9 0	8 12
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	9 0	9 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	8 6	9 0	7 13	9 0	9 9	8 6	8 0	6 0	6 0	8 6	7 13	6 10	8 0	8 0	12 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0	8 8	7 0	9 0	9 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0	9 0	11 0

† Aarkatch. (a) Revised.

(n) Return not received.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1917.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Mauzas.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 12	7 12	6 0	8 8	8 8	7 8	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 4	5 8	4 8	6 0	7 0	9 0
	30	Siliguri . .	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	10 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	7 0	8 0	10 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 8	8 0	6 12	8 0	8 4	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 4	5 0	5 0	5 4	9 0	8 0	9 8
	32	Nilphamari ...	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	7 0	6 0	5 8	7 8	8 0	11 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	9 6	9 6	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	6 0	8 4	8 4	12 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 2	7 2	7 2	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	10 4	9 12
	35	Sirajganj	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 12	7 0	7 0	8 4	11 4	11 8	12 6
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	9 8	8 8	6 8	10 0	10 0	7 8	6 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 4	7 0 (b)	9 0	12 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	10 0	10 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	7 0	6 0	6 12	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	7 0 (b)	9 4	12 0
		Dacca.															
Dacca.	38	Sadar	7 8	7 10	6 12	9 8	9 8	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	6 12	7 0	6 0	6 8	8 8	11 0
	39	Munshir Hat (*n*) ...	...	8 4	7 0	...	8 4	7 0	...		...		..	6 4	...	8 0	10 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	7 11	7 11	7 0	8 8	8 8	7 4	5 8	5 8	5 4	6 0	6 0	5 0	9 8	9 8	11 12
	41	Netrakona	7 9	7 9	6 12	8 0	8 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	11 0	7 4	7 4	5 14	9 0	9 0	11 0
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 8	8 12	7 8	6 4	6 4	5 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	8 0	11 4
	43	Goalundo ...	8 10	9 0	7 6	10 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	8 0	8 0	10 15
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	8 4	8 4	7 8	9 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	7 4	7 4	6 8	10 4	10 4	12 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 4	7 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 12	7 0	7 0	10 11
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 8	7 8	5 14	7 8	8 0	6 6	5 5	5 4	4 9	6 6	6 8	5 5	6 8	8 0	10 11
	47	Chandpur ...	7 12	7 8	6 8	9 8	9 4	8 12	5 0	9 0	10 0	6 8	6 6	8 0	6 8	8 0	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	8 0	10 8†
	49	Feni Hat	8 8	8 0	6 0	11 0	9 12	7 4	8 4	8 4	6 8	*	*	...	96 10	8 4	12 13
Chittagong.		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	9 8	9 8	7 8	10 8	10 8	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 8	8 0	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	10 0	9 8	7 8	10 0	9 8	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	6 8	8 0	10 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	6 8	12 0	12 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	6 8	6 8	8 0

* This article is not at present sold here.

† Crushed.

(b) Due to insufficient supply.

(*n*) Return not received.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 30th October 1917.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1917.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 3 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	..	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.. ..	.....	.....	.. ..
Burdwan ...	2 2 0	2 4 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	2 1 0	3 4 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	9 0 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	5 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	...	.....		...	.....	...	.....	..	.....
Raniganj ...	..	..	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 2 0	4 0 0	5 0 0
Chittagong ...	..... *	.....	.....	..... *	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 4 0
Chandpur .	.. ..	...	...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	....
Dacca	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	5 10 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	5 6 0	5 4 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	...	.	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.. .	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	...	....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 5 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	4 10 0	4 10 0	5 8 0
Sirajganj ..	.....	.....	.. ...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	7 4 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	5 12 0

* This article is not at present sold here.

MARTS	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	...	...	.....	... .	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	....
Burdwan ...	6 4 0	6 0 0	5 0 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	5 10 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 7 0	4 7 0	5 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	. ...	.....	.	....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	... ..
Raniganj ...	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 12 0	5 8 0	4 10 0 to 4 12 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0 to 4 4 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 0 0 to 5 8 0	5 4 0 to 5 8 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..		4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0
Chandpur ...	.....	....	.....	.....		.....	...	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	5 8 0	5 0 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.. ...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	... ..
Madaripur ...	. ...	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. .
Pabna ..	4 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.. ...	. ...	.....	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	...	.	. .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1917.

MARTS	LINSEED			MUSTARD			GUR			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	28	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 13 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	32 0 0	22 0 0	13 0 0
Chetla Hat ..	..	.....				...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...
Burdwan ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	20 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Ranigan; ...	....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	. ...	.....	... ..	.....
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 4 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	28 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	.....	.....	6 4 0
Chandpur ..	.....	. .	...		... ..	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	
Dacca	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	11 12 0	12 0 0	11 12 0	.....	.....	
Narayanganj ...	... ..	...	...	.....	...	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mymensingh .	. ...	.....	..	.....	.. ...	.....	.. .	. ....	.....	.....	.....	
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Pabna	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 11 0	. ...	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur	.. ...	.....	.....	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....

a article is not at present sold here.

MARTS	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	65 0 0	70 0 0	52 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	375 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	55 0 0	58 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	48 0 0
Kalna ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.	...	.....		.....
Ranigan; ...	.....	.....	.	.....	....	...	.....	... ..	.....
Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 8 0	58 0 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	300 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100 300 0 0	350 0 0
Chittagong ...	...	.....	.....	to 62 0 0 54 0 0	to 60 0 0 60 0 0	to 58 0 0 54 0 0	275 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 275 0 0	325 0 0
Chandpur ...	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	4 4 0 to 6 4 0	7 8 0 to 11 0 0	... ..	.....	.....	.	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	...		56 0 0	58 0 0	60 0 0	.	.	...
Narayanganj ...	5 0 0 to 6 7 0	5 2 0 to 6 8 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	... ..	.....	...	.....	.....	
Mymensingh .	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.		.	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	4 4 0 to 7 0 0	7 4 0 to 9 4 0	....	...		... .	...	.....
Pabna ...	...	.....	.....	62 0 0	62 0 0	58 0 0	.....	. ...	. ...
Sirajganj ...	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	.....		..	.....	.....	...
Rangpur ...	5 0 0	5 8 0	10 0 0	58 0 0	58 0 0	58 0 0	Per piece. 3 0 0	Per piece 3 0 0	3 0 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of October 1917.

Marts.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	24 0 0	24 0 0	14 0 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 9 6(a)
Chetla Hât ...	.....	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	14 0 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	2 8 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	2 12 0(a)
Kalna		.....	.	.....	. ..	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Ranigunj ...	.. ...	.	...	. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 20 0 0	3 0 0 to 17 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	4 14 0	4 4 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0(a)
Chittagong ...	17 0 0	17 0 0	16 0 0	8 0 0	4 12 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	2 1 6	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	..	... .	....	.....	.....	....	.. ...	.....
Dacca	(c)	(c)	13 0 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	3 4 0*	3 2 0	3 1 6	3 0 0(a)
Narayanganj...	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ...
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	18 12 0	18 12 0	13 0 0	4 12 0	4 4 0	3 11 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 13 0(a)
Sirajganj ...	...	.. ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. . .
Rangpur ..	14 0 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0‡	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 14 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Panga | ‡ Crushed. | (c) Not reported.

Marts	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present ret rn.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	15 0 0	15 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	...
Chetla Hât ...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 6 0
Burdwan ...	16 8 0	15 8 0	14 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 5 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 8 0
Ranigunj ...	.. ...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 1 4
Midnapore ...	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	... ..	.....	. ....
Chittagong ...	16 8 0	17 0 0	20 0 0	... .	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.	... ..	...	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	19 8 0	19 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	... .	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	. ...	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	16 8 0	16 8 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	19 0 0	18 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.. ...	. ...	.....	.....

CALCUTTA,
The 30th October 1917.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	5	0	4	10	0	0	2	0	0	3	3
„ medium ...	4	15	0	5	0	0	0	2	4½	0	3	6
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	2	0	5	10	0	0	2	3	0	3	3
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	.....		
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			0	2	0	.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	5	0	3	11	0	0	2	0	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	14	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	9	0	.....			.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	2	0	4	1	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
4. „ dal	4	0	0	4	8	0	0	1	6	0	2	9
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	9	0	6	8	0	0	3	0	0	4	6
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	3	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	4	0	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	2	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	4	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
9. Salt	4	8	6	.....			0	2	0	0	2	3
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	9	0	.....			0	5	0	0	7	0
11. Gur, Bheli	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Bhursut	10	0	0	10	4	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
12. Milk	10	0	0	.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	16	8	0	17	4	0	0	7	0	0	8	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	8	0	7	2	0	0	3	0	.....		
15. Ata No. 3	3	10	0	.....			0	2	3	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	5	0	0									
„ „ B	7	6	0									
16. Suji	7	0	0	7	9	0	.....			.....		
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	77	0	0	.....			2	0	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	69	0	0	.....			1	12	0	.....		
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	58	0	0	.....			1	8	0	—	.....	
18. Maize	2	8	0	.....			.....			.....		
19. Potato	4	8	0	5	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
20. Patal	5	8	0	6	8	0	0	3	6	0	4	0
21. Brinjal	.....			.....			0	1	6	0	2	6
22. Onion	3	8	0	4	0	0	0	1	3	0	2	0
23. Fish, Rahu	16	0	0	20	0	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
24. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
25. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 20th October 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
14th Oct 1917	At low tide.	63·9	Not connected with mean sea-level.	63·6	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
15th " "	Ditto	63·8		63·5	
16th " "	Ditto	63·7		63·4	
17th " "	Ditto	63·5		63·2	
18th " "	Ditto	63·4		63·0	
19th " "	Ditto	63·2		62·7	
20th " "	Ditto	63·0		62·3	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
31st "	1912	67·16	
26th "	1914	66·7	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th "	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 1st November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 27th October 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero. of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
21st Oct. 1917	At low tide.	62·8	Not connected with mean sea-level.	62·0	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
22nd " "	Ditto	62·4		61·9	
23rd " "	Ditto	61·9		61·7	
24th " "	Ditto	61·5		61·6	
25th " "	Ditto	61·0		61·5	
26th " "	Ditto	60·6		61·3	
27th " "	Ditto	60·5		61·1	

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31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
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13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th "	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 1st November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 27th October 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
21st Oct. 1917	7 A.M.	17·7	17·7	18·9	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
22nd " "	7 "	17·4	17·4	18·5	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
23rd " "	7 "	17·1	17·1	18·1	
24th " "	7 "	16·7	16 7	18·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
25th " "	7 "	16·3	16·3	17·9	
26th " "	7 "	16·0	16 0	17·7	
27th " "	7 "	15·8	15 8	17·4	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	4·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 27th October 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 27th October 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 51·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year	Remarks.
21st Oct. 1917	7 A.M	4·80	56·20	56·90	R. L. of gauge post is 51·40.
22nd " "	8 "	4·40	55·80	56 30	B. M. on College step 69·74.
23rd " "	8 "	4·10	55·50	56·00	
24th " "	8 "	3·80	55·20	55·80	
25th " "	8 "	3·50	54·90	55·60	
26th " "	8 "	3·10	54·50	55·30	
27th " "	7 "	2·90	54·30	55·00	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1878.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest "	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	38 18 on 14th-15th April 1883.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 27th October 1917.

S. C. BHATTACHARJEE,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 20th October 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 20th October 1917			Week ending Saturday, the 21st October 1916.		
	Number of boats	Weight of cargo	Tollage	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	355	32,550	500	163	27,715	330
Jute	275	72,419*	968	383	115,862†	1,550
Firewood	112	63,250	990	47	26,150	385
Other articles	1,005	210,640	2,510	817	132,622	1,634
Total ...	1,747	378,859	4,968	1,410	302,349	3,899
Empty boats and rafts ...	940	...	1,146	612	...	1,020
Grand Total ...	2,687	378,859	6,114	2,022	302,349	4,919

* Weight by canal measurement ... .. Mds 60,300
† Ditto ditto .. 127,875

CALCUTTA,
The 6th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 27th October 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 27th October 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 28th October 1916		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boat	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	282	26,140	389	152	36,230	401
Jute	277	97,074*	1,197	266	95,700†	1,246
Firewood	73	46,525	747	59	53,925	816
Other articles	809	151,162	1,813	833	172,395	1,879
Total ...	1,441	320,901	4,146	1,310	358,250	4,342
Empty boats and rafts ...	420	...	861	618	...	1,178
Grand Total ...	1,861	320,901	5,007	1,958	358,250	5,520

Mds
* Weight by canal measurement 83,763½
† Ditto ditto 103,900

CALCUTTA,
The 6th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds S	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P			
Total traffic for the week	591,710	2,83,190 0 0	2,420,060 0	9,51,930 0 0	39,940 0 0	6 75,060 0 0	83,875	d) 55,297	139 172
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 378	(a) 181 0 0	1,536 0	223 0 0	(c) 21 0 0	(c)424 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year ...	1,777,320	9,08,770 0 0	6,573,340 0	10,04,400 0 0	98,510 0 0	20,11,680 0 0	228,862	153,268	382,130
Total for 4 weeks ...	2,369,030	11,91,960 0 0	8,992,400 0	13,56,330 0 0	1,38,450 0 0	26 86 740 0 0	312,737	208,565	521,302
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	658,657	2,78,137 0	2,308,341 0	5,62,934 0 0	53,511 0 0	8,94,582 0 0	99,770	66,306	166,075
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,828 mean mileage worked)	(b) 421	(b) 178 0 0	2,032 0	346 0 0	33 0 0	545 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	2 524,508	10,91,066 0 0	12,082,382 0	20 49 235 0 0	2,09,517 0 0	33,49,838 0 0	384,313	256,190	640 503

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,610.
(d) Including ballast train miles 9,418.

N.B.—Decrease is chiefly due to smaller traffic, in jute.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds. S.	Rs. A P	Rs A. P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	48,680	13,690 0 0	181,070 0	12,970 0 0	3,150 0 0	29 810 0 0	4,491	(b) 3,806	8,297
Per mile of railway per week	420	1 8 0 0	1,561 0	112 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 282 0 0	...	.....	..
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	194,720	62.180 0 0	248,400 0	18,120 0 0	9,190 0 0	89,490 0 0	13,885	12,039	25,874
Total for 4 weeks ...	243,400	75,870 0 0	524,470 0	31,090 0 0	12,340 0 0	119,300 0 0	17,336	15,845	34,171
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	60,881	20,559 0 0	187,321 0	13,483 0 0	3,039 0 0	37,081 0 0	7,000	2 738	9,738
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	525	177 0 0	1,615 0	117 0 0	2 0 0	296 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	243,518	74,836 0 0	620,878 0	37,168 0 0	11,316 0 0	1,23,109 0 0	27,002	9,855	36,857

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 2,980.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 897.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,460	2,430 0 0	23,940 0	1,770 0 0	30 0 0	4,230 0 0	756	196	952
Per mile of railway per week	196	73 0 0	725 0	54 0 0	1 0 0	128 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	19,580	7,420 0 0	74,230 0	5,600 0 0	80 0 0	13,100 0 0	2,160	560	2,720
Total for 4 weeks ...	26,040	9,850 0 0	98,170 0	7,370 0 0	110 0 0	17,330 0 0	2,916	756	3,672
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,784	1,832 0 0	32,033 0	3,611 0 0	34 0 0	5,477 0 0	947	364	1,311
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	145	56 0 0	971 0	109 0 0	1 0 0	166 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	16,840	6,740 0 0	116,721 0	11,627 0 0	143 0 0	18,510 0 0	3,670	1,416	5,086

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	14,150	5,000 0 0	213,450 0	9,940 0 0	40 0 0	14,880 0 0	1,211	1,523	2,734
Per mile of railway per week	253	89 0 0	3,812 0	176 0 0	1 0 0	266 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	50,630	17,720 0 0	539,540 0	23,630 0 0	110 0 0	41,460 0 0	3,461	4,739	8,200
Total for 4 weeks ...	64,780	22,720 0 0	752,990 0	33,470 0 0	150 0 0	56,340 0 0	4,672	6,262	10,934
Total for 17 weeks of calendar half-year (a).	274,848	94,849 0 0	2,110,355 0	1,04,346 0 0	556 0 0	1,99,771 0 0	26,173	20,488	46,661
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,427	5,592 0 0	229,174 0	10,727 0 0	27 0 0	16,346 0 0	1,700	1,694	3,394
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	311	100 0 0	4,092 0	192 0 0	.....	292 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	63,374	20,339 0 0	838,114 0	35,175 0 0	120 0 0	55,634 0 0	6,523	5,707	12,230
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	270,305	80,796 0 0	3,225,731 0	1,25,075 0 0	583 0 0	2,06,454 0 0	30,962	22,514	53,476

(a) Audited figures to end of August 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,210	2,740 0 0	36,300 0	2,270 0 0	20 0 0	5,030 0 0	1,142	707	1,849
Per mile of railway per week	155	52 0 0	683 0	43 0 0	.....	95 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	25,710	7,430 0 0	106,180 0	7,980 0 0	50 0 0	15,460 0 0	3,263	2,895	6,158
Total for 4 weeks ...	33,920	10,170 0 0	142,480 0	10,250 0 0	70 0 0	20,490 0 0	4,405	3,602	8,007
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	8,987	2,600 0 0	38,859 0	2,813 0 0	30 0 0	4,943 0 0	1,428	803	2,231
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)...	180	52 0 0	777 0	46 0 0	1 0 0	99 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	36,973	10,196 0 0	192,551 0	14,477 0 0	68 0 0	24,741 0 0	5,508	3,028	8,536

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 2,650 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A P.	Mds s.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P	Rs A. P.			
		(a)		(b)					
Total traffic for the period	1,097,763	13,95,861 0 0	16,613,844 0	26,96,466 0 0	85,450 0 0	41,77,777 0 0	289,671	580,890	869,561
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	526 11 10	.....	1,017 8 7	32 3 11	1,576 8 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October	1,097,763	13,95,861 0 0	16,613,844 0	26,96,466 0 0	85,450 0 0	41,77,777 0 0	289,671	580,890	869,561
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	1,273,088	11,74,663 0 0	15,321,210 0	24,36,633 0 0	6,579 0 0	36,17,875 0 0	334,386	619,224	953,610
Per mile of Railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	451 1 7	.....	935 11 8	2 8 5	1,389 5 8	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	1,273,088	11,74,663 0 0	15,321,210 0	24,36,633 0 0	6,579 0 0	36,17,875 0 0	334,386	619,224	953,610

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares | (b) The increase is in merchandise general

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A P
2,650	First 13 days of October	1,097,763	13,95,861	16,613,844	26,96,466	85,450	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 12 10

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

2,604	First 14 days of October	No. of passengers 1,372,076	Rs. 12,66,220	Mds 16,446,257	Rs. 26,18,523	Rs 7,331	Rs. 38,94,074	Per week. Rs. 748	No. 1,027,495	Rate. Rs. A. P. 3 12 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	82,379	78,883 0 0	1,153,121 0	79,664 0 0	522 0 0	1,59,069 0 0	22,853	15,019	37,872
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	404 8 6	.....	4 8 8 6	2 10 10	815 11 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October...	82,379	78,883 0 0	1,154 121 0	79,664 0 0	522 0 0	1,59,069 0 0	22,853	15,019	37,872
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	82,090	67,303 0 0	930,713 0	59,946 0 0	536 0 0	1,27,785 0 0	22,810	17,425	40,235
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.		345 2 3	.....	307 6 8	2 12 0	655 4 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	82,090	67,303 0 0	930,713 0	59,946 0 0	536 0 0	1,27,785 0 0	22,810	17,425	40,235

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,379	78,883	1,153,121	79,664	522	1,59,069	439	37,872	4 3 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

195	First 14 days of October ...	No. of passengers 88,079	Rs. 72,338	Mds. 993,786	Rs. 64,072	Rs. 578	Rs. 1,36,988	Per week Rs. 351	No. 43,165	Rate. Rs. A. P. 3 3 9

JHIND-PANIPAT EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the first 13 days of October 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period	11,670	3,010 0 0	56,828 0	2,651 0 0	28 0 0	5,689 0 0	1,703	566	2,269
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	68 8 7	.....	60 4 0	0 10 2	129 4 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October	11,670	3,010 0 0	56,828 0	2,651 0 0	28 0 0	5,689 0 0	1,703	566	2,269

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway).	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2 651	28	5,689	70	2,269	2 8 4

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 13 days of October 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period on 2,057 mean miles worked	631,350	(a)2,74,490	1,527,700	(b)2,36,400	(c)38,570	5,39,460	91,042	(d)70,582	(f)161,624
Or per mile of railway per week	165·27	71·85	399·91	59·26	10·10	141·21			
For previous nil weeks of official half-year ...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total for 1½ weeks ...	631,350	2,74,490	1,527,700	2,36,400	38,570	5,39,460	91,042	70 582	161,624
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period (13 days) of previous year on 2,057 miles open	835,235	2,96,961	1,668,540	2,37,663	40,150	5,74,774	113,709	(e)85,606	199,315
Per mile per week of corresponding period of previous year ...	218·64	77·74	436·77	62·21	10·51	150·46			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	835,235	2,96,961	1,668,540	2,37,663	40,150	5,74,774	113,709	85,606	199,315
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the period ...		3·01		2·21	·24	3·34			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		2·61		2 78	·20	2·88			

(a) Decrease chiefly under foreign inward passengers
(b) Decrease mainly under foreign inward; local and foreign outward increased.
(c) Decrease mainly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 5,154 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 11,490 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in England.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th October 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run		
	Number of passengers	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	351,280	(a) 1,52 290	976,750	(b)1,46 460	(c)18,520	3,17,270	49,494	(d)39,631	(f)89,125
Or per mile of Railway ...	170 92	74·04	474·91	71·20	9·00	154·24	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of official half-year ...	631,350	2,74,490	1,527,700	2,28 400	38,570	5,39,460	91,042	70,582	161,624
Total for 2½ weeks ...	982,630	4,26,780	2,463,450	3 72 860	57,090	8,56,730	140,536	110 213	250,749
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2 057 miles open	450,653	1,71,391	1,080,050	1,76 995	23,491	3,71 877	61,108	(e)47,451	108,559
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	219·08	83·32	525·06	86·05	11 42	180 79	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	1,285,888	4 68 352	2,748,590	4,14,658	62 641	9,46,651	174,817	133,057	307,874
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·96		3·70	·21	3 56			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year ...		2 80		3·73	·22	3·43			

(a) Decrease mainly under foreign passenger traffic.
(b) Decrease chiefly under foreign traffic
(c) Decrease mainly under steam boats.
(d) Includes 2,775 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 4,927 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week...	5,841	1,781 0 0	61,770 0	9,690 0 0	(a)742 0 0	12,213 0 0	537	659	1,196
Or per mile of Railway ..	...	50 0 0	...	269 0 0	14 0 0	(c) 333 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half year.*	20,113	6,174 0 0	170,649 0	28,170 0 0	941 0 0	35,285 0 0	1,495	1,900	3,395
Total for 4 weeks ...	25,953	7,955 0 0	232,419 0	37,860 0 0	1,683 0 0	47,498 0 0	2,032	2,559	(4,591
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	8,168	2,154 0 0	114,383 0	14,921 0 0	(b)409 0 0	17,484 0 0	609	(c) 9 81	1,590
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	60 0 0	...	414 0 0	4 0 0	(c) 478 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	30,800	8,464 0 0	306,477 0	44,214 0 0	1,150 0 0	53,828 0 0	1,971	3,518	5,489

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 229.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 266.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles 90.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 184.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P	Rs A. P		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	15,448	4,335 0 0	97,623 0	13,177 0 0	1,020 0 0	18,532 0 0	1,914	3,006	4,920
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	37 0 0	...	112 0 0	9 0 0	158 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 3 weeks of half-year.*	41,865	14,714 0 0	273,232 0	41,195 0 0	301 0 0	56,210 0 0	5,492	8,641	14,133
Total for 4 weeks ...	57,313	19,049 0 0	370,855 0	54,372 0 0	1,321 0 0	74,742 0 0	7,406	11,647	19,053
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	18,136	5,737 0 0	141,073 0	21,316 0 0	227 0 0	27,152 0 0	1,800	(b)4,227	6,036
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	49 0 0	...	181 0 0	2 0 0	232 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	70,229	21,633 0 0	428 460 0	65,677 0 0	248 0 0	87,558 0 0	7,281	13,888	21,169

(a) Ballast train-miles, 550.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,174.

* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 20th October 1917, on 51 miles run

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,532	20,449 0 0	26,239 0	10 280 0 0	274 0 0	31,003 0 0	3,007	3,152	6,159
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	401 0 0	.....	202 0 0	5 0 0	608 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of the half-year	10,618	32,815 0 0	44,838 0	17,100 0 0	647 0 0	50,562 0 0	5,500	4,399	9,899
Total traffic up to 20th October 1917 ...	17,150	53,264 0 0	71,077 0	27,380 0 0	921 0 0	81,565 0 0	8,507	7,851	16,358
(20 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.. ...	366 0 0	.....	188 0 0	6 0 0	560 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	6,634½	17,611 0 0	35,264 0	15,625 0 0	226 0 0	33,462 0 0	3,425	3,739	6,164
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	345 0 0	.....	306 0 0	5 0 0	656 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	21,006½	46,340 0 0	88,283 0	40,960 0 0	790 0 0	88,090 0 0	7,374	11,007	18,381
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	318 0 0	.....	281 0 0	6 0 0	605 0 0	... ..	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week		+ 2,838		— 5,345	+ 48	— 2,459			
Difference up to date		+ 6,924		— 13,580	+ 131	— 6,525			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local and Foreign passengers, Luggage traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Public coal, Potatoes and Tea traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th October 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	5,855	3,841 0 0	12,212 0	1,382 0 0	35 0 0	4,758 0 0	641	1,319	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	48 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	68 0 0	... ..	.....	. ...
For previous 1 week of the half-year	7,701	4,142 0 0	15,437 0	2,034 0 0	38 0 0	6,214 0 0	1,231	2,549	3,780
Total traffic up to 20th October 1917	13,556	7,483 0 0	27,649 0 0	3,416 0 0	73 0 0	10,972 0 0	1,872	3,868	5,740
(20 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	17 0 0	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	8,091	2,575 0 0	21,700 0	1,762 0 0	14 0 0	4,351 0 0	502	751	1,543
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	37 0 0	.. ...	25 0 0	.....	62 0 0	.....	... ..	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	22,178	6,229 0 0	53,730 0	4,117 0 0	46 0 0	10,392 0 0	2,376	2,719	4,695
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	31 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	52 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week ...		+ 766		— 380	+ 21	+ 407			
Difference up to date ...		+ 1,254		— 701	+ 37	+ 590			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers and parcels traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in Jute traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 20th October 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	487	415 0 0	2,000 0	485 0 0	4 0 0	904 0 0	235	43	278
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	30 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 1 week of the half-year	890	480 0 0	1,819 0	312 0 0	5 0 0	797 0 0	357	295	652
Total traffic up to 20th October 1917	1,377	895 0 0	3,819 0	797 0 0	9 0 0	1,701 0 0	592	338	930
(20 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	11 0 0	.....	9 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	810	352 0 0	4,048 0	849 0 0	3 0 0	1,204 0 0	121	60	181
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	12 0 0	.....	28 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	938	437 0 0	7,071 0	1,356 0 0	7 0 0	1,800 0 0	293	146	439
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	5 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes :—Difference for the week		+ 63		— 364		+ 1	— 300		
Difference up to date		+ 458		— 559		+ 2	— 99		

The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Flour and Attah Tea and Wool Traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 20th October 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	94,336	65 789 0 0	323,288 0	54,535 0 0	7,293 0 0	1,27,617 0 0	12,899	21,867	34,766
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	74 76	.....	61·99	8·16	144·01	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year	164,718	1,09,839 0 0	626,537 0	1,02,662 0 0	11,015 0 0	2,23,516 0 0	23,188	36,105	59,293
Total for 2½ weeks ...	259,054	1,75,628 0 0	949,825 0	1,57,197 0 0	18,308 0 0	3,51,133 0 0	36,087	57,972	94,059
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year.—									
Proportionate actuals ...	93,819	50,043 0 0	385,633 0	75,702 0 0	12,271 0 0	1,38,016 0 0	15,103	21,050	36,153
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	62·48	.....	91·98	14 91	169·37	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	368,464	1 46,165 0 0	1,142,850 0	2,24,700 0 0	26,283 0 0	3,97,148 0 0	43,215	56,361	99,576

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section reopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 20th October 1917.			Receipts for week ending 20th October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 20th October 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 20th October 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,27,617	144 01	823	1,38,016	169·37	37,68,182	38,45,099	.....	76,917

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 20th October 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-mile run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	12,777	4,302 0 0	24,781	3,830 0 0	.....	8,132 0 0	1,168	449	1,617
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	74·80	.....	43·73	.....	118·53	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1⅞ weeks of half-year	22,279	7,848 0 0	35,388	5,184 0 0	.....	13,032 0 0	2,169	1,452	3,621
Total for 2⅞ weeks ...	35,056	12,150 0 0	60,169	9,014 0 0	.....	21,164 0 0	3,337	1,901	5,238
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 20th October 1917.			Receipts for week ending 20th October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 20th October 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 20th October 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·59	8,132	118·53	...	.....	...	60,144	.....	60,144	.....

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 5953A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5706A.—The 7th November 1917.*—Babu Gokul Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.

Mymensingh.

Kishoreganj, Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

No. 5824A.—The 10th November 1917.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and are posted to the head-quarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Hooghly.
Midnapore.

Babu Sushil Kumar Mukharji, M.Sc., Hooghly.
Maulvi Ali Reza, B.A., Midnapore.

No. 5883A.—The 12th November 1917.—The orders of the 15th October 1917, transferring Babu Digendra Nath Shaha, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, to the head-quarters station of the Midnapore district, are cancelled.

Rajshahi. Midnapore.

No. 5927A.—The 13th November 1917.—Maulvi Abul Fazl Muhammad Mohsin Ali, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Noakhali district.

24-Parganas. Noakhali.

POLICE.—*No. 5895A.—The 12th November 1917.*—Mr. G. C. Sturgis, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Jalpaiguri, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. F. J. Lowman, or until further orders.

Rajshahi. Jalpaiguri.

No. 5897A.—The 12th November 1917.—Mr. L. H. Burton, Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police, Khulna, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. C. E. Ezechiel, or until further orders.

24-Parganas. Khulna.

No. 5899A.—The 12th November 1917.—Mr. Shiv Charan Das Mehta, Deputy Superintendent of Police, in charge of the Diamond Harbour subdivision and Sadar A Division of the 24-Parganas district, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. L. H. Burton, or until further orders, and, under the provisions of section I of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

24-Parganas.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No 5937A.—The 13th November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of Regulation XI of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate Mr. Thomas Clarke Pilling Gibbons, K.C., Advocate-General, Bengal, to be an Additional Member of the said Council.

Council.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5716A.—The 8th November 1917.*—The officers, named below, acted in the first and second grades of District and Sessions Judges for the periods mentioned opposite their names :—

Acted in the first grade.

The late Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., from the 10th September to the 30th September 1917, inclusive, *vice* Mr. J. D. Cargill, I.C.S., on leave.

Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., from the 1st October to the 13th October 1917, inclusive, *vice* Mr. J. D. Cargill, I.C.S., on leave.

Acted in the second grade.

Mr. C. H. Moseley, I.C.S., from the 19th September 1917, *vice* Mr. Abdul Majid, on leave, to the 13th October 1917, inclusive.

„ R. E. Jack, I.C.S., with Mr. G. B. Mumford, I.C.S., on privilege leave, from the 1st October to the 13th October 1917, inclusive, *vice* Mr. H. P. Duval, I.C.S., on leave.

„ Sarat Kumar Ghose, I.C.S., from the 1st October to the 13th October 1917, inclusive, *vice* Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S.

No. 5722A.—The 8th November 1917.—Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, in the second grade of District and Sessions Judges with effect from the 10th September 1917.

No 5732A.—The 8th November 1917.—The officers, named below, are promoted substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of District and Sessions Judges :—

Mr. W. A. Seaton, I.C.S., with effect from the 1st February 1917.
„ C. Bartley, I.C.S., from the 9th February 1917 to the 8th August 1917, inclusive.
„ H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., from the 5th March 1917 to the 1st July 1917, inclusive.

No. 5830A.—The 10th November 1917.—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in the executive branch of the Provincial Civil Service :—

Confirmed in the first grade.

Babu Nityananda Bhar, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Rai Ram Sadan Bhattacharji Bahadur, retired.

Promoted to the first grade.

Babu Prakash Chandra Singh, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Nityananda Bhar, confirmed, and substantively with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Chandra Shekhar Kar, retired.
„ Shashibhushan Basu, substantively *pro tempore* with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Prakash Chandra Singh, confirmed.

Confirmed in the second grade.

Babu Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Nityananda Bhar, confirmed in the first grade.
Rai Suresh Chandra Singh Bahadur, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Prakash Chandra Singh, confirmed in the first grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the second grade.*

Mr. Mahima Nath Bhattacharji, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta, confirmed.
„ Debendra Nath Mukharji, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Rai Suresh Chandra Singh Bahadur, confirmed.

Confirmed in the third grade.

Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. I), with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Prasanna Kumar Das Gupta, confirmed in the second grade.
Rai Abinash Chandra Basu Bahadur, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Rai Suresh Chandra Singh Bahadur, confirmed in the second grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade.*

Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. I), confirmed.
„ Ramani Mohan Das, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Rai Abinash Chandra Basu Bahadur, confirmed.

Confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. I), confirmed in the third grade.
„ Jatindra Nath Gupta, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Rai Abinash Chandra Basu Bahadur, confirmed in the third grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Mr. Suresh Chandra Ghatak, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, confirmed.
Babu Satish Chandra Ghosh, with effect from the 16th August 1917 *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Gupta, confirmed.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Babu Anadi Nath Sen, with effect from the 16th August 1917 *vice* Babu Jatindra Nath Gupta, confirmed in the fourth grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fifth grade.*

Maulvi Abu Ahmad 'Abdul Basit, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, confirmed.

Babu Sukesh Chandra Deb Ray, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Anadi Nath Sen, confirmed.

Confirmed in the sixth grade.

Babu Bagala Prasanna Chakrabatti, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Ghaffar, confirmed in the fifth grade.

„ Mahendra Nath Kundu, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Anadi Nath Sen, confirmed in the fifth grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the sixth grade.*

Rai Sahib Shital Chandra Chatarji, with effect from the 18th July 1917, *vice* Babu Bagala Prasanna Chakrabatti, confirmed

Maulvi Hamidur Rahman, with effect from the 16th August 1917, *vice* Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, confirmed

Confirmed in the seventh grade.

Maulvi M. H. M. Furrokh, with effect from the 4th October 1917.

Babu Kalipada Maitra, with effect from the 18th July 1917.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5827A.—The 10th November 1917.*—Babu Narendra Kumar Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 28th May 1917.

Malda.

No. 5925A.—The 12th November 1917.—Mr. J. H. Lindsay, I.C.S., substantive *pro tempore* Magistrate and Collector, Malda, is allowed leave for one day, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 17th September 1917.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 5933A.—The 13th November 1917.*—In modification of the orders of the 16th October 1917, Babu Srish Chandra Kanjilal, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent of Police, Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is allowed leave for one month, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

RESIGNATION.

Council.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 5737A.—The 8th November 1917.*—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Mr. Binod Chandra Mitra of his office of Additional Member of the Legislative Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 7th November 1917 :—

No. 8493J.—The 3rd November 1917.—The services of Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Assam Valley Districts, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal with effect from the 14th October 1917.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 7530L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land in the district of Tippera is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a line of Railway from Rajapur Railway station on the Assam-Bengal Railway to Sreemuddi, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council has authorised the Engineers of the Assam-Bengal Railway Company for the time being engaged on this undertaking to enter upon and survey the land, and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section.

Tippera.

The general route to be taken for the survey will be from Rajapur Railway station to Sreemuddi, *viâ* Jaffergunj, Companyganj, Ramchandrapur and Homna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7487L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Panihati Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for keeping night-soil carts in the village of Panihati, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North and East—By the lands of Profulla Kumar Nandi and brothers,

South—By the Sodepur Station road,

West—By the drain and lands of Tran Nath Banerjee,

is required within the aforesaid village of Panihati.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Municipal Commissioners of Panihati.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7490L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land, being a tank with its banks, is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for sanitary purposes and for obtaining water for watering the streets in the mohalla of Maisandi, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the remaining portion of the homestead land of Prasanna Malakar,

East—By the remaining portion of the homestead land of Prasanna Malakar and Barhan Khalifa and the homestead land of Abdul Razaque,

South—By the Municipal lane,

West—By the Municipal lane and compound wall of the homestead land of Madhab Karmakar,

is required within the aforesaid mohalla of Maisandi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7493L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rajshahi for a public purpose, viz., for a Muhammadan burial ground in the mauzas of Chakdeb and Naugaon, pargana Barbakpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 9 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Rajshahi.

North—By the lands of Nimai Mondol, Sarada Mazumder, Rohim Bax and Abir Mondol,

East—By the land of Bhagaban Pramanick and Ezaratulla Kazi,

South—By the land of Navadwip Chandra Shaha, Sarada Charan Biswas and Fakir Mohammed Molla,

West—By the land of Madhab Shaha, Andharu Paik, Ezaratulla Kazi and Milan Pramanick,

is required within the aforesaid mauzas of Chakdeb and Naugaon.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Naugaon.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7496L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a feeder road for Rainagar station at mile 60·6 of the Bankura-Damodar River Railway in the village of Bisweswarbati, pargana Habeli, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·18 acre, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the land of Gagan Dutta and Hrishikesh Dutta,

East—By the District Board Road to Raina,

South—By the land of Banka Behari Dutta,

West—By the Bankura-Damodar River Railway land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bisweswarbati.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals, lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines or minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1) of Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the Assistant Engineer-in-charge, Bankura-Damodar River Railway, Bankura, district Bankura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Hooghly.

No. 7499L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Hooghly-Chinsura Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for widening the junction of the Kamarpara-Tolafatak Road at Chinsura, in the village of Kamarpara-Chinsura, pargana Arsa, zilla Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 10¼ chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0113 of an acre, bounded on the—

PLOT A.

North and East—By the land of Gopal Ch. Sett,
South—By the Kamarpara Road,
West—By the Tolafatak Road,

PLOT B.

North and East—By the land of Gopal Ch. Sett,
South—By the Kamarpara Road,
West—By the land of Benimadhab and Haran Ch. Modak (Plot A),

are required within the aforesaid village of Kamarpara-Chinsura.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Hooghly.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 7502L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Jagla, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Bahadur Shaikh, Kanai Shaikh and Ebrahim Shaikh.
East—By the lands of Ebrahim Shaikh, Shashi Bhusan Shaha, Pratap Shaha and Janaki Nath Sikdar and the tank of Raja of Naldanga,
South—By the lands of Ebrahim Shaikh, Gobinda Sikdar and Jogeswar Parui,
West—By the roadside drain of the Jessore-Magura road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jagla.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Magura.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7524L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a bandh in the village of Khag-Baikunthapur, pargana Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 15 bighas 2 cottahs 1 chitak of standard measurement, equivalent to 5 acres, bounded on the—

Bankura.

North, West and South—By the khas jungle of Janakinath Laik, Brajanath Laik, Kailash Ghose, Gour Mohan Ghose, Sarada Prasad Ghose and Sricharan Ghose,

East—By the cultivated land of Kailash Chandra Ghose,

is required within the aforesaid village of Khag-Baikunthapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Vishnupur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7527L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Satkhira Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an Infectious Diseases Ward in the Satkhira Charitable Dispensary, in the village of Katia, pargana Burun, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 cottahs and 9⅞ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Khulna.

North and West—By the land of Rash Behari Mukerjee,

South—By the Beharapara old road,

East—By the land of Pear Behara,

is required within the aforesaid village of Katia.

This declaration is made. under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer, Satkhira.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7533L.A.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Faridpur for a public purpose. viz., for excavating a tank at Orakandi, in the village of Orakandi, pargana Telihati Amirabad, zilla Faridpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 10 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Faridpur.

North—By the lands of Uma Charan, Sasi Biswas and others,

East—By the land of Akhoy Kumar Khristadas,

South—By the *halat* and land of Guru Charan Biswas,

West—By the land of Gour Bairagi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Orakandi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Gopalganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 7414L.A.—The 10th November 1917.—In lines 6 and 30 of Declaration No. 8628L.A., dated the 31st October 1916, published at page 1960, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st November 1916, in respect of the acquisition of additional land for the Bhairab-Bazar-Gouripur section of the Mymensingh-Bhairab-Bazar Railway at mile 59 in the villages of Rasulpur, etc., district Mymensingh, *for* the word "Bokainagar" *read* "Nizamabad."

Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 7417Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Surendra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar of Alipore in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mirpur in the district of Nadia, with effect from the 7th October 1917, until further orders.

24-Parganas.
Nadia.

No. 7419Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Amir Hossain, Sub-Registrar of Kotalpur, in the district of Bankura, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Potaspur in the district of Midnapore.

Bankura.
Midnapore.

No. 7421Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh, Sub-Registrar of Jhargram in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Midnapore.

No. 7423Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Surendra Krishna Ray Sub-Registrar of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jhargram, in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Suresh Chandra Ghosh, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

No. 7425Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Ansaruddin, Sub-Registrar of Trisal, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sherpur in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 7427Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Alauddin Ahmed, Sub-Registrar of Sherpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Trisal in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 7430Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Inspector of Registration Offices, Presidency Circle, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 4th October 1917.

No. 7432Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, District Sub-Registrar, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Inspector of Registration Offices, Presidency Circle, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 7434 Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Shaikh Muti' ud-din, Sub-Registrar of Vishnupur, in the 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on deputation, of Rai Sahib Tarapada Ghosh, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 7436 Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Harendra Narayan Bose, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, held charge, in addition to his own duties, of the Registration Office at Berhampore, Sadar, in the same district, from the 19th to the 25th September 1917.

Murshidabad.

No. 7438 Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Shaikh Abdullah, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, held charge, in addition to his own duties, of the Registration Office at Berhampore, Sadar, in the same district, from the 26th September 1917 to the 7th October 1917.

Murshidabad.

No. 7440 Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Wadud, Sub-Registrar of Kalia, in the district of Jessore, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Murshidabad, with effect from the 8th October 1917, until further orders.

Jessore.
Murshidabad.

No. 7442 Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Ali Mirza, Sub-Registrar of Berhampore, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kalia, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the afternoon of the 4th October 1917, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Abdul Wadud, or until further orders.

Murshidabad.
Jessore.

No. 7507 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Babu Dwarka Nath Gupta, Sub-Registrar of Begamganj, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Joint Sub-Registrar of Noakhali, Sadar.

Noakhali.

No. 7509 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Maulvi Sirajul Haq Khan, Joint Sub-Registrar, Noakhali Sadar, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Begamganj in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 7511 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Mr Vincent Gilbert Andrews, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Nandabhuiya's Hat, in the district of Noakhali, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Boserhat in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 7513 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Boserhat in the district of Noakhali, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi in the same district.

Noakhali.

No. 7515 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Babu Sashi Bhusan Biswas, Sub-Registrar of Gopalganj, in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Sub-Registrar of Rampal, in the district of Khulna.

Faridpur.
Khulna.

No. 7517 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Babu Bidhu Bhusan Chatarji, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Rampal, in the district of Khulna, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kalarao, in the same district.

Khulna.

No. 7519 Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Babu Satindra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Gopalganj, in the district of Faridpur, with effect from the date he joins his duties.

Faridpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS

No. 7407Regn.—The 10th November 1917.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Probationers in the Registration Department:—

Babu Ramesh Chandra Mukharji, B.A.
„ Umesh Chandra De, B.A.
Maulvi A. S. M. Abdul Baqui.
„ Abdul Wahed Ahmed, B.A.
„ Muhammad Haniff.
„ Nizamuddin Ahmed.
Babu Surendra Nath Sen Gupta.
Maulvi Anisuddin Ahmed.
„ Abul Khair Asadu.la.
Babu Nagendra Chandra Sen, B.Sc.
„ Kanti Chandra Pal, M.A.
„ Jamini Kanta Bakshi, B A.
Maulvi Muhammad Irtaza, B.A.
Babu Jatindra Nath Ray, B.A
„ Bhudeb Chatterji, B.A.
„ Phanindra Kumar Mitra.
Maulvi Muhammad Shujauddin
„ Afsaruddin Ahmed.
„ Fuzlur Rahman.
„ Khandkar Abu Muhammad Fuzlul Karim.
Babu Sudhir Chandra Mitra, B.Sc.
„ Sachindra Nath Mitra.
Maulvi Syed Sharafuddin Hussain.
„ Khandkar Ali Asghar.
Babu Jitendra Kumar Banerji.
„ Rai Mohan Mazumdar, B.Sc.
„ Nirada Mohan Chakravarti, B.A.

2. The appointments of those gentlemen who have not submitted certificates of health and age are subject to the submission and acceptance of those certificates.

No. 7536Regn.—The 13th November 1917.—Under the provisions of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (Act XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the further retention of the temporary office of the Joint Sub-Registrar of Boda at Debiganj in the district of Jalpaiguri up to the 30th September 1918.

Jalpaiguri.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1278Edn.—The 13th November 1917.—Whereas by Notification No. 1299, dated the 6th day of April 1894, certain Government Promissory Notes in the said notification more particularly specified were, by the order and direction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and with the concurrence of Babu Krishna Mohan Rudra Sarkar of Irphala, in the district of Midnapore, vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, for the endowment and maintenance of a Sanskrit *Tol* in the said village of Irphala, to be called "The Sibani Sanskrit *Tol*, Irphala," in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Scheme to the said notification annexed, and whereas Srimati Kamini Dasi, the wife of Babu Sasibhusan Rudra, the son of the abovementioned Babu Krishna Mohan Rudra Sarkar, now deceased, is desirous of creating an additional endowment in favour of the said *Tol* for the purposes hereinafter more particularly mentioned.

Midnapore.

It is hereby notified that the Governor of Bengal in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of Srimati Kamini Dasi, the wife of Babu Sasibhusan Rudra of Irphala, doth hereby order and direct that the Government Promissory Notes of which the particulars are contained in the first Schedule hereunder written, shall, as from the date of the first publication of this notification, vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and any rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General in Council), upon trust for ever hereafter to receive the interest of the said securities when and as the same shall become due and payable, and from time to time to apply the same in terms of the Scheme of which particulars are contained in the second Schedule hereunder written : and it is hereby further notified that the said Scheme shall come into operation on the vesting of the said securities in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

	G P. Note No.	Loan.		Rs.
1.	225349	3½ per cent. of	1865 ...	500
2.	225352	3½ ,,	,, ,, ...	500
3.	276870	3½ ,,	,, ,, ..	1,000
4.	179108	3½ ,,	,, 1900 ...	2,000
			Total ...	4,000

THE SECOND SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

(*Scheme.*)

(1) The endowment hereby created shall be called "The Srimati Kamini Dasi Fund" and its object is and shall be the maintenance of two resident Brahmin students at the "Sibani Sanskrit *Tol*", Irphala.

(2) The trustees to be appointed under section 5 (1) of Act VI of 1890 to administer the Trust shall be the Committee appointed by clause (2) of the Scheme annexed to the said Notification No. 1299, dated the 6th day of April 1894, and generally, except so far as the same may be varied by the provisions of this present Scheme, the provisions of the said Scheme shall be deemed to apply to this present endowment, and to be herein repeated.

(3) The interest of the said Government Securities for Rs. 4 000 forming this present endowment shall be paid to the Secretary to the said Committee by the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal, as and when the same accrues due, and shall be applied by the said Committee towards the maintenance of two resident Brahmin students in the said *tol*, and, in the event of such a course not being at any time or times practicable, the said interest shall, at their discretion, either be accumulated and ultimately applied in such manner, or, be applied to any other authorised purposes of the said *tol*.

No. 192Eccle.—The 13th November 1917.—The following notification of the Government of India, Department of Education, is republished for general information :—

No. 324, dated Simla, the 12th October 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Dept. of Education.

THE Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following shall be inserted as paragraph (4) to rule 6 in Part I of the Ecclesiastical rules published with the Department of Education Notification No. 212, dated the 10th May 1913 :—

Rule 6 (4).—If in the absence of a Jewish burial ground it is proposed to use the Government cemetery, a Jewish soldier may be buried in the unconsecrated portion of the cemetery, the officer or persons in charge of the cemetery, viz., the resident chaplain or other persons referred to in rule 1 (3) and (4), being duly informed.

No. 189Eccle.—The 9th November 1917.—The services of the Revd C. G. Stokoe, Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, and Chaplain of the Presidency Jail, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Administration of Assam, with effect from the 10th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2486S.R.—The 10th November 1917.—Babu Tarakeswar Bhattacharji, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Mymensingh, is transferred and posted to Naugaon in the district of Rajshahi.

Mymensingh. Rajshahi.

J. DONALD.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1758Medl.—The 12th November 1917.—Captain T. H. Dickson, R.A.M.C., is appointed to hold medical charge of the Civil Station of Dum-Dum, with effect from the forenoon of the 1st November 1917, *vice* Captain C. Webb-Johnson, R.A.M.C. (T. F.).

24-Parganas.

No. 1760Medl.—The 12th November 1917.—Major A. Denham White, I.M.S., is appointed to be Resident Medical Officer, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the forenoon of the 20th October 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 1762Medl.—The 12th November 1917.—Major F. W. Kendle, R.A.M.C., is appointed to hold medical charge of the Civil Station of Barrackpore, with effect from the afternoon of the 16th October 1917, *vice* Captain T. H. Dickson, R.A.M.C.

24-Parganas.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1664Medl.—The 8th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by article 6 of the Statutes of the State Medical Faculty of Bengal (published under the Resolution of the Government of Bengal, No. 2545Medl., dated the 11th August 1914, at pages 1553-1562 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following addition be made in the Schedule (as revised by Notification No. 424Medl., dated the 2nd March 1915) annexed to the said Statutes :—

Add the following at the end of clause 1 (*a*) under the heading—

"Examination for a Licentiate of the State Medical Faculty. The Primary examination :"—

"As a temporary measure the production of a certificate of admission to the Medical College, Calcutta, will be accepted as sufficient in the case of military students admitted to the Medical College, Calcutta, during the period of the war."

No. 1693Med.—The 10th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 91 of the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912 (IV of 1912), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules relating to lunatics published with Notification No. 2227-Medl., dated the 11th November, 1915, as amended by Notification No. 167T.-Medl., dated the 23rd September, 1916, namely :—

(1) In rule 23, *after* the word "Superintendent" *insert* the words "together with his opinion thereon."

(2) *After* rule 32 *insert* the following :—

"32A. All lunatics shall be required as a part of their treatment to do such work as may be assigned to them under the orders of the Superintendent."

(3) *Rule 53.—Add* the following words at the end of this rule :—

"unless he can be immediately confined in an asylum."

(4) *Rule 54.—Add* the following at the end of this rule :—

"In cases where the lunatic is immediately confined in an asylum, a copy of each of these documents shall be sent to the Superintendent of the asylum instead of to the Superintendent of the District or Central Jail".

(5) *Rule 56.*—In sub-rule (1) *after* the words "specified in rule 54" *insert* the words "together with a copy of any remarks in the jail observation book relating to the lunatic".

(6) *After* rule 56 *insert* the following :—

56A. When a lunatic prisoner is transferred from a jail to an asylum under sub-section (*1*) of section 30 of the Prisoners Act, 1900 (III of 1900), the following papers shall at the same time be forwarded—

(*i*) Descriptive roll in Form C annexed to these rules.
(*ii*) Warrant for detention in prison.
(*iii*) Jail history ticket and medical observations.
(*iv*) Certificate of fitness to travel.

(7) *After* rule 57 *insert* the following :—

"57-A. (1) Whenever a case of a criminal lunatic is reported to Government for orders under sub-section (2) of section 466 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the report shall state the circumstances under which the act for which the lunatic was sent up for trial is said to have been committed, and shall be accompanied by a copy of the descriptive roll in Form C annexed to these rules and of the deposition of the medical witness.

(2) When Government have passed an order under sub-section (2) of section 466 of the Code of Criminal Procedure for the detention of a criminal lunatic in an asylum, the Magistrate or Court, who reported the case to Government, shall, on receipt of the order, send the lunatic to the asylum, forwarding at the same time a copy of the said descriptive roll and deposition and of the Government order of detention".

(8) In *rule 63* :—(*a*) *omit* the words "be required to wear the prescribed dress. They shall" and (*b*) *after* the words "special enclosure" *insert* the words, "if possible."

(9) *Strike out* rule 64.

(10) In *rule 65*, *after* the words "appears to have recovered his sanity" *insert* the words "and is recommended for discharge or transfer to jail".

(11) In *rule 67*, *after* the words "together with" *insert* the words "an extract from the asylum case book and."

(12) *After* rule 69 *insert* the following :—

"69A. If any criminal lunatic released under the provisions of sub-section (1) of section 475 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, has become unmanageable, the Magistrate shall on the application of the surety cancel the security bond and order the lunatic to be readmitted to the asylum. He shall then send the lunatic to the asylum with a copy of his order."

(13) *For* Form C—Descriptive roll—annexed to the said rules *substitute* the following :—

FORM C.

[*See* rules 34, 41, 54, 55, 56A and 57A.]

DESCRIPTIVE ROLL OF LUNATICS.

N.B.—The ultimate responsibility for the preparation of this form rests *with the committing officer*, who must see that the requisite information is supplied by the Police and the Medical Officer without undue delay.

(If any of the particulars in this statement are not known, the fact should be so stated.)

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY THE POLICE ALONE.

1. Name of patient in full, race and caste.

2. Name of patient's father.

3. Sex and age of patient.

4 Marks whereby the patient may be identified.

5. Married or single or widowed.

6. Condition of life and previous occupation (if any).

7. Religion.

8. Place of birth and recent place of abode *

9. Whether homeless or living with relatives.†

10. Previous history and habits.‡

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* The name of village, police-station and district as also length of residence, should be stated.

† This heading should show the names and addresses of the relatives or persons legally bound to maintain the lunatic (if any), and whether they are able and willing to take charge of him or to bear the cost of his maintenance in the asylum and, if not why not.

‡ The mode of life the patient led, the history of any particular illness which may have helped to produce his condition of mind, his temperament or any habit of taking or smoking any drug or any grounds for supposing that the insanity is hereditary should be mentioned.

11. In the case of criminal lunatics, the nature of the crime and the detailed circumstances under which it was committed.*

12. Whether any member of patient's family has been or is affected with insanity, epilepsy or tuberculosis.

13. Whether the present attack is the first attack of insanity or not

14. Age (if known) at onset of first attack.

15. Duration and nature of any previous attack.

16. Supposed cause of insanity.†

17. Supposed exciting cause of present attack.‡

18. Duration of existing attack.

19. Whether suicidal.§

20. Whether dangerous to others.§

Signature and designation of Police or other compiling officer.

Date

* The manner of the arrest by the Police, the section under which the lunatic was charged and the result of trial should be reported in addition to other particulars which may be available.

† State here whether he is addicted to any spirits or drugs, and if so for how long he has been so addicted and what is the quantity habitually taken; also whether he is a member of any particular religious or political society.

‡ Under this heading should be stated whether the lunatic suffered from loss of property, loss of relatives, domestic trouble, or ill-health immediately before the attack.

§ Unless the answer is in the negative or "not known", *a detailed statement of this shall invariably be furnished.* Such answers as "Possibly", "said to be", "may be", or "yes" only, are prohibited.

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY MEDICAL OFFICER ALONE.

1. State of bodily health.*

2. Period under observation.

3. Symptoms exhibited.

4. Whether subject to epilepsy or any other kind of fits or any other disease.

5. Whether suicidal.†

6. Whether dangerous to others.†

Signature and designation of Medical Officer.

Date

* The general health of the patient as well as any abnormality of feature or development should be entered. It is desirable that special mention be made whether the patient is, or is not, suffering from tubercular disease.

† Unless the answer is in the negative or "not known", *a detailed statement of this shall invariably be furnished.*

Forwarded to the Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum at_____

Magistrate.

Date

No. 1686Medl.—The 10th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*ii*) of section 69B of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and clause (*k*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following addition to rule 27 of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, published under Notification No. 138T.—Medl., dated the 7th June 1915, at pages 1052-1066 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, as subsequently modified, namely :—

Add the following as a new paragraph to rule 27 :—

"Nothing in this rule or in the preceding rule shall prevent the Managing Committee or Manager of a Hospital or Dispensary of Class III or IV, or a local body on their behalf, from accepting as a contribution to the funds of the institution shares or a deposit in a Co-operative Central Bank or money offered with the express instruction that it shall be invested in such shares or shall be so deposited. Neither shall it be necessary to convert shares or deposits so received into Government securities. Contributions in the form of partly paid-up shares with a liability attaching to them should be carefully scrutinized and may not be accepted without the previous orders of Government."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5954A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No 5909A.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Mahboob 'Ali the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5913A.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kanak Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5917A.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Pandit Nakuleswar Bidyabhushan Bhattacharji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Sealdah Police Court.

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sealdah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5919A.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Chandra Kumar Chatarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dinajpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Dinajpur.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Balurghat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 5931A.—The 13th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Upendra Nath Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Midnapore, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Tamluk subdivision of the said district.

Midnapore.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Tamluk Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 5903A.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Adwaita Charan Samanta, Deputy Magistrate, Dacca, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dacca.

No. 5905A.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh, is vested with powers under sections 133 and 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Mymensingh.

No 5911A.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Hamidur Rahman, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Rajshahi, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Rajshahi.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3488J.—The 12th November 1917.—Mr. Iradatullah, Munsif of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Bogra in the district of Pabna and Bogra, *vice* Mr. Ashutosh Gupta. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the executive district of Bogra.

Tippera, Pabna and Bogra.

No. 3491J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Mahima Ranjan Mitra, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Sherpur.

Mymensingh.

No. 3493J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, Munsif of Sherpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Nadia, to be ordinarily stationed at Krishnagar, *vice* Babu Srish Chandra Chaudhuri, transferred.

Mymensingh. Nadia.

No. 3496J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Jyoti Prasad Banarji, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Kandi.

Murshidabad.

No. 3498J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Bihari Lal Sarkar, Munsif of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Nabinagar. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Nabinagar Munsifi.

Murshidabad. Tippera.

No. 3434J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Manmatha Nath Basu, Munsif of Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Subordinate Judge, Murshidabad.

Dinajpur. Murshidabad.

No. 3437J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, Munsif of Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jalpaiguri. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court, under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Jalpaiguri Munsifi.

Khulna. Dinajpur.

No. 3440J.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Atul Chandra Ray, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Khulna, to be ordinarily stationed at Bagerhat.

Khulna.

No. 3505J.—The 13th November 1917.—Babu Gyanendra Nath Ghosh, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Netrakona during the absence, on leave, of Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen.

Mymensingh.

LEAVE.

No. 3504J.—The 9th November 1917.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave for twenty-seven days, under articles 275 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

Mymensingh.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 3378J.—The 7th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*l*) of section 320 of the Code of Criminal Precedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt the following officers of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway from liability to serve as jurors or assessors in trials before any Court of Session, namely :—

Officers supervising Railway Workshops;
" " Locomotive Running;
" " Electrical Work; and
Superior supervising Store-keepers.

No. 3501J.—The 13th November 1917.—In supersession of rule 11 of the rules published with the Bengal Government Notification No. 2721J.D., dated the 24th September 1904, the following rule, which has been made by the Chief Presidency Magistrate for the guidance of the Presidency Magistrates in the town of Calcutta under section 21(*1*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and sanctioned by the Governor in Council, is published for general information :—

"11. With reference to rule 96 of the Calcutta High Court's General Rules and Circular Orders (Criminal), page 34, it is expected of Presidency Magistrates, other than the Chief Presidency Magistrate or other salaried Presidency Magistrates, whether empowered to sit singly or not, that, when requested by the Chief Presidency Magistrate or by an officer of police not below the rank of Officer in charge of a section, they will go without delay to any place within a reasonable distance from their residence, or, if they be in Court, within a reasonable distance from the Court, in order to record the statements of persons reported to be in danger of death, whose evidence is regarded by the officer making the requisition as essential to the conviction of a prisoner charged with the commission of a criminal offence."

2. Notification No. 2897J., dated the 24th September 1917, published at page 1551, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, is hereby cancelled.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 13993P.—The 12th November 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang ordinarily residing in Parulia, Sarjai, Protappur, Jamgora and certain other villages within the jurisdiction of Faridpur police-station, in the district Burdwan and commonly known as the Hari gang of Faridpur are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences :

Burdwan.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a Criminal Tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 13994P.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Hari gang which has been declared by Notification No. 13993P., dated the 8th November 1917, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence, and any absence, or intended absence from his residence.

No. 13997P.—The 8th November 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang residing in Kunkunia, Simuldar and certain other villages within the jurisdiction of police-station Kazipur and village Ekdala in police-station Serajganj in the district of Pabna, village Kharoarkuti in police-station Fulbari in the district of Rangpur, and village Sewnandabari Chur in police-station Dewanganj in the district of Mymensingh, and commonly known as the Kunkunia gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences :

Pabna.
Rangpur.
Mymensingh.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 13998P.—The 8th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Kunkunia gang, which has been declared by Notification No. 13997P., dated the 8th November 1917, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

No. 13895P.—The 12th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Daulatpur, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Khulna police-station in the district of Khulna, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Khulna police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna.
Baira (part) .. Nurnagar ... Goborchaka ...	45
Rairmohal ...	43
Mujgami ...	46
Goalpara ... Goalkhali ... Thugpara ... Porabati ... Noabati ... Kashipur ...	47
Chak-katabunia ...	44
Daulatpur ...	41
Pabla ...	42
Aranghata ... Sardardanga ... Dhaiga ... Kamarbati ... Gaikar ...	38
Notapaharpur ... Lata ... Paharpur ...	39
Deana ...	40
Moheswarpasa ... Madhydanga ... Bujitola ... Kartikerkhal ...	37
Mirerdanga ...	36
Jugipole ... Jabdipur ... Khanabati ..	34
Teliganti ...	33
Moheswarpasa ...	67
Barrackpur ...	68
Nandan Protap ...	69
Aroji-barakpur ... Kamardanga ... Boalearchur ...	70
Nathohati ... Lakhohati ... Goalbari ... Jangubash ...	71
Aroji-manjhirganti ... Radhamadhabpur ...	83
Kamarganti ... Arua ... Lakhimkati ...	84
Paniganti ..	62
Brahmaganti ... Kundapara ... Ghoseganti ...	66
Debnagore ... Goalpara ... Farmaishkhani ... Deara ... Sugandhi ...	64
Deghalia ...	65
Hatigram ...	61
Senhati ...	63
Chandani ... Chandanimohal ... Khamarbari ... Bhogdia ...	59
Hajigram ... Baitibhita ...	60

No. 13896P.—The 12th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Palerhat in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Khulna police-station in the district of Khulna, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the

following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Khulna police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna.
Muzaffarpur ...	92
Joar ...	93
Mahishakhali ... / Mahisaguni ...	94
Joarbadhar ...	95
Belphul a-Nandanpur...	101
Srifaltola ...	97
Chandraganti ...	98
Bhadraganti ...	99
Hosseinpur ...	125
Domra ...	126
Bakchandansree ...	130
Bhawanipur ...	131
Ramnagore ...	102
Sayer Arnabazar ...	103
Char-Rupsa Nadi, ... / Ramnagore, Bagmara ...	104
Bagmara ...	105
Khanabari-Talimpur ...	106
Khulna ... / Joypur ...	107
Kismat Khulna ... / Niklapur ...	108 & 109
Elaipur ...	110
Araji Naikhati ... / Karnapur ...	111
Naihati ...	112
Machuadanga ...	113
Amdabad ...	114
Samantasena ...	118
Fatehpur ...	119
Khanka ...	121
Nehalpur ...	122
Srirampur ...	123
Charbhairab Nadi and Srirampur ...	124
Kismat Tilak and Tilak ...	115 & 116
Pathargata ... / Godulkhali ...	117

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna
Gilatola ...	169
Taltola ... / Kojdia ... / Alaipur ...	170
Goalbathan ...	171
Armai Pachani ...	172
Salpabahirdia ...	173
Khojadanga ...	174
Goara ...	160
Juma-kokbil ... / Dobo ...	161
Banti ...	162
Barozilla ... / Bandakhal ...	163
Narikhali ...	167
Ghatbhoge ...	168
Khud Chandansree or Alaipur.	133
Dhopakhola ...	164
Pithabhogi ...	165
Chandpur ... / Kajidanga ...	166
Bhahurara ...	96
Tarulia ...	120
Deara ...	54
Rajapur ...	53
Khanmamudpur or Nanathpur.	56
Jugibati ... / Shirganti ... / Ratiarganti ...	57
Durjani ... / Solepur ... / Kamalpur ...	58
Durjani Mohal ...	90
Aijganti ...	91
Deara ...	55
Gainsurganti ...	100
Pera ...	132

No. 13897P.—The 12th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Tarakhada, in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Khulna police-station, in the district of Khulna, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Khulna police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna.
Bonapasha ...	72
Arjunbash ...	73

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna.
Ambaria ...	74
Arazi-jangalbash ...	75

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Khulna
Bunapasha ...	76
Dumra ...	77
Par-Maslandpur ...	78
Jangarsia ...	79
Dari Moheshdia ...	80
Majergati ...	81
Arzi Jungabash ...	82
Katla ...	85
Ramandanga ...	86
Haridasbati ...	87
Barasat ...	88
Sialer-Antapati Harikhali ...	135
Kodla ...	136
Kumardanga ...	137
Masindia ...	138
Jhamira	139
Kodla or Nazirpur ...	140
Kodla ...	141
Nebudia ...	142
Nikhari Katinga ...	143
Dashbhaia ...	144
Tarakhada ...	145
Joyshona ...	146
Katinga ...	147
Pantila or Jogaratia ...	148
Harikhali ...	149
Atlia ...	150
Kamral ...	151
Chamta ...	152
Patla Nachuni-Gobindpur.	153
Kushla ...	154
Ichhamati ...	155
Patladanga ...	156
Basundharitola ...	157
Nadi Aulipur ...	158
Bipra-Ajugara ...	127
Rasham Ajugara ...	128
Birir Ajugara ...	134
Nandanpur, Kharbaria, Anandanagar ...	159
Kola ...	89
Jhartala-alia ...	
Ramchandrapur ...	
Mathurapur ...	
Kalinagar ...	
Promodenagore ...	
Balarampur ...	
Adampur ...	
Syamnagore ...	
Petganti ...	
Madhapur ...	
Sripur ...	
Sitarampur ...	
Kalkapur ...	129

No. 13901P.—The 12th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Nokla, in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Nalitabari police-station in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Nalitabari police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Nalitabari.
Jogania	148
Bihirirpar	149
Medirpar	150
Piprikandi ...	151
Kharjan	152
Ganapaddi	153
Adampur	154
Baraikandi ...	155
Gajaria	156
Jalalpur	157
Mominakanda ...	158
Charkaia	159
Baneswardi ...	160
Bhurdi	161
Bausa	162
Kabutarmari ...	163
Basur Alga ...	164
Rampur ...	165
Chakbaraigachhi ...	166
Char Betmari (3rd portion).	167
Char Basur Algi ...	168
Chandrakona ...	169
Char Madhua ...	170
Janakipur ...	171
Baliadi ...	172
Chak Raghunathpur ...	173
Mujakanda ...	174
Palaskandi ...	175
Chak Janakipur ...	176
Kaida ...	177
Bishnupur ...	178
Pipri ...	179
Panch Kahania ...	180
Bahardi ...	181
Salua ...	182
Talki ...	183

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Nalitabari.
Runigai ...	184
Paiska ...	185
Nayabari ...	186
Kalapara ...	187
Kursabadagair ...	188
Basardi ...	189
Isibpur ...	190
Ferusa ...	191
Baraikandi Garergaon	192
Maura ...	193
Nakhla ...	194
Dhukuria ...	195
Chhatarkona ...	196
Singua ...	197
Dhamna ...	198
Danakusa ...	199
Kapasia ...	202
Bimaldi Tarakandi ...	246
Mujakanda ..	247
Pichhlakuri ...	248
Urpha ...	249
Rani Simul ...	250
Laykha Hosankhila ...	251
Khicha ...	252
Baramaisa ...	253
Rihila ...	254
Labha ...	255
Salkhan ...	256
Dari Teghari ...	257
Garduar ...	258
Satugai ...	259
Jharakanda ...	260
Majdbari ...	261
Poabhag .	262
Barapagla ...	263
Teghari ...	264
Phulpur ...	265
Ramerkandi ...	266
Bazidpur ...	267
Nayabari ...	268
Chandbari ...	269
Bibirchar ...	270
Sailampur ...	271
Char Kamanirpar ...	272
Char Bhabna ...	273
Char Basanti (1st portion).	274/1
Char Basanti (2nd portion).	274/2
Pathakata ...	275
Dudherchar ...	276
Char Nayabad ...	277
Char Bhabani ...	278
Dadhiarchar ...	279
Char Astadhar ...	280
Debuarchar ...	281

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

The 13th November 1917.

No. 8.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (Bengal Act II of 1882), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the provisions of clause (*b*) of section 76 of the said Act shall take effect, on and from the 15th December 1917, over the tract of country lying between the retired line of seadyke constructed at Chandpur and the old seadyke (Schedule D Embankment No. 39), commencing from the village Jamra Shampur, pargana Birkool (*i.e.*, at 9 mile 158 feet of the old seadyke) and ending where the retired line meets with the old seadyke in the village of Chandpur, pargana Kalindibalishai (*i.e.*, 10 miles 4,580 feet):—

DISTRICT MIDNAPORE.

Tract of country between the Chandpur retired line and the old seadyke.

Boundary of the tract declared—

North—By the retired line of the seadyke,

East and West—By the old seadyke,

South—By the old seadyke encroached by s a.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 12th November 1917.

No. 98 Marine.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*1*) and clauses (*h*), (*i*) and (*j*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 52 of the Inland Steam-Vessels Act, 1917 (I of 1917), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules :—

Rules.

1. (*1*) No inland steam-vessel shall proceed on a voyage if she is unsafe by reason of the defective condition of her hull, equipment or machinery, or by reason of overloading or improper loading, or excessive tow.

(*2*) If the Agent or the Master or Serang of an inland steam-vessel commits a breach of this rule, he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both, unless he proves that he used all reasonable means to ensure the vessel being sent on the voyage in a safe state, or that her going on the voyage in such unsafe state was under the circumstances reasonable and justifiable.

2. Masters and Serangs must use their discretion in towing craft alongside their vessels and must be guided by conditions of weather or width of waterway.

3. (*1*) Vessels steaming in narrow or confined waters shall reduce speed when passing other vessels.

(*2*) They shall also ply at a reduced speed when navigating rivers where a backwash is likely to be set up sufficient to cause undue erosion or damage to the river bank, or to property adjacent to the bank.

(*3*) When passing markets or places where small craft are congregated in large numbers, the speed of the vessel shall be reduced so as to prevent damage being done to small floating craft.

(*4*) If the Master or Serang of an inland steam-vessel commits a breach of this rule, he shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 5955A.

No. 5901A.—The 12th November 1917.—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Narayanganj, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Dacca.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 16811, dated Calcutta, the 7th November 1917.—Mr. J. Gray made over executive charge of the Alipore Central Jail to Lieutenant-Colonel J. Mulvany, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 30th October 1917.

No 17014, dated Calcutta, the 9th November 1917.—Deputy Magistrate Babu Satish Chandra Guha made over charge of the office of the Superintendent of the Rangpur Jail to Babu B. C. Das Gupta, Officiating Civil Surgeon, on the forenoon of the 26th October 1917.

No. 17033, dated Calcutta, the 9th November 1917.—Mr. J. Gray took over charge of the Press and Forms Department, Bengal, from Mr. C. R. Battersby on the afternoon of the 18th October 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 14147, dated Calcutta, the 31st October 1917.—The following Sub-Assistant Surgeons have been promoted to their next higher grades with effect from the dates mentioned against their names:—

Serial No.	Present grade.	Name.	Promoted to—	With effect from—
				1917.
1	2nd class senior ...	Nagendra Nath Chatterji ...	1st class senior grade	22nd September.
2	Ditto ...	Kali Kumar Choudhury ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
3	Ditto ...	Jagat Chandra Chakrabatti ...	Ditto ...	16th October.
4	1st grade ...	Abinash Chandra Gupta ...	2nd class senior grade	22nd September.
5	Ditto ...	Lalit Kumar Sarkar ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
6	Ditto ...	Janaki Nath Das ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
7	Ditto ...	Rajani Kanta Basu ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
8	Ditto ...	Tara Nath Choudhury ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
9	Ditto ...	Debendra Chandra De ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
10	Ditto ...	Sarada Charan Chakrabatti ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
11	Ditto ...	Manomohan Chakrabatti, I ...	Ditto ...	22nd ,,
12	Ditto ...	Ananda Chandra Ganguli ...	Ditto ...	16th October.

No. 14512, dated Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacharji was employed at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, from the 15th to the 24th October 1917, both days inclusive.

No. 14514, dated Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Kanak Chandra Baral did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, on the 14th October 1917.

No. 14516, dated Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Kanak Chandra Baral is appointed temporarily to be Assistant Apothecary, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 15th October 1917, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacharji, transferred.

No. 14530, dated Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jagadispada Datta did supernumerary duty at the Sadar Dispensary, Mymensingh, from the 19th October to the 2nd November 1917, both days inclusive.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU NETAI CHARAN GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Jalpaiguri Munsifi.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL;
The 7th November 1917.

By order of the High Court,
H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

BABU NETAI CHARAN GHOSH, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is vested, under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL; H. M. VEITCH,
The 7th November 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BEPIN BIHARI MUKHARJI, Munsif under orders of transfer to Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250, within the local limits of the Krishnagar Munsifi.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL; H. M. VEITCH,
The 8th November 1917. *Registrar*

BABU BEPIN BIHARI MUKHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Krishnagar, in the district of Nadia, is vested, under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the original jurisdiction of the District Judge of Nadia.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL; H. M. VEITCH,
The 8th November 1917. *Registrar.*

MR. IRADATULLA, Officiating Subordinate Judge, under orders of transfer to Bogra, in the district of Pabna and Bogra, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500, within the local limits of the Bogra Munsifi. He is also appointed to be a District Delegate, under section 235A of the Indian Succession Act, 1865 (X of 1865), and section 52 of the Probate and Administration Act, 1881 (V of 1881), within the local limits of the executive district of Bogra.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL; H. M. VEITCH,
The 8th November 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BIHARI LAL SARKAR, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Nabinagar Munsifi.

HIGH COURT: By order of the High Court,
CIVIL; H. M. VEITCH,
The 8th November 1917. *Registrar.*

MR. C. G. B. STEVENS, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kalimpong, Darjeeling, exercising the powers of a Munsif within the Kalimpong subdivision, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of that subdivision.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL:
The 9th November 1917.

By order of the High Court,
H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

MR. H. QUINTON, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kurseong, Darjeeling, exercising the powers of a Munsif within the Kurseong and Siliguri subdivisions, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 50, within the local limits of those subdivisions.

HIGH COURT:
CIVIL:
The 9th November 1917.

By order of the High Court,
H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সেরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুপ্রে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিপক্ষে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ।

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 6th November 1917.

No. 103P—Maulvi Abdul Latif, an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Dacca Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, from the 2nd January 1918.

No. 104P.—Babu Akshay Kumar Mukerji, District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca (substantive *pro tempore* in class II of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Dacca Division and in the Provincial Educational Service, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Latif, on leave.

The 9th November 1917.

No. 105P.—Miss Mrinalini Bose, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Rajshahi Division (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for nineteen days, with effect from 31st October 1917.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

FOREST DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 19For.—The 3rd November 1917.—Babu Rameswar Banarji, Probationary Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, is transferred to the Buxa Division as an attached officer with headquarters at Rajabhatkhawa.

Sundarbans.
Buxa.

No. 20For.—The 6th November 1917.—Mr. H. S. Gibson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, who has been posted as an attached officer to the Jalpaiguri Division, is placed in charge of the Jalpaiguri Forest Division, with headquarters at Jalpaiguri.

Jalpaiguri.

No. 21For.—The 6th November 1917.—Mr. E. O. Shebbeare, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on relief by Mr. H. S. Gibson, Deputy Conservator of Forests, reverts to the charge of the revision of the Working-plans in the Buxa and Jalpaiguri Forest Divisions, with headquarters at Buxa Duar.

Jalpaiguri. Buxa.

H. A. FARRINGTON,
Offg. Conservator of Forests, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4766G.—Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, whose transfer to the Burdwan Division has been cancelled under Government Notification No. 5625A., dated the 5th November 1917, is posted to Sundip in the district of Noakhali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 8th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2979M.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-elections held on the 17th of September 1917 in Wards Nos. VII and VIII of the Darjeeling Municipality, Babu Ram Charan Sukul and Mr. C. T. Kirby were duly elected as Commissioners in the place of Babu Sarat Chandra Banarji and Captain Oswald Little, respectively, resigned.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 8th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2909M.—The members of the Balurghat Local Board, in the district of Dinajpur, having, at a meeting, requested me, under section 25 of the Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), as amended by Act V (B.C.) of 1908, to appoint a Chairman, I appoint the Subdivisional Officer of Balurghat to be their Chairman.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4176J.—It is hereby notified for general information that under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the charitable dispensary at Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, in places of Mr. M. P. Schembry and Khan Sahib Maulvi Shahamatullah :—

(1) Mr. Robert Baron Addis. | (2) Babu Tickbir Roy.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, JALPAIGURI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd November 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET NO. XXV.

(*Gora Chand Road Area.*)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of Proposed Public Street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXV (Gora Chand Road area).

The plan provides for the laying out of several new roads of a width of 60 feet and is one of a series of alignments which are being published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the Eastern Bengal Railway and linking up Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street Nos. XXIII (outer Circular Road) and XXIV (Linton Street area), also Proposed Public Street No. XXVI (Entally Park Avenue), which will shortly be published. The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal holdings :—

Name of Street.		Number of Municipal holdings.
Gora Chand Road	...	1, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 14/1, 15, 16, 17, 17/1, 18, 18/1, 18/2, 18/3, 18/4, 33, 35, 36, 36/1, 37, 37/1, 37/2, 38, 39, 39/1, 39/2, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 46/1, 47, 47/1.
Gora Chand Lane	...	5, 5/1, 5/2, 6, 7, 9, 10, 10/1, 10/2, 18, 19, 20, 20/1, 20/2, 21.
Ostagar Lane	...	4, 5, 6.
Jannagore Road	...	7/1, 8.
Kasaipara Lane	...	8, 9, 10, 11, 11/1, 11/2, 12, 13, 14.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 31st January 1918.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd November 1917.*

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 16th day of October 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 31st October 1917.

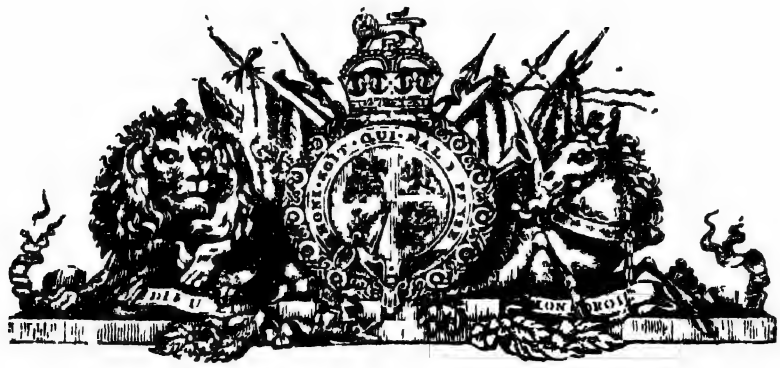
Description of Salt	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 16TH OCTOBER TO THE 31ST OCTOBER 1917 INCLUSIVE			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	161,788	...	161,788	...	54,020	...	3,400
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	9,579	...	9,579	13,000	...	...	16,850
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	18,050	...	18,050	14,650	...	...	35,160
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	186,079	62,569	248.648	123,350	283 890	...	109,400
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	88,436	...	88,436	12 950	1,846	...	29,920
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	463,932	62,569	526,501	163 950	339,756	...	194,730

Written off during the half month—

	Mds
Wastage in Sulkea golas	1,130
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil
In transit—Aden salt	46,420

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 6th November 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 3rd November 1917, are republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 3rd November 1917.

(COMPANY LAW).

No. 1-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 151(*2*) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in item 5 of Table B II of the first Schedule to the said Act, viz :—

(1) After the words "as would have been payable' *insert* the words "in respect of such increase".

(2) In the second column of the said Table *delete* the entry "Rs. 5-0-0" against the said item No. 5.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 13210, dated Delhi, the 30th October 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

RESOLUTION AMENDING THE RULES GOVERNING THE AWARD OF "THE EDWARD MEDAL."

RESOLUTION.

(GENERAL.)

THE following Royal Warrant is published for general information, in supersession of the Royal Warrants published with the Resolutions in this

Department No. 10724-10740-246, dated the 18th December 1907, and No. 1605-1626-31, dated the 3rd March, 1910 :—

GEORGE R. I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting !

WHEREAS His late Majesty King Edward VII, being desirous of distinguishing by some mark of His Royal Favour the many heroic acts performed by those of His faithful subjects who endanger their own lives in saving or endeavouring to save the lives of others from perils incurred in mines or quarries or otherwise in connection with Industrial Employment in His Dominions and in Territories under His protection and jurisdiction, did by Warrants under His Sign Manual bearing date respectively the 13th July, 1907, and the 1st December, 1909, for Himself, His Heirs and Successors institute and create a new Medal to be entitled the Edward Medal to be awarded for such acts of gallantry :

And whereas We are desirous of amending the rules governing the award of the said Decoration and of consolidating the Royal Warrants relating to the said Decoration, We are graciously pleased to make, ordain and establish the following Rules for the governance of the said Decoration :

1. It is ordained that the Medal shall be styled "The Edward Medal," but when it is awarded for acts of such great and exceptional gallantry as to merit a special decree of recognition it shall be styled "The Edward Medal in Silver."

2. It is ordained that the Edward Medal shall consist of a circular Medal with Our Effigy on the obverse, and on the reverse a suitable design with the words "For Courage"; and that the Medal shall be of Bronze or, when the Edward Medal in Silver is awarded, of Silver.

3. It is ordained that the Edward Medal shall only be awarded to those of Our faithful subjects who endanger their own lives in saving or endavouring to save the lives of others from perils incurred in connection with Industrial Employment in these Our Dominions, and in Territories under Our protection or jurisdiction, and such awards shall be made only on a recommendation to us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department.

4. It is ordained that the names of those upon whom We may be pleased to confer either of these Decorations shall be published in the *London Gazette*, and that a Register thereof shall be kept in the Office of Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department.

5. It is ordained that each Medal shall be suspended from the left breast and the riband, of an inch and three-eighths in width, shall be dark blue with a narrow yellow stripe on either side : Provided that when the Medal is awarded to a woman it shall be worn on the left shoulder, suspended from a riband of the same width and colour fashioned into a bow.

6. It is ordained that any act of gallantry which is worthy of recognition by the award of the Edward Medal, but is performed by one upon whom the Decoration has already been conferred may, on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, be recorded by a Bar attached to the riband by which the Medal is suspended ; and for every such additional act an additional Bar may be added.

7. In order to make such provision as shall effectually preserve pure these most honourable Decorations, it is ordained that if any person on whom either of such Decorations is conferred be guilty of any crime or disgraceful conduct which, in Our judgment, disqualifies him for the same, his name shall, by an especial Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual, be forthwith erased from the Register of those upon whom the said Decoration shall have been conferred and his Medal shall be forfeited. And every person to whom the said Medal is given shall, before receiving the same, enter into an agreement to return the same, if his name shall be so erased as aforesaid under this regulation. It is hereby further declared that We, Our Heirs and Successors, shall be the sole judges of the circumstances demanding such forfeiture. Moreover, We shall at all times have power to regrant a Medal to any person whose Medal may at any time have been forfeited.

8. The Warrants of the 13th July, 1907. and 1st December, 1909, are hereby revoked.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, this Twenty-eighth day of *August*, One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

GEO. CAVE

Ordered that the paper be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*, and that copies be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, to the several Departments of the Government of India, to the Indian Munitions Board, to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, to the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps, and to the Indian Mining Association, for information.

C. E. LOW,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt of Bengal

NOTIFICATION.

POLICE.

Delhi, the 1st November 1917.

No. 987.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the exemption made by entry (13) of Schedule I of the Indian Arms Rules, 1909, in favour of European or East Indian subjects of His Majesty shall cease to extend to A. H Gerrish, Sergeant, Government Railway Police, Ambala Cantonment, F. Wilson, Inspector, Salt and Customs Department, Shahpur, Ahmedabad District, and J. A. Savedra, Commission Agent, Cawnpore.

S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Education, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

EXAMINATIONS.

Simla, the 1st November 1917.

No. 95.—The following amendments are made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages, published with the Department of Education Notification No. 80. dated the 6th June 1914 :—

In rule X *substitute* the following for the existing clause (*b*) :—

"(*b*) Written translation from the vernacular into English of a previously unseen passage of moderate difficulty."

After clause (*e*) of the rule *add* the following as clause (*f*) :—

"(*f*) Translating *viva voce* with readiness and accuracy from the prescribed text-books and answering grammatical questions arising out of the passages in which the candidate is examined."

At the end of the rule, for the words "35 per cent. in (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*)" *substitute* the words "35 per cent. in (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*f*)."

E. D. MACLAGAN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, are republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 7th November 1917.

No. 134-G.-S.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Senhor A A Teixeira as honorary Consul for Portugal at Calcutta.

A. H. GRANT.
Secy. to the Govt of India.

Delhi, the 5th November 1917.

No. 50-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act, 1917 (Act XII of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the Collector of the 24-Parganas as the officer who shall receive such money as may be paid to him in pursuance of the said Act.

J. B. WOOD,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, are republished for general information

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 10th November 1917.

No. 73-D.— The following Royal Proclamation is published for general information :—

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION.

PROHIBITING UNDER SECTION 1 OF "THE EXPORTATION OF ARMS ACT, 1900," AND SECTION 1 OF "THE CUSTOMS (EXPORTATION RESTRICTION) ACT, 1914," THE EXPORTATION FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM OF CERTAIN ARTICLES TO SWEDEN, NORWAY, DENMARK, AND THE NETHERLANDS.

GEORGE R. I.

WHEREAS by Section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," it is enacted that We may by Proclamation prohibit the exportation of all or any

of the following articles, namely, arms, ammunition, military and naval stores, and any article which We shall judge capable of being converted into or made useful in increasing the quantity of arms, ammunition, or military or naval stores, to any country or place therein named whenever We shall judge such prohibition to be expedient in order to prevent such arms, ammunition, military or naval stores, being used against Our subjects or forces or against any forces engaged or which may be engaged in military or naval operations in co-operation with our forces :

And whereas by section 1 of "The Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914,' it is enacted that section 1 of "The Exportation of Arms Act, 1900," shall have effect whilst a state of war in which We are engaged exists as if, in addition to the articles therein mentioned, there were included all other articles of every description :

And whereas by virtue of a Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916 made in pursuance of the said Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, all articles whatsoever other than those excepted by the said Proclamation are now prohibited to be exported to the Kingdom of Sweden :

And whereas by virtue of a Proclamation dated the 10th May, 1917, made in pursuance of the said Acts, and by subsequent Orders of Council issued under the authority of the later Act certain goods are now prohibited to be exported to, *inter alia*, the Kingdoms of Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands :

And whereas We have deemed it expedient to revoke the said Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916, and to prohibit the exportation to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, of all articles whatsoever other than those hereinafter excepted :

Now, therefore, We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation, declaring, and it is hereby declared, that the abovementioned Proclamation dated the 18th August, 1916, be, and the same is hereby, revoked as from the 8th day of October, 1917, and that the exportation of the following articles be prohibited on and after that date to all ports and destinations in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, viz.: —

All articles which are not by virtue of any Proclamation for the time being in force made under section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by any Act, or under the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, as amended by any Act, prohibited to be exported to Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and the Netherlands, except :—

(1) Printed matter of all descriptions.

(2) Personal effects accompanied by their owners.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this Twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and in the Eight Year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

No. 178-D.—The following excerpt from the "Board of Trade Journal" is published for general information :—

RESTRICTION ON IMPORTATION.

RULINGS AND DECISIONS.

With reference to the list of goods prohibited to be imported into the United Kingdom which appeared as a supplement to the "Board of Trade Journal" of 29th March 1917, and to the subsequent issue of Notification No. 12 shown in the "Board of Trade Journal" of 3rd May, 1917, it is notified that the following further Rulings and Decisions (Notification No. 13) respecting the prohibitions have been arrived at by the Department of Import Restrictions, 22, Carlisle Place, London, S. W. 1 :—

Interpretations.

P=Prohibited. N P=Not prohibited.

G L=General Licence.

Description of article.	Decision
Abrasive Cloths :—	
Aloxite	G L
Garnet	G L
Garborundum	G L
Emerite	G L
Acetone, chlorsulphonic acid ...	N P
Addressograph machine (complete)	N P
Air cushions, Japanese, made partly of paper	N P
Alimentary pastes :—	
Macaroni	N P
Vermicelli	N P
Soup pastes	N P
Alumen of chrome	N P
Aluminium flake	N P
Amyl acetate	N P
Angelica root	N P
Antimony regulus	N P
Apple grater machines ...	N P
Apple or cider press, machines ...	N P
Apple paring and coring machines (power driven)	P
Ardolite	N P
Arkansas powder (for polishing) ...	N P
Arsenate of lead	N P
Atomisers for asthma remedy ...	P
Baby powder. (Toilet preparations)	P
Bag, definition of (a receptacle usually self-closing, of a pliable or semi-rigid character, made of any material)	
Balata, raw	N P
Baling or strapping machines (hand power)	P
Ball mill, machine, for powder grinding	N P
Balsam, Canada	N P
Balsam, Copaiba	N P
Banana flour	N P
Barber's pole, Barker's revolving ...	P
Barium hydrate	N P
Basket, definition of (a receptacle, open or furnished with a lid, of absolutely rigid character, made of bamboo, cane, chip, grass, reed, rush, osiers or willow ...	
Basketware, bamboo lined with silk or satin	P
Bassine	N P
Beads, shell. (Imitation jewellery)	P
Beads, wax, Japanese, as imitation pearls. (Imitation jewellery) ...	P
Beans, Tonquin	N P
"Beaver" board (building) ...	N P
Beef spleen	N P
Bellows and sprayers for powder (hand)	P
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	G L
Bending machine for chain ...	P
Benzyl benzoate	N P
Binoculars	N P
Blind nuts	P
Blinds, bamboo. (Bamboo basketware)	P
Blocking foil, white	N P
Blowers (power driven) ...	N P
"Bludtan" powder extract. (Chestnut extract)	P
Blue powder. (Paints and Pigments)	P
Bogore	N P
Bolts, door	P
Book-writing machines ...	P
Boot welt and turn machine, sewing	N P
Boro-carbone	N P
Boron-copper alloys	N P
Bottle-closing device (brass nickelled)	P
Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P
Braid, brush cotton and mohair ...	P
Braid, wire	P
Brass tape	G L
Brass, thin rolled, used in making military buttons	N P
Brazing lamps	P
Bread crumber machines (hand and power driven)	P
Breast pumps (rubber and glass) ...	P
Bromo acid	N P
Broom corn (saggina)... ...	N P
Brush braid (cotton and mohair) ...	P
Brush holder springs. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	P
Building board, "Beaver" ...	N P
Building board, "Fiberlic" ...	N P
Burning outfit, "Hauck" (blow lamp)	P
Burnishers, chain	P
Busk pieces, horn	P

Description of article.	Decision.
Butter colouring liquid ...	N P
Cadmium	P
Cameos, imitation	P
Camera, finger print	P
Camphor, Formosa	N P
Cane, split	N P
Capsuling machines (power driven)	N P
Carbon tetrachloride	N P
Card felts	P
Cardamoms	N P
Cascarilla	N P
Cases, musical instrument, made of fibre	N P
Cases, musical instrument, made partly of leather	P
Ceiling roses (earthenware). Electrical accessories and appliances)	P
Cellar drainers	P
Cellulose acetate	N P
Cellulose acetate film scrap ...	P
Centrifuge machines, laboratory ...	N P
Chains, base metal, for eyeglasses...	P
Chains, brass, gilt	P
Chalk mixture for dental cream ...	N P
Chargeometers	P
Charms, animal, composition with collar of base metal. (Imitation jewellery)	P
Chart discs, steel	P
Cheque-writing machines "Protectograph"	N P
Cherry laurel	P
Chestnuts, dried, peeled ...	P
Chicory	N P
Chillies preserved in oil ...	N P
Chinese wood oil	N P
Chromel resistance wire ...	P
Cigarette makers, made of cane or bamboo matting	P
Cinnamon	N P
Circular knives	P
Citron essence	N P
Civet (for perfumery)	N P
Clips, spring, for bottle caps ...	P
Cocaoline	N P
Coffee-grinding machines (hand driven)	P
Coffee-roasting machines (hand driven)	P
Colluputin	N P
Combination tool "Austral" ...	P
Compasses, magnetic	N P
Congo copal (gum copal) ...	P
Controller parts, gas, brass ...	P
Copal, Congo (gum copal) ...	P
Copal, Manila	P
Copal varnish, not containing spirit	N P
Copper blanks for electric cranes. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P
Copra	N P
Copra meal	N P
Cord, sea grass	N P
Cork tipping bobbins	N P
Corozo meal	N P
Corset busk cutting and tipping machine (hand driven) ...	P
Cotton baling press machines (power)	N P
Cotton rags (not for paper making)	P
Counters, automatic pocket ...	N P
Counters, tin, automatic machine ...	N P

Description of article.	Decision.
Crane controllers. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	N P
Cream of tartar	N P
Cue cutters	P
Currimeter map measure ...	N P
Cushions, air, Japanese, made partly of paper	N P
Cutch cake	N P
Cutters, bench, metal (hand driven)	P
Cutters, cue	P
Cutters, rod	P
Cutters, wood (steel), for grooving	P
Cylinders, for ærated waters, steel	P
Darts, steel (Toys)	P
Dental accessories—	
Gutta percha	G L
Rubber cup capsicum suction dental plasters	G L
Dinners, fully cooked, containing 25 per cent. of meat	N P
Disinfectant, intestinal, "Salol" ...	N P
Distilled waters	P
Door bolts	P
Door hangers, sliding	P
Doublets, *i.e.*, facets of unset precious stones	G L
Dovetail bits	P
Drainers, cellar	P
Draw plates for wire drawing ...	P
Drill sleeves	P
Dummy bolts	P
Dusters or polishers, pocket, shoe, cotton, wool and canvas ...	P
Dyes—	
Erythrosine	N P
Merthyl violet	N P
Paraphenylene diamine ...	N P
Ear-phone, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances.) ...	N P
Ebonite containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber	N P
Elastic bitumen or "Elaterite" ...	N P
"Elaterite" or elastic bitumen ...	N P
Electrical accessories and appliances —	
Bells and buzzers for fire-alarm telephones	G L
Bracket lamp for bulb holders, nickelled	P
Brush holder springs ..	P
Ceiling roses (Earthenware) ...	P
Copper blanks for cranes ...	P
Crane controllers	N P
Electrical accessories—	
Ear-phone, complete ...	N P
Fans, complete with motor ...	N P
Fire-alarm apparatus ...	N P
Furnace, complete ...	N P
Fuse, wire, tested ...	P
Hair dryers, complete ...	N P
Hammers, portable ...	N P
Interrupters (telephone switchboard)	N P
Lamps, reading, complete ...	P
Ozone generators, complete ...	N P
"Spiralite" advertising device	P
Spraying apparatus ...	P
Starters	N P
Syrens, complete with motor ...	N P

Description of article.	Decision
Transformer testing sets ...	N P
Transformers	N P
Wire, fuse, tested	P
Electrodes	G L
Elevating truck, Plimpton. (Warehouse truck)	P
Elevators, cork, for boots, with or without sheepskin covering ...	N P
Embossing machines (hand power)	N P
Emery caps	G L
Emulsor, lard. (Holloware) ...	P
Erasers not containing rubber or other prohibited constituents ...	N P
Erythrosine dye	N P
"Exitor" cement packing machines	N P
Extract—	
"Bludtan" powder. (Chestnut extract)	P
Eyeglass chain holder ...	P
Eyelets, boot, metal	P
Eyeletter, automatic, pedal ...	N P
Fans, complete with electric motor. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Fans, hand, for suction gas plants	N P
Fans, light shades and parasols of bamboo and paper	P
Fasteners, paper, automatic ...	P
"Feathers, Ornamental," includes all raw and manufactured ornamental feathers.	
Feathers, ostrich, for transhipment conveyed to United Kingdom in vessels of any nationality ...	G L
Felts, card	P
Ferment "D"	N P
"Fiberlic" building board ...	N P
Fibre, palmyra	N P
Film scrap, cellulose acetate ...	P
Film slitting machines ...	N P
Film spooling machine and accessories (not treadle)	N P
Filter candles and filter cylinders for water filtering. (Earthenware)	G L
Filter, cocoa butter	N P
Finger print camera	P
Finger print identification lenses with frames	P
Fire-alarm apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	N P
Fleshings (glue stock)	N P
Floral waters for medicinal purposes (containing no spirit or sugar)	N P
Folding machines for cuffs and collars and pads for garters. (Power)	N P
Foot powder (Fastep)	P
Foot powers	P
Forgings, rough, for sewing machines	P
Frames, collapsible, steel, for opera hats	P
Fringe nets	N P
Fruit slicer machine. (Hand) ...	P
Fruit slicer machine (power driven)	N P
Fumigators, Formaldehyde. (Metal)	P
Furnace, electric, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Fusel oil	N P
Fuse wire, tested, (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	P
Fustian, cotton (imitation leather)	P
Gas controller parts, brass ...	P
Gauges, Marine	N P
Gauges, taper test	P
Gelatine emulsion, used in making photograhic paper ...	N.P.
Glass cotton ...	N.P.
Glow covers ...	P.
Glucose ...	N P
Glycerine substitute (mainly glucose) ...	N P
Glycerophosphates ...	N P
"Glypho" Glycerine substitute, (Levulose, Suchrose, Dextrose) ...	N P
Grape juice, unfermented and non-alcoholic ...	N P
Graphite paste ...	N P
Grass tape ...	P
Grey noils ...	N P
Guides, metal, for textile machines	P
Guillery testing apparatus ...	P
Gum Damar ...	N P
Gummite, and manufactures of ...	G L
Hack saw machine, portable, for rail cutting ...	P
Hair dryers, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	N P
Hairnets, hair or silk ...	N P
Hammers, portable, electric. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Hatters, furs ...	N P
Heddle steel strip ...	G L
Hematine (paste and solid) ...	N P
Hog spleen ...	N P
"Hollow" wire as tubes, other than of copper or brass or brass coated ...	P
Hominy grits or pearl hominy ...	N P
Homogenising machines, milk. (Dairy machines) ...	N P
Hoods, tagal. (Hats and bonnets)	P
Hoof hammers ...	P
Hoof parers ...	P
Hooks or Blake needles, for boot machines ...	P
Hooks and needles, embroidery ...	P
Hooter signal horns ...	P
Horsehair, artificial ...	N P
Horse radish, fresh ...	N P
Hose, flax canvas. (Linen Manufactures) ...	P
Hosiery drying machines (power driven) ...	N P
Hosiery knitting machines ...	N P
Hub bands, iron ...	P
Hydrate of alumina	N P
Ibirin (spirits)	P
Indigo	N P
Ink, paste	N P
Innersoling leather board ...	P
Insectifuge (Pyrethum Flower) (insect powder)	N P
Integrators	N P
Interrupters (Telephone switchboard). (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Iron hook strip	G L
Jacks, track	G L
Jelly, lubricating, K. Y. for surgeon's use	N P

Description of Article.	Decision.
Jewellery :—	
Beads, shell. (Imitation Jewellery)	P
Beads, wax, Japanese, as imitation pearls. (Imitation Jewellery)	P
Cameos, imitation. (Imitation Jewellery)	P
Chains, brass, gilt. (Imitation Jewellery)	P
Chains, base-metal, for eye-glasses. (Imitation Jewellery)	P
Jointing rubber composition (Jenkins brand)	N P
Journal boxes, tramcar ...	P
Kamanga oil	N P
"Kapok" life-saving vests ...	N P
Knitting of hosiery machines (hand driven)	N P
Knives, circular	P
Kola nuts	N P
"Kromoid" wax for tanners ...	N P
Lace, silk, *ex* France	G L
Lamps, brazing	P
Lamps, reading, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	P
Lanterns, marine, with flashing mechanism	N P
Latch needles	G L
Lead acetate	N P
Lead pencils with rubber tip ...	N P
Leather board innersoling ...	P
Leather stamping machines ...	P
Life-saving vests ("Kapok") ...	N P
Ligatures, silk	P
Light-shades, fans, parasols of bamboo and paper	P
Lime juice, raw	N P
Liquorice juice in blocks, mass and sticks, containing no added sugar	N P
Litho red. (Aniline dye) ...	N P
Lourdes water	N P
Machines—	
Addressograph (complete) ...	N P
Apple grater	N P
Apple or cider press ...	N P
Apple paring and coring (power driven)	P
Baling or strapping (hand power)	P
Ball mill for power grinding ...	N P
Bending for chain ...	L
Book writing	P
Boot welt and turn, sewing ...	N P
Bread crumbers (hand and power driven) ...	P
Capsuling (power driven) ...	N P
Centrifugue laboratory ...	N P
Cheque writing, "Protectograph"	N P
Coffee grinding (hand driven)	P
Coffee roasting (hand driven)...	P
Corset busk cutting and tipping hand driven)	N P
Cotton baling press (power) ...	N P
Counters, tin, automatic ...	N P
Embossing (hand driven) ...	N P
"Exitor" cement packing ...	N P
Film slitting ...	N P
Film spooling and accessories (not treadle)	N P
Folding for cuffs and collars and pads for garters (power)	N P
Fruit slicar (hand) ...	P
Fruit slicar (power) ...	N P
Hack saw, portable, for rail cutting	P
Homogenising, milk. (Dairy Machine)	N P
Hosiery drying (power driven)	N P
Hosiery knitting ...	N P
Knitting or hosiery (hand driven)	N P
Leather stamping ...	P
Milk separators or centrifuge	P
Oil expellers	N P
Oxygraph (acetylene) (used in die-making and for slotting)	N P
Paper cutting, lever (hand driven) ...	N P
Paper tube making (power driven)	N P
Pinking and slotting (hand driven)	N P
Press, automatic, for gramophone records ...	N P
Presses, high embossing ...	N P
Refrigerating (electric power)	N P
Road grading (horse drawn) ...	N P
Rubber tyre cutting or slittin (power driven) ...	N P
Signowriters, signature stamping (hand driven) ...	P
Soap drying (power driven) ...	N P
Starch printing (hand driven)	N P
Strapping or baling (hand power)	P
Tabulating, sorting and key punch	N P
Tag marking	N P
Textile cutting, automatic (power)	N P
Telegraph keyboard perforating	P
Tin printing, rotary or "Voivin" roto offset press ...	N P
Tubing, for rubber tyres and tubes	N P
Typographical numbering ...	P
Tyre grooving ...	P
Varnishing (power driven) ...	N P
Wire enamelling (power driven)	N P
Wire stitching for cardboard and fibre boxes ...	N P
"Writerpress" multigraph printing	N P
Mailchute apparatus	P
Mallets, raw hide	P
Maltose, made from rice ...	N P
Mandioca, root flour ...	N P
Mango slices in brine	N P
Mangrove bark	N P
Manila copal	P
Marine glasses, complete ...	N P
Marine lanterns with flashing mechanism	N P
Medicinal preparations (*bona fide*) containing sugar	G L
Mercury gas	N P
Merthyl violet dye	N P
Meters, glue	N P
Metol	N P
Mica tape	N P

Description of Article	Decision
Mica tubes	N P
Milk separator machines or centrifuge	P
Mimosa bark	N P
"Mints" Mulford (preparations of sugur)	P
"Moellon" (grease for manufacture of boots)	N P
Mohair, woollen	P
Molasses	N P
Mouthpieces, vulcantie, for smoking pipes	N P
Muarta tubes (fibre), for film-coating machines	N P
Muff couplings	P
Mushroom spawn	N P
Musical instrument cases, made of fibre	N P
Musical instrument cases, made partly of leather	P
Myrabolams (palm fruit) ...	N P
Nail rod steel	N P
Needles, blake or hooks, for boot machines	P
Needles and books, embroidery ...	P
Needles, latch	G L
Nestle's "Milo" Food, containing no added sugar, but sweetened with condensed milk ...	N P
Nickel chrome ribbons ...	P
Nitrate of soda	N P
Noils, grey	N P
Nozzles for liquid sprayers ...	P
"Nujol" white mineral oil for medicinal purposes ...	N P
Nuts, Kola	N P
Oils—	
Bean	N P
Chaulmoogra	N P
Chinese wood	N P
Cod	N P
Fish	N P
Fish, mixed	N P
Fusel	N P
Herring	N P
Jasmin (Perfumery) ...	P
Kamanga	N P
Kernel	N P
Olive	N P
Peanut...	N P
Peanut...	N P
Salad	N P
Sardine	N P
Shark	N P
White mineral, for medicinal purposes, "Nujol" ...	N P
Oil atomizers	N P
Oil expeller machines	N P
Oil reclaimers	N P
Olive oil	N P
Opera glasses	P
Orange peel, bitter	N P
Ostrich feathers for transhipment conveyed to United Kingdom in vessels of any nationality ...	G L
Ovens, steam heated	N P
Oxygraph machines (acetylene) (used in die making and for slotting)	N P
Ozone generators, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Packing, flax, engine	P
Pads, ebonite or vulcanite, containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber	N P
Palm kernels	N P
Palmyra fibre	N P
Paper, automatic fasteners ...	P
Paper cutting machines, lever (hand driven)	N P
Paper tube making machines (power driven)	N P
Paraphenylene diamine (Dyes) ...	N P
Parasols, fans, light shades, bamboo and paper	P
"Paxolin" insulating material ...	N P
Peanut butter or paste ...	N P
Pearl hominy or hominy grits ...	N P
Pearl spoons	N P
Pedal operating wheels ...	P
Pen arms, steel	P
Pencils, lead, with metal protectors, complete ...	N P
Pencils, lead, with rubber tip ...	N P
Penholders, vulcanite ...	N P
Pen points, steel ...	P
Pepper ...	N P
Perfumed spirit ...	P
Peroly (Bate, for tanning) ...	N P
Persian berries ...	N P
Petroleum jelly, vaseline ...	N P
Phosphor bronze sheets, cut to size	P
Photometer ...	N P
Phthalic anhydride ...	N P
Pills (medicinal) ...	N P
Pinking and slotting machine (hand driven) ...	P
Pitch, petroleum ...	N P
Pitch, vegetable ...	N P
Pituitary glands of animals ...	N P
Plaits, tagal ...	N P
Planimeters ...	N P
Platinum lustre, liquid ...	N P
Polishers or dusters, pocket, shoe, cotton wool and canvas ...	P
Potassium bromide ...	N P
Powder, baby. (Toilet preparations)	N P
Powder, Blue ...	P
Powder, foot. (Fastep.) ...	P
Presses, high embossing, machine	N P
Press machine, automatic, for gramophone records ...	N P
Protoxide of sodium ...	N P
Pulley blocks, Yale, triplex ...	P
Pumps, breast (rubber and glass) ...	P
Pyrethum flower, "Insectifuge" (insect powder) ...	N P
Pyrometers ...	N P
Quartz, fine and rough ...	P
Rabbit pelt, used for glue making	N P
"Raylux" (Chemical decolorizer)	N P
Red gum accroides or yacca gum ...	N P
Refrigerating machine. (Electric power) ...	N P
Rennet, dry, and extract of ...	G L
Returned Empties :—	
The General Licence covering "Returned Empties" is applicable to returned empties of the following type :—	
Bags.	
Barrels.	
Baskets.	
Biscuit empties.	
Bobbins.	

Description of Article	Decision
Bottles in cases or crates.	
Boxes (collapsible or otherwise).	
Cans.	
Carboys.	
Cases.	
Casks.	
Crates.	
Cylinders.	
Drums.	
Fish packages.	
Frames, cloth.	
Jars.	
Paper shields.	
Rings, wrought iron (used as Tube protectors).	
Rollers.	
Sacks.	
Skips.	
Spools.	
Rhatany root (for medicinal purposes)	N P
Ribbon, metal or brass... ...	P
Ribbons, nickel chrome ...	P
Road grading machines (horse drawn)	N P
Rock crystal	N P
Rod cutters	P
Rods, packing, or tools, steel ...	P
Rods, steel, screw	P
Rosin	N P
Rubber, reclaimed	P
Rubber scrap or waste	P
Rubber tyre cutting or slitting machine (powder driven) ...	N P
Rules, slide	G L
Rye, spurred	N P
Salad oil	N P
Salicylic acid	N P
Salmon paste	P
"Salol" (intestinal disinfectant) ...	N P
Saucepan cleaner. (Fibre bristles)	P
Scarf pin protectors, brass ...	P
Screw stock square, steel ...	P
Screws, thumb, iron or steel ...	P
Sea grass cord	N P
Seigle ergote	N P
Selenium metal	P
Shears, bench, metal	P
Signowriters, signature stamping machine (hand driven).	P
Simple syrup	P
Slide rules	G L
Sliding door hangers	P
Soap drying machines (power driven).	N P
Soap, hand cleanser of pumice, "Snap."	P
Sockets, steel, for iron wire rope ...	P
Socks, cork	N P
Soda ash	N P
Sodium selenite	P
Soldering flux	N P
Soup extract, vegetable ...	N P
Soya cake (for cattle feeding) ...	N P
Spacing collars	P
Spaghetti with tomato sauce ...	N P
Spanish earth	N P
Spectacle cases (cardboard and metal).	P
"Spiralite" advertising device. (Electrical accessories and appliances).	P
Spirit, neutral	P
"Spon Tem" powder paste ...	N P
Spoons, pearl	N P
Sprayers and bellows for powder (hand).	P
Spraying apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances).	P
Stampings, fancy metal, for photo frames.	P
Starch, potato and sweet potato ...	N P
Starch printing machines (hand driven).	N P
Startars. (Electrical accessories and appliances).	N P
Steel strip, heddle	G L
Stencil plates, phosphor bronze ...	P
Sterilizing apparatus for surgical instruments.	P
Stilettos, embroidery	P
Stopples and necks, brass, for water bottles.	P
Strainers for liquid sprayers ...	P
Strapping or baling machine (hand power).	P
Strings, made of Japanese grass for musical instruments.	G L
Strip, iron hook	G L
Succory root	N P
Sugar syrup, cane, as molasses ...	N P
Sulphate of alumina	N P
Sumac, dried leaves for tanning ...	N P
Surgical appliances:—	
"Albees" bone operative set ...	N P
Tungsten target X-ray tubes ...	N P
Syrens, complete with motor. (Electrical accessories and appliances).	N P
Syringes, medical, of all kinds ...	G L
Syrup, cane sugar, as molasses ...	N P
Syrup, simple	P
Tables, fracture and orthopedic ...	P
Tabulating, sorting and key punch machine.	N P
Tagal hoods	P
Tagal plaits	N P
Tag marking machines ...	N P
Talc	N P
Tally, registers, automatic ...	N P
Tangle-foot (Insecticide) ...	N P
Tanks, melting	P
Tape, brass	G L
Tape, grass	P
Tape, mica	N P
Tape, Okonite rubber, insulating	P
Tape, vegetable, or bast ...	P
Tar, vegetable	N P
Telegraph keyboard perforating machine.	P
Telephone switchboards and parts	G L
Tetrachloride of tetanium (liquid)	N P
Textile cutting machines, automatic (power).	N P
"Thaletts" (chocolate laxative sweets).	P
"Thiol" tar product	P
Thread, copper tinsel	P
Thumb screws, iron or steel ...	P
Timber, all arriving as deck cargo from U. S. A. and Canada ...	G L
Tinder lighters, composition ...	N P
Tin printing machines, rotary or "Voivin" roto offset press ...	N P
Tomatoes, fresh, from France ...	G L

Description of Article	Decision
Tonquin beans ...	N P
Tool "Austral" combination ...	P
Tools or rods, packing (steel) ...	P
Tramcar journal boxes ...	P
Transformer testing sets. (Electrical accessories and appliances)	N P
Transformers. (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	N P
Tricycles, children's. (Toys) ...	P
Trucks or under carriages for tramcars	N P
Tubes, mica	N P
Tubes, muarta (fibre), for film-coating machines	N P
Tubing machines for rubber tyres and tubes	N P
Tungsten	N P
Turbine distance separators ...	P
Turmeric	N P
Typographical numbering machines	P
Tyre grooving machines (hand) ...	P
Umbrellas, complete	N P
Unions, white metal ...	P
Vapo-cresolene	N P
Varnish, copal, not containing spirit	N P
Varnishing machines (power driven)	N P
Vaseline, petroleum jelly ...	N P
Vegetable tape, or bast ...	P
Viterol	N P
Vulcanite, containing less than 50 per cent. of rubber ...	N P
Vulcanite mouth-pieces for smoking pipes	N P
Watch-winding buttons (base metal and silver)	P
Waterproof cloth	N P
Wax, "Kromoid," for tanners ...	N P
Wax, paraffin	N P
Weasands. (Bladders, casings and sausage skins)	P
Whalebone	N P
Wheels, pedal operating ...	P
Wine, non-alcoholic	P
Wire, chromel resistance ...	P
Wire, enamelling machine (power driven)	N P
Wire, fuse, tested (Electrical accessories and appliances) ...	P
Wire, "Hollow," as tubes, other than of brass or copper, or brass coated	P
Wire, steel, coppered and flattened	G L
Wire stitching machines for cardboard and fibre boxes ...	N P
Witch hazel	N P
Wood cutters, steel, for grooving ...	P
Wool cloth	P
"Writerpress" multigraph printing machine	N P
Yacca gum, or red gum accroides	N P
Zinc powder	N P
Zinc strip	P
Zirconia	N P

The following corrections should be made in the publications referred to :—

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7. Beans, baked ... ... P
should read
Beans, baked, tinned ... G L
Beans dried ... ... G L
should read
Beans, dried ... ... N P
Beans, Lima ... ... G L
should read
Beans, Lima ... ... N P
8. Bolts and nuts, brass ... G L
Bolts and nuts, carriage ... G L
Bolts and nuts, round headed for stoves ... ... P
Bolts—finhead (used for fastening wood battens to radiators) ... ... P
should read
Bolts and nuts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except Door bolts, Dummy bolts, Security bolts and Blind nuts ... G L
9. Brass strips ... ... N P
should read
Brass strips ... ... G L
Brooch joints and catches ... P
should read
Brooch joints, pins and catches (base metal) ... P
9. Camel hair noils ... P
should read
Camel hair noils ... N P
10. Cattle dehorners ... N P
should read.
Cattle dehorners .. P
14. Electrical Accessories and Appliances—Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs ... P
should read
Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs P
Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key ... G L
should read
Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key ... P
15. Torch cases, without lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap ... ... P
should read
Torch cases, without lenses and bulbs, made of soft iron scrap ... ... P
16. Emery cloth discs ... P
should read
Emery cloth or "Electrite" discs ... ... G L
Hypodermic Syringes ... N P
Delete (see Syringes, medical of all kinds).

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21.	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs ...	P
	should read	
	Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs ...	P
	Lamp, holders, electrical, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key ...	G L
	should read	
	Lamp holders, electrical brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key	P
22.	Lima beans	G L
	should read	
	Lima beans	N P
25.	Nails, iron, with all brass heads	G L
	should read	
	Nails, iron, with all brass heads	P
	Nails, iron, with brass covered heads	G L
	should read	
	Nails, iron, with brass covered heads	P
	Nickel Oxide	P
	should read	
	Nickel Oxide	G L
	Noils, Camel hair ...	P
	should read	
	Noils, Camel hair ...	N P
	Noils, white merino wool (semi-manufactured article)	P
	should read	
	Noils, white merino wool (semi-manufactured article)	N P
	No entry shown ...	
	should read	
	Noils, wool	P
26.	Peel, in brine	N P
	should read	
	Peel, lemon and bitter orange, in brine	N P
25.	Nuts and bolts, brass ...	G L
	Nuts and bolts, carriage ...	G L
	Nuts and bolts, round headed, stove	P
	Nuts, brass, for aneroid barometers	G L
	Nuts, iron or steel ...	G L
	should read	
	Nuts and bolts of all kinds, blank or tapped (except nuts, blind), door bolts, dummy bolts and security bolts	G L

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27.	Photographic apparatus includes any article or part thereof designed or adapted or commonly used for the taking and developing of photographs	
	should read	
	Photographic apparatus includes any article or part thereof designed or adapted or commonly used for the taking, developing and printing of photographs ...	
	Pincers, steel	P
	should read	
	Pincers, seal	P
29.	Rattans	N P
	should read	
	Rattans and canes, unvarnished	N P
	Rods, wire	P
	should read	
	Rods, wire	G L
30.	Screw brass parts for use on telephones	P
	should read	
	Screw brass parts for use on telephones	G L
33.	Sugar corn	N P
	should read	
	Sugar corn	P
	Syringes, hypodermic ...	N P
	Delete (see Medical syringes of all kinds).	
33.	Talcum powder (toilet requisite)	N P
	should read	
	Talcum powder (toilet requisite)	P
	Telephone, brass screw parts for use on	P
	should read	
	Telephone, brass screw parts for use on	G L
34.	Telephone and telephone parts (except telephone brackets and parts thereof) ...	N P
	should read	
	Telephone and telephone parts (except telephone brackets and parts thereof) ...	G L
	Torch cases, electric, not fitted with lenses or bulbs, made of soft iron scrap ...	P
	should read	
	Torch cases, electric, made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs ...	P
35.	Tube cleaners	P
	should read	
	Tube cleaners, hand driven ...	P
36.	Wire rods	P
	should read	
	Wire rods	G L

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37.	Wool noils		P
	should read		
	Wool noils	N	P
	Wool, white merino, noils (semi-manufactured article)		P
	should read		
	Wool noils, white merino (semi-manufactured article)	N	P
	Reprint from "Board of Trade Journal," issue of 3rd May 1917.		
1.	Clamps		P
	should read		
	Clamps, iron or steel, as engineers' tools ...	G	L
	Clamps, wooden		P
4.	Shellac	N	P
	should read		
	Shellac, not containing spirit	N	P

HARDWARE LIST.

The following articles which will be found in their alphabetical order in the preceding list are here grouped together for convenience of reference :—

Description of Article.

Apple paring and coring machines (power).
Baling or strapping machines (hand).
Barbers' pole (Barker's), revolving.
Bellows and sprayers for powder (hand).
Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (Electrical accessories and appliances). (G.L.)
Bending machine for chain.
Blind nuts.
Bolts, door.
Bottle closing device (brass nickelled).
Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)
Braid, wire.
Brass strip. (G.L.).
Brass tape. (G.L.).
Brazing lamps.
Bread crumbing machines (hand and power).
Brush holder springs. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)
Burning outfits, "Hauck." (Blow lamp.)
Burnishers, chain.
Cattle dehorners.
Cellar drainers.
Chart discs, steel.
Chromel resistance wire.
Circular knives.
Clips, spring, for bottle caps.
Coffee grinding machines (hand driven).
Coffee roasting machines (hand driven).
Combination tool, "Austral."
Controller parts, gas, brass.
Copper blanks for electric cranes. (Electrical accessories and appliances).
Corset busk cutting and tipping machine (hand driven.)
Cue cutters.
Cutters, bench, metal (hand driven).
Cutters, cue.
Cutters, rod.
Cutters, steel, for grooving wood.
Door bolts.
Door hangers, sliding.
Dovetail bits.

Description of Article.

Drainers, cellar.
Draw plates for wire drawing.
Drill sleeves.
Dummy bolts.
Electrical accessories and appliances :—
- Bells and buzzers for fire alarm telephones. (G. L.)
- Bracket lamp or bulb holders, nickelled.
- Brush holder springs.
- Copper blanks for electric cranes.
- Fuse wire, tested.
- Lamps, reading, complete.
- "Spiralite," advertising device.
- Spraying apparatus.
- Wire fuse, tested.

Eyeglass chain holder.
Eyelets, boot, metal.
Fasteners, paper, automatic.
Foot powers.
Forgings, rough, for sewing machines.
Frames, collapsible, steel, for opera hats.
Fruit slicing machine (hand).
Fumigators, formaldehyde (metal).
Fuse wire, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)
Gas controller parts, brass.
Gauges, taper test.
Glow covers.
Guides, metal, for textile machines.
Guillery testing apparatus.
Hack saw machine, portable, for rail cutting.
Heddle steel grip. (G. L.)
"Hollow" wire, as tubes, other than of brass or copper, or brass coated.
Hoof hammers.
Hoof parers.
Hooks and needles, embroidery.
Hooks or needles, Blake, for boot machines.
Hooter signal horns.
Hub bands, iron.
Iron hook strips (G. L.).
Jacks, track (G.L.).
Journal boxes, tramcar.
Knives, circular.
Lamps, brazing.
Lamps, reading, complete. (Electrical accessories and appliances.)
Latch needles. (G.L.).
Leather stamping machines.
Machines :—
- Apple-paring and coring (power).
- Baling or straping (hand).
- Bending for chain.
- Bread crumber (hand and power).
- Coffee grinding (hand power).
- Coffee roasting (hand driven).
- Corset busk cutting and tipping (hand driven).
- Fruit slicer (hand).
- Hack saw, portable, for rail cutting.
- Leather stamping.
- Milk separators or centrifuge.
- Pinking and slotting (hand driven).
- Signowriter signature stamping (hand driven).
- Strapping or baling (hand).
- Typographical numbering.
- Tyre grooving.

Mailchute apparatus.
Milk separator machines or centrifuge.

Description of Article.

Muff couplings.
Needles or hooks, Blake, for boot machines.
Needles and hooks, embroidery.
Needles, latch. (G.L.).
Nickel chrome ribbons.
Nozzles for liquid sprayers.
Paper, automatic fasteners.
Pedal operating wheels.
Pen arms, steel.
Pen points, steel.
Phosphor bronze sheets, cut to size.
Pinking and slotting machines (hand driven).
Pulley blocks, Yale, triplex.
Ribbon, metal.
Ribbons, nickel chrome.
Rod cutters.
Rods, packing, or tools (steel).
Rods, steel, screw.
Scarf pin protectors, brass.
Screw stock square, steel.
Screws, thumb, iron or steel.
Shears, bench, metal.
Signowriters, signature stamping machine (hand driven).
Sliding door hangers.
Sockets, steel, for iron-wire rope.
Spacing collars.
"Spiralite" advertising device. (Electrical accessories and appliances).
Sprayers and bellows for powder (hand).
Spraying apparatus. (Electrical accessories and appliances).
Stampings, fancy metal for frames.
Steel strip, heddle. (G.L.).
Stencil plates, phosphor bronze.
Sterilising apparatus, for surgical instruments.
Stilettos, embroidery.
Stopples and necks, brass for water bottles.
Strainers for liquid sprayers.
Strapping or baling machine (hand).
Strip, brass. (G.L.).
Strip, iron hook. (G.L.)
Tables, fracture and orthopedic.
Tape, brass. (G.L.)
Thumb screws, irom or steel.
Tool, "Austral" combination.
Tools or rods, packing steel.
Tramcar journal boxes.
Turbine distance separators.
Tyre grooving machines.
Typographical numbering machines.
Unions, white metal.
Watch-winding buttons (base metal and silver).
Wheels, pedal operating.
Wire, chromel resistance.
Wire fuse, tested. (Electrical accessories and appliances).
Wire "hollow," as tubes, other than of brass or copper or brass coated.
Wire, steel, coppered and flattened. (G.L.)
Wood cutters, steel, for grooving.
Zinc strip.

HARDWARE.

The following corrections should be made in the publications referred to :—

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38. Bolts and nuts, brass (G L.).
Bolts and nuts, carriage (G.L.)
Bolts and nuts, round headed stove.
Bolts—finhead (used for fastening wood battens to radiators)

should read

Bolts and nuts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except door bolts, dummy bolts, security bolts and blind nuts (G.L.).
Brooch joints and catches

should read

Brooch joints, pins and catches (base metal).

41. Electrical accessories and appliances—

Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs

should read

Lamp cases, hand and pocket, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs.
Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key (G.L.)

should read

Lamp holders, brass or ebonite, with or without switch or key.
Torch cases, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs

should read

Torch cases, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses and bulbs.

43. Lamp cases, hand and pocket, electric, made of soft iron scrap, without lenses or bulbs

should read

Lamp cases, hand and pocket electric, made of soft iron scrap without lenses and bulbs.
Lamp holders, electric (brass or ebonite), with or without switch or key (G.L.)

should read

Lamp holders, electric (brass or ebonite), with or without switch or key.

45. Nails, iron with all brass heads (G.L.)

should read

Nails, iron, with all brass heads.
Nails, iron, with brass covered heads (G.L.)

should read

Nails, iron, with brass covered heads.
Nuts and bolts, brass (G.L.)
Nuts and bolts, carriage (G.L.)
Nuts and bolts, round headed stove.
Nuts, brass for aneroid barometers (G.L.)

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Nuts, iron and steel (G.L.)

should read

Nuts and bolts of all kinds, blank or tapped, except nuts, blind, door bolts, dummy bolts, and security bolts (G.L.)

Pincers, steel

should read

Pincers, seal.

46. Rods, wire

should read

Rods, wire (G.L.)

Screw brass parts (for telephone instruments)

should read

Screw brass parts (for use on telephones) (G.L.)

48. Telephone, brass screw parts, for use on

should read

Telephone, brass screw parts, for use on (G.L.)

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Torch cases (electric) made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses or bulbs

should read

Torch cases (electric) made of soft iron scrap, not fitted with lenses and bulbs.

49. Tube cleaners

should read

Tube cleaners, hand driven.

Wire rods

should read

Wire rods (G.L.)

Reprint from the "Board of Trade Journal," issue of 3rd May 1917.

1. Clamps

should read

Clamps, iron or steel, as engineers' tools (G.L.)

No. 228-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C.W., dated 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

Additions.

Bangkok Travelling Agency, Bangkok.

Swansen and Sehested, Bangkok.

No. 259-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alteration shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 1st July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz. :—

Additions.

Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.

Jespersen, J T., Tientsin.

Koskinin, E. L.

Leung Pin Kee, Dr., of 50, Cheong Lok Kai, Canton.

Shanghai Municipal Council.

Yunnanfu Electric Light Co.

Alteration.

Municipal Councils of British, Allied and Neutral Concessions and of the International Settlement at Shanghai.	*should read*	Municipal Councils of British, Allied and Neutral Concessions.

GENERAL.

The 10th November 1917.

No. 13365.—In consequence of the appointment of the Hon'ble Mr. C. E. Low, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in this Department, as a member of the Indian Industrial Commission, the following acting arrangements are made with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd November 1917, and until further orders:—

Mr. A. H. Ley, I.C.S., Deputy Secretary to act as Secretary;
Mr. I. D. Elliott, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to act as Deputy Secretary; and
Mr. P. C. Tallents, I.C.S., Officer on Special Duty to act as Under-Secretary in this Department.

G. HARDY,
Under-Secretary to the Govt of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, are republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 9th November 1917.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

No. 1941.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay, G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Commandant of the following Corps:—

Calcutta Scottish. Dated the 26th March 1917.
Second (Cossipore) Brigade Mobile Artillery. Dated the 1st May 1917.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 1944.—Captain Samuel Stewart Cooper, V.D. (Honorary Colonel, retired), resigns his commission, and is permitted to retain the rank of Honorary Colonel on retirement. Dated the 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India (Indian Munitions Board), published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 10th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 10th November 1917.

ORDERS REGARDING CERTAIN STOCKS OF FLANNELS.

No. Y.-38.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is of the opinion that the articles specified below can be utilized in connexion with the prosecution of the present war, namely, flannels suitable for shirting, all wool and unions, blue-grey, khaki and white;

Now, therefore, the Governor General in Council in the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Rule 11-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, hereby requires all persons who in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such flannels to send to the Controller (Textile Supplies), Indian Munitions Board, Simla, the following particulars of such flannels, namely:—

(*a*) the quantity held;

(*b*) the place or places at which held;

(*c*) the description as regards composition, quality, colour and width;

(*d*) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell the flannels is willing to sell the same by agreement;

and the Governor-General in Council further requires that every such person shall refrain from disposing of the said flannels from the date of this notification until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter not exceeding fourteen days, after the expiry of which period the whole or any part of the said flannels may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of such period a notice of requisition under Rule 11-AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, shall have been issued in respect of the whole or part of the said flannels by the Governor General in Council or by an officer authorized by him to act in this behalf.

Provided that this order shall not be held to apply to a portion of their stocks of such flannels not exceeding 500 yards in all held by dealers on the date of this notification for *bonâ fide* retail trade only, or to stocks held in the ordinary course of their business by persons whose aggregate holding of such flannels does not exceed a total of 500 yards.

T. RYAN,

Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, published in the Supplement of the *Gazette of India*, of the 10th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,

Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 258-D., dated Delhi, the 9th November 1917.

RESOLUTION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

WITH reference to the Resolution of the Government of India No. 5803 Emi., dated the 22nd May 1917, intimation has been received that the prohibition issued by the Government of Canada against the landing of artisans and skilled or unskilled labourers at the ports of entry in British Columbia has been further extended to 31st March 1918.

The Governor-General in Council accordingly requests all Local Governments and Administrations to make the above intimation as widely known as possible.

Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded, for information and guidance, to all Local Governments and Administrations and, for information, to the Home and the Foreign and Political Departments.

Ordered also that a copy be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

A. H. LEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 796San.—The 13th November 1917.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, is published for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 5-C., dated Delhi, the 7th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Education (Sanitary—Plague).

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the town of Pushkar in the district of Ajmer-Merwara is visited by an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease and that there is a danger of its spread if pilgrims or other persons from the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Pushkar Fair.

In exercise of th power conferred by section 2, sub-section (*1*), of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Sendra, Beawar, Kharwa, Mangaliawas, Saradhna, Tabiji, Ajmer, Madar, Ladpura, Akhri, Hatundi, Nasirabad and Bandanwara on the Rajputana-Malwa Railway shall be sold from the 16th to the 30th November 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Bengal and Bombay Presidencies, the United Provinces, the Punjab, the Central Provinces, the Hyderabad State, Central India and Rajputana to any pilgrim or other person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Pushkar Fair at the town of Pushkar.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

[Second publication.]

No. 764T.-M.—The 29th October 1917.—The following proposed plan for lighting portions of the Maniktala Municipality with gas, which has been submitted by the Commissioners of that Municipality to the Government of Bengal for sanction under section 308 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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II. The proposed plan will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be considered.

Proposed Plan.

1. The portions of the Municipality which it is proposed to light with gas is defined below:—

PLOT A—ARIFF ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road.

West—The municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

PLOT B—BAGMARI ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 132-A, Bagmari Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Bagmari Road, and from No. 8, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, and from the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding Nos. 132-A and 132-B, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

PLOT C—CANAL EAST ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards west up to the Circular Canal.

South—From the Circular Canal towards east up to the south-west corner of the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

West—Circular Canal.

PLOT D—SASTITOLA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, and from the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, towards south-west up to the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, and from the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, and from the said No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, and from the said No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane.

West—From the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

PLOT E—NARKELDANGA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surab Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

PLOT F—BELLIAGHATTA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghatta Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghata Main Road.

PLOT G—CHARAKDANGA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road, towards east up to the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road,

East—From the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 70, Charakdanga Road, and from No. 70, Charakdanga Road up to the municipal holding No. 6, Charakdanga Lane, and from No. 6, Charakdanga Lane towards north up to the municipal holding No. 53, Charakdanga Road and from No. 53, Charakdanga Road towards north up to the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road.

2. Sixty-four gas lamps will be installed within these portions of the Maniktala Municipality, viz., eight gas lamps in Ariff Road, ten in Bagmari Road, seven in Canal East Road, three in Narkeldanga Main Road, seven in Sastitola Road, sixteen in Belliaghatta Main Road and thirteen in Charakdanga Road. It is estimated that the total cost for the installation will be Rs. 4,960. The Commissioners have decided to enter into an agreement with the Oriental Gas Company, Limited, on account of the maintenance of these lamps at the rate of Rs. 50 for each lamp a year or at a total annual cost of Rs. 3,200 *per annum*.

3. The Municipal Commissioners propose to meet the charge to be incurred on account of lighting the aforesaid areas by imposing an annual lighting rate of 3 *per cent.* on the annual value of holdings situated within the areas to be lighted as defined in paragraph 1 of this notification. The income to be derived from the lighting-tax of the aforesaid areas is estimated to be Rs. 3,840 a year.

No. 795T.-M.—The 2nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by the second proviso to section 10 of the Darjeeling and Kurseong Municipal (Porters) Act, 1883 (Bengal Act V of 1883), the Governor in Council is pleased to confirm an order made and published under the said section 10 by the Commissioners of the Kurseong Municipality, specifying the following rates of hire in respect of all coolies empowered to work by the job, or for any period not exceeding twenty-four hours :—

Rates of hire for Dandywallas, Rickshawwallas and Porters.

RATES BY DAY AND BY NIGHT.

I.—Within Municipal limits except Dow Hill School, Makaibari and Victoria School :—

	By day.			By night.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
DANDYWALLAS AND RICKSHAWWALLAS. Up to 1½ hours	0	4	0	0	5	0
For every hour beyond 1½ hours ...	0	0	6	0	1	0

NOTE.—Day means from 6 A.M. to 8 P.M., Night means 8 P.M. to 6 A.M.

RATES CALCULATED BY DISTANCE.

II—Within Municipal limits.

N.B.—Dandywallas if under engagement for more than 1½ hours, to be paid by time.

DANDYWALLAS AND PORTERS.

FROM OR TO—		Rs.	A.	P.
Kurseong Railway station.	*Section I.*—The Bazar, *i.e.*, houses up to Dâk Bungalow, the Hât Bazar, Bank Road Temple, Amusement Club—			
	Porters for grain, salt, and similar articles in bag per maund	0	0	6
	Porters for personal luggage	0	1	0
	Dandywallas for single journey	0	2	0
	Ditto for double journey (if loaded) ...	0	3	0
	Section II.—All houses north of section I, *i.e.*, up to Clarendon Hotel Constantia, Mahima Hall, and Burdwan Rajbari—			
	Porters for grain, salt and similar articles in bag per maund	0	1	0
	Porters for personal luggage ...	0	1	6
	Dandywallas for single journey	0	3	0
	Ditto for double journey (if loaded) ...	0	4	6
	Section III.—Dow Hill School, Makaibari and Victoria School—			
	Porters for grain, salt, etc., in bag per maund	0	2	0
	Porters for personal luggage ...	0	3	0
	Dandywallas for single journey	0	6	0
	Dandywallas for double journey (if loaded) ...	0	9	0
	Section IV.—All houses within Municipal boundaries not included in above—			
	Porters for grain, salt, etc , in bag per maund ...	0	1	6
	Porters for personal luggage...	0	2	0
	Dandywallas for single journey	0	4	0
	Ditto for double journey (if loaded)	0	6	0
Constantia	Dow Hill School or Victoria School—			
	Dandywallas for single journey	0	8	0
	Ditto for double journey (if loaded)	0	12	0

III.—Rates to places beyond Municipal limits.

		Single Journey.		Rs. A. P.	
Any part of Municipality to	Chimney	Porters	...	0 6 0	*N.B.*—Fare for return journey half, if loaded and downhill; same if loaded and up-hill. Any porter or dandywalla discharged otherwise than for fault to receive half his fare for return journey from place of discharge.
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Ambhutia	Porters	...	0 6 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 12 0	
	Pankhabari	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Selim Hill	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Castleton	Porters	...	0 3 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 6 0	
	Singell	Porters	...	0 3 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 6 0	
	Margaret's Hope	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Dilaram	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Gyreegong	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 0 0	
	Nahore	Porters	...	0 10 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 4 0	
	Ghumti	Porters	...	0 8 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 12 0	
	Lezziepore	Porters	...	0 10 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 4 0	
	Jungpunnah	Porters	...	0 10 0	
		Dandywallas	...	1 4 0	
	St. Mary's	Porters	...	0 4 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 9 0	
	Toong	Porters	...	0 6 0	
		Dandywallas	...	0 12 0	
	Tindharia	Porters	...	0 10 0	
		Dandywalas	...	1 4 0	
	For marches beyond the abovementioned places—			Per day.	
				Rs. A. P.	
		Dandywallas	... ...	0 12 0	
		Porters	... ...	0 8 0	

N.B.—1. The above rates of hire for dandywallas and rickshawwallas do not include hire of dandy or rickshaw A separate charge not exceeding the wages paid to each dandywalla or rickshawwalla for the whole journey up to a maximum of eight annas for a dandy and twelve annas for a rickshaw, is payable

2. The above rates are for adults, men or women; children to receive half rates.

3. Carriage or haulage of machinery, or any package over 4 maunds in weight, to be arranged for by special contract.

4. Any person engaging coolies through a *Mandal* or *Sardar* shall pay *sardari* at the rate of two pice a cooly for one day only.

5. A *Sardar* engaged to accompany coolies on a march to receive eight annas a day, and two pice a day for every coolie employed.

6. A dandywalla may be engaged as a porter; but a porter shall not be compelled to serve as a dandywalla.

7. By the Act the term "coolies" is limited to porters and to dandywallas, and other persons employed in carrying, drawing, or propelling any vehicle

2. Notification No. 1020-M., dated the 1st June 1904 (published at page 150 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem), is hereby cancelled.

No. 1962M.—The 9th November 1917.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate and the Divisional Commissioner before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the South Suburban Municipality, in the district of the

24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend all the provisions of Part IX of that Act to the area of the said municipality the boundaries of which are specified below :—

North—Harisava Jingerpole Road from its junction with Kazipara Road to a point 300 feet west of the next culvert or 2,800 feet east from the Budge-Budge Road junction.

East—Kazipara Road from its junction with Harisava Jingerpole Road to its junction with Garagacha Road.

South—Garagacha pucca road and its continuation known as Garagacha Panchanontollah Kutcha Lane up to its termination at the paddy-fields.

West—By an imaginary line joining the west ends of north and south boundaries as above.

No. 1967M.—The 10th November 1917.—In pursuance of section 49, sub-section (*l*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 48 of that Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the Street Scheme known as Scheme No. XI (St. James' Square), which has been submitted to him by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta, under section 47 of the said Act, and the nett cost of which is estimated at Rs. 3,78,686.

2. The area covered by the Scheme is bounded as follows :—

On the North—From a point on the southern boundary of premises No. 124-2, Bowbazar Street, about 24 feet to the east of its south-west corner running eastward in a straight line across St. James' Square and Kerani Bagan East Lane to a point on the eastern boundary of premises No. 3, Huzuri Mall Lane, about 10 feet to the north of its south-east corner.

On the East—From this point running southwards in a straight line across Huzuri Mall Lane and Serpentine Lane to the north-west corner of premises No. 43, Serpentine Lane, and again from this point running southward in a straight line to a point on the eastern boundary of premises No. 38, Serpentine Lane, about 7 feet to the north of its south-east corner.

On the South—From this point running westward in a straight line across Serpentine Lane to the north-west corner of premises No. 12, Serpentine Lane.

On the West—From this point running northward in a straight line across Crouch Lane and St. James' Square to the starting point.

3. A list of holdings to be acquired is annexed.

4. A plan of proposed lay-out of the area included in the Scheme can be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, No 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

List of properties to be acquired.

St. James' Square	...	8, 7-2A, 7-2B and 7-2C.
Serpentine Lane	...	1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E, 2, 106 and 106-1.
Bowbazar Street	...	128 (portion).
Kerani Bagan East Lane	...	19, 20, 21, 22 and 23.

No. 1969M.—The 10th November 1917.—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (*6*) of that section, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the plan of proposed public street No. XI—(Mission Row to Dharumtala Street) in Wards Nos. X, XI and XII of the Calcutta

Calcutta.

Municipality, as notified by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta in their notice of the 26th May 1916, published at pages 1008 and 1009 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st May 1916 and republished at pages 1047 and 1048 of the said Gazette of the 7th June 1916, subject to the following modifications (*inter alia*) :—

(*i*) from Mission Row to Khairu Lane the alignment is shifted to the north,

(*ii*) the branch road leading to Prinsep Lane is omitted, and

(*iii*) the widening of a part of Wellington Lane is omitted.

2. The proposed public street will pass through the following holdings :—

Name of Street		Number of Municipal holdings.
Mission Row	...	3A, 3B, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 11-1, 12.
Cooper Lane	...	5.
Old Court House Street	...	13-1, 13-2, 13-3.
Mangoe Lane	...	1, 2, 2-1, 3, 22, 24-1, 25.
Bentinck Street	...	12, 13, 70, 71.
Metcalfe Street	...	1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9A, 10, 11A, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32.
Metcalfe Lane	...	5, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 44.
Khairu Lane	...	5, 5-1, 6, 7, 8, 9.
Guriama Lane	...	22, 22-1, 23.
Srimanta De Lane	...	14, 14-1, 15, 16, 16-1, 16-2, 16-3, 16-4, 16-5, 16-6, 17, 21.
Prinsep Lane	...	5, 5-1, 6, 7, 7-1, 7-2, 8, 9, 10.
Malanga Lane	...	32-1-2, 32-2, 32-3, 32-4, 32-5, 32-5-1, 32-6.
Prinsep Street	...	113, 115, 117, 123, 85.
Beparitola Lane	...	6, 6-1, 7.
Wellington Street	...	34.
Wellington Square	...	1, 8, 15.
Sankaritolla Lane	...	1A, 2, 6, 8, 8-1, 8-1-1, 14.
Wellington Lane	...	1, 2, 3, 3-1A, 4, 5, 6, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16.
Kalidas Lane	...	2, 3, 4, 5, 14, 15, 16.
Phalgun Das Lane	...	2-1A, 2-1B, 2-2, 2-3, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8.
Creek Row	...	6, 7, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 55.
Dharamtala Street	...	135, 136, 137, 138, 139.

3. The plan as now sanctioned may be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

No. 1971M.—The 10th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr E. C. Cuthbert to be a Commissioner of the South Dum-Dum Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, *vice* Mr. R. Taylor.

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No. 1996M.—The 13th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Baruipur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend section 263 of that Act to the said Municipality

24-Parganas.

No. 1974L.S.-G.—The 12th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A(2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to re-appoint the District Magistrate of Midnapore to be Chairman of the District Board of Midnapore.

Midnapore.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1918 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa.

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1914, 1915, 1916 or 1917, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1918. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 7th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1918.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1918 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residental accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre and they will inform the caddidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, Prismatic compass surveying, plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	...	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1919, 1920 and 1921.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 7th November 1917.*

NOTICE.

Bombay Veterinary College.

THE next session commences on January 4th, 1918, and candidates wishing to join the College should submit their applications immediately.

An Entrance Examination for those who have not passed the School Final or Matriculation Examination will be held on the 4th January at the College.

All students have to undergo a physical examination at the College and only those of good physique are admitted.

Further particulars will be forwarded on application.

The Principal, Bombay Veterinary College.

PAREL, BOMBAY, *the 27th October 1917.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated on the north-east of the road leading to the Isolation Hospital from the Bund Road at Barisal in the district of Bakarganj, will be put up to sale at 11 o'clock on Saturday, the 17th November 1917, corresponding with the 1st Agrahayan of 1324 fasli, at the Bakarganj Collectorate.

The purchasers of the plot of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchaser will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the boundary of the road, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidder.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the road.	Approximate area of lot in Bighas and in Acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Bakarganj ...	Chandradwip, Bagura-Alekanda, R.S. No. 2036.	.....	North-eastern side.	0 10 0	·17	.....	.....	&.....	*North and East*—By Forman, Arman and others' land. *South*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and khal. *West*—By Forman, Arman and others' land and road leading to Isolation Hospital.

Barisal, the 18th September 1917.

H. K. GHOSE, for Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Bengal-Nagpur Railway in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 1 P.M., on Saturday, the 8th December 1917, corresponding with the 22nd Agrahayan 1324 B.S., at Asansol Railway Station

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100 one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	APPROXIMATE AREA OF LOT IN BIGHAS AND IN ACRES. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	LAND EXCLUDED FROM SALE FROM EACH LOT. Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	Burdwan	Pargana Kantanagar, mauza Dihikn.	Sheet No. 10A.	Situated on the east side of the railway.	238 4 0	78·09	.....	... ...	From chain 31·250 to chain 54·000.	*North*—By the paddy land of Gadadhar Mohanta, Madhu Dhayra, Judu Majhi, Gonesh Majhi, Paran Majhi and by Ghonu Majhi's bandh and the Maharaja of Kasimbazar khas patit land. *East*—By the paddy land of Gadadhar Mohanta, Gonesh Mesor, Gopal Majhi, Dina Dhayra, Paran Majhi and by khas patit land of Maharaja of Kasimbazar *South*—By the stone layers bordering the Damuda river and belonging to the Maharaja of Kasimbazar. *West*—By the land of Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company and the Maharaja of Kasimbazar.
2	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Situated on the west side of the railway.	9 1 8	3·00	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the paddy lands of Dharam Majhi and others, khas jote and khas patit land of the Maharaja of Kasimbazar. *East*—By the paddy lands of Gadadhar Mohanta, khas patit land of the Maharaja of Kasimbazar and by the Bengal-Nagpur Railway Company's land. *South*—By the Damuda river. *West*—By the paddy lands of Dharam Mohanta and others.
					245 5 8	81·09				

Burdwan, the 18th October 1917.

M. N. BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the main line of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Thursday, the 3rd January 1918, corresponding with the Bengali 19th Paush, Fusli, at Special Land Acquisition Office, Burdwan.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acre.		
1	Burdwan...	Pargana Burdwan. mauza Gopalbati.	85	Situated on the north side of the railway.	57 18 0	19·14	.....	.....	From chain 2·653-3 to chain 3·500.	*North*—By the waste lands of Dasi and the Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, the Banka Nulla and a Bhagan road and by the waste and arable lands of Nistarini Dasi and Kali Das Pal. *East*—By the waste land of Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, cultivated lands of Kali Das Pal, Bhola Nath Pal, Khetra Nath Ghose, Ananta Pal, Kunja Pal, Sheik Nasiruddi, Uttom Pal, Ejyote Hosen and Rakhal Mal. *South*—By the boundary fencing of the East Indian Railway Company's land., *West*—By the cultivated lands of Mohendra Ghose and Kunja Behari Pal, waste and arable lands of Mohendra Ghose, Rakhal Mal. Sibattar and of Kunja Behari Pal, waste lands of Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, the Banka river and a Bhagar road and cultivated lands of Sarbeswar Ghose.

Burdwan, the 9th November 1917.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat-hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 2 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,319 4 9	.....	26/32 Hissa 1 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhules.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
2703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhai, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sundar Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dacca will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918, at 12 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
31	Pargana Durgapur Ramkishore Bose.	5,849 15 0	.....	S. A. No. 1. viz.— ... ... 1 as. 5 gds. share of Joar Bhatoorya, 2 as. 10 gds. share of remaining mahal. All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz:— S. A. Nos. 2 to 26 and residue amounting to 14 as. 15 gds. share of Joar Bhatoorya and 13 as. 10 gds. share of remaining mahal.	Radhika Lal Ray Choudhury and others.	912 4 5	.....	273 1 6
9013	Pargana Nasti, kismat Salilya in char Mirpur.	961 0 0	.....	Residue, hissa 12 as. 9½ gds. 1 kt. 68 tils All shares other than those specified above will be excluded from sale, viz., S. A. No. 1 containing 3 as. 10 gds. 2 kts. 12 tils share.	Korbandi Khan and others.	750 2 6	.....	56 2 3
9069	Pargana Nasti, kismat Fukurhati in char Krishnapur.	1,788 8 0	16 annas	.....	Swarnamaye Debi and others.	.....	230 12 6	.....
10885	Surplus to mauza Bardail.	555 12 0	16 ,,	.....	Trailakya Nath Chowdhury and others.	.....	25 15 1	.....
10886	Surplus to mauza Ramnagar *alias* Samibad.	811 5 0	16 ,,	.....	Shoday Chandra Ray Choudhury and others.	.....	62 8 0	.....
10948	Surplus to mauza Bilkamarta.	649 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Swarnamaye Debi and others.	.....	61 2 0	.....
11037	Surplus to Binodepur *alias* Nutan char, No. 8948.	953 5 0	16 ,,	.....	Sreenath Kar and others.	.....	17 12 4	.....
13546	Pargana Nasti, parcel of land excluded from No. 10804.	584 8 0	16 ,,	.....	Bhupendra Chandra Chakravorty and others.	.....	6 6 9	.....
13682	Deora mahal Gangkul.	1,518 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Rohati Mohun Sen and others.	.....	24 13 6	.....
15730	Deora mahal char Rohitpur.	1,665 0 0	16 ,,	.....	Mr. F. W. Needham, Manager, Bhowal Court of Ward Estate, Saraju Bala Debi Chaudhurany and others.	.....	90 0 0	.....

G. E. LAMBOURN, Collector.

Dacca Collectorate, the 9th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Rauzan, Patiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babalta taraf Samaula Khan.	1,043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,455 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 13½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 136-15-6 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Rauzan and town, taraf Inoch Alop.	2,385 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	189 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	207 0 6	.....
1515	Thanas Patiya town, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Rauzan, taraf Kooja Hoa Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto ...	.....	Saradu Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Rauzan, taraf Monoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 2 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 3½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 969-2-5.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Rauzan, taraf Manoher Ray.	2,490 11 0		Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 10 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-2.	Barada Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	538 11 3	.....	96 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Rustum Ali.	3,488 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	3,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,488 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612-6-8.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mud. Chhana Mir.	785 10 8	The whole estate will be sold.		Kaikobad Ahmed, mortgagee Misri jan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 0	.. ...
2885	Thanas Hathazari and Rauzan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar Do, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.. ...
2884	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of account's having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 13 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Sm. Rahimuneesa herself and on b half of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 3 9
3084	Thanas Rauzan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 8, Nityananda Ray to the extent of interest 2 as 9 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
23841	Thana Chakaria, Kalmi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1 055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm Mary Elizabeth Decruz a d Shaik Waiz-uddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 6th November 1917.

LIABILITIES

	Rs	A. P
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0 0
Reserve Fund ... Rs 2,17,50,000 0 0		
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0 0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs 2,49,26,760 3 2		
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,71,17,596 3 1	4,20,44,356	6 3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,18,48,182	11 1
Bank Post Bills, etc	12,93,365	8 0
Sundries	18,85,299	8 1
	38,78,16,204	1 5

ASSETS.

	Rs	A	P
Government Securities	6,28,81,046	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,82,16,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	5,12,70,350	13	0
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	4,72,19,846	9	3
Bills discounted and purchased	2 79,94,781	2	0
Balances with other Banks	52 81,948	1	6
Bullion	....		
Dead Stock	29,02 268	2	8
Stamps	11,666	13	11
Sundries	3,72,578	15	0
	21 06,00,026	9	4
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 11 13,25,049 11 3			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs 6,58,90,527 12 10	17,72 15,577	8	1
	38,78,16,204	1	5

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,78,022 8 0

† Do do do „ 6,99,165 0 0

Rs. 10,77,187 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent

Percentage 51·20

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.

H MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2695—1)

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st October 1917.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.
Balance of 15th October 1917	27,99,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	7,38,17,500
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 9th October 1917 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	500
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1917.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	27,99,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	7,38,17,500
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 31st October 1917	27,99,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,96,500	7,38,17,500

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.			Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	
Balance of 15th October 1917	2,500	47,000	.....	.....	2,300	7,66,88,500
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 9th October 1917 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 31st October 1917.	.....	.....	4,50,000	.....	.....	4,50,000
Total ...	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	.....	2,300	7,71,19,000
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance on 31st October 1917	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	.....	2,300	7,71,19,000

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st August 1917—Enfaced from India, 12,410 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,938 lakhs.

" 1st September 1917 to 15th September " " " " ... " " " 2 "

" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " ... " " " 3 "

" 1st October " to 15th October " " " " 2 " " " 1 lakh.

" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 3 " " " ...

12,417 lakhs. 12,944 lakhs.

P. A. SELFE,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 6th November 1917.

In the Court of the Deputy Commissioner at Darjeeling.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 23 OF 1917.

Purandil Lamang of Simripani T. E., insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed applicant has filed a petition to be declared an insolvent and the Court has fixed the 21st November 1917 for the hearing of the petition. Any one desirous to be represented in the matter should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader,

LIONEL BURROWS, *for* Deputy Commissioner.

Darjeeling, the 6th November 1917. (2693—1—2693)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 60 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Daityari Barik Mistri, son of Pari Barik, of Rishrah, Ramkoron Singha's Lane, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 31st August 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 30th November 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 18th September 1917. (2458—1—2694)

Insolvency Notices.

In the matter of SIR ALLAN ARTHUR, an insolvent (Ewing & Co.)

ON the 31st day of August 1917 an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 27th day of November 1908 to the 22nd day of August 1917 was received and filed and Tuesday, the 27th day of November 1917 has been fixed for the further hearing of the matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

NOTE.—Any creditor or other person desirous of establishing or opposing any claim may attend and be heard upon affidavit which shall have been filed by them in the office of the Registrar of this Court three clear days previous to the day of hearing.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2699—1)

In the matter of J. C. MICHEL, an Insolvent (3rd Insolvency).

ON the 31st day of August 1917 an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of May 1889 to the 24th day of August 1917 was received and filed and Tuesday, the 27th day of November 1917, has been fixed for the further hearing of the matter for the purpose of making a dividend

NOTE.—Any creditor or other person desirous of establishing or opposing any claim may attend and be heard upon affidavit which shall have been filed by them in the office of the Registrar of this Court three clear days previous to the day of hearing.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2700—1)

In the matter of ELIAS ABRAHAM COHEN, an insolvent (1st Insolvency).

ON the 14th day of August 1917 an account of receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 31st day of March 1900 to the 31st day of July 1917 was received and filed and Tuesday, the 27th day of November 1917, has been fixed for the further hearing of the matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

NOTE.—Any creditor or other person desirous of establishing or opposing any claim may attend and be heard upon affidavit which shall have been filed by them in the office of the Registrar of this Court three clear days previous to the day of hearing.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2701—1)

In the matter of MOHENDRA NATH SADKHAN and another Insolvents.

ON the 31st day of August 1917, an account of receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of August 1907 to the 28th day of August 1917 was received and filed and Tuesday, the 27th day of November 1917, has been fixed for the further hearing of the matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

Note.—Any creditor or other person desirous of establishing or opposing any claim may attend and be heard upon affidavit which shall have been filed by them in the office of the Registrar of this Court three clear days previous to the day of hearing.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2702—1)

In the matter of MOOLCHAND and JESRAJ, insolvents.

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MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2703—1)

In the matter of F. SCHILLER and others, insolvents (Borradaile Schiller & Co.).

ON the 14th day of August 19 7 an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of May 1882 to the 31st day of July 1917 was received and filed and Tuesday, the 27th day of November 1917, has been fixed for the further hearing of the matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

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MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, in Insolvency, the 12th November 1917. (2704—1)

Notice.

THE Governing Body of Presidency College invite applications for the post of a *temporary* Professor of English on a salary of Rs. 200 a month in Class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service.

Qualifications.—An M.A. in English with high honours and some experience of teaching

Applications accompanied by copies of testimonials should be received by the undersigned not later than Saturday, November the 17th, 1917.

J. R. BARROW, Offg. Secretary, Governing Body, Presidency College.

WANTED an M. A. in Sanskrit with experience in teaching as an Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit) for the Sanskrit Collegiate School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month (class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service). Applications must reach the Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School, on or before the 15th December 1917.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSANA, Principal, Sanskrit College.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.

Notice.

WANTED for the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, a clerk on a monthly salary of Rs. 25—1—30 outside the grades. None but I.A.'s, I.Sc.'s, or F.A.'s need apply. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan candidate. Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as regards age, educational qualifications, native village and district, schools and colleges, where educated and previous experience, if any, will be received up to the 15th of December 1917. The cover should be addressed to the Superintendent, office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, P. O. Ramna.

M. V. IRONS, Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle.

Dacca, the 8th November 1917.

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Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine Drivers of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at Chittagong on Monday, the 3rd day of December 1917

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than three days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

W. W NIND, *for* Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 5th November 1917. (2694—1)

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 3804, dated 11th July 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Allotment Letter. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

Allot. Letter No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
CC 2293 Fl	5½ per cent., 1920	Rs. 500	Rajeswari Dasi.

Name of the proprietor—Anukul Ch. Ghosh.

Residence—1, Hem Chunder Ker Lane.

(2682—1—2690)

The Calcutta Produce Company, Ltd. (In liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on Wednesday, October the 17th, was confirmed as a special Resolution at a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 2nd instant, viz—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. H. N. Lowther of 9, Clive Row, Calcutta, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

H. N. LOWTHER, Liquidator.

Calcutta, the 3rd November 1917. (2692—1—2691)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and In the matter of Reid & Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 217 of the Companies Act, 1913, that an Extraodinary General Meeting of the members of the abovenamed Company will be held at 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on the 15th December 1917 at 2 P.M. for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by an Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

M. K. DANDEKER, Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

Dated the 12th November 1917. (2696—1—2695)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and
In the matter of the Pottery & Stoneware Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 217 of the Companies Act, 1913, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company will be held at 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on the 15th December 1917, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by an Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

M. K. DANDEKER,
Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

Dated the 12th November 1917. (2697—1—2696)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act and
In the matter of the Southern India Mining Syndicate, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 217 of the Companies Act, 1913, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company will be held at 12, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on the 15th December 1917, at 2-30 P.M., for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by an Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

M. K. DANDEKER,
Incorporated Accountant, Liquidator.

Dated the 12th November 1917. (2698—1—2697)

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Monthly Weather Review for September and October 1916. Re. 1 per month.

NOTICE.

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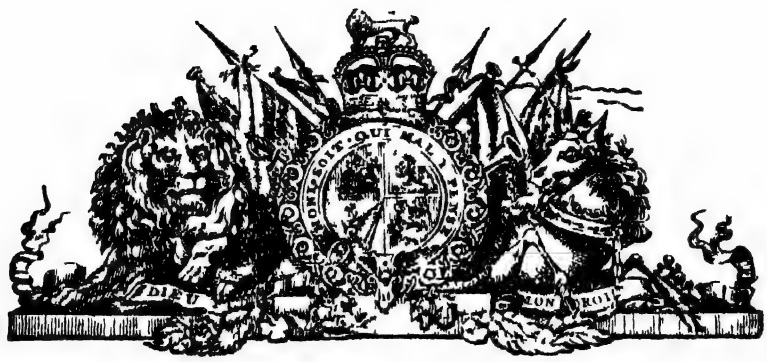

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1139L., dated the 12th November, 1917.—His Excellency the Governor having been pleased to order, under rule 31 (*1*) of the Bengal Legislative Rules, 1912, the publication of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons which accompanies it, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information. It is proposed to introduce the Bill at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council to be held on Tuesday, the 20th November, 1917, and also to move that the Bill be circulated for the purpose of eliciting opinion thereon.

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1917.

A

BILL

for the Prevention of Smoking by Juveniles.

Preamble

WHEREAS it is expedient to make provision for the prevention of smoking by young persons;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, local extent and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Juvenile Smoking Act, 1917;

(*2*) It extends in the first instance to Calcutta, as defined in clause (*7*) of section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899: Ben Act III of 1899

Provided that the Local Government may, from time to time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend this Act to any other town or place in Bengal; and

(*3*) It shall come into force on such date as the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 48.]

(*a*) "cigarettes" include cut tobacco rolled up in paper, tobacco leaf or other material in such form as to be capable of immediate use for smoking;

(*b*) "police-officer" means a member of an established Police force and includes a constable; and

(*c*) "teacher of an educational institution" means a member of the educational service and includes a member of the inspecting staff for the inspection of schools, *maktabs* and *pathshalas*.

Prohibition against sale of cigarettes, etc., to young persons.

3. (*1*) No person shall sell or give to a person apparently under the age of twenty-one years cigarettes, *biris*, cigars, pipes or cigarette papers, whether for his own use or not. [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 39.]

(*2*) If any person contravenes the provisions of sub-section (*1*), he shall be liable on summary conviction before a Magistrate to a fine not exceeding ten rupees, and in the case of a second offence to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees, and in the case of a subsequent offence to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

Power of certain officers to seize cigarettes, etc., from a young person in certain places and disposal of same.

4. It shall be the duty of a police-officer, a member of the Preventive Service, an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and a teacher of an educational institution to seize any cigarettes, *biris*, cigars, pipes or cigarette papers in the possession of any person apparently under the age of twenty-one years whom he finds smoking in any street or public place; and any article so seized shall be disposed of in such manner as the immediate superior of the person seizing them may direct. [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 40.]

Act not to apply in certain cases.

5. The provisions of this Act shall not apply where the person to whom the cigarettes, *biris*, cigars, pipes or cigarette papers are sold, or in whose possession they are found, was at the time employed by a manufacturer of or dealer in tobacco, either wholesale or retail, for the purposes of his business. [*Cf.* 8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 42.]

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of the Bill is to discourage cigarette smoking amongst juveniles.

The evil effects of smoking on the health of the young is well known. According to medical experts, cigarette smoking is responsible for many diseases.

Legislation against juvenile smoking has been undertaken in many American States, British Colonies, in some Indian States and in the United Kingdom.

There is a similar Bill before the Punjab Legislative Council.

CALCUTTA;
The 7th November, 1917.

A. SUHRAWARDY,
Member in charge.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (offg.).

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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees, presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 26th October, 1917.

No. 42.—The Governor General has been pleased, under Rule No. 23 of the Rules for the Conduct of the Legislative Business of the Council of the Governor General, to order the publication in the Gazette of India and in the local official Gazettes in English, of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons relating thereto, and the Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information :—

BILL NO. 21 OF 1917.

A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Income-tax.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Income-tax ; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title, extent, and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Indian Income-tax Act, 191 .

(*2*) It extends to the whole of British India and applies also within the dominions of Princes and Chiefs in India in alliance with His Majesty, to British subjects in those dominions who are in the service of the Government of India or of a local authority established in the exercise of the powers of the Governor General in that behalf, and to all other servants of His Majesty in those dominions ; and

(*3*) It shall come into force on the first day of April 191 .

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Agricultural income" means—

(*a*) any rent or revenue derived from land which is used for agricultural purposes and is either assessed to land-revenue or subject to a local rate assessed and collected by officers of Government as such,

(*b*) any income derived from—

(*i*) agriculture, or

(*ii*) the performance by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of any process ordinarily employed by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind to render the produce raised or received by him fit to be taken to market, or

(*iii*) the sale by a cultivator or receiver of rent-in-kind of the produce raised or received by him, when he does not keep a shop or stall for the sale of such produce, or

(*iv*) any building owned and occupied by the receiver of the rent or revenue of any such land as is referred to in clause (*a*), or occupied by the cultivator, or the receiver of rent-in-kind, of any land with respect to which or the produce of which any operation mentioned in sub-clauses (*ii*) and (*iii*) is carried on :

Provided that the building is on or in the immediate vicinity of the land, and is a building which the receiver of the rent or revenue, or the cultivator or the receiver of the rent-in-kind, by reason of his connection with the land, requires as a dwelling-house, or as a store-house, or other out-building ;

"Assessee" means a person by whom income-tax is payable and includes a firm and a Hindu undivided family ;

"Business" includes any trade, commerce, or manufacture or any adventure or concern in the nature of trade, commerce or manufacture;

"Chief Revenue-authority" means the Board of Revenue or the Financial Commissioner in provinces where those authorities exist, and in any other case such authority as the Local Government may declare to be the Chief Revenue-authority for the purposes of this Act;

"Collector" includes any officer whom the Local Government may appoint to exercise or perform all or any of the powers or duties conferred by this Act on a Collector;

"Commissioner" includes any officer whom the Local Government may appoint to exercise or perform all or any of the powers or duties conferred by this Act on a Commissioner;

"Company" means a company as defined in the Indian Companies Act, 1913, and includes any association carrying on business in British India, whether incorporated or not, and whether its principal place of business is situate in British India or not; VII of 1913.

"Local authority" includes any person legally entitled to the control or management of any municipal or local fund;

"Magistrate" means a Presidency Magistrate or a Magistrate of the first or second class;

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act;

"Principal officer," used with reference to a local authority or a company or any other public body or association not being a local authority or company, means—

(*a*) the secretary, treasurer, manager or agent of the authority, company, body or association, or

(*b*) any person connected with the authority, company, body or association upon whom the Collector has served a notice of his intention of treating him as the principal officer thereof;

"Year of assessment" means the twelve months ending on the 31st day of March next preceding that for which the assessment is to be made, or, if the accounts of the assessee have been made up within the said twelve months in respect of a year ending on any date other than the said 31st day of March, then at the option of the assessee the year ending on the day on which his accounts have so been made up:

Provided that, if this option has once been exercised by the assessee, it shall not again be exercised so as to vary the meaning of the expression "year of assessment" as then applicable to such assessee, except with the consent of the Collector and upon such conditions as he may think fit.

CHAPTER I.

TAXABLE INCOME.

3. (*1*) Save as hereinafter provided, this Act shall apply to all income from whatever source it is derived if it accrues or arises or is received in British India, or is, under this Act, deemed to accrue or arise or to be received in British India. Application of Act.

(*2*) The following classes of income shall not be subject to this Act:—

(*i*) Any income derived from property held under trust or other legal obligation for religious or public charitable purposes in so far as that income is applied to those purposes. In this clause "charitable purpose" includes relief of the poor, education, medical relief and the advancement of any other object of general public utility.

(*ii*) The income of local authorities.

(*iii*) Any capital sum received in commutation of the whole or a portion of a pension, or in the nature of consolidated compensation for death or injuries, or in payment of any insurance policy.

(*iv*) Interest on securities which are held by, or are the property of, any Provident Fund to which the Provident Funds Act, 1897, applies, or any Provident Insurance Society to which the Provident Insurance Societies Act, 1912, is, or, but for an exemption under that Act, would be applicable. IX of 1897. V of 1912.

(*v*) Any special allowance, benefit or perquisite specifically granted to meet expenses wholly and necessarily incurred in the performance of the duties of an office or employment of profit.

(*vi*) Legacies and voluntary contributions or gifts of a non-recurring and casual nature.

(*vii*) Any perquisite or benefit which is neither money nor reasonably capable of being converted into money.

4. Agricultural income shall not be chargeable to income-tax, but the net amount of such income in excess of rupees one thousand which has been received by an assessee in the year of assessment shall be taken into account in determining the rate at which the tax shall be levied on any income chargeable to income-tax under this Act. Agricultural income.

5. Save as otherwise provided by this Act the following classes of income shall be chargeable to income-tax in the manner hereinafter appearing, namely—

(*i*) Salaries.

(*ii*) Interest on securities.

(*iii*) Income derived from house property.

(*iv*) Income derived from business.

(*v*) Professional earnings.

(*vi*) Income derived from other sources.

6. (*1*) The tax shall be levied upon an assessee under the head "Salaries" in respect of any salary or wages, any annuity, pension or gratuity, and any fees, commissions, perquisites or profits received by him in lieu of, or in addition to, any salary or wages, which are paid by or on behalf of Government, a local authority, a company, or any other public body or association not being a local authority or company, or by or on behalf of any private employer where such employer has entered into an agreement with the Collector in accordance with the prescribed conditions to recover the Salaries.

tax on behalf of Government, provided that the tax shall not be levied in respect of—

(*i*) any salary not exceeding Rs. 500 per mensem received by any member of His Majesty's Forces, or of His Majesty's Indian Forces, as the pay of an appointment which is ordinarily reserved exclusively for members of those Forces; or

(*ii*) any sum deducted under the authority of Government from the salary of any individual for the purpose of securing to him a deferred annuity or of making provision for his wife or children provided that the sum so deducted shall not exceed one-sixth of the salary.

(*2*) Any income which would be chargeable under this head if paid in British India shall be deemed to be so chargeable if paid to a British subject in any part of India by Government or by a local authority established by the Governor General in Council.

Interest on securities.

7. The tax shall be levied upon an assessee under the head "Interest on securities" in respect of the interest payable on any security of the Government of India or on debentures or other securities for money issued by or on behalf of a local authority or a company:

Provided that no tax shall be levied on the interest payable on any security of the Government of India issued or declared to be income-tax free.

Income derived from house property.

8. The tax shall be levied upon an assessee under the head "Income derived from house property" in respect of the *bonâ fide* annual value of any house property of which he is the owner, subject to the following allowances, namely:—

(*i*) where the property is in the occupation of the owner, or where it is let to a tenant and the owner has undertaken to bear the cost of repairs, a sum equal to one-sixth of such value;

(*ii*) where the property is in the occupation of a tenant who has undertaken to bear the cost of repairs, the difference between such value and the rent paid by the tenant up to but not exceeding one-sixth of such value;

(*iii*) the amount of any annual premium paid to insure the property against risk of damage or destruction;

(*iv*) where the property is subject to a mortgage or charge or to a ground rent, the amount of any interest on such mortgage or charge or of any such ground rent;

(*v*) any sum paid on account of land-revenue;

(*vi*) in respect of collection charges and vacancies sums not exceeding the prescribed maxima.

For the purposes of this section and section 9, the expression "annual value" shall be deemed to mean the sum for which the property might reasonably be expected to let from year to year without reference to the question of repairs or taxes.

Income derived from business.

9. (*1*) The tax shall be levied on an assessee under the head "Income derived from business" in respect of the profits of any business carried on by him.

(*2*) Such profits shall be computed after making the following allowances, namely:—

(*i*) Any rent paid for the premises in which such business is carried on, or where the premises are owned by the assessee the *bonâ fide* annual value provided that when any substantial part of the premises is used as a dwelling house by the assessee the allowance under this sub-clause shall be such sum not exceeding two-thirds of such rent or value as the Collector may determine having regard to the proportional part so used;

(*ii*) in respect of repairs, where the assessee is the tenant only of the premises, and has undertaken to bear the cost of such repairs, the amount actually expended thereon, provided that if any substantial part of the premises is used by the assessee as a dwelling house a proportional part only of such amount not exceeding two-thirds thereof shall be allowed;

(*iii*) in respect of capital borrowed for the purposes of the business, where the payment of interest thereon is not in any way dependent on the earning of profits, the amount of the interest paid;

(*iv*) in respect of insurance against risk of damage or destruction of buildings or machinery and plant used for the purposes of the business, the amount of any premium paid in the year of assessment;

(*v*) in respect of current repairs to buildings or machinery and plant the amount actually expended thereon;

(*vi*) in respect of depreciation of such buildings or machinery and plant being the property of the assessee a sum not exceeding a percentage on the original cost thereof to be fixed by the Local Government for different classes of buildings or machinery and plant having regard to the estimated life thereof, in determining which it shall be assumed that current repairs are executed from time to time.

Provided that—

(*a*) no such allowance shall be made unless the amount claimed has actually been debited in the ordinary accounts of the business for the year of assessment; and the prescribed particulars have been duly furnished;

(*b*) when in any year the full allowance admissible has not been claimed the balance may be added to the allowance made for the following year or years, provided that in no single year shall an allowance be made of more than twice the amount of the maximum annual allowance admissible;

(*c*) the aggregate of the allowances made under this sub-head shall, in no case, exceed the original cost of the buildings or machinery and plant as the case may be ;

(*vii*) any sums paid on account of land-revenue ;

(*viii*) in respect of any expenditure (not being in the nature of capital expenditure) incurred solely for the purpose of earning such profits.

Professional earnings.

10. (*1*) The tax shall be levied upon an assessee under the head "Professional earnings" in respect of the profits of any profession followed by him.

(*2*) Such profits shall be computed after making allowance for any expenditure (not being in the nature of capital expenditure) incurred solely for the purposes of such profession, provided that no allowance shall be made on account of any personal expenses of the assessee.

(*3*) Professional fees paid in any part of India to a person ordinarily resident in British India shall be deemed to be income chargeable under this head.

Income derived from other sources.

11. (*1*) The tax shall be levied upon an assessee under the head "Income derived from other sources" in respect of income and profits of every kind and from every source (if not included under any of the preceding heads) with the exception of agricultural income.

(*2*) Such income and profits shall be computed after making allowance for any expenditure (not being in the nature of capital expenditure) incurred solely for the purpose of making such income or earning such profits, provided that no allowance shall be made on account of any personal expenses of the assessee.

Exclusions of a general nature.

12. (*1*) In computing the amount of the income chargeable to income-tax in the case of an assessee under any of the foregoing heads, no account shall be taken of any income which the assessee enjoys as a member of a company or of a firm or of an undivided Hindu family where the company, the firm or the family is liable to the tax.

(*2*) There shall also be excluded from the computation any sum paid by the assessee to effect an insurance on his own life or on the life of his wife or in respect of a contract for a deferred annuity on his own life or on the life of his wife :

Provided that the aggregate of any sums so excluded shall not, after taking into account any exemptions allowed in respect of like provision under the head "Salaries," exceed one-sixth of the income of the assessee which would apart from such exclusion and exemption be chargeable to income-tax.

Treatment of exemptions and exclusions in determining total income.

13. In computing the total income of an assessee for the purposes of Schedule I, salaries and deductions exempted under the proviso to section 6 (*1*), income mentioned in section 12 (*1*), and sums excluded under section 12 (*2*) shall be taken into account.

Taxable income.

14. Subject to the conditions hereinbefore set out, income-tax shall be levied upon every assessee in the year begning with the 1st day of April 191 , and in each subsequent year in respect of the aggregate amount of his income for the year of assessment chargeable under each of the heads mentioned in sections 6 to 11 (hereinafter called his taxable income) at the rates specified in Schedule I ;

Provided that, where the assessee is a company and the income of such company is rupees one thousand per annum or upwards, income-tax shall be levied at the maximum rate specified in Schedule I.

CHAPTER II.

DEDUCTIONS AND ASSESSMENT.

Payment.

15. (*1*) Income-tax shall, unless otherwise prescribed in the case of any security of the Government of India, be deducted in advance at the time of payment in respect of income chargeable under the following heads :—

(*i*) "Salaries ;" and

(*ii*) "Interest on securities."

(*2*) An employer or other person responsible for paying any income chargeable under the head "Salaries" shall at the time of payment deduct income-tax on the amount payable at the rate specified in Schedule I in respect of such amount, provided that if the payment is a recurring one and in respect of any period less than a year the rate shall be determined with reference to the amount which would be proportionately payable in a year. The deduction so made shall be treated as a payment of income-tax on account of the person from whose earnings the deduction was made and credit shall be given to him therefor in his next assessment under this Act.

(*3*) The person responsible for paying any income chargeable under the head "Interest on securities" shall, at the time of payment, deduct income-tax on the amount of the interest payable at the maximum rate specified in Schedule I. The deduction so made shall be treated as payment of income-tax on account of the owner of the security, and credit shall be given to him therefor in his next assessment under this Act :

Provided that, if the owner of the security obtains a refund of any portion of the tax in accordance with the provisions of this Act, no credit shall be given for the amount of such refund.

(*4*) All sums deducted in accordance with the provisions of sub-sections (*2*) or (*3*) shall be paid within the prescribed time by the person making the deduction to the credit of the Government of India or as the Governor General in Council directs.

(*5*) If any such person does not deduct and pay the tax as required by this section, he shall, without prejudice to any other consequences which he may incur, be deemed to be personally in default in respect of the tax.

(*6*) The power to deduct under this section shall be without prejudice to any other mode of recovery.

(*7*) In the case of income chargeable under any other head than those above mentioned the tax shall be payable by the assessee direct, and shall be the amount assessed under this Act.

16. The prescribed person in the case of every Government office, and the principal officer of every local authority, and of every company, and of every other public body or association not being a local authority or company, and every private employer who has agreed to recover the tax on behalf of Government shall prepare, and, on or before the fifteenth day of April in each year, deliver or cause to be delivered to the Collector, in the prescribed form, a return in writing showing—

Annual return.

(*a*) the name, and so far as it is known the address, of every person who is receiving at the date of the return, or has received during the year ending on that date, from the authority, company, body, association or private employer as the case may be, any income chargeable under the head 'Salaries' of such amount as may be prescribed not being less than Rs. 600 per annum;

(*b*) the amount of the income so received by each such person, and the time or times at which the same was paid;

(*c*) the amount deducted in respect of income-tax from each such person.

17. (*1*) The principal officer of every company shall prepare, and, on or before the fifteenth day of May in each year, deliver or cause to be delivered to the Collector, of the place in which its principal place of business in British India is situate, a return in the prescribed form and verified in the prescribed manner of the income from all sources of the company during the year of assessment.

Return by Assessees.

(*2*) In the case of any other person whose taxable income is, in the Collector's opinion, not less than one thousand rupees, the Collector of the place in which such person is resident shall serve a notice upon him requiring him to furnish, within such period as may be specified in the notice, a return in the prescribed form and verified in the prescribed manner setting forth (along with such other particulars as may be provided for in the notice) his income from all sources, during the year of assessment.

18. (*1*) If the Collector is satisfied that a return made under section 17 is correct and complete he shall make the assessment accordingly.

Assessment.

(*2*) If the Collector has reason to believe that a return made under section 17 is incorrect or incomplete, he may serve on the person who made the return a notice requiring him, on a date to be therein mentioned, either to attend at the Collector's office and produce, or to cause to be there produced for the inspection of the Collector, such accounts and documents as the Collector may require and any evidence on which the assessee may rely in support of the return.

(*3*) On the day specified in the notice, or as soon afterwards as may be, the Collector, after examining such accounts and documents, and hearing any evidence the assessee may produce and such other evidence as the Collector may require, shall, by an order in writing, determine the amount of the assessment.

19. If the principal officer of any Company or any other person fails to make a return under section 17(*1*) or (*2*) as the case may be, or having made a return, fails to attend or fails to comply with all the terms of a notice issued under section 18, the Collector shall make the assessment to the best of his judgment.

Failure to make a return or to attend.

20. If for any reason income chargeable under this Act has escaped assessment in any year, the Collector may at any time in the year next following assess such income and all the provisions of this Act shall apply accordingly.

Income escaping assessment assessable in following year.

21. When any assessment is made under this Chapter, the Collector shall serve on the assessee a notice of assessment in the prescribed form.

Notice of assessment.

22. (*1*) Any assessee objecting to the amount at which he is assessed or denying his liability to be assessed under this Act may, unless he or in the case of a Company the principal officer thereof has knowingly and wilfully failed to make a return under section 17 or to comply with all the terms of a notice served on him under section 18, apply by petition to the Commissioner to have the assessment revised.

Petition against assessment under this Act.

(*2*) The petition shall ordinarily be presented within thirty days of receipt of the notice of assessment; but the Commissioner may receive a petition after the expiration of that period if he is satisfied that the objector had sufficient cause for not presenting it within that period.

(*3*) The petition shall be in the prescribed form and verified in the prescribed manner.

23 The Commissioner shall fix a day and place for the hearing of the petition, and on the day and at the place so fixed, or on the day and at the place, if any, to which he has adjourned the hearing, shall hear the petition and pass such order thereon, whether by way of confirmation, reduction, enhancement, or cancellation of the assessment, and fixing such time for payment, as he thinks fit.

Hearing of petition.

24. The Commissioner may, of his own motion, call for the record of any assessment proceeding which has been taken by any officer subordinate to him, and make such inquiry and pass such orders thereon as he may think fit:

Power to review.

Provided that he shall not pass any order of enhancement without hearing the assessee or giving him a reasonable opportunity of being heard.

25. If the Collector or the Commissioner in making an assessment is satisfied that the assessee has concealed the particulars of his income or has deliberately furnished inaccurate particulars of such income, and has thereby returned it below its real amount, the Collector or the Commissioner may direct that the assessee shall pay on the difference between the amount of the assessment or the amount of the enhanced assessment as the case may be, and the amount originally returned by the assessee, income-tax at double the rate which would otherwise have been payable:

Penal assessment.

Provided that no such order shall be made unless the assessee has been heard or has been given a reasonable opportunity of being heard.

Power to summon witnesses, etc.

26. The Collector or Commissioner may, for the purposes of any proceeding under this Chapter, summon and enforce the attendance of any person and may examine him on oath or affirmation and may compel the production of documents by the same means and, as far as possible, in the same manner, as is provided in the case of a Civil Court by the Code of Civil Procedure, and that Code shall apply accordingly.

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Power to call for information.

27. The Collector or Commissioner may for the purposes of this Act—

(*1*) require any person to furnish a return, in the prescribed form, containing, to the best of his belief, the name and address of every person employed in his service who is receiving any income chargeable under the head "Salaries", of such amount as may be prescribed not being less than rupees six hundred per annum;

(*2*) require any company to furnish him with a return of the persons with their addresses for the time being appearing on the share register of the company and the amounts of the dividends paid or payable to each such person during the last year for which the company has made up its accounts;

(*3*) require any firm or Hindu undivided family to furnish him with a return of the partners in the firm or the adult male members of the family, as the case may be, and of their addresses;

(*4*) require any person whom he has reason to believe to be a trustee, guardian, or agent to furnish him with a return of the names of the persons for or of whom he is trustee, guardian, or agent and of their addresses.

Legal duty to furnish information.

28. A person required to furnish any information under section 27 shall be legally bound to furnish the same in such manner and within such time as may be specified in the requisition for the information.

CHAPTER III.

LIABILITY IN SPECIAL CASES.

Married women.

29. The income of a married woman who is living with her husband shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be the income of the husband, and the same shall be chargeable in the name of the husband: provided that a married woman who is living with her husband but who carries on any business independently of him shall in respect of the income of such business be chargeable separately as if she were actually unmarried.

Guardians, trustees and agents.

30. In the case of any guardian, trustee or agent of any person being a minor, lunatic or idiot or residing out of British India (all of which persons are hereinafter in this section included in the term beneficiary) being in receipt on behalf of such beneficiary of any taxable income the tax shall be levied upon and recoverable from such guardian, trustee or agent as the case may be, in like manner and to the same amount as it would be leviable upon and recoverable from any such beneficiary if of full age, sound mind, or resident in British India, and in direct receipt of such income, and all the provision of this Act shall apply accordingly.

Courts of Wards, &c.

31. In the case of taxable income which is received by the Courts of Wards, the Administrators General, the Official Trustees or by any receiver or manager (including any person whatever his designation who in fact manages property on behalf of another) appointed by or under any order of a Court, the tax shall be levied upon and recoverable from such Court of Wards, Administrator General, Official Trustee, receiver or manager in the like manner and to the same amount as it would be leviable upon and recoverable from any person on whose behalf such income is received, and all the provisions of this Act shall apply accordingly.

Non-residents.

32. (*1*) In the case of any person residing out of British India all profits or gains accruing or arising to such person, whether directly or indirectly, through or from any business connection in British India, shall be deemed to be income accruing or arising within British India and shall be chargeable to income-tax in the name of the agent of any such person and such agent shall be deemed to be for all the purposes of this Act the assessee in respect of such income-tax:

Provided that any arrears of tax may be recovered also in accordance with the provisions of this Act from any assets of the non-resident person which are, or may at any time come, within British India.

(*2*) Where a person not resident in British India, and not being a British subject or a firm or company constituted within His Majesty's dominions or a branch thereof, carries on business with a person resident in British India, and it appears to the Collector or the Commissioner, as the case may be, that, owing to the close connection between the resident and the non-resident person and to the substantial control exercised by the non-resident over the resident, the course of business between those persons can be so arranged, and is so arranged, that the business done by the resident in pursuance of his connection with the non-resident produces to the resident either no profits or less than the ordinary profits which might be expected to arise in that business, the profits derived therefrom or which may reasonably be deemed to have been derived therefrom, shall be chargeable to income-tax in the name of the resident person who shall be deemed to be for all the purposes of this Act the assessee in respect of such income-tax.

Agent to include persons treated as such.

33. Any person employed by, or on behalf of a person residing out of British India or having any business connection with such person, upon whom the Collector has caused a notice to be served of his intention of treating him as the agent of the non-resident person shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be such agent.

CHAPTER IV.

RECOVERY OF TAX.

Tax when payable.

34. The amount of income-tax specified as payable in a notice of assessment or an order under section 23 or section 24 of this Act, shall be paid within

the time at the place and to the person mentioned in the notice or order, or if a time is not so mentioned then on or before the first day of the second month following the date of the notice or order and any assessee failing so to pay shall be deemed to be in default, provided that when an assessee has presented a petition under section 22 he shall not be deemed to be in default as long as such petition is undisposed of.

Mode and time of recovery.

35. (*1*) When an assessee is in default in making a payment of income-tax the Collector, in his discretion, may recover from him a sum not exceeding double the amount of the tax either as if it were an arrear of land-revenue or by any process enforceable for the recovery of an arrear of any municipal tax or local rate imposed under any enactment for the time being in force in any part of the territories administered by the Local Government to which the Collector is subordinate.

(*2*) If any assessee is in receipt of any income chargeable under the head "Salaries," the Collector may require any person paying the same to deduct from any payment subsequent to the date of such requisition any sum recoverable under sub-section (*1*) and such person shall comply with any such requisition.

(*3*) The Local Government may direct by what authority any powers or duties incident under any such enactment as aforesaid to the enforcement of any process for the recovery of a municipal tax or local rate shall be exercised or performed when that process is employed under sub section (*1*) for the recovery of income-tax.

(*4*) The Local Government may direct, with respect to any specified area, that income-tax shall be recovered therein, with, and as an addition to, any municipal tax or local rate by the same person and in the same manner as the municipal tax or local rate is recovered.

(*5*) No proceedings for the recovery of any sum payable under this Act shall be commenced after the expiration of one year from the last day of the year in respect of which the demand is made.

CHAPTER V.

REFUNDS.

Refund to individual shareholders and owners of securities.

36. If—

(*a*) a shareholder in a company who has received any dividend from the company during the year of assessment; or

(*b*) the owner of a security from the interest on which income-tax has been deducted in accordance with the provisions of section 15;

satisfies the Collector that his total income from all sources in the year of assessment was less than any one, as the case may be, of the amounts specified in Schedule II, he shall be entitled, at his option, to a refund of, or credit for, a sum calculated on such dividend or interest at the rates specified in the same Schedule against each such amount.

Limitation of claims for refund.

37. No claim to any refund of income-tax shall be allowed, unless it is made within one year from the last day of the year to which the claim relates.

CHAPTER VI.

OFFENCES AND PENALTIES.

Failure to make payments or deliver returns or statements.

38 (*1*) If a person fails—

(*a*) to deduct and pay any tax as required by section 15 or under section 35 (*2*);

(*b*) to deliver or cause to be delivered to the Collector in due time the return mentioned in section 16 or section 17; or

(*c*) to attend or to produce, or cause to be produced, on or before the date mentioned in a notice under section 18 such accounts and documents as are referred to in the notice,

he shall, on conviction before a Magistrate be punishable with fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day during which the default continues.

(*2*) The Commissioner may remit wholly or in part any fine imposed under this section.

False statement in declaration

39. If a person makes a statement in a verification mentioned in section 17 or section 22 (*3*) which is false, and which he either knows or believes to be false or does not believe to be true, he shall be deemed to have committed the offence described in section 177 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860.

Prosecution to be at instance of Collector.

40. (*1*) A person shall not be proceeded against for an offence under section 38 or section 39 except at the instance of the Collector.

(*2*) The Collector may stay any such proceeding or compound any such offence.

Disclosure of information by public servant.

41. All particulars contained in any statement or return made or furnished under the provisions of this Act shall be treated as confidential, and if a public servant discloses any particulars contained in any statement, or return made or furnished under this Act he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to six months and shall also be liable to fine:

Provided that no prosecution shall be instituted under this section except with the previous sanction of the Local Government.

Sections 193 and 228 of Penal Code to apply to proceedings.

42. Every proceeding before a Collector or a Commissioner under Chapter I of this Act shall be deemed to be a "judicial proceeding," within the meaning of sections 193 and 228 of the Indian Penal Code. XLV of 1860.

CHAPTER VII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Power to make rules.

43 (*1*) The Governor General in Council may make rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act and for the ascertainment and determination of

any class of income, and may delegate to a Local Government the power to make such rules so far as regards the territories subject to that Government.

(2) Without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power such rules may—

(a) provide for the determination of net agricultural income,

(b) when income is derived in part from agriculture and in part from business, prescribe the manner, whether with reference to a class or in particular cases, by which the taxable income shall be arrived at,

(c) prescribe the manner in which and the procedure by which the taxable income of insurance companies shall be arrived at,

(d) prescribe the manner in which and the procedure by which the taxable income of persons not resident in British India or of persons deemed to be assessees in respect thereof, shall be arrived at,

(e) prescribe the procedure to be followed on applications for refunds,

(f) provide for any matter which by this Act is to be prescribed.

(3) Rules made under this section shall be published in the official Gazette.

44. The Governor General in Council may, by notification in the Gazette of India, exempt from liability to the tax any class of income or the whole or any part of the income of any class of persons.

Power to make exemptions.

45. When any money is paid under this Act to the Collector or is recovered thereunder by him he shall give a receipt for the same, specifying the prescribed particulars.

Receipts and their contents.

46. A notice or requisition under this Act may be served on the person therein named either by post, or by the delivery or tender to him of a copy of the notice or requisition in the manner provided by the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, for the service of summons.

Service of notices.

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47. (1) When an assessee has several places of business in territories subject to different Local Governments the Governor General in Council may declare which of those places shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be his principal place of business.

Power to declare principal place of business or residence.

(2) When an assessee has several places of business in the territories subject to a single Local Government, that Government may declare which of them shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be his principal place of business.

(3) The powers given by this section may be delegated to, and exercised by, such officers as the Governor General in Council or the Local Government, as the case may be, may appoint in this behalf.

48. Where a person is in respect of any period assessed to income-tax, under this Act, he shall not in respect of that period be assessed to the capitation-tax, or the land-rate in lieu thereof, levied under the Burma Land and Revenue Act, 1876.

Saving in favour of payers of capitation-taxes.

II of 1876.

49. Every person deducting, retaining or paying any tax in pursuance of this Act in respect of income belonging to another person, is hereby indemnified for the deduction, retention or payment thereof.

Indemnity.

50. All powers conferred by, or conferrable under, this Act may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires.

Powers exercisable from time to time.

51. The Local Government may, by notification in the local official Gazette, delegate to the Chief Revenue-authority all or any of the powers conferred on it by this Act for the appointment of officers to exercise or perform the powers or duties of Collectors or Commissioners and all or any of the powers conferred on it by sections 35 (3), 35 (4) and the proviso to section 41.

Delegation of certain powers of Local Government.

52. (1) If the Chief Revenue-authority feels doubt in regard to any matter that has actually arisen as to the interpretation of any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule thereunder it may, either on its own motion or on reference from any Revenue officer subordinate to it, draw up a statement of the case, and refer it, with its own opinion thereon :—

Statement of case by Chief Revenue-authority to High Court or Chief Court.

(a) if the case arises in the provinces of Madras or Bombay—to the High Court of Judicature at Madras or Bombay, as the case may be;

(b) if it arises in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh or in the province of Ajmer—to the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad;

(c) if it arises in the province of Bihar and Orissa—to the High Court of Judicature at Patna;

(d) if it arises in the province of the Punjab or in the North-West Frontier Province or in British Baluchistan or in the province of Delhi—to the Chief Court of the Punjab;

(e) if it arises in the Central Provinces—to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay;

(f) if it arises in the province of Burma—to the Chief Court of Lower Burma;

(g) if it arises in any other part of British India—to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

(2) Every such case shall be decided by not less than three Judges of the High Court or Chief Court to which it is referred, and in case of difference the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

(3) If the High Court or Chief Court is not satisfied that the statements contained in the case are sufficient to enable it to determine the

questions raised thereby, the Court may refer the case back to the Revenue-authority by which it was started, to make such additions thereto or alterations therein as the Court may direct in that behalf.

(*4*) The High Court or Chief Court, upon the hearing of any such case, shall decide the questions raised thereby, and shall deliver its judgment thereon containing the grounds on which such decision is founded, and shall send to the Revenue-authority by which the case was started a copy of such judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar; and the Revenue-authority shall dispose of the case accordingly or if the case arose on reference from any Revenue officer subordinate to it, shall forward a copy of such judgment to such officer who shall dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

Bar of suits in Civil Court.

53. No suit shall be brought in any Civil Court to set aside or modify any assessment made under this Act and no prosecution suit or other proceeding shall lie against any Government officer for anything in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act.

Repeal.

54. The enactments mentioned in Schedule III are hereby repealed to the extent specified in the fourth column thereof:

Provided that such repeal shall not affect the liability of any person to pay any sum due from him under any of the said enactments.

SCHEDULE I.

(*See section 14.*)

Rates of Tax.

Total income.	Rate.
1. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is less than Rs. 1,000.	*Nil.*
2. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is Rs. 1,000 or upwards but is less than Rs 2,000.	Four pies in the rupee.
3. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is Rs. 2,000 or upwards but is less than Rs. 5,000.	Five pies in the rupee.
4. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is Rs. 5,000 or upwards but is less than Rs. 10,000.	Six pies in the rupee.
5. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is Rs. 10,000 or upwards but is less than Rs. 25,000.	Nine pies in the rupee.
6. When the total income from all sources to which the Act applies is Rs. 25,000 or upwards.	One anna in the rupee.

SCHEDULE II.

(*See section 36.*)

Rates of Refund.

Amount.	Refund.
1. Less than Rs. 1,000... ...	One anna in the rupee.
2. Rs. 1,000 or upwards but less than Rs. 2,000	Eight pies in the rupee.
3. Rs. 2,000 or upwards but less than Rs. 5,000.	Seven pies in the rupee.
4. Rs. 5,000 or upwards but less than Rs. 10,000.	Six pies in the rupee.
5. Rs. 10,000 or upwards but less than Rs. 25,000.	Three pies in the rupee.

SCHEDULE III.

(*See section 54.*)

Enactments Repealed.

1	2	3	4
Year.	No.	Short title.	Extent of Repeal.
1886.	II	The Indian Income-tax Act, 1886.	So much as has not been repealed.
1897	XIV	The Indian Short Titles Act, 1897.	So much of the schedule as relates to the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886.
1903	XI	The Indian Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1903.	So much as has not been repealed.
1914	IV	The Decentralization Act, 1914.	So much of the schedule as relates to the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886.
1916	V	The Indian Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1916.	The whole.
1917	VII	The Indian Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1917.	The whole.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The present Bill, which practically recasts the whole of the Indian Income-tax Act, 1886 (II of 1886), has a three-fold purpose. In the first place, it remedies certain inequalities in the assessment of individual taxpayers under the existing law, which have become especially apparent since a graduated scale of the tax was introduced by Act V of 1916. Secondly, it defines more precisely than the existing Act the methods whereby income and profits of various descriptions are to be calculated for income tax purposes, so removing a defect which has led to some lack of uniformity in the assessing standards of different provinces. And, lastly, it effects a number of improvements in the machinery of assessment which experience has shown to be essential for the efficient and equitable working of the tax.

2. The recent introduction of graduated rates of income tax makes it necessary to abandon the system of assessing the tax separately on the different sources of income falling under the four Parts of the second schedule to Act II of 1886, since with this system an assessee deriving his income from more than one source may be called on to pay appreciably less than a person of equal taxable capacity who possesses one source of income alone. One of the main objects of the present Bill is accordingly to bring together all sources of an assessee's income for the purpose of determining the rate at which he shall be assessed on each part of it. This object is effected by clause 14 and schedule I of the present Bill, which provide that the rate at which the tax shall be assessed on all income which under the provisions of the Act is chargeable to the tax (called taxable income) shall be determined by the total income, enjoyed by the assessee, to which the Act applies.

3. A distinction is drawn by the provisions in chapter I and schedule I of the Bill between "total income" which determines the rate at which the tax is levied, and "taxable income" which determines the amount on which the tax is levied. *The rate at which the tax is levied* on an assessee will be determined by his total income accruing, arising or received in British India (or deemed to do so under the Bill) after omitting therefrom the receipts specified in clause 8 (2) and deducting the allowances mentioned in clauses 8, 9 (2), 10 (2), and 11 (2) of the Bill; and also omitting under clause 4 of the Bill, the expenses incurred in earning agricultural income, including any land revenue payment, and the first thousand rupees of net agricultural income. In calculating *the amount on which the tax is levied* these reductions will also be made: but an assessee will further be entitled to subtract from the residual amount—

(*i*) Any salary which fulfils the conditions of clause 6 (1) (*i*) of the Bill.

(*ii*) Any sums which he has spent on the purchase of an annuity or for similar insurance purposes, provided they fulfil the conditions laid down in clauses 6 (1) (*ii*) and 12 (2) of the Bill.

(*iii*) Under the proviso to clause 7 of the Bill, any interest which he has received from a security of the Government of India issued or declared to be income-tax free.

(*iv*) Under clause 12 (1) of the Bill any interest which he has received as a member of a company, or of a firm or undivided Hindu Family, where the tax has been paid or is payable, by the company, firm, or family.

(*v*) Agricultural income.

4. Of these items of abatement only that relating to agricultural income calls for any special comment.

As has already been explained in paragraph 1 above, the Bill is a Bill to improve the machinery of assessment, and to remove existing inequalities in the burdens which the tax lays on individual assessees except in so far as improved methods of assessment will result in a higher revenue, the Bill is not designed, either by altering the rates of the tax or otherwise, to raise money, and for this reason it retains the existing exemption from the tax of agricultural incomes. But with the present system of income-tax graduation, under which an assessee's rate of assessment increases in accordance with his means, it is obviously equitable that in assessing the rate on which a person should pay on his non-agricultural income his income from agriculture should be taken into account: otherwise, a wealthy landlord possessed also of some non-agricultural income might pay on the latter at rates intended only for the poor. Accordingly, the Bill provides for the inclusion of net agricultural income in "total income": but as a concession, more particularly to persons of small means, clause 4 lays down that the first thousand rupees of net agricultural income shall not be taken into account in determining either the rate of the tax or the amount on which it will be levied.

5. The income determining the assessment, both as regards the rate and amount of the tax, will, under clause 14 of the Bill read with the definition of "year of assessment" in clause 2, be that actually accruing in the twelve months preceding the financial year for which the assessment is made, or at the assessee's option, any period of twelve months for which his accounts have been made up ending within the year preceding that financial year. Under the existing Act the tax chargeable on account of "salaries" and "interest on securities" is deducted at the time of payment of the salary or interest by the officer responsible for making the payment, and this procedure will be continued. But such deductions will, under clause 15 of the Bill, be treated merely as payments in advance on account of the assessment to be made in the following year; and, if it is found that any deduction has been effectd at a rate which is not that applicable to the assessee's total income, an adjustment will be made at that assessment. In addition, the existing procedure for obtaining refunds of income-tax deducted from interest on securities is retained by clause 36 of the Bill.

6. Under the existing Act it is not incumbent on a Collector to obtain from any assessee a return of his income, and where the income is estimated at less than two thousand rupees, the assessee is not ordinarily served with a personal notice of assessment. The result is that many persons have no opportunity of representing the amount of their incomes before an *ex-parte* assessment has been made on them, and they have to seek recourse to a petition to the Collector, if they consider their assessment inequitable. Now that there as of taxatiton have

been enhanced, it is desirable, in the interests both of assessees and of Government, that Collectors should obtain returns of income in all cases before they make an assessment, and should also, if they doubt the correctness of any return, call such evidence as may be necessary to test it before coming to their decision. Clause 17 of the Bill accordingly provides for the service by the Collector of a notice on every person whom he proposes to assess to income tax, requiring him to furnish a return of his income ; and clause 18 enables the Collector to call upon an assessee to produce evidence of the correctness of his return. In addition, clause 18 empowers the Collector to utilise any evidence bearing on the assessment which he may obtain of his own motion, while under clauses 26 and 27 he can enforce the attendance of any person, including the assessee, for this purpose and compel the production of the information that he requires. Clause 21 requires personal notices of assessment to be sent to all assessees.

7. Assessments conducted in this manner should be made with much greater certitude than hitherto and it becomes unnecessary to retain the procedure, whereby a person objecting to his assessment by the Collector petitions the Collector against it : all evidence now produced before the Collector in objection proceedings will, under the provisions of the Bill, be available to him at the earlier stage when the assessment is being framed. A petition against an assessment finally made by the Collector will, therefore, under clause 22 of the Bill, lie only to the Commissioner, but such petitions will, subject to the conditions of that clause, be allowed universally and will not, as at present, be confined (subject to the Commissioner's discretion) to cases in which the tax assessed is Rs. 250 or upwards.

8. Section 31 of the existing Act, providing that an assessee may compound for the tax over a series of years has been omitted. Compositions already made will not be affected, and Collectors will be empowered, either by rule or executive order, to make similar arrangements in future subject to such conditions as it may be thought fit to lay down

9. Section 33 of the existing Act, providing in certain circumstances for amendment of assessment has also been omitted. This section is no longer required, now that the tax is based on income actually accruing.

10. The Bill contains a number of other alterations in and additions to the present law : these are, where comment appears to be necessary, discussed in the Notes on Clauses, appended to this Statement.

SIMLA ;
The 26th October, 1917.

W. S. MEYER.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

[*Where sections are mentioned, the reference is to the Indian Income Tax Act (II of 1886).*]

Clause 3 (2) (i).—Section 5 (1) (*e*) of the Act has been expanded to make it clear that income derived from property employed for religious or public charitable purposes is only exempt from income tax to the extent to which it is applied to those purposes, and also to make it clear that voluntary dedications are not exempt.

Clause 3 (2) (ii), (iii) and (iv).—These exemptions are already in force either by rule or practice

Clause 3 (2) (vi).—Under this sub-clause, following the English practice, the recipient of a voluntary contribution or gift will not be liable to income tax on it, while the donor will not be permitted to claim an allowance on its account in calculating *his* total or taxable income.

Clause 6 (1).—The term " salaries " is, for the purposes of the Bill, confined by this clause to salaries, annuities, etc., from which income tax is deducted at the source. Salaries, etc., paid by private employers, who have not made arrangements with the Income Tax Collector for deducting the tax at the time of payment, will, therefore, be assessed under clause 11 as " income derived from other sources."

Clause 8.—Section 24 of the Act is expanded so as to apply to all house property, whether occupied by the owner or not, and the allowances which can be claimed are specifically stated, as in the past there has been some diversity of practice in the matter. It will be observed that no allowance can be claimed on account of municipal taxes.

Clause 9 (2).—The allowances which can be claimed in computing profits are specifically stated to prevent the diversity of practice which has occurred in the past.

Clause 29.—This clause has been adopted from the English law and provides for the separate taxation of the independent income of married women.

Clause 32.—Much difficulty has been experienced in the past in adequately assessing the Indian profits of foreign non-resident companies or firms trading in India either through branches, or through subsidiary companies or firms, or through agencies. Sub-clause (2) of this clause, which follows the lines of the English law, *viz*, section 31 (3) of the Finance (No. 2) Act of 1915, is designed to meet the cases of these non-resident companies or firms, and it is proposed, when the Bill becomes law, to issue a rule under clause 43 (2) (*d*), which will enable them to be taxed on a percentage of their turnover, or on some proportion of their total profits taken to represent the Indian profits, if their actual Indian profits cannot be ascertained in any other way.

Clause 52.—This clause has been adopted with necessary modifications from sections 57 to 59 of the Indian Stamp Act (II of 1899).

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 5th November 1917.*

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay Approach—Non-existence of Bell-Buoys.

No. 280 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 893 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of 3 $\frac{4}{10}$ miles, 356° (*North Mag.*), from Tai-kung-tau lighthouse.
Tai-kung-tau lighthouse, lat. 35° 57¼′ N., long. 120° 29¼′ E.

Description.—A red bell-buoy.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 7 miles, 294° (*N. 62° W. Mag.*), from the above-mentioned lighthouse.

Description.—A red bell-buoy.

Remarks.—The foregoing bell-buoys do not exist and are to be expunged from the charts.

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912. page 412; Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 153 of 1917. (*H. 5018/17.*)

AUSTRALIA—Victoria.

Geelong Outer Harbour—Light-Buoy established.

No. 281 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 894 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{4}{10}$ miles, 100° (*S. 88° E. Mag.*), from No. 2 beacon at the entrance to Hopetoun channel.
Lat. 38° 07½′ S., long. 144° 28½′ E.

Description.—A black spherical light-buoy exhibiting a *flashing red* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol I, 1907, page 169.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 11 of 1917 (*H. 4524/17.*)

AUSTRALIA—New South Wales.

Sydney Harbour—Lights established.

No. 282 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 900 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the cage beacon on north-western edge of bank extending from point at Fort Macquarie, known as Benelong point, at the entrance to Sydney cove.
Lat. 33° 51½′ S., long. 151° 13′ E.

Description.—A *red* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the beacon on Kirribilli point reef.
Lat. 33° 51¼′ S., long. 151° 13¼′ E.

Description.—A *green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 1206, Sydney harbour, Bradley head to Dawes point.
„ 1069, Port Jackson.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, Nos. 2539*a*, *b*.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 810, 811 : Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 64, 65 : Revised Supplement, 1913.
Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 32, 33.

Authority.—Sydney Harbour Trust. (*H. 5008/17.*)

CHINA SEA—Formosa, North Coast.

Kiirun Ko—Alteration in Light on Light-Buoy.

No. 283 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 901 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the end of the shoal extending from the southern point of Kago bay.
Lat. 25° 09′ N., long. 121° 44¼′ E.

Alteration.—The group flashing red light on this light-buoy has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every three seconds.*
Chart affected.—No. 2618, Kiirun ko.
Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 230.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 152 of 1917. (*H. 5017-17.*)

CHINA SEA, FORMOSA STRAIT—Pescadores Islands.

Makung Harbour (Bako ko)—Reef and Buoy to be expunged from Chart.

No. 284 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 901 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 3 cables, southward, from the southern extremity of Observatory island (Sokuten tō).
Lat. 23° 32¼′ N., long. 119° 33¼′ E.

Remarks.—The reef, together with the white can buoy marking it, is to be expunged from the charts, and a depth of 5¾ fathoms substituted for the drying portion of the reef.

Charts affected.—No. 1338, Pescadores islands, inner anchorages.
„ 1961, Pescadores islands.
„ 1760, The Brothers to Ockseu islands.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 131 : Revised Supplement, 1917.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 166 of 1917. (*H. 5027-17.*)

JAPAN—Honshu, West Coast.

Funakawa Wan—Light-Buoy established to mark Breakwater constructing.

No. 285 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 907 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Neno saki, lat. 39° 52¼′ N., long. 139° 50¼′ E.
Description.—A light-buoy painted white with red spherical topmark, exhibiting two *fixed red* lights.
Remarks.—The light-buoy marks the extremity of the works in progress of the breakwater under construction off Neno saki. The light-buoy will be moved seaward as the works progress.
Note.—A note, "*Outer end marked by light-buoy showing 2 Lts. F. red.*" is to be inserted on the chart against this breakwater constructing.

Chart affected.—No. 3395, Plan of Funakawa wan.
Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 657 ; Supplement, 1916.
Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 146 of 1917 (*H. 5013-17*)

JAPAN—Gulf of Tokyo.

Tateyama Machi—Light established.

No. 286 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 909 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 31° 59′ 18″ N., long. 139° 51′ 08″ E., on chart No. 2657.

Abridged description.—Lt. F.

Characteristics :

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—About 70 feet.
Visibility.—Not stated.
Power.—100 candles.
Structure.—A post.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo
" 996, Kii suido to Tokyo,
" 3334, Tokyo to Sendai bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2063*a*.
Japan Pilot. 1914, page 197.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 162 of 1917. (*H. 5023/17.*)

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KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho Approach—Correction to Former Notice.

No. 287 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 913 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 890 of 1917. (*This Office No. 276 of 1917.*)

Correction.—In paragraph " Position," *for* 11 cables, 123° (*S. 52° E. Mag.*), *read* 11 cables, 223° (*S. 48° W. Mag.*).

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3582/17.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 288 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 914 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 740 of 1917 (*this office No. 244 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished :

Aden, Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir), Cape Monze, Karachi, Bombay and vicinity, Colombo, Barberyn, Madras, Puri, Shortt island, Balasore, Calcutta and Hugli river approaches, Rangoon river approaches, Port Blair in the Andaman islands, Penang, Singapore.

All lights in the Persian gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice. Vessels should arrange to arrive at their destinations during daylight hours.

2. Certain Ports closed by night :

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6·0 a.m., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5350/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST—PING YANG INLET.

Nakasu Shoal—Amendments to Chart.

No. 289 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 918 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Nakasu shoal, south-western end, lat. 38° 37½′ N., long. 124° 51½′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of portions of charts Nos. 1656 and 1257 shows amended depths off south-western end of Nakasu shoal, together with the new position of Nakasu buoy.

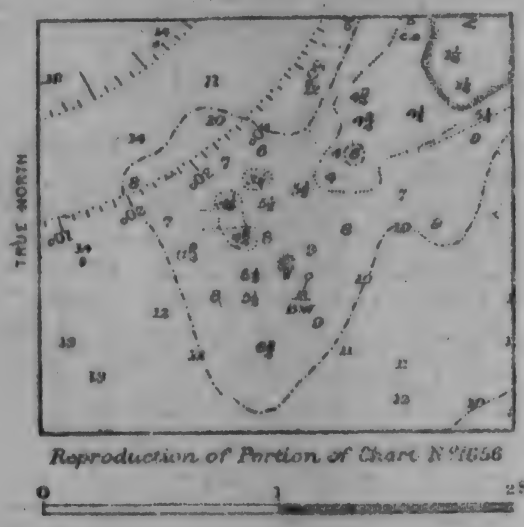
Charts affected.—No. 1656, Ping yang inlet.

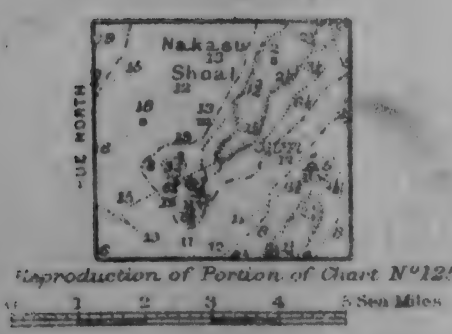
,, 1257, Approaches to Ping yang inlet and Yalu kiang.

,, 1256, Gulfs of Pe chili and Liau tung.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 582.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 161 of 1917. (*H. 5022/17.*)





NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Waikato River Entrance—Alteration in Channel.

No. 290 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 927 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—North head, lat. 37° 24′ S., long. 174° 46¼′ E.

Details.—The channel at the entrance to the Waikato river has undergone a further change, owing to the land in the vicinity of North head being washed away.

In consequence of the above a further alteration in the position of the leading beacons on North head has been rendered necessary in order to indicate the best water over the bar.

The beacons, which are each painted white with a black diamond in the centre, are now in line when bearing 60° (*N. 45° E. Mag.*).

Note.—The note on the chart is to be amended accordingly.

Variation.—15° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2535, Plan of Waikato river.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 220; Supplement No. 3, 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 32 of 1917. (*H. 3574/17.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—Mergui Archipelago.

Middle Island and Perforated Island—Caution with regard to Positions.

No. 291 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 935 of 1917), are republished :—

Position on charts.—Middle island summit, lat. 9° 04′ N., long. 97° 48′ E. Perforated island summit, lat. 8° 49¼′ N., long. 97° 46¾′ E.

Details.—Middle island is reported to lie about 1¼ miles eastward, and Perforated island about 2¼ miles south-eastward of charted positions, respectively. A note to the above effect with year date "*1917*" is to be inserted on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 216*b*, Sayer islands to Loughborough island.
,, 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 548.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 1922-17.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—Lourenco Marques Approach.

Chefina Shoal Light—Amended Characteristics.

No. 292 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 938 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 303 of 1917. (*This office No. 125 of 1917.*)

Position.—Lat. 25° 56½′ S., long. 32° 41½′ E.

Abridged description.—(U.) Lt. F., *W.R., 26 ft., vis. 8 m.*

Character.—A *fixed* light with *white* and *red* sectors.

Sectors.—*White* from 243° (*S. 81° W. Mag.*), through west, to 72° (*East Mag.*);
Red elsewhere.

Remarks.—The remaining characteristics are unchanged.

Variation.—18° W.

Charts affected.—No. 646, Lourenco Marques.
,, 644, Delagoa bay.
,, 2089, Tugela River to Delagoa bay.
,, 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 61.
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 194.

Authority.—The Ministry of Marine, Lisbon. (*H. 5357-17.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST, AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez

No. 293 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 939 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 804 of 1917 (*This office No. 259 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—

   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.

2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.
Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius, except Flat island light, are extinguished.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5475-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—North Island.

Thames Harbour—Alterations in Lighting.

No. 294 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 942 of 1917), are republished :—

1. Leading lights established :
Abridged description.—Red and Green Ldg. Lts.

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—On seaward end of Shortland wharf.
Shortland wharf, lat. 37° 08½′ S., long. 175° 32¼′ E.

Description.—A *red* light.

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—On Shortland wharf, at a distance of 113 yards south-eastward of the front light.

Description—A *green* light.

2. Lights discontinued :

Details.—The red and white light formerly exhibited from the seaward end of Shortland wharf, together with the fixed white light on the edge of the bank off the same wharf, have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 1108, River Thames (New Zealand).
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, Nos 2899, 2900.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 90.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 30 of 1917. *(H. 3573/17.)*

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—Outer Barrier Reef.

One-and-Half-Mile Opening—Beacon Established.

No. 295 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No 158 of 1917.

Subject.—The beacon near the One-and-Half-Mile Opening has been established.

Position.—About 1¼ miles West of the outer end of the Opening.
Lat. 14° 22′ S., long. 145° 23′ E.

Description—A red triangular beacon. The top of the beacon is 30 feet above the high water.

Charts Affected.—No. 2923, Hope Islands to Turtle Group.
„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 385.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 20 of 1917.

PERSIAN GULF—Shatt-al-Arab, Outer Bar.

Information with regard to Dredging Operation.

No. 296 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 157M of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 122M. of 1916. *(This office No. 257 of 1916.)*

Subject.—Information has been received that the Dredging Operation on the Shatt-al-Arab, Outer Bar, which was in progress has been discontinued.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Nearchus," dated 23rd September 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab river—Alteration in Buoyage.

No. 297 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 158M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 41M. of 1917. (*This office No. 67 of 1917.*)

Subject.—The following changes in the buoyage have been made to mark the existing deepest channel across the Bar.

(*a*) The Red Conical Buoy No. 1 has been shifted to 97° (S. 95° E. Mag.) at a distance of 3¼ cables from its former position.

(*b*) Buoy No. 3 has been shifted to 283° (N. 79° W. Mag.) at a distance of 3¼ cables from its former position, and replaced by a large Red Conical Buoy, with figure 3 in black.

(*c*) The Inner large Black Conical Buoy marking the Inner end of Dredged Channel has been removed.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Nearchus," dated 23rd September 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Derelict reported North-westward of Sheikh Shuaib.

No. 298 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 159M. of 1917), are republished :—

Date Sighted.—On 15th October 1917 by the Master of "Kara Deniz."

Position.—Lat. 26° 54′ 0″ N., long. 52° 19′ 0″ E.

Description.—A water-logged floating Dhow.

Caution.—This derelict constitutes a danger to navigation.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2837-b, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Authority.—Director of Sea Transport, Basra, dated 18th October 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—Hugli River Approach—Sandheads.

Alteration in the Eastern Channel Light Vessel.

No. 299-I (first publication).—

Subject.—From the beginning of November 1917, the Eastern Channel Light Vessel will be replaced by a new Light Vessel.

Position.—Lat. 20° 57′ N. long. 88° 12′ E.

Details.—The Light will be carried in a tower placed amidships, and the day distinguishing symbol, a black ball, will be shown at the after mast head.
Single flashing white light giving a flash of one second duration every 30 seconds.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Power.—20,000 candles.

Order.—4th.

Fog Bell.—During fogs, a mechanical foghorn will sound two blasts every two minutes.

Note.—There will be no alteration in the exhibition of blue light or in other respects.

Caution.—For the present, this light in common with all the other Hugli lights will not be exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 814, The Sandheads.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 606.
Indian Light List, 56th issue, 1917, No. 347.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 289.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator for the Port of Calcutta, dated 17th October 1917.

The 29th October 1917.

CHINA SEA—CHEFOO HARBOUR.

Entrance to Inner Harbour under construction—Buoy moved.

No. 277 (second publication).—The Coast Inspector, Shanghai, has given Notice No. 647 of 1917 that the *black* Buoy, gas-lighted, marking the eastern side of the entrance to the Inner Harbour under construction in Chefoo Harbour, has been moved. From the Buoy, Tower Hill Lighthouse bears S. 3½° W., magnetic, distant 3,620 feet. The characteristics of the Buoy remain unchanged.

PERSIAN GULF.

Ras-al-Mutaf—Shoal water reported South-westward of

No. 278 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 156M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 32¼ miles 232° (S. 50° W. Mag.) from Funnel Hill.

Lat. 27° 33′ N.
Long. 51° 13′ E. } Approximate on Chart No. 2837*b*.

Details.—The Master of the H. T. "Sandakan" reports having come across shoal water in the position given above, the bottom of which was plainly visible and appeared to be a coral reef lying in a N.-W. and S.-E. directions about one mile in length.

Variation.—2° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*. Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 253.

Authority.—The Port Officer, Bombay, dated 12th October 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—CHITTAGONG COAST.

South Patches light-vessel—Replaced by buoy.

No. 279-I (second publication).—

Subject.—The South Patches light-vessel will be removed from her station on the 28th November 1917. and replaced in March 1918.

A red conical buoy with staff and cage will mark the position during her absence.

Position.—Lat. 21° 29′ N., long. 91° 36′ E.

Charts affected.—No. 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

„ 859, Matla river to Elephant Point.

„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 630.

Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 329.

Authority.—Port Officer, Chittagong, Notice, dated 20th October 1917.

The 18th October 1917.

CHINA, EAST COAST—HONG KONG—NEW STORM-SIGNALS ESTABLISHED.

No. 274 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 877 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Hong kong, lat. 22° 18′ N., long. 114° 10′ E.

The undermentioned systems of storm-signals have been substituted for those formerly in use at Hong kong :—

1. LOCAL STORM-SIGNALS.

DAY SIGNALS.

Signal.	Symbol	Meaning.
1	▲	A typhoon exists which may possibly cause a gale at Hong kong within 24 hours.
2	▲	Gale expected from the North (N.W. to N.E.)
3	▼	„ „ „ South (S.E. to S.W.)
4	■	„ „ „ East (N.E. to S.E.)
5	●	„ „ „ West (N.W. to S.W.)
6	▲▼	Gale expected to increase.
7	▲▼	Wind of typhoon force expected (any direction).

The symbol for signal No. 1 is coloured red, the remaining symbols are black.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by three explosive bombs, fired at intervals of 10 seconds at the Water Police Station and repeated at the Harbour Office.

The signals will be lowered when it is considered that all danger is over.

The Day Signals will be displayed at the masthead of the storm-signal mast on Blackhead Hill, the Harbour Office, H.M.S. *Tamar*, Green Island signal mast, a flagstaff on the premises of the Hong kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company at Kowloon, a flagstaff on the premises of the Standard Oil Company at Lai-chi-kok, and a flagstaff near the Field Officer's Quarters at Lyemun.

NIGHT SIGNALS (LIGHTS).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	RED
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN
WHITE	GREEN	WHITE	WHITE	GREEN	GREEN	RED

The Night Signals will be displayed, at sunset, on the tower of the Railway Station, on H.M.S. *Tamar*, and on the Harbour Office flagstaff. They will have the same signification as the day signals.

Signal No. 7 will be accompanied by explosive bombs as above, in the event of the information conveyed by this signal being first published at night.

SUPPLEMENTARY WARNINGS.

When signals are displayed in the Harbour a cone will be exhibited at the following stations—

Gap Rock	Sau Ki Wan
Waglan	Sai Kung
Stanley	Sha Tau Kok
Aberdeen	Tai Po

to notify the fact to native craft and passing ocean vessels.

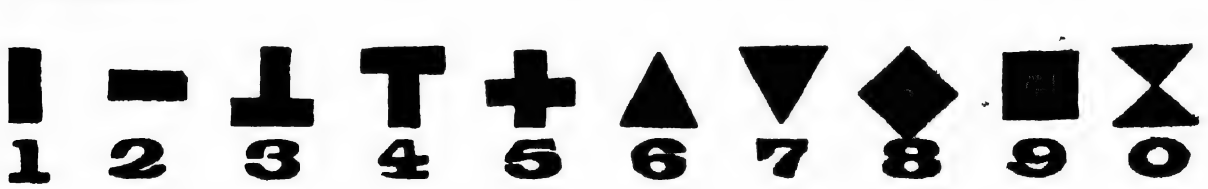
Further details can always be given to ocean vessels, on demand, by signal from lighthouses.

The object of the code is to give at least 24 hours warning of a gale (Force 8 by Beaufort Scale, or 40-45 m.p.h., mean velocity by Dines Anemometer) and also warnings of expected changes in the direction and force of the wind. Owing however to the uncertain movements of typhoon, and to insufficient telegraphic observations, it will occasionally happen that signals 2 to 5 may be displayed without a gale occurring at Hong kong, or even Gap Rock, but the reverse is not likely to happen, except in the case typhoons forming in the vicinity and travelling rapidly towards Hong kong, or of a located typhoon increasing its rate of progression abnormally.

Signal No. 1 is intended as a warning to "Stand By" and watch for the next signal.

2. NON-LOCAL STORM SIGNALS.

The Signals are made by means of ten symbols representing the ten numerals:—



They are displayed at the yard arms of the Storm Signal mast on Blackhead Hill, and remain until an order to change or lower is received from the Observatory.

The following information is given :—

Typhoon and Continental Depression Signals :

(*a*) Position of centre ; by 4 symbols at one yard arm.

(*b*) Direction of motion and velocity of centre, and the time ; by 3 symbols at the other yard arm (Tables 1, 2 and 3).

Gale signals :

(*c*) The region threatened, the direction from which the gale is expected, and the time ; by 3 symbols at one yard arm (Tables 3 and 4).

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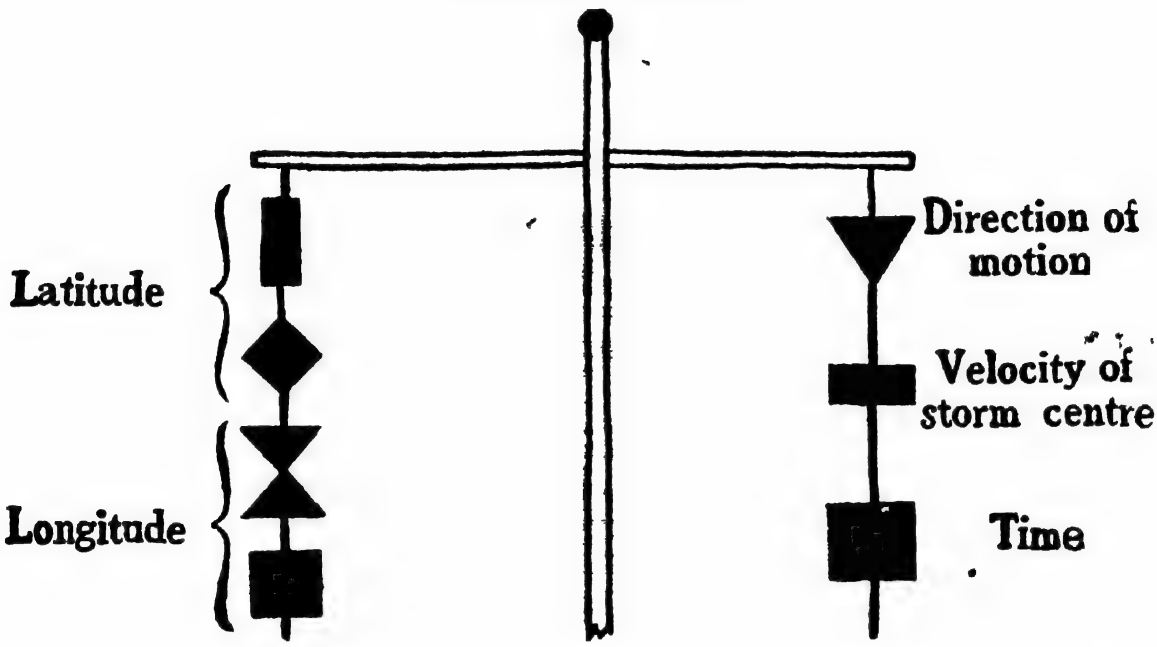
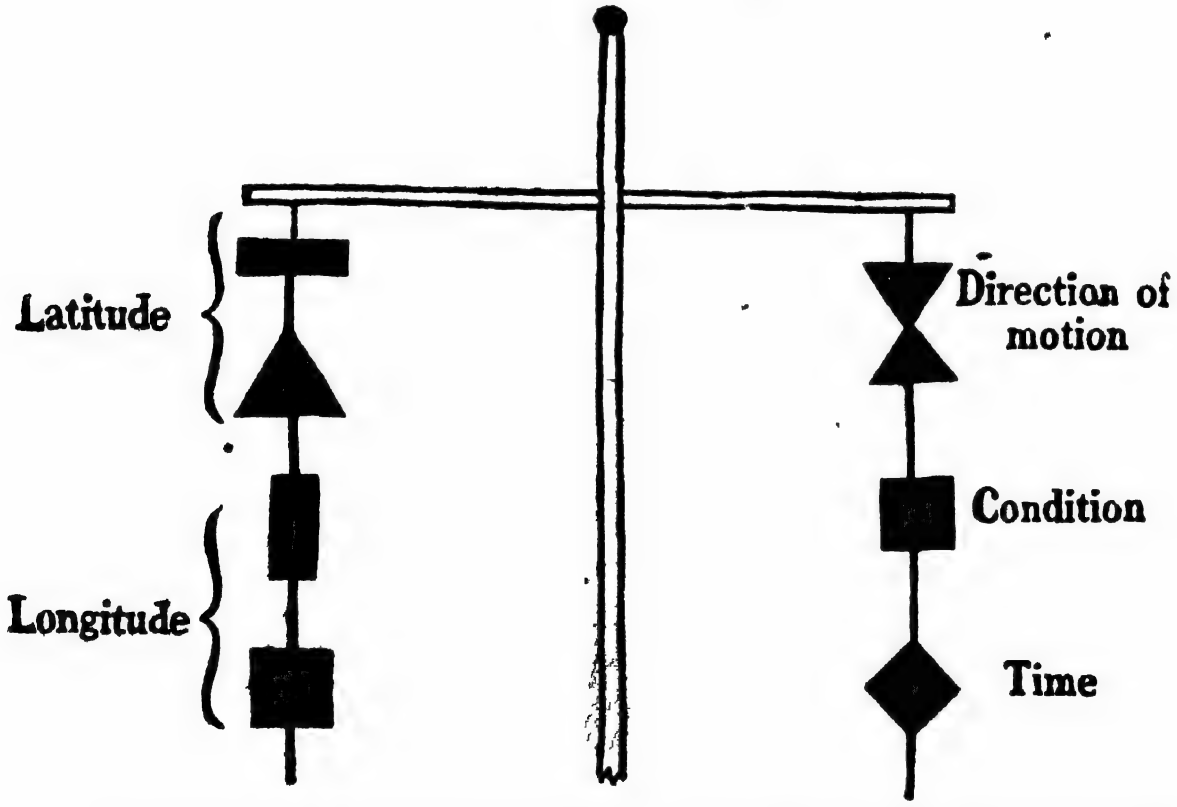


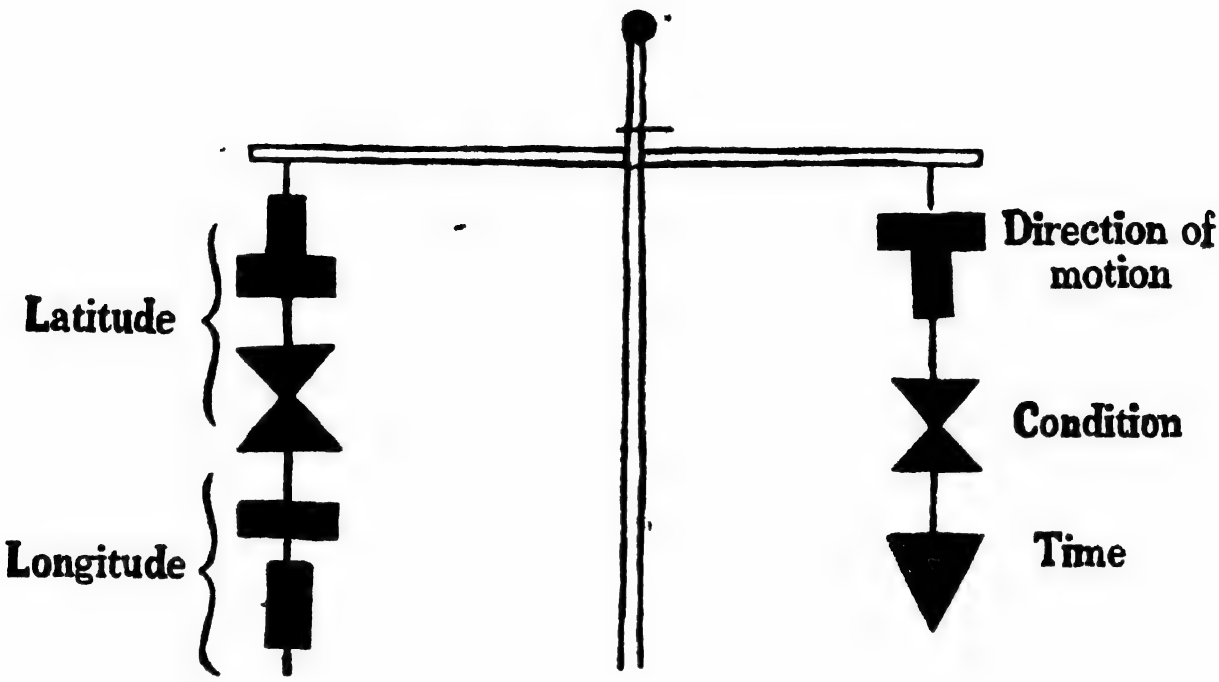
Conditions at 2 P.M. to-day indicated a typhoon in about latitude 18° N., and longitude 109° E., travelling W. N. W. at the rate of 8 to 12 miles per hour.

TYPHOON SIGNAL.



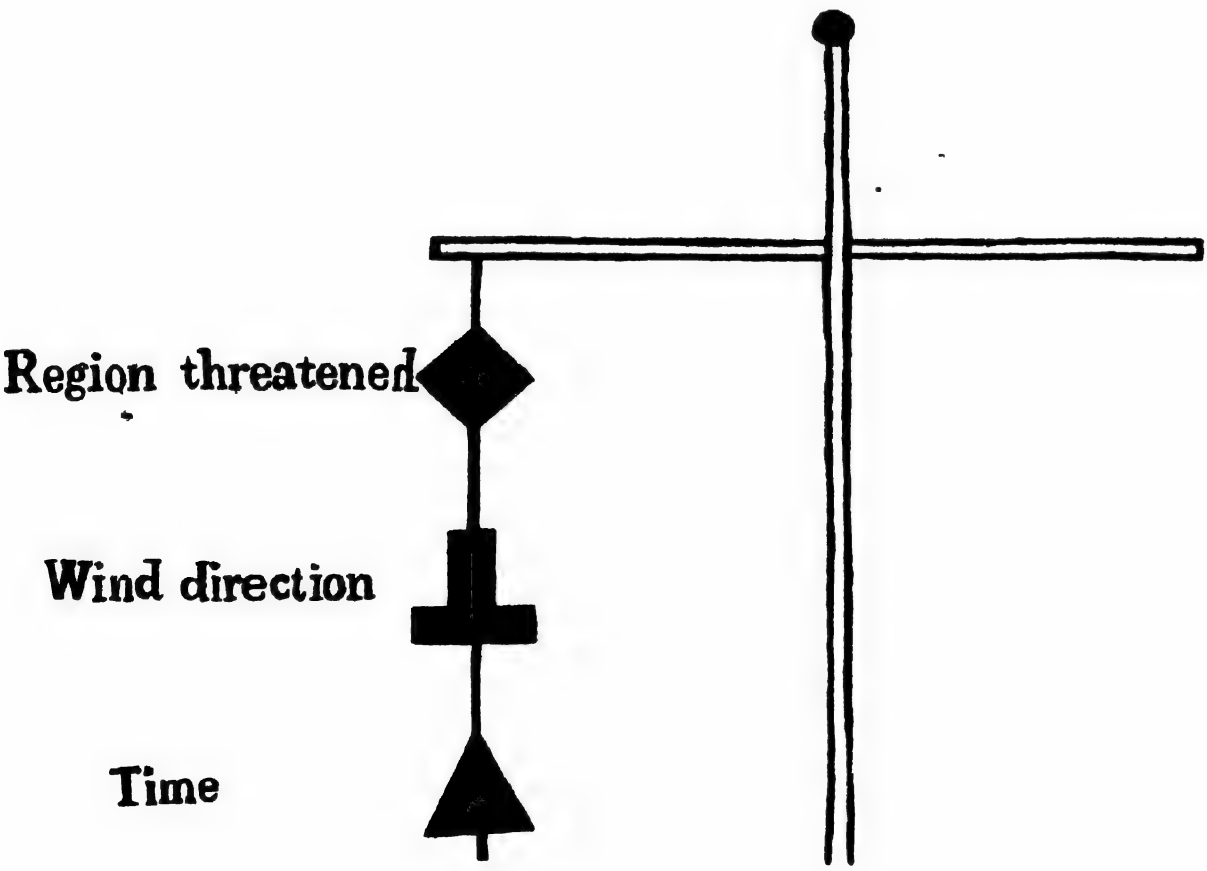
Conditions at 6 A.M. to-day indicated a typhoon filling up in about latitude 26° N., and longitude 119° E. Direction of motion unknown.

CONTINENTAL DEPRESSION SIGNAL



Conditions at 2 P.M. yesterday indicated a continental depression in about latitude 30° N. and longitude 121° E. travelling E or E.S.E.

GALE SIGNAL.



Conditions at 6 A.M. yesterday indicated a N.E. gale in the Formosa Channel.

EXPLANATION OF THE SIGNALS.

The two upper signals of group (*a*) indicate the latitude, and the two lower symbols the longitude of the centre of the Typhoon or Depression in degrees, as nearly as can be ascertained from the information available. Only the tens and units of the longitude are given ; thus, 09 indicates longitude 109 E.

The upper symbol of group (*b*) indicates the direction in which the Typhoon or Depression is travelling (Table 1).

The middle symbol of group (*b*) indicates the velocity at which the centre of the Typhoon is travelling. Alternatively it may indicate certain conditions, or a Continental Depression. In such cases no velocity is given.

The lowest symbol of group (*b*) indicates the time at which the centre was in the position signalled.

The upper symbol of group (*c*) indicates the region threatened ; the middle symbol the direction from which the gale is expected, and the lowest symbol the time at which gale conditions were first indicated.

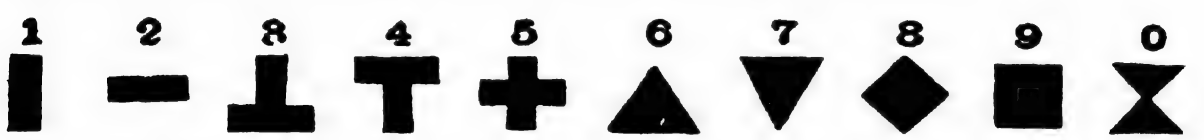
Caution.—Under the most favourable circumstances the position signal indicates only the degree of latitude and longitude nearest to the estimated position of the centre. When the centre is far from any reporting station, or when telegraphic reports are lacking, the position signalled may be as much as 2° in error, both in latitude and longitude, and the velocity and direction of motion will then be in error by corresponding amounts.

It should be particularly noted that the velocity signalled is the mean for the previous 16 or 24 hours.

TABLE NO. 1.—DIRECTION SIGNALS.

Upper symbol of hoist.

These indicate the direction in which a typhoon or depression is travelling, or the direction from which a monsoon gale is expected.



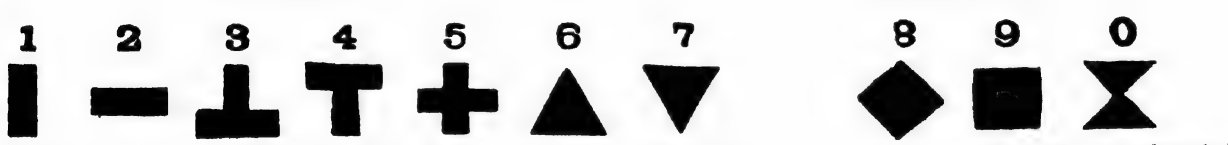
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
N.	N N.E.	N.E.	E. or E.S.E.	W.S.W.	W	W.N.W.	N.W.	N.N.W.	Unknown.

TABLE NO. 2.—VELOCITY AND CONDITION SIGNALS.

Middle symbol of hoist.

VELOCITY.

CONDITION.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
m.p.h. 4-8	m.p.h. 8-12	m.p.h. 13-20	m.p.h. 21-30	above 30 m.p.h.	Nearly stationary.	Velocity unknown.	Forming.	Filling up.	Continental Depression.

TABLE NO. 3.—TIME SIGNALS.

Lowest symbol of hoist.

6	7	8	9
6 a.m. Yesterday.	2 p.m. Yesterday.	6 a.m. To-day.	2 p.m. To-day

TABLE No. 4.—REGIONS THREATENED BY MONSOON GALES.

South of Kiushu.	East Coast of Japan.	North of Hokkaido.	Sea of Japan	Gulf of Pechili	Chusan Id. to Shantung Promontory.	Formosa to Chusan	Formosa Channel.	Gulf of Tongking to Swatau.	Annam Coast.

Warnings according to the above code are sent by the Cable Companies to Sharp Peak, Amoy, Swatau, Canton, Wu chau, Pakhoi, Hoihau, Haifong, Macao, Manila, Labuan and Singapore.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. III, 1912, pages 32, 510, 511, 512.

Authority.—The Director, Royal Observatory, Hong Kong. (*H. 4973/17.*)

MADAGASCAR, WEST COAST

Tulléar Channel—Extension of Shoal Water.

No. 275 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 879 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Tulléar lat. 23° 21′ S., long. 43° 39½′ E.

Details.—The shore bank off Anosi extends about 3 cables further south-westward than charted; a note to this effect is to be inserted on the chart and the track recommended in this vicinity is to be moved slightly to the westward in consequence, the inner leading line, Mainia or Table-hill, bearing S. 57° E., which formerly led up to the anchorage, being expunged.

Chart affected.—No. 692, St. Augustine and Tulléar bays.

Publication.—South Indian Ocean Pilot, 1911, page 453.

Authority.—Journal Official de Madagascar of 12th May 1917. (*H. 4665/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho Approach—Obstruction reported.

No. 276 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 890 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of 11 cables, 123° (*S. 52° E. Mag.*) from So Wolmi (Soorumi to) lighthouse.
Lat. 37° 27′ N., long. 126° 35¼′ E.

Description.—An obstruction, believed to be a piece of wreckage.

Note.—The position on the charts is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "*Obstruction reported (1917).*"

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 1270, Approaches to Chemulpho anchorage, with plan.
,, 1258, Approaches to Seoul.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 609.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 87 of 1917. (*H. 3582/17.*)

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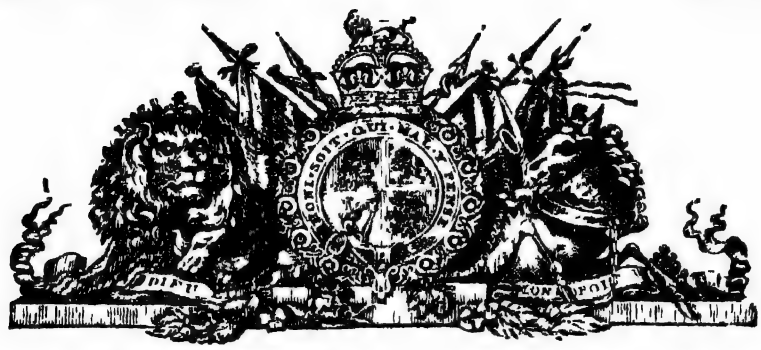

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 3rd November 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 4th November 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage	Number of boat	Weight of cargo.	Tollage
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	248	18,063	265	91	19,958	229
Jute	212	67,938*	918	276	92,759†	1,318
Firewood	69	45,860	709	45	35,750	544
Other articles	647	114,849	1,355	814	164,017	1,779
Total ...	1,176	246,710	3,247	1,226	312,484	3,870
Empty boats and rafts ...	473	...	907	570	...	1,212
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,649	246,710	4,154	1,796	312,484	5,082

Mds.

* Weight by original measurement ... 78,875
† Ditto ditto ... 100,875

CALCUTTA,
The 12th November 1917.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	.....		
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	0	0	.....			0	2	0	0	2	3
„ medium ...	4	12	0	5	0	0	0	2	1½	0	2	6
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	12	0	.....			0	2	0½	0	2	3
„ medium ...	5	1	0	5	5	0	0	2	3	0	2	6
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	1½	.....		
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	4	0	3	7	0	0	1	4½	.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	14	0	.....			.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	9	0	.....			.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) .	3	0	0	3	15	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
4. „ dal	4	4	0	4	10	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5	9	0	6	8	0	0	2	9	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	3	14	0	5	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	0	0	5	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	4	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
8. Kalai „	5	2	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
9. Salt	4	8	6	.....			0	2	0	.....		
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	10	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	0
11. Gur, Bheli	9	0	0	.....			0	5	6	.....		
12. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
13. Mustard oil	15	12	0	17	4	0	0	7	0	0	9	0
14. Flour (country) ...	6	8	0	7	2	0	0	3	0	.....		
15. Ata No. 3	3	12	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ 2½	5	0	0									
„ „ B	7	6	0									
16. Suji	7	0	0	7	10	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
17. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	77	0	0	.....			2	0	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	69	0	0	.....			1	14	0	1	15	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	57	0	0	.....			.....			.....		
18. Maize	2	4	0	2	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
19. Potato	4	12	0	5	12	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
20. Patal	6	0	0	9	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
21. Onion	3	4	0	3	12	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
22. Fish, Rahu	15	0	0	20	0	0	0	10	0	0	14	0
23. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
24. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Tal tolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 12th November 1917.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 12th November 1917.

Summary.—During the week under review there was no rain. The sowing of *rabi* crops is in full swing. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in the Eastern districts. The outturn is reported to be generally good. The prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease prevails in seven districts. The price of common rice shows a tendency to fall.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Lands are being prepared for *rabi* crops. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	10	10	
	Barrackpore	Nil	8	8	
	Barasat ...	Nil	10	10	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	9¼	9	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	10½	10	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Kishma union No. 13 in thana Ranaghat.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	10	10	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	11	(*n*)	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Harvesting of *aus* paddy is almost finished. Prospects of standing crops are good except in low-lying areas where damage has already been caused by high flood. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	10½	(*n*)	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	11½	(*n*)	
	Kandi ...	Nil	11½	(*n*)	
4	Jessore ..	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced in the Sadar, Narail and Bangaon subdivisions. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is insufficient in Magura.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	10½	
	Magura ...	Nil	12	12	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	10	10	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	8* / 9†	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	8	8½	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	8½	8½	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

* *Aman* | † *Aus.*

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Washing and steeping of jute, sowing of potato and other *rabi* crops and weeding of sugarcane are going on. Standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	11⅜	10⅝	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10½	10½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	11½	11	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	14 (new) 11½ (old)	13 (new) 11½ (old)	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Simlapal and Onda.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14 (new) 11 (old)	14 (new) 11 (old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9⅝	10 1/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect of winter rice is fair. Sowing of rape and mustard and tobacco continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	10	10	
	Contai ...	Nil	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of potato and other *rabi* crops continues. Prospect of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	Nil	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Standing crops are doing well. The harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced at places. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10 3/16	9 7/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Washing of jute is completed. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	10 7/16	10	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Its effect on *rabi* crops and winter paddy is good. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of potatoes and mustard is going on. Steeping and washing of jute are nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Tasati tea-garden.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather clear. Winter rice, millet and cardamom are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well. Wheat and barley are being sown. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7½	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9¾	9¾	Weather seasonable. Land is being prepared for potato and other *rabi* crops. Condition of standing crops is good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	7½	7½	Weather hot in the day and cool in the night. Harvesting of jute is over. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	(*n*)	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅞	9⅛	Weather seasonable. Cutting, steeping and washing of jute are not yet finished. Lands are being prepared for tobacco and other *rabi* crops. Transplanting of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard seeds are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	9	9	Weather hot but favourable to standing crops. Harvesting of *aman* paddy is in progress. Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *kalai* and sweet potatoes is in progress. Import of rice continues. Condition of cattle is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is steady.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narayanganj	Nil	8⅞	8½	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	9	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	8	7 13/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	8	7 9/16	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8½	8½	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	10	9	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12	12	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	10	8	
	Gopalganj† ...	Nil	13	10	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospect of standing crop is good. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas of Bola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	7½	7	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	10	10	Weather sultry. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of early winter paddy continues; outturn good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 7½ and 5½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	9	10	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable; rather warm. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	9⅜	9⅜	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	9	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	10	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops has commenced. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 6½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	Nil	13	12	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops has commenced. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 5½ seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported.

S. MILLIGAN,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 13th November 1917.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of October 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas																	
			Common rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*)			Salt.		
			Average			Cheapest											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return
		24 Parganas	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch
Presidency	1	Chetla Hât	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 14	8 6	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0	1 10	11 8†
	2	Magra Hât	8 14	9 7	7 4	10 0	10 0	7 10	7 4	8 0	6 11	6 10	7 4	6 3	8 8	8 2	13 14
	3	Calcutta Bellaghata	7 0	7 0	5 14	8 0	8 0	8 12	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 1	8 4	8 6	11 0
		Nadia															
	4	Gouri	8 14	8 10	6 10	11 0	9 8	7 0	5 8	6 10	6 4	6 6	7 4	6 4	11 4	13 5	13 8
	5	Ranaghat	9 0	9 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	6 12	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 4	6 0	9 0	10 0	10 8
		Murshidabad															
	6	Berhampur	10 4	10 8	7 4	10 8	10 12	7 8½	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	13 0	14 0
	7	Kandi	12 8	11 8	8 4	13 0	12 0	8 8	6 0	5 4	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur	10 8	10 8	7 12	11 8	11 8	8 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	9 0	8 8	11 0	12 0	15 0
		Jessore															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 2	8 0	12 0
	10	Rangaon	10 0	8 0	7 3	10 10	9 6	7 10	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 10	7 2	6 6	8 0	8 4	12 13
		Khulna															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	8 0	10 8
	12	Bagerhat	7 8		7 0	8 8		8 0	6 8	..	6 8	5 8		5 8	8 0	.	10 0
Burdwan		Burdwan															
	13	Sadar	9 8	9 8	7 8	12 0	12 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	7 8	10 0	9 0	13 0
	14	Kalna	10 0	9 12	7 8	10 8	10 4	7 12	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 4	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		Birbhum															
	15	Suri	11 8	11 8	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 8	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	10 0	10 0	12 12
	16	Rampur Hât	11 0	10 8	8 0	12 0	11 0	8 8	6 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	11 0	14 0
		Bankura															
	17	Sadar	10 12	10 12	8 0	13 12	14 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	13 0
	18	Vishnupur	11 0	11 0	7 8	14 0	14 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 0
		Midnapore															
	19	Sadar	9 11	9 11	7 11	10 1	10 6	8 1	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	10 8
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	8 0	9 0	8 0	13 0
		Hooghly															
	21	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	7 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	12 8†
	22	Arambagh	10 0	10 0	7 12	10 4	10 4	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 4	8 0	13 0
		Howrah															
	23	Sadar	8 2	8 4	7 0	9 12	9 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	10 0	13 0
	24	Uluberia	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	14 10
		Rajshahi															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia	8 4	8 4	7 2	8 10	8 10	7 5	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	9 12
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	6 12	9 0	9 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	9 0	9 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hât.	9 9	8 8	8 6	10 8	9 0	9 5	6 0	8 0	6 0	7 13	8 6	6 10	8 0	8 0	11 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar	8 4	8 0	7 8	10 0	9 0	8 8	9 0	9 0	7 4	8 0	8 0	8 8	7 0	8 0	11 0

† Kankatch.

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of October 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 12	7 12	6 0	8 8	8 8	7 0	5 4	5 4	5 0	5 4	5 4	4 8	5 8	5 0	8 8
	30	Siliguri	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	10 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	7 0	7 8	6 12	7 12	8 0	7 0	4 8	5 0	5 4	5 8	5 0	5 4	8 0	8 0	9 8
	32	Nilphamari ...	8 8	7 0	6 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 0	5 11	8 0	7 0	6 15	7 8	7 8	11 8
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	9 12	9 6	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	8 4	12 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	7 2	7 2	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 9	6 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	9 12
	35	Serajganj	7 8	7 8	7 1	8 0	8 0	7 10	7 8	7 8	8 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	11 0	11 4	12 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	9 8	9 8	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 2	6 0	6 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	12 0
	37	English Bazar—Nawabganj ...	10 0	10 0	6 0	10 8	10 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	12 0
Dacca.		Dacca.															
	38	Sadar	7 8	7 8	6 8	9 8	9 8	8 0	5 4	5 4	5 8	6 12	6 12	6 0	7 0	6 8	12 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	9 0	...	7 0	9 0	...	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	7 0	...	10 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	7 11	7 11	6 14	8 3	8 3	7 1	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	9 8	9 8	11 12
	41	Netrakona	7 9	7 9	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 4	7 4	5 13	9 0	9 0	11 4†
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	8 8	7 8	6 0	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 0	7 0	12 0
	43	Goalundo ...	11 2	8 10	7 6	12 0	10 0	7 6	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	7 0	8 0	10 15
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal ...	8 0	8 4	7 4	9 12	9 0	9 0	9 7	10 0	9 8	6 11	7 4	6 8	8 0	10 4	12 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 8	7 4	6 12	7 8	7 4	6 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 12	7 0	7 0	10 10
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	7 0	7 6	6 6	7 14	7 8	6 14	5 5	5 5	4 9	6 6	6 6	5 5	6 8	6 8	10 11
	47	Chandpur ..	7 12	7 12	6 8	9 8	9 8	8 12	5 5	5 0	10 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	6 8	6 8	15 0
Chittagong.		Noakhali.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	10 8†
	49	Feni Hat	8 4	8 8	7 2	11 0	11 0	8 12	8 4	8 4	6 8	*	*	...	7 6	6 10	12 13
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	9 8	9 8	7 8	10 8	10 8	8 0	6 8	7 0	6 0	5 8	6 8	6 0	7 0	8 8	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	10 0	10 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 8	8 8	10 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	7 0	12 0	12 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 8	6 8	8 0

* This article is not at present sold here. † Crushed.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1917.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1917.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	6 3 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....			.....			.....	.....		.....		
Burdwan ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	6 2 0	6 0 0	9 4 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	5 0 0
Kalna ...	.....		.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....		.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	5 4 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	5 4 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	6 0 0	5 10 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 6 0	6 2 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	2 5 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	7 5 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	5 6 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	3 14 0	2 14 0	3 12 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	6 8 0	7 4 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 12 0

MARTS	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 5 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	5 4 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	6 0 0	6 4 0	5 0 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 9 0	4 7 0	5 8 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....			.....	.....	.....	.....			.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 2 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 0 0 to 8 8 0	5 4 0 to 8 8 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	7 10 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1917.

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 0	32 0 0	32 0 0	14 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	...	.....		...	...	...	.....	...	..	.....	.....	..
Burdwan ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	21 0 0
Kalna	.....		...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Raniganj ...	...	...		.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	5 4 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0 to 8 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	30 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	x	.....	.....
Chandpur ..	..	.....	.....		...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	5 8 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	11 0 0	11 12 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.. ..
Narayanganj(n)	... ..	...	..	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh(n)	.....	.	.	.....	.....	.....	... .	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	...	....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 10 0	6 10 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 11 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur .	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	13 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....

No sale. | (n) Not reported.

MARTS	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	52 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	375 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	....	.....	...	.....	.....	... Per maund.	.....
Burdwan ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	51 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	42 0 0
Kalna ...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...	.....	...	.. ..
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.. ... Cleaned piece per 100	
Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	52 0 0	53 0 0	55 0 0	300 0 0	300 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100.	350 0 0
Chittagong ...	. ...	.....	.....	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 62 0 0 54 0 0	to 58 0 0 54 0 0	275 0 0	275 0 0	325 0 0
Chandpur ...	4 0 0 to 5 8 0	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	7 8 0 to 11 0 0	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	(c)	56 0 0	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	5 0 0 to 6 7 0	9 0 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mymensingh ...	.....	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	7 4 0 to 9 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	52 0 0	52 0 0	53 0 0	.....	.. ...	.....
Sirajganj ...	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	7 0 0 to 9 0 0	.....	... ..	.....	..... Per piece.	..... Per piece	, ...
Rangpur ...	4 0 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	65 0 0	58 0 0	56 0 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	.....

(c) Not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of October 1917.

Mart.	Iron.			Salt.			Kerosene Oil.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	24 0 0	24 0 0	14 8 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	3 2 0	2 8 6(a)
Ghatia Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	14 0 0	14 0 0	12 8 0	3 8 0	3 11 0	2 8 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	2 12 0(a)
Kalna	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	... ...	.....	...	... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	3 0 0 to 20 0 0	2 0 0 to 14 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0(a)
Chittagong ...	17 0 0	17 0 0	15 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	2 14 0‡	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	...	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	13 0 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	3 4 0*	3 1 0	3 2 0	2 12 6(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Madaripur ...	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	18 12 0	18 12 0	18 12 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 11 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 13 0(a)
Sirajganj ...	. ...	.. ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..
Rangpur ..	16 0 0	14 0 0	13 0 0	5 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0*	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 14 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Pauna. | ‡ Crushed.

Mart.	Mustard Oil.			Firewood.			Coal (Bengal).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	17 0 0	(a)17 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	...
Ghatia Hat ...	....	....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 6 0
Burdwan ...	16 8 0	16 8 0	14 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 6	0 3 0	0 5 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	0 12 6	0 13 0	0 3 0
Raniganj ...	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 2 6	0 1 4
Midnapore ...	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	15 0 0 to 15 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	.....	.....	.
Chittagong ...	20 0 0	16 8 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	...		...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	18 8 0	19 8 0	17 0 0	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	.....	... .	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	...
Mymensingh ...	...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	... .	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	. ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .
Pabna ...	18 0 0	16 8 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. .
Sirajganj ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	19 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(a) Revised.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1917.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPART

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water in the September 1917, and the highest reading of each gauge over

Date.	River Ganges.									
	Mirzapur. Zero of gauge 306·32 ft.		Benares. Zero of gauge 196·80 ft.		Buxar. Zero of gauge 167·55 ft.		Dinapore. Zero of gauge 134·23 ft.		Monghyr. Zero of gauge 101·83 ft. (a)	
	Distance in miles.	From Allahabad 86.	From Allahabad 134.	From Mirzapur 48.	From Benares 90.		From Benares 177.	From Buxar 87.	From Benares 287.	From Dinapore 110.
	Highest gauge reading.	2nd September 1916. 365·97.	2nd September 1916. 344·80.		3rd and 4th September 1916. 302·30.		5th September 1901 and 4th August 1917. 169·73.		8th September 1901. 129·60.	
	Lowest gauge reading.	28th June 1897. 187·30.	1st May 1877. 182·80.		10th to 14th May 1914. 160·80.		20th April 1912. 135·13.		29th April to 6th May 1914. 96·00.	
	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1st		41·46	247·68	35·75	232·55	30·00	197·55	30·30	164·43	20·37	122·20
2nd		39·79	246·01	34·00	230·80	29·92	197·47	30·40	164·63	20·47	122·30
3rd		38·29	244·51	32·00	228·80	29·17	196·72	30·50	164·73	20·57	122·40
4th		37·12	243·34	30·83	227·13	28·17	195·72	30·40	164·43	20·57	122·40
5th		36·96	243·18	30·17	226·97	27·50	195·05	29·50	163·73	20·37	122·20
6th		37·62	243·84	30·67	227·47	27·50	195·05	29·20	163·43	19·97	121·80
7th		39·04	245·26	32·33	229·13	28·08	195·63	29·10	163·33	19·87	121·70
8th		41·54	247·76	35·00	231·80	29·25	196·80	29·40	163·63	19·47	121·30
9th		42·21	248·43	36·25	233·05	30·42	197·97	29·90	164·13	19·47	121·30
10th		41·21	247·43	35·75	232·55	30·50	198·05	30·70	164·93	20·07	121·90
11th		39·21	245·43	33·67	230·47	30·00	197·55	30·80	165·03	20·37	122·20
12th		38·37	244·59	32·50	229·30	29·33	196·88	30·60	164·83	20·47	122·30
13th		39·37	245·59	33·67	230·47	29·33	196·88	30·00	164·23	20·47	122·30
14th		40·12	246·34	34·50	231·30	29·83	197·38	29·80	164·03	20·17	122·00
15th		39·46	245·68	34·00	230·80	29·83	197·38	30·00	164·23	20·17	122·00
16th		37·46	243·68	32·25	229·05	29·50	197·05	29·70	163·93	19·87	121·70
17th		35·79	241·51	30·00	226·80	28·33	195·88	29·40	163·63	19·77	121·60
18th		34·29	240·51	29·08	225·88	27·50	195·05	28·60	162·83	19·27	121·10
19th		34·96	241·18	29·75	226·55	27·33	194·88	28·40	162·63	18·67	120·50
20th		37·96	244·18	32·50	229·30	28·08	195·63	28·50	162·73	18·27	120·10
21st		39·79	246·01	35·50	232·30	29·83	197·38	29·70	163·93	18·67	120·50
22nd		41·46	247·68	37·17	233·97	31·00	198·55	30·40	164·63	19·67	121·50
23rd		43·12	249·34	39·00	235·80	31·25	198·80	31·00	165·23	19·97	121·80
24th		44·62	250·84	40·50	237·30	31·42	198·97	31·80	166·03	20·67	122·70
25th		44·62	250·84	40·67	237·47	31·42	198·97	32·40	166·63	21·67	123·50
26th		43·37	249·59	40·00	236·80	31·50	199·05	33·00	167·23	22·27	124·10
27th		41·87	248·09	38·00	234·80	31·50	199·05	33·00	167·23	22·87	124·70
28th		39·87	246·09	36·17	233·97	31·17	198·72	32·80	167·03	22·97	124·80
29th		38·12	244·34	34·25	231·05	30·50	198·05	32·50	166·73	23·17	125·00
30th		36·29	242·51	32·75	229·55	29·75	197·30	31·70	165·93	23·07	124·90

* New gauge fixed at Rajmahal from 1st June 1910 in place of the gauge at Sahebganj. The zero of gauge at Rajmahal is 56·46 ft. zero is again 56·46 feet above M. S.-L.

† To compare the reduced levels shown in these monthly printed statements before and after the 1st June 1903, 5·78 ft. should be

(a) A new gauge fixed at Monghyr on 16th July 1914.

(b) From the 1st November 1915, the zero of gauge is 2·43 ft. above M. S.-L. Previous to that the zero was at M. S.-L. dating back

(c) From the 25th January 1916, the zero of gauge at Berhampore is 30·99 ft. above M. S.-L.

(d) From the 25th October 1916 a temporary wooden gauge with its zero at 49·00 ft. above M. S.-L. was erected at Rampur-Boalia from 22nd September 1917 the zero of gauge was 49·00 feet and from 26th September 1917 the zero of gauge is at 61·00 feet above M. S.-L.

The 12th November 1917.

MENT—BENGAL.

rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Jalangi and Brahmaputra for the month of M. S.-L. as well as the lowest gauge-reading since 1876.

						River Bhagirathi.		River Jalangi.		River Brahmaputra.	
Rajmahal.* Zero of gauge 36·46 ft.		Rampur-Boalia. Zero of gauge 54·00 ft.(d)		Goalundo. Zero of gauge is at mean s a-level.		Berhampore. Zero of gauge 30·99 ft (c)		Serupganj. Zero of gauge 2·43 ft. (b)		Gauhati. Zero of gauge 148·76 ft.	
From Benares 407.	From Monghyr 120.	From Benar s 471.	From Rajmahal 84.	From Benares 591.	From Rampur-Boalia 120.						
15th August 1913. 88·46.		26th August 1879. 69·25.		28th August 1906 and 14th September 1915. 25·75.†		14th August 1890. 64·70.		26th September 1900. 35·08.		24th August 1906. 161·11.	
2nd May 1910. 34·63.		23rd April 1886. 37·63.		28th March 1910. 2·35.		19th to 24th April 1917. 32·40.		28th March 1915. 2·13.		9th February 1888. 142·46.	
Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean s a-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean s a-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
24·15	80·61	8·00	62·00	20·40	20·40	21·21	52·20	21·55	23·98	21·60	170·26
24·30	80·76	8·20	62·20	20·80	20·80	21·21	52·20	21·18	23·61	22·40	171·16
24·40	80·86	8·40	62·40	21·20	21·20	21·41	52·40	21·13	23·55	23·10	171·86
24·55	81·01	8·60	62·60	21·40	21·40	21·61	52·60	21·48	23·91	23·50	172·26
24·70	81·16	8·70	62·70	21·50	21·50	21·71	52·70	21·60	24·03	23·70	172·46
24·60	81·06	8·60	62·60	21·50	21·50	21·81	52·80	21·50	23·93	23·60	172·36
24·30	80·76	8·60	62·60	21·60	21·60	21·71	52·70	21·47	23·90	23·10	171·86
24·10	80·56	8·35	62·35	21·60	21·60	21·61	52·60	21·30	23·73	22·70	171·46
24·05	80·51	8·10	62·10	21·40	21·40	21·31	52·30	21·10	23·53	22·00	170·76
24·05	80·51	8·10	62·10	21·10	21·10	21·11	52·10	20·89	23·32	21·60	170·36
24·25	80·71	8·20	62·20	20·90	20·90	21·11	52·10	20·79	23·22	21·50	170·26
24·55	81·01	8·40	62·40	20·00	20·00	21·31	52·30	20·80	23·23	21·40	170·16
24·65	81·11	8·50	62·50	20·80	20·80	21·41	52·40	21·00	23·43	21·60	170·34
24·65	81·11	8·60	62·60	20·90	20·90	21·61	52·60	21·17	23·60	21·80	170·56
24·40	80·86	8·50	62·50	21·30	21·30	21·61	52·60	21·77	24·20	20·10	168·86
24·30	80·96	8·60	62·60	21·20	21·20	21·61	52·60	22·20	24·63	19·80	168·26
24·40	80·86	8·60	62·60	21·30	21·30	21·61	52·60	22·43	24·86	19·20	167·66
24·20	80·66	8·40	62·40	21·10	21·10	21·41	52·40	22·40	24·83	19·00	167·76
23·85	80·31	8·20	62·20	21·00	21·00	21·21	52·20	22·40	24·83	18·50	167·26
23·50	79·96	7·90	61·90	20·90	20·90	20·71	51·70	22·27	24·70	20·20	168·96
23·45	79·91	7·60	61·60	20·70	20·70	20·21	51·20	22·05	24·48	20·25	169·01
23·55	80·01	12·50	61·50	20·70	20·70	19·91	50·90	21·75	24·18	20·25	169·01
24·05	80·51	13·75	61·75	20·60	20·60	20·21	51·20	21·45	23·88	22·50	171·26
24·30	80·96	13·00	62·30	20·70	20·70	21·01	52·00	21·90	24·33	24·00	172·76
24·90	81·36	13·70	62·70	20·90	20·90	21·81	52·80	23·02	25·45	24·00	172·76
25·45	81·91	2·30	63·30	21·20	21·20	22·61	53·60	24·05	26·48	23·10	171·86
25·85	82·31	2·60	63·60	21·30	21·30	23·01	54·00	24·55	26·98	22·20	170·96
26·25	82·71	3·00	64·00	21·40	21·40	23·51	54·50	24·55	26·98	21·40	170·16
26·60	83·06	3·40	64·40	21·60	21·60	24·01	55·00	24·60	27·03	20·90	169·66
26·75	83·21	3·60	64·60	21·70	21·70	24·38	55·37	24·65	27·08	20·80	169·56

above M. S.-L. up to 26th October 1915 and 60·00 feet above M. S.-L. from 27th October 1915, but from 10th February 1916 the deducted from the former or added to the latter (*vide* Bengal Government letter No. 1983T.—I., dated the 13th October 1909).

to 15th July 1897.

in place of the permanent gauge washed away. From 30th July 1917 the zero of gauge at Rampur-Boalia was 51·00 ft. above M. S.-L., and

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1917-18

Area leased for irrigation up to end of September 1917.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge	Average discharge in month	Discharge utilized	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED							RAINFALL 1917-18.		RAINFALL, 1916-17		Remarks.
								Long-term leases	SEASON LEASES. Kharif	Rabi	Sugarcane	Hot-weather.	Total	Grand Total	During month	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month	
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	795	737	75,331	77,378	65 465	9,862	...	...	...	9,862	75,327	6·87	48·42	15 23	56 66	
		Pauchkura	322	28	22	3,937	8,069	7,830	...	...	...	...	...	7,830	11·17	73·88	11 30	49·26	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 86	54·26	8 14	50·57	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	79,268	85,437	73,295	9,862	...	...	...	9,862	83,157	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	72,230	13,359	...	...	...	13,359	85,589	...	...	...	...	
	Burdwan and Hooghly	Eden Canal	1,000	364	334	24,683	26,945	24,787	...	56	5	...	61	24,848	7 04	42·03	10·74	44 57	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...	...	26,127	953	97	7	...	1,057	27,184	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	103,951	112,382	98,082	9,862	56	5	...	9,973	108,005	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	98,357	14,312	97	7	...	14,416	112,773	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,

The 13th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 3rd November 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
28th Oct. 1917	7 A.M.	15·5	15·5	17·2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
29th ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·4	15·4	17·0	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
30th ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·8	15·8	16 9	
31st ,, ,,	7 ,,	16·2	16 2	16·8	
1st Nov. ,,	7 ,,	16·2	16·2	16·6	Its reduced level is 22·41.
2nd ,, ,,	7 ,,	15·7	15·7	16·4	
3rd ,, ,,	7 ,,	15 3	15·3	16·3	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Highest ,,	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto ,,	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).	Ditto ,,	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	Lowest ,,	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	Ditto ,,	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Ditto ...	Ditto ,,	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	Ditto ,,	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 3rd November 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 3rd November 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero. R. L. of ze. o = 51·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
28th Oct. 1917	7 A M	2·70	54·10	54·80	R. L. of gauge post is 51·40.
29th ,, ,,	7 ,,	2·40	53·80	54 60	B. M. on College step 69·74.
30th ,, ,,	8 ,,	2·40	53·80	54·40	
31st ,, ,,	7 ,,	2·80	54 20	54·20	
1st Nov. ,,	7 ,,	2·45	53·85	54·00	
2nd ,, ,,	7 ,,	2·35	53·75	53·80	
3rd ,, ,,	7 ,,	2·25	53·65	53·60	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	... Lowest ,,	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	... Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	... Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	38·18 on 14th-15th April 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	... Ditto ,,	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 3rd November 1917.

M. S. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 3rd November 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
28th Oct 1917	At low tide.	60·4	Not connected with mean sea-level.	60·9	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
29th „ „	Ditto	60·5		60·7	
30th „ „	Ditto	60·8		60·5	
31st „ „	Ditto	61·2		60·4	
1st Nov „	Ditto	61·4		60·2	
2nd „ „	Ditto	60·9		59·9	
3rd „ „	Ditto	60·3		59·7	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·56	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st „	1911	68·46	
31st „	1912	67·16	
26th „	1914	66·7	
31st „	1915	69·7	
18th „	1916	68·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide
18th „	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th „	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·3	
15th „	1916	50·6	

DACCA,
The 6th November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending the 10th November 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
4th Nov. 1917	7 A.M.	15·1	15·1	16·1	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
5th „ „	7 „	14·9	14·9	15·9	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghât and Chandpore ghât.
6th „ „	7 „	14·9	14·9	15·5	
7th „ „	7 „	14·9	14·9	15·3	
8th „ „	7 „	15·0	15·0	15·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
9th „ „	7 „	15·0	15·0	14·8	
10th „ „	7 „	14·9	14·9	14·7	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	... 4·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Highest „	... 25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto „	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	... ...	Ditto „	... 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	... ...	Ditto „	... 25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Record	... ...	Lowest „	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do.	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 10th November 1917.

D. C. SENGUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of Weekly Gauge Readings on the River Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 10th November 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero R. L. of zero = 51·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1917.					
4th November	7 A.M	2·10	53·50	53·40	R. L. of gauge post is 51·40.
5th "	7 "	2·50	53·90	53·20	B. M. on College step is 69·74.
6th "	7 "	3·00	54·40	53·00	
7th "	7 "	3·10	54·50	52·80	
8th "	7 "	2·90	54·30	52·40	
9th "	7 "	2·55	53·95	52·20	
10th "	7 "	2·10	53·50	51·80	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th Septemer 1885.
Do ...	...	Ditto "	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906.
Do ...	...	Ditto "	...	66·24 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest "	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	38·18 on 14th-15th April 1888.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1906.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 10th November 1917.

M. C. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in England.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 27th October 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Minerals Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles Run		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	310,870	(a) 1,39,630	1,077,610	(b)1,65 230	21,190	3,16,250	80,219	(c)41,666	(c)91,885
Or per mile of Railway ...	151·13	68·13	523·87	80 32	10·30	153·74	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2½ weeks of official half-year ...	983,930	4,26,780	2,463,450	3,72,860	57,090	8,56,730	140,536	110,313	250,749
Total for 3½ weeks ...	1,293,800	5,66,410	3,541,060	5,38,090	78,280	11,72,980	190,755	151,979	342,634
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	404,852	1,55,396	965,321	1,66,845	22,658	3,44,899	61,729	(d)50,197	111,926
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	196·80	75 54	478·96	81·11	11·03	167·87	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	1,690,730	6,23 748	3,733,811	5,81,503	86,299	12,91,550	236,546	183,254	419,800
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		2·59		2·97	·23	3 44			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year ...		2·52		3·32	·20	3·08			

(a) Decrease mainly under foreign passenger traffic.
(b) Foreign inward decreased with increases under local and foreign outward.
(c) Includes 2,756 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 4,716 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked

	COACHING TRAFFIC		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds S	Rs A P.	Rs A P.	Rs A P.			
Total traffic for the week	603,560	5,11,240 0 0	3,405,160 0	3,45,010 0 0	33,410 0 0	(c)9 89,660 0 0	83,302	d) 55,242	138 544
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 385	(a) 199 0 0	1,526 0	219 0 0	(c) 17 0 0	(c)433 0 0	.....		.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	2,369,080	11,91,960 0 0	8,992,400 0	13,56,330 0 0	1,88,450 0 0	26,86,740 0 0	312,737	208,555	521,292
Total for 5 weeks ...	2,971,590	15,03 200 0 0	11,397,560 0	17,01,340 0 0	1,71,860 0 0	33,76 400 0 0	395,039	264,797	659,836
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	717,623	3,37,088 0 0	3,135 674 0	5,11,899 0 0	43,396 0 0	8,92,385 0 0	99,898	64,680	164,578
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 459	(b) 215 0 0	1,926 0	314 0 0	23 0 0	543 0 0	....	.. ..	
Total to corresponding period of previous year	3,342,131	14,28,174 0 0	15,219,056 0	26,61 134 0 0	2,52,915 0 0	43,42293 0 0	484 211	320,870	805,081

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 68 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs 6 700
(d) Including ballast train miles 6 600

(e) Decrease is chiefly due to smaller traffic in jute

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried	Goods earnings			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs A P	Mds. S.	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,540	15,420 0 0	128,590 0	9,080 0 0	3,260 0 0	30 760 0 0	3,483	6,271	9,754
Per mile of railway per week	393	133 0 0	1,109 0	78 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a 239 0 0			
For previous 4 weeks of half-year ...	243,400	75,870 0 0	524,470 0	31,090 0 0	13,340 0 0	1,19,300 0 0	17,338	16,845	34,171
Total for 5 weeks .	288,940	94,290 0 0	653,060 0	40,170 0 0	15,600 0 0	1,50,060 0 0	20,809	23,116	43,925
COMPARISON									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	68 483	25,028	197,696	12,726 0 0	2,831 0 0	41 485 0	6 974	2 689	9,663
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (118 mean mileage worked)	590	233 0 0	1,704 0	110 0	.....	333 0 0	...		
Total to corresponding period of previous year	310,801	1,00,553 0 0	816,574 0	49,594 0 0	14,147 0 0	1,64,594 0 0	33,976	12,544	46 520

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,000.

(b) Including ballast train-miles, 600.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,610	2,700 0 0	28,730 0	1 950 0 0	30 0 0	4,680 0 0	793	159	952
Per mile of railway per week	140	82 0 0	871 0	59 0 0	1 0 0	142 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	26,040	9,850 0 0	98,170 0	7,370 0 0	110 0 0	17,330 0 0	2,916	756	3,672
Total for 5 weeks ...	30,650	12,550 0 0	126,900 0	9,320 0 0	140 0 0	22,010 0 0	3,709	915	4,624
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	4,974	2,690 0 0	44,293 0	3 829 0 0	62 0 0	6,781 0 0	958	443	1,401
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	151	87 0 0	1,343 0	116 0 0	2 0 0	205 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	21,814	9,630 0 0	161,014 0	15,456 0 0	205 0 0	25,291 0 0	4,628	1,859	6,487

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,470	5,340 0 0	127,740 0	5,210 0 0	30 0 0	10,480 0 0	1,311	1,476	2 687
Per mile of railway per week	276	94 0 0	2,281 0	93 0 0	.....	187 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	64,780	22,720 0 0	782,990 0	33,470 0 0	150 0 0	56,340 0 0	4,672	6,262	10,934
Total for 5 weeks ...	80,250	27,960 0 0	880,730 0	38,680 0 0	180 0 0	66,820 0 0	5,983	7,738	13,621
Total for 16 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	290,818	100,089 0 0	2,238,095 0	1,09,576 0 0	586 0 0	2,10,251 0 0	27,364	21,964	49,348
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,353	6,373 0 0	259,730 0	10,411 0 0	26 0 0	16,810 0 0	1,678	1,595	3,273
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	346	114 0 0	4,638 0	186 0 0	.....	300 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	83 727	26,712 0 0	1,097,844 0	45,586 0 0	146 0 0	72,444 0 0	8,201	7,302	15,503
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	289,858	87,169 0 0	3,485,461 0	1,35,486 0 0	809 0 0	2,23 364 0 0	32.640	24,109	56,749

(a) Audited figures to end of August 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P			
Total traffic for the week	11,020	3 140 0 0	14,570 0	(a)1,020 0 0	20 0 0	4,180 0 0	1,190	938	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	208	59 0 0	275 0	19 0 0	1 0 0	79 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	33,920	10,170 0 0	142,380 0	10,250 0 0	70 0 0	20,490 0 0	4,405	3,602	8,007
Total for 5 weeks ...	44,940	13,310 0 0	156,950 0	11,270 0 0	90 0 0	24,670 0 0	5,595	4,540	10,135
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	10,503	3,020 0 0	56,038 0	3,790 0 0	13 0 0	6,823 0 0	1,468	709	2,177
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)...	210	60 0 0	1,121 0	76 0 0	.....	136 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	47,476	13,216 0 0	248,589 0	18,287 0 0	81 0 0	31,584 0 0	6,976	3,737	10,713

(a) Decrease in goods earnings is chiefly due to less jute traffic.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1917, on 2,645 mean mileage worked.*

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs A P	Mds S	Rs A P.	Rs A. P	Rs A P			
		(a)							
Total traffic for the period	580,650	7,74,908 0 0	95,66,632 0	15,72,065 0 0	56,700 0 0	24,03,673 0 0	151,518	333,731	485,249
Or per mile of Railway ...	.....	292 15 6	.....	594 5 8	21 7 0	908 12 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1½ weeks of half-year.	1,097,763	13,95,861 0 0	16,613,844 0	26,96,466 0 0	85,450 0 0	41,77,777 0 0	288,671	580 890	869,561
Total from 1st October	1,678,413	21,70,769 0 0	26,180,476 0	42,68,531 0 0	1,42,150 0 0	65,81,450 0 0	440,189	914,621	1,354,810
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	628,529	5,93,090 0 0	9,996,715 0	15,94,505 0 0	1,800 0 0	21 89,395 0 0	177,978	349,823	527,801
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	227 12 2	.....	613 5 3	0 11 1	840 12 6	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	1,901,617	17 67,753 0 0	53 317,925 0	40,31,138 0 0	3,379 0 0	58,07,270 0 0	513 364	969,047	1,481,471

* Decrease of 5 mean mileage is due to the dismantling of the Bhagalpur-Bausi Branch (32 miles) from 20th October 1917

(a) The increase is chiefly due to enhancement of fares.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate Rs A P
2,650	First 13 days of October	1,097,763	13,95,861	16,613,844	26,96,466	85,450	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 12 10
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,650	7,74,908	9,566,632	15,72,065	56,700	24,03,673	909	485,249	4 15 3
	Totals up to date ...	1,678,413	21,70,769	26,180,476	42,68,531	1,42,150	65,81,450	870	1,354,810	4 13 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17*

		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate Rs. A P.
2,604	First 14 days of October	1,372,076	12,68,220	16,446,357	26, 18,533	7,331	38,94,074	748	1,027,498	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	628,529	5,93,090	9,996,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,801	4 2 4
	Total up to date ...	2,000,605	18,61,310	26,443 972	42,13,038	9,1 31	60,83,469	779	1,555,299	3 14 7

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	75,676	55,995 0 0	989,067 0	62,721 0 0	285 0 0	1,19,001 0 0	11,785	8,900	20,685
Or per mile of railway...	.....	287 2 5	.....	321 10 4	1 7 5	610 4 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 19 weeks of half-year.	82,379	78,883 0 0	1,153,121 0	79,664 0 0	522 0 0	1,59,069 0 0	22,853	15,019	37,872
Total from 1st October...	158,055	1,34,878 0 0	2,142,188 0	1,42,385 0 0	807 0 0	2,78,070 0 0	34,638	23,919	58,557
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	42,550	35,411 0 0	454,313 0	39,137 0 0	289 0 0	74,837 0 0	11,720	10,539	22,259
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	181 9 6	.....	200 11 3	1 7 9	383 13 6	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	124,640	1,02,714 0 0	1,355,026 0	99,088 0 0	825 0 0	2 02,632 0 0	34,530	27,964	62,494

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,379	78,883	1,153,121	79,664	522	1,59,069	434	37,872	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	989,067	62,721	285	1,19,001	610	20,685	5 12 1
	Totals up to date ...	158,055	1,34,878	2,142,188	1 42,385	807	2,78,070	499	58,557	4 12 0

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88,079	72,538	993,786	64,072	578	1,36,988	351	43 165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,313	39,137	289	74,837	384	22,349	3 5 10
	Totals up to date ...	130,629	1,07,749	1,448,099	1,03,209	867	2,11,825	362	65,424	3 3 10

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 27th October 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	548 394	6,18,470 0 0	7,027,312 0	11,62,617 0 0	71,700 0 0	18,52,787 0 0	149,564	315,388	464,952
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	236 5 10	.....	444 1 4	27 6 2	707 11 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 26 weeks of half-year ...	1,678,413	21,70,769 0 0	26,1:0,476 0	42,66,531 0 0	1,42,150 0 0	65,81,450 0 0	440,189	914,621	1,354,810
Total from 1st October ...	2,206 807	27,89,239 0 0	33,207,788 0	54,31,148 0 0	2,13,850 0 0	84,34,237 0 0	589,753	1,230,009	1,819,762
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	589,838	5,39,735 0 0	9,606,846 0	15,24 736 0 0	7,400 0 0	20,71,891 0 0	178,656	340,343	518,999
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	207 4 4	.....	585 8 8	2 13 6	795 10 6	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	2,491,460	25,07,488 0 0	34,424,771 0	55,55,894 0 0	15,779 0 0	78,79,161 0 0	691,070	1,309,390	2,000,410

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The decrease is in Coal.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs A. P
2,650	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,763	13,95,861	16,613,844	26,96,466	85,450	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 13 10
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,650	7,74,906	9,566,633	16,72,085	56,700	24,03,673	909	493,249	4 15 3
2,618	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	528,394	6,18,470	7,037,312	11,63,617	71,700	18,53,787	708	484,952	3 15 9
	Totals up to date ...	2,206,807	27,89,239	33,207,788	54,31,148	2,13,850	84,34,237	828	1,819,762	4 10 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,372,076	12,68,220	16,446,257	26,18,523	7,331	38,94,074	748	1,027,498	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	628,529	5,93,090	9,996,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,801	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,833	5,39,735	9,606,846	15,24,756	7,400	20,71,891	796	518,999	3 15 10
	Totals up to date ...	2,590,438	24,01,049	35,049,818	57,37,784	16,531	81,55,360	783	2,074,298	3 14 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th October 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	36,138	36,232 0 0	673,647 0	51,068 0 0	285 0 0	87,585 0 0	11,702	8,468	20,170
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	185 13 11	.....	261 14 2	1 7 5	449 2 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 25 weeks of half-year	158,055	1,34,878 0 0	2,142,186 0	1,42,385 0 0	807 0 0	2,78,070 0 0	34,638	23 919	58,557
Total from 1st Oct. ...	196,193	1,71,110 0 0	2,815,835 0	1,93,453 0 0	1,092 0 0	3,65,655 0 0	46,340	32,387	78,727
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	35,956	35,048 0 0	509,453 0	41,823 0 0	289 0 0	77,160 0 0	11,441	9,382	20,823
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	179 11 9	.....	214 7 8	1 7 8	395 11 1	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	180,596	1,37,762 0 0	1,894,479 0	1,40,906 0 0	1,114 0 0	2,79,783 0 0	45,971	37,346	83,317

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of Oct. ...	82,379	75,882	1,153,121	79,664	522	1,59,069	439	37,879	4 3 9
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	989,087	62,721	285	1,19,001	610	20,685	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	38,138	36,232	673,647	51,068	285	87,585	449	20,170	4 5 6
	Totals up to date ...	196,193	1,71,110	2,815,855	1,93,453	1,092	3,65,655	486	78,727	4 10 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
195	First 14 days of Oct. ...	88,079	72,338	993,786	64,073	578	1,36,988	351	43,165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,313	39,187	289	74,887	384	23,359	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,956	35,048	509,453	41,823	289	77,160	396	20,823	3 11 3
	Totals up to date ...	166,585	1,42,797	1,957,552	1,45,083	1,156	2,88,985	370	86,347	3 5 7

JHIND-PANIPAT EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 20th October 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,506	2,854 0 0	30,759 0	1,267 0 0	15 0 0	4,136 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.. ...	64 12 10	.....	28 19 9	0 5 5	94 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 1⅔ weeks of half-year.	11,670	3,010 0 0	56,828 0	2,651 0 0	28 0 0	5,689 0 0	1,703	566	2,269
Total from 1st October	22,176	5,864 0 0	87,587 0	3,918 0 0	43 0 0	9,825 0 0	2,620	871	3,491

1917-18. *Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.*

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,651	28	5,689	70	2,269	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	30,759	1,267	15	4,136	94	1,222	3 6 2
	Totals up to date ...	22,176	5,864	87,587	3,918	43	9,825	78	3,491	2 13 0

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 27th October 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,300	1,570 0 0	19,759 0	1,193 0 0	15 0 0	2,778 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	35 10 11	.....	27 1 16	0 5 5	63 2 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2⅓ weeks of half-year.	22,176	5 864 0 0	87,587 0	3,918 0 0	43 0 0	9,825 0 0	2,620	871	3,491
Total from 1st October...	28,476	7,434 0 0	1,07,346 0	5,111 0 0	58 0 0	12,603 0 0	3,537	1,176	4,713

1917-18. *Abstract of progressive weekly return of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.*

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,651	28	5,689	70	2,269	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	30,759	1,267	15	4,136	94	1,222	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,300	1,570	19,759	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,222	2 4 4
	Totals up to date ...	28,476	7,434	107,346	5,111	58	12,603	74	4,713	2 10 9

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(d)	
Total traffic for the week...	6,209	1,954 0 0	56,302 0	12,454 0 0	(a)270 0 0	14,678 0 0	535	635	1,170
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	54 0 0	...	346 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 401 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year.*	25,953	7,975 0 0	232,419 0	37,860 0 0	1,683 0 0	47,498 0 0	2,032	2,559	4,591
Total for 5 weeks ...	32,162	9,909 0 0	288,721 0	50,314 0 0	1,953 0 0	62,176 0 0	2,567	3,194	5,761
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	9,528	2,619 0 0	89,729 0	14,096 0 0	(b)385 0 0	17,100 0 0	576	(e) 794	1,370
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	73 0 0	...	391 0 0	2 0 0	(c) 466 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	40,328	11,088 0 0	396,306 0	56,310 0 0	1,585 0 0	70,928 0 0	2,347	4,312	6,659

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 254.
(b) Ditto. 1916. Rs. 327.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, Nil.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 66.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	16,866	5,606 0 0	86,101 0	18,459 0 0	40 0 0	24,105 0 0	1,905	3,309	5,214
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	48 0 0	...	158 0 0	.....	206 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year.*	57,313	19,049 0 0	370,855 0	54,372 0 0	1,321 0 0	74,742 0 0	7,406	11,647	19,053
Total for 5 weeks ...	74,179	24,655 0 0	456,956 0	72,831 0 0	1,361 0 0	98,847 0 0	9,311	14,956	24,267
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	20,278	6,930 0 0	117,557 0	22,037 0 0	44 0 0	29,001 0 0	1,682	(b)3,781	5,463
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	59 0 0	...	188 0 0	1 0 0	248 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	90,807	28,563 0 0	546,057 0	87,704 0 0	292 0 0	116,559 0 0	8,963	17,669	26,632

(a) Ballast train-miles, 640.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 720.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 27th October 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,159	22,686 0 0	34,331 0	14,132 0 0	124 0 0	36,342 0 0	2,726	3,479	6,205
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	433 0 0	.....	277 0 0	3 0 0	713 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of the half-year	17,190	53,264 0 0	71,077 0	27,380 0 0	921 0 0	81,565 0 0	3,507	7,851	16,358
Total traffic up to 27th October 1917 ...	24,309	75,350 0 0	105,408 0	41,512 0 0	1,045 0 0	1,17,907 0 0	11,233	11,330	22,563
(27 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	383 0 0	.....	211 0 0	5 0 0	599 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	7,207	17,561 0 0	33,946 0	14,103 0 0	157 0 0	31,820 0 0	2,484	3,387	5,871
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	344 0 0	.....	277 0 0	3 0 0	624 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	28,213½	63 901 0 0	133,229 0	55,082 0 0	947 0 0	1,19,910 0 0	9,868	14,394	24.262
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	325 0 0	.....	980 0 0	5 0 0	610 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week		+ 4,525		+ 30	— 33	+ 4,523			
Difference up to date		+ 11,449		— 13,550	+ 98	— 2,003			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local and Foreign passengers and Parcel traffic.
The traffic during this month is good and it is expected that the estimated earning for this half-year of Rs. 5,60,000 will be reached.
The up-to-date increase in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers, Luggage and Parcel traffic.
The up-to-date decrease in Goods is mainly in Public Coal, Rice, Potatoes and Tea traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 27th October 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	5,784	1,926 0 0	25,796 0	2,178 0 0	30 0 0	4,134 0 0	616	1,344	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	28 0 0	.....	31 0 0	.....	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of the half-year	13,556	7,483 0 0	27,649 0 0	3,416 0 0	73 0 0	10,973 0 0	1,872	3,868	5,740
Total traffic up to 27th October 1917	17,340	5 409 0 0	53,445 0	5,594 0 0	103 0 0	15,106 0 0	2,488	5,212	7,700
(27 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	6,793	2,165 0 0	26,360 0	1,998 0 0	18 0 0	4,181 0 0	913	733	1,645
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	31 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	28,971	8,394 0 0	80,080 0	6,115 0 0	64 0 0	14,573 0 0	3,488	2 852	6,340
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	31 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	54 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week ...		— 239		+ 180	+ 12	— 47			
Difference up to date ...		+ 1,015		— 521	+ 39	+ 533			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Potato traffic.
The traffic on this section is improving and it is expected that the estimated earnings of Rs. 1,35,000 for the half-year will be reached.
The up to date increase in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The up to date increase in Goods is mainly in Jute traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 27th October 1917, on 30 miles open

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A P.	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	812	676 0 0	1,676 0	882 0 0	4 0 0	1,062 0 0	218	188	406
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	22 0 0	... .	18 0 0	.....	35 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 2 weeks of the half-year	1,377	895 0 0	3,619 0	797 0 0	9 0 0	1,701 0 0	592	338	930
Total traffic up to 27th October 1917	1,989	1,571 0 0	5,295 0	1,179 0 0	13 0 0	2,763 0 0	810	526	1,336
(27 days) Or per week per mile of railway .. .	.....	14 0 0	....	10 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	502½	270 0 0	6,267 0	1,126 0 0	7 0 0	1,403 0 0	172	174	346
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	9 0 0	.....	38 0 0	... ..	47 0 0	... ..	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	1,440½	707 0 0	13,338 0	2,484 0 0	14 0 0	3,205 0 0	465	320	785
Or per week per mile of railway	... .	6 0 0	.... .	22 0 0	.....	28 0 0	.....	.....	... ..
NOTES —Difference for the week		+ 406		— 746		— 8	— 346		
Difference up to date		+ 664		— 1,305		— 1	— 442		

The increase during the week in coaching is mainly in Local Passengers and Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Public Coal, Lime, Tea and Wool Traffic
The traffic on this section is steady and it is expected that the estimated earning for this half-year of Rs 85,000 might be reached.
The up to date increase in coaching is mainly in Local Passengers and Parcel traffic.
The up to date decrease in goods is mainly in Lime, Sugar, Tea and Wool traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 27th October 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P	Mds S.	Rs A. P.	Rs A P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	79,660	54 362 0 0	295,103 0	58,503 0 0	7,356 0 0	1,20,121 0 0	12,928	21,018	33,946
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	61 78	.....	65·54	8·13	135·45	.....	... ...	... ...
For previous 2⅞ weeks of half-year	259,054	1,75,628 0 0	949,825 0	1,57,197 0 0	18,308 0 0	3,51,133 0 0	36,087	57,972	94,059
Total for 3⅞ weeks	338,714	2,29,990 0 0	1,244,928 0	2,15,700 0 0	25,664 0 0	4,71,254 0 0	49,015—	78,990	128,005
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ..	97,391	51,472 0 0	459,490 0	88,703 0 0	12 699 0 0	1,52,874 0 0	15,216	23,041	37,257
Per mile of railway a)	.....	64·26	.....	107 78	15 43	187·47	... ...	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	363,855	1,97,637 0 0	1,582,340 0	3,13,403 0 0	38,082 0 0	5,50,022 0 0	58 431	78,402	136,833

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period

FINANCIAL YEAR

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 27th October 1917.			Receipts for week ending 27th October 1916			Total Receipts from 1st April 1917 to 27th October 1917	Total Receipts from 1st April 1916 to 27th October 1916	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked	Receipts	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts	Total receipts		
	Rs	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.
857·66	1,20,121	135 45	823	1 52,874	187·47	38,88,303	39 97,973	.....	1,09 670

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 27th October 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	13,284	3,733 0 0	39,160	5,538 0 0	.....	9,271 0 0	1,168	978	2,146
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	64·91	.....	63·23	.....	128·14	.....	.....	.....
For previous 23 weeks of half-year	35,056	12,150 0 0	60,169	9,014 0 0	.....	21,164 0 0	3,837	1,901	5,238
Total for 37 weeks ...	48,340	15,340 0 0	99,329	14,552 0 0	.....	30,435 0 0	4,505	2,879	7,384
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 27th October 1917.			Receipts for week ending 27th October 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 27th October 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 27th October 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
87·59	9,271	128·14	...	.....	...	69,415	.....	69,415	.....

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14253P.—The 16th November 1917.—Their Excellencies the Viceroy and Lady Chelmsford, and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India will arrive at Howrah (Platform No. 6) at 8-54 A.M. (Calcutta time) on Saturday, the 1st December 1917. The arrival will be private.

2. Their Excellencies and the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State will be received on arrival by His Excellency the Governor of Bengal attended by his Personal Staff and the officials detailed below :—

The Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.
The General Officer Commanding the Presidency Brigade.
The Magistrate of Howrah.
The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation
The Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.
The Agent, East Indian Railway.

A salute of 31 guns will be fired from the ramparts of Fort William as His Excellency the Viceroy alights from his saloon.

3. After the necessary introductions have been made the party will proceed to Government House by motor.

4. The route will be *viâ* the Howrah Bridge, Strand Road, Fairlie Place, Dalhousie Square, and Old Court House Street, and the entry to Government House will be by the North-East gate.

5 *Dress*:—Undress uniform will be worn by Civil Officers and Field Service khaki by Military Officers. Gentlemen not entitled to wear uniform will appear in Morning Dress.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 6104A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 5949A.—The 13th November 1917.*—Babu Kumud Bihari Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Kalna subdivision of the Burdwan district.

Burdwan.

No. 5978A.—The 16th November 1917.—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to appoint Risaldar Faiz Muhammad Khan, I.O.M., 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse), temporary Indian Aide-de-Camp, to be Indian Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 27th March 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 5985A.—The 16th November 1917.—Mr. G. D. Pyne, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, who has been appointed to have charge of the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district, is appointed temporarily to act, in addition to his own duties, as Cantonment Magistrate of Barrackpore and Dum Dum.

24-Parganas.

No. 5996A.—The 16th November 1917.—Babu Birendra Mohan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is transferred temporarily to the Netrakona subdivision of that district.

Mymensingh.

No. 6042A.—The 19th November 1917.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Captain W. P. Ocock, 1-10th Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the afternoon of the 14th November 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 6026A.—The 20th November 1917.—Mr. A. G. Allison, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Birbhum, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Alipur subdivision of the Jalpaiguri district.

Birbhum.
Jalpaiguri.

No. 6029A.—The 20th November 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Halim Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Birbhum district.

Birbhum.

No. 6074A.—The 20th November 1917.—The Probationary Deputy Collectors, named below, are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names:—

Babu Sachindra Nath Mukharji	...	...	24-Parganas.
Maulvi Saiyid Ahmadulla	...	...	Chittagong.
Babu Nitya Gopal Ray	...	...	Hooghly.
„ Banku Bihari Ghosh	...	...	24-Parganas.
Maulvi Khundkar Ali Taib	...	..	Murshidabad.
Babu Karunamay Mitra	...	...	Howrah.
Maulvi Abdur Rahim	...	...	Faridpur.

No. 6100A.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Atul Gopal Ray, Probationary Deputy Collector, Sirajganj, Pabna, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Bogra district.

Pabna.
Bogra.

LEGISLATIVE.—*No. 5698A.—The 7th November 1917.*—Mr. Jyotish Chandra Mukharji, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Assistant Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

Calcutta.

No. 5992A.—The 16th November 1917.—Mr. A. M. Hutchison, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Assistant Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Legislative Department and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council with effect from the 2nd November 1917.

Calcutta.

REGISTRATION.—*No. 5946A.—The 13th November 1917.*—Babu Sushil Kumar Gangali, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Kalna, Burdwan, is appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal.

Burdwan.
Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 5983A.—The 16th November 1917.*—The orders of the 24th September 1917, granting privilege leave for two weeks to Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, are cancelled.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 14th November 1917 :—

No. 8586J.—The 10th November 1917.—Mr. A. Mellor, I.C.S., is appointed to officiate as District and Sessions Judge of the Assam Valley Districts with effect from the 17th November 1917.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6103A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas, in pursuance of Regulation XI (*b*) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General of India, the Governor General has been pleased, by notification No. 45A., dated the 15th November 1917, to call upon the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to elect, in accordance with the said Regulations, by the tenth day of January 1918, a person to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Bhupendra Nath Basu :

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following orders under Schedule II to the said Regulations in modification of the orders issued in notification No. 3873A., dated the 20th June 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st *idem* :—

Orders under Schedule II.

(*1*) *Rule 3*(*2*).—The Returning officer shall send nomination papers to electors on or before the 1st December 1917.

(*2*) *Rule 4*(*2*).—The Returning officer shall notify the withdrawal of any candidate by affixing a notice over his signature in a conspicuous place in his office and by sending a copy thereof to the Press Room in Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, and also by publishing a notification over his signature in the *Calcutta Gazette* before the date appointed under rule 8 for the meeting of electors.

(*3*) *Rule 5*(*1*).—The scrutiny of nomination papers of candidates shall be made in the Committee room in Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, at 12 noon, on the 15th December 1917.

(*4*) *Rule 6*(*2*).—The names of candidates duly nominated shall (if there be more than one) be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th December 1917.

(*5*) *Rule 6*(*3*).—The Returning officer shall send voting papers to electors on or before the 22nd December 1917.

(*6*) *Rule 8.*—The electors shall meet on the 3rd January 1918, at 11 A. M., in the Committee room in Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, for the purpose of electing a member.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

APPORTIONMENT ORDERS.

No. 7554L.R.—The 16th November 1917.—Under section 114 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council has determined that in thanas Bagmara, Tanore, Putia and part of thanas Godagari, Boalia and Charghat, in the district of Rajshahi, where a record-of-rights has been prepared under Notification No. 2470L.R., dated the 6th September 1912, the landlords' and tenants' shares of the cost of survey and record-of-rights, including the estimated cost of maintaining boundary marks for a period of fifteen years should be apportioned and recovered as specified below :—

Rajshahi.

(1) A rate of annas fifteen shall be levied per acre, of which the raiyats and persons holding non-agricultural tenancies shall pay annas five per acre, and their landlords of all grades together annas ten per acre.

(2) Landlords shall pay the raiyats' share for lands in their khas possession, and raiyats shall pay the full raiyati share for lands sublet as well as for those in their khas possession.

(3) As between the different grades of landlords, the landlords' share shall be apportioned thus :—

(*a*) permanent tenure-holders, whose rent or rate of rent is fixed in perpetuity, shall pay the whole of the landlords' share ;

(*b*) other permanent tenure-holders and temporary tenure-holders, whose lease has over fifteen years to run, shall pay three-fourths ;

(*c*) temporary tenure-holders, whose lease has fifteen years to run, shall pay $\frac{15}{16}$ths of the share they would pay in accordance with (*b*) above, if they were permanent tenure-holders, and so on proportionately according to the number of years of the lease to run. The remainder shall be paid by their landlords ;

(*d*) temporary tenureholders, who do not hold on a lease or for a fixed term shall pay half of the landlords' share. The other half shall be paid by their landlords.

Explanation.—The calculation shall be made from the lowest grade of landlords immediately above the raiyat. The period for which the lease of the tenure or under-tenure is to run is to be reckoned in each case from the close of the Agricultural year 1324 B.S.

(4) Rent-free holders, whether of the degree of raiyat or landlord, shall pay the whole of the landlords' share for their lands.

(5) Under-raiyats shall pay at the rate of four annas a tenancy.

(6) The following minimum charges shall be adopted :—

(*a*) the minimum charge shall be the charge for one acre ;

(*b*) for broken areas over one acre there shall be no charge for the broken portion, if less than half an acre ; but if the broken portion be half an acre or upwards it shall be taken as a full acre.

Exemption.—In areas under settlement of land-revenue no recoveries will be made.

No. 7716L.R.—The 19th November 1917.—Under section 114 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), and in modification of the orders contained in Government Order No. 1642T.R., dated the 26th September 1910, and in confirmation of the orders contained in Government Resolution No. 711, dated the 9th February 1911, the Governor in Council directs that the cost of the survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights undertaken, under Government Notifications Nos. 719L.R., dated the 3rd February 1908 (published at pages 274 and 275, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem), and 1912L.R., dated the 31st March 1908 (published at page 778, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1908), in respect of the Jhargram Wards'

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estate comprised in parganas Jhargram and Chiara, bearing, respectively, tauzi Nos. 859 and 521 on the revenue-roll of the Midnapore Collectorate and in mahal Kanchannagar *alias* Mathkatpur, tauzi No. 1893, in pargana Mathkatpur in the same district, shall be borne by the landlords and tenants in the manner specified below. The balance of the cost unrecovered shall be borne by the proprietor in addition to what may be payable by him according to this apportionment order as landlord :—

I.—A rate of Re. 1 per acre shall be levied on all cultivated lands, and a rate of 4 annas per acre shall be levied on jungle, waste and *dahi* lands.

II.—The whole of the 4 annas rate shall be paid by the landlords.

III.—Of the Re. 1 rate, the landlords shall pay 10 annas and the raiyats 6 annas.

IV.—The landlords' share, *i.e.*, 4 annas for jungle, waste and *dahi* lands, and 10 annas for cultivated lands, shall be divided as follows in the different classes of villages :—

(*i*) In rent-free and Bibuan villages the tenure-holder shall pay the whole of the landlords' share.

(*ii*) In villages held by permanent mandals, *i.e.*, mandals whose tenures are heritable and transferable, the permanent mandal shall pay one-fourth and the proprietor three-fourths of the landlords' share.

(*iii*) Temporary mandals shall not pay any part of the landlords' share.

V.—The landlords shall pay the raiyats' share for cultivated lands in their khas possession.

VI.—Non-occupancy raiyats and under-raiyats shall be exempted from payment.

VII.—In calculating costs the unit of assessment shall be one acre, and in the case of holdings over one acre in extent, fractions of less than half an acre shall be omitted, and those of half an acre and over shall be counted as one acre.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Faridpur. Jessore.

No. 7682L.R.—The 19th November 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Mr. I. Newton, Extra Assistant Superintendent, Survey of India, and Technical Adviser, Jessore Settlement, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore including the area transferred to the district of Faridpur by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

24-Parganas, Noakhali and Tippera.

No. 7748L.R.—The 20th November 1917.—Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera with effect from the 21st November 1917 or any subsequent date on which he may join his settlement duties.

24-Parganas.

No. 7770L.R.—The 20th November 1917.—Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act (V of 1875), the Governor of Bengal in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands comprised in the Ditiya and new gheries of Shikarpur 2nd portion included in estate Shikarpur 2nd portion bearing Tauzi No. 2933 in the district of the 24-Parganas and the boundaries of the estates, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed.

No. 7712L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Babu Jogindra Nath Pal, Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Faridpur.

No. 7630Agri.—The 16th November 1917.—In consequence of the appointment of Babu Rajeswar Das Gupta, Superintendent of Agriculture, Dacca Division, as Officiating Deputy Director of Agriculture, Bengal, Babu Jamini Kumar Biswas, Subordinate Agricultural Service, class I, is appointed to act in his place with effect from the 1st November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he joined the appointment.

Dacca Divn.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7688L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Rangpur for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an inspection bungalow at Chilmari, in the village of Manushmara, pargana Baharbond, zilla Rangpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 bighas and 13 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Rangpur.

North—By the lands of Samat and Basarat,

East—By the Union Committee road,

South—By the Union Committee road and land of Basarat,

West—By the land of Basarat,

is required within the aforesaid village of Manushmara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kurigaon.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7691L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the police-station at Baidyar Bazar, in the village of Deobhog, pargana Sonargaon, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the remaining homestead and *nal* lands of Tara Kanta Bachaspati and others.

East—By the pathway,

South—By the District Board Road,

West—By the khal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Deobhog.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7694L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Salkopa, pargana Shahaujial, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North and East—By lands of Natabar Ghosh and Hazari Lal Ghosh,

South and West—By lands of Natabar Ghosh and Hazari Lal Ghosh and by a *Halot*,

is required within the aforesaid village of Salkopa.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7697L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank in the village of Gunna, pargana Mahammadshahi, district Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

Jessore.

North—Partly by a *Hallot* and partly by the Kaliganj-Kharagoda District Board Road,

East—Partly by the Kaliganj-Kharagoda District Board Road and partly by lands of Rakhal Naik, Balai Kalu, Jadu Das and Keshab Das Bairagi,

South—Partly by land of Rakhal Naik and partly by lands of Rakhal Naik, Balai Kalu, Jadu Das and Keshab Das Bairagi,

West—Partly by a *Hallot* and partly by land of Rakhal Naik,

is required within the aforesaid village of Gunna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Jessore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7700L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore, for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a rest-house at Garbetta, in the villages of Ganakbandi and Jharbani, pargana Bagri, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 18 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·29 acres, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By District Board Road No. 8,

East—By Udbastu lands of Shibnarayan Ray and Tripura Kundu,

South and West—By Khas patit lands of Upendra Nath Goswami and the Midnapore Zemindary Co., Ltd.,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Ganakbandi and Jharbani.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 7703L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for excavating a tank in the village of Chachra, pargana Naldi, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Nitya Gopal Bhaumik, Aijaddi Molla and Radha Charan Sarkar,

East—By the lands of Abdul Molla, Gopal Chandra Biswas, Nitya Gopal Bhaumik and Radha Charan Sarkar,

South—By the land of Radha Charan Sarkar,

West—By the lands of Radha Charan Sarkar and Nitya Gopal Bhaumik,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chachra.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Calcutta.

No. 7706L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for the General Improvement Scheme known as Scheme No. 1-C (Ismail Madan Lane Area) in Ward No. VIII of the Calcutta Municipality which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 48 of the Calcutta Improvement Act of 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 bighas and 4 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 3·3719 acres, bounded on the—

North—By premises Nos. 38 and 38-1, Lower Chitpore Road, a portion of premises No. 2, Zakharia Street, the public passage, premises Nos. 8, 10 and 12, Zakharia Street, Zakharia Street, Ismail Madan Lane, premises Nos. 16, 18, 20 and 22, Zakharia Street,

East—By premises No. 8, Zakharia Street, Ismail Madan Lane, portions of premises Nos. 16 and 22, Zakharia Street, premises Nos. 21 and 19, Kanai Seal Street, the public passage, premises No. 5, Kanai Seal Street, premises No. 49-1, Rattu Sircar Lane, Rattu Sircar Lane, premises Nos. 7, 6, 5-1 and 5, Rattu Sircar Lane, land belonging to the Calcutta Improvement Trust, portions of premises Nos. 74 and 76-1, Colootolah Street, and premises No. 77, Colootolah Street (Musjid),

South—By premises No. 7, Rattu Sircar Lane, Colootolah Street, premises No. 56, Rattu Sircar Lane, premises Nos. 74, 75, 75-1, 75-3, 76, 76-1, and 77, Colootolah Street, Colootolah Street, premises No. 85, Colootolah Street, and premises No. 36, Lower Chitpore Road,

West—By premises Nos. 58, 57 and 56, Rattu Sircar Lane, a portion of premises No. 76, Colootolah Street, premises No. 85, Colootolah Street, premises No. 36, Lower Chitpore Road, Lower Chitpore Road, premises Nos. 38 and 38-1, Lower Chitpore Road, a portion of premises No. 2, Zakharia Street, premises No. 12, Zakharia Street, and a portion of premises No. 18, Zakharia Street,

excluding the Imambara in premises No. 33, Ismail Madan Lane, and all public roads, passages, streets, lanes and drains is required within the aforesaid Ward No. VIII in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land and the list of properties to be acquired may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7709L.A.—The 19th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a halting shed in the village of Hasnabad, pargana Agarpara, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 6 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the drain of the tow path,
East—By the lands of Matabbar Sardar and Khater Biswas,
South—By the lands of Matabbar Sardar, Khater Biswas and Karim Gazi,
West—By the land of Srimanta Ari,

is required within the aforesaid village of Hasnabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Circular and Eastern Canals Division.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7757L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bankura for a public purpose, viz., for a diversion at the 14th and 15th miles of Vishnupur-Balsi Road in the village of Paschimpara, pargana Barahazari Khariza Vishnupur, zilla Bankura, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 7 bighas 18 cottahs 3 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·615 acres, bounded on the—

Bankura.

North—By cultivated lands of mauza Paschimpara,
East—By cultivated lands of mauza Paschimpara and road from Patrasier to Balsi,
South—By cultivated lands of mauza Paschimpara and a road from Vishnupur to Balsi,
West—By cultivated lands of mauza Paschimpara,

is required within the aforesaid village of Paschimpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Vishnupur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 7758L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Kaijuri halting shed in the village of Kaliani, pargana Buran, thana Satkhira, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 cottahs and 7 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the land of Jorabdi Molla,
East and West—By the land of Tofiloddi Biswas,
South—By Kaliani village road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kaliani.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Satkhira.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Jessore.

No. 7761L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Jessore for a public purpose, viz., for excavating a tank in the village of Bangram, pargana Yusufpur, zilla Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 bighas 2 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·02 acres, bounded on the—

North—By the lands of Bhagirath Mandal, Ram Mandal and Sasti Mandal,
East—By the lands of Sasti Mandal, Charan Biswas and Sonai Mandal,
South—By the lands of Sasti Mandal, Gadu Mandal and Charan Biswas,
West—By the lands of Charan Biswas, Rup Chand Mandal and Bhagirath Mandal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bangram.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Narail.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 7764L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of quarters for the 3rd Police Sub-Inspector at Patuakhali in the village of Kalikapur, pargana Aurangpur, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 14 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the District Board drain,
East—By the present thana compound,
South—By the land of Hason Lahiri,
West—By the land of Prithi Moochi,

is required within the aforesaid village of Kalikapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Patuakhali.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7790L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that additional land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Calcutta Improvement Trust for a public purpose, viz., for the Street Scheme known as Scheme No. VII (Central Avenue-Mechhuabazar Street to Beadon Street) in Ward No. VI of the Calcutta Municipality, which has been sanctioned by the Governor in Council under section 48 of the Calcutta Improvement Act of 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 65 bighas 19 cottahs 6 chitaks and 30 square feet of standard measurement, equivalent to 21·8083 acres, bounded on the—

Calcutta.

North—By a portion of premises No. 33, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, premises Nos. 33-1 and 34, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, premises No. 9, Srinath Ray Lane, premises No. 66, Muktaram Babu Street, a portion of premises No. 97, Muktaram Babu Street, a portion of premises No. 17, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, premises No. 4, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, a portion of premises No. 132, Baranashi Ghosh Street, premises No. 6-1, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, premises Nos. 29 and 28, Jorapukur Square Lane, premises No. 31, Chasadhobapara Street, premises Nos. 27-1, 27 and 26, Jorapukur Square Lane, a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 37 and 36, Chasadhobapara Street, premises No. 36, Chasadhobapara Street, Chasadhobapara Street, a portion of premises No. 8, Nanda Lal Mallik 2nd Lane, a portion of premises No. 13, Maniktola Street, a portion of premises No. 7-5, Beadon Street, Beadon Street, Maniktola Street, premises No. 10, Ashutosh Dey Lane, a portion of a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 13, Ashutosh Dey Lane, premises No. 6-3, Ashutosh Dey Lane, premises No. 23, Ashutosh Dey Lane, premises No. 53-1, Balaram Dey Street, a portion of premises No. 54, Balaram Dey Street, Jorapukur Square Lane, a portion of premises No. 41-1, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 28, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, premises Nos. 34 and 35, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, and a portion of premises No. 3, Kailash Shah Lane.

East—By premises No. 9-3, Beadon Street, portions of premises Nos. 159 and 159-1, Maniktola Street (Anath Babu's Bazar), premises Nos. 160-1 and 160-2, Maniktola Street, Maniktola Street, premises No. 31, Maniktola Street, a passage appertaining to premises No. 24 Ashutosh Dey Lane, premises Nos. 25, 26 and 27, Ashutosh Dey Lane, Ashutosh Dey Lane, premises Nos. 20, 8, 9 and 10, Ashutosh Dey Lane, a portion of a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 6-2, 6-3, 6-4, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 13, Ashutosh Dey Lane, Dina Nath Mitter Lane, premises No. 11, Sagor Dhur Lane, Sagor Dhur Lane, premises No. 13, Sagor Dhur Lane, premises No. 95, Balaram Dey Street, Balaram Dey Street, premises No. 53-1, Balaram Dey Street, a portion of premises No. 54, Balaram Dey Street, premises Nos. 32, 33 and 34-1, Jeliatola Street, Jorapukur Square Lane, Jeliatola Street, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 42, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 41-1, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 42, Baranashi Ghosh Street, premises No. 7, Basack Bagan Lane, Basack Bagan Lane, a portion of premises No. 22, Chore Bagan Lane, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, premises No. 28, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, a public passage, premises No. 34, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, Kailash Shah Lane, premises Nos. 117 and 119, Muktaram Babu Street, Muktaram Babu Street, Muktaram Babu 2nd Lane, a portion of Mittra Lane, Muktaram Babu 3rd Lane, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, a portion of premises No. 7, Mittra Lane, a portion of premises No. 134, Mechhuabazar Street and a portion of Machhuabazar Street,

South—By Mechhuabazar Street, premises No. 34, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, a portion of premises No. 33-1, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, a portion of premises No. 40, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, a portion of premises No. 60, Muktaram Babu Street, premises No. 68, Muktaram Babu Street, premises No. 14, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, premises No. 2, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, premises No. 5, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, premises No. 6-1, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, a portion of Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, premises No. 7-1, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, premises No. 40, Jorapukur Square Lane, a portion of premises No. 39, Jorapukur Square Lane, premises No. 26, Jorapukur Square Lane, a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 33 and 32, Chasadhobapara Street, a portion of premises No. 8, Nando Lal Mullick 2nd Lane, Maniktola Street, portions of premises Nos. 159 and 159-1, Maniktola Street (Anath Babu's Bazar), premises No. 160-1, Maniktola Street, a portion of premises No. 8, Ashutosh Dey Lane, a portion of premises No. 21, Ashutosh Dey Lane, a portion of premises No. 6, Sagor Dhur Lane, premises Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, Sagor Dhur Lane, Balaram Dey Street, a portion of premises No. 32, Jeliatola Street, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 42, Baranashi Ghosh Street, a portion of premises No. 41-1, Baranashi Ghosh Street, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane and a portion of premises No. 134, Mechuabazar Street,

West—By premises Nos. 137, 137-1, 137-1-1, 137-1-2 and 137-2, Mechuabazar Street, a municipal passage, premises No. 34, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, premises No. 40, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, a Municipal passage, a portion of premises No. 50, Muktaram Babu Street, premises No. 9, Srinath Roy Lane, a portion of premise No. 60, Muktaram Babu Street, a portion of a public passage, premises Nos. 66 and 68, Muktaram Babu Street, a portion of a public passage, Muktaram Babu Street, a passage appertaining to premises No. 97, Muktaram Babu Street, premises No. 97, Muktaram Babu Street, premises Nos. 13 and 14, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, Madan Mohan Chatterji Lane, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, premises Nos. 4, 3 and 2, Parbutty Charan Ghosh Lane, premises No. 18, Protap Chandra Ghosh Lane, premises No. 31-1, Baranashi Ghosh Street, Baranashi Ghosh Street, premises No. 132, Baranashi Ghosh Street, premises Nos. 2-1, 3, 4 and 5, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, premises Nos. 6-1 and 7-1, Pyari Mohan Pal Lane, a portion of premises No. 39, Jorapukur Square Lane, a municipal passage (known as Shibu Mistry Gully), premises Nos. 30 and 26, Jorapukur Square Lane, a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 32 and 33, Chasadhobapara Street, a public passage, premises No. 36, Chasadhobapara Street, Chasadhobapara Street, presises No. 47, Chasadhobapara Street, Chasadhobapara Street, a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 49 and 48, Chasadhobapara Street, premises Nos. 48-2-2, 48-2-3, 48-2-4, 48-2-4-1, 48-3, 48-3-1, 48-3-2, 48-4 and 48-5, Balaram Dey Street, Balaram Dey Street, premises No. 102, Balaram Dey Street, premises No. 8, Nanda Lal Mullick 2nd Lane, Nanda Lal Mullick 2nd Lane, premises No. 6, Nanda Lal Mullick 2nd Lane, premises No. 9, Ram Bagan Branch Lane, Ram Bagan Branch Lane, premises Nos. 11 and 10, Ram Bagan Branch Lane, a public passage, premises No. 13, Adwaita Charan Mullick Lane, Adwaita Charan Mullick Lane, a portion of premises No. 13, Maniktola Street, premises No. 14-5-A, Maniktola Street, premises No. 15, Maniktola Street, Maniktola Street, a portion of premises No. 168-1, Maniktola Street, premises No. 7-5, Beadon Street, Ashutosh Dey Lane and premises Nos. 21, 8, 7, 6-4 and 6-3, Ashutosh Dey Lane, excluding premises Nos. 23 and 24, Jorapukur Square Lane, premises Nos. 125-1 and 33, Baranashi Ghosh Street, premises Nos. 35 and 38-1-2, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, such portion of premises No. 123, Baranashi Ghosh Street, as is not required

for the proposed road and the area covered by declaration No. 1451L.A., dated the 13th February 1917, published at page 225 of *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th February 1917, and all municipal roads, streets, lanes, drains and passages, is required within the aforesaid Ward No. VI, in the town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land and a list of properties to be acquired may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, at No. 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 7794L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a town outpost at Nayabusti, in the village of Sandalpur, pargana Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 10 cottahs 15 chitaks and 10 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North, South and West—By the lands of Shaik Korban, Ali Muhammad and Mohajut,
East—By the municipal land and drain,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sandalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Superintendent of Police, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Jessore.

No. 7767L.A.—The 20th November 1917.—In Declaration No. 512L.A., dated the 15th January 1917, published at page 59, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required by the Jessore-Jhenidah Railway Co., Ltd., for Prasannanagar station yard in the village of Nrisinghapur, pargana Muhammadshahi, district Jessore,

(1) in lines 7 and 8, *for* "6 bighas 12 cottahs 7 chitaks and 11 square feet," *read* "6 bighas 11 cottahs and 15 chitaks,"
(2) In lines 9-13,

for

"*North*—By land of Bamandas Maulik,
East—By Jessore-Jhenidah road,
South—By land of Basanta Kumar Mandal,
West—By lands of Nalu Mandal, Khudiram Mandal, Abhoy Mandal and Biswa Nath Ghosh."

read

"*North*—By land of Anil Chandra Ghosh,
East—By Jessore-Jhenidah road,
South—By lands of Basanta Kumar Mandal and Godadhar Mandal,
West—By lands of Godadhar Mandal, Basanta Kumar Mandal, Khudiram Mandal, Lalu Mandal, Badi Bewa and Anil Chandra Ghosh."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 7552Regn.—The 16th November 1917.—In Notification No. 2110T.R., dated the 20th October 1917, published at page 1682, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, granting leave to Babu Nalin Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar of Howrah, for the words "grade II" *read* "grade I."

Howrah.

No. 7714Regn.—The 19th November 1917.—Maulvi Dewan Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chandurabazar, in the district of Tippera, with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

This cancels Notification No. 3375Regn., dated the 16th April 1917, transferring him to Nalitabari in the district of Mymensingh.

Tippera.

No. 7772Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Munshi Abdur Rahim, Clerk of the Sub-Registry Office at Satkhira, in the district of Khulna, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Damuria, in the same district, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Hira Lal Das, or until further orders.

Khulna.

No. 7774Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Satindra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, from the 19th October 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1616T.R., dated the 1st October 1917.

No. 7776Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh, Probationer of Calcutta, is granted leave on medical certificate under rule 1 to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th October 1917 to 15th November 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 2116 T.—R., dated the 22nd October 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 7778Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Probodh Chandra Mitra, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Barabazar, in the district of Jessore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Salkopa in the same district.

Jessore.

No. 7780Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Hira Lal Das, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Barabazar in the district of Jessore, with effect from the date he joins his duties until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 7782Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Hriday Nath Mazumdar, clerk of the Sub-Registry office at Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Salkopa, with effect from the 31st October 1917 until further orders.

Jessore.

No. 7784Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Jyotirindra Chandra Chakrabatti, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Lahirihat, in the district of Dinajpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Dinajpur.

No. 7786Regn.- The 20th November 1917.—Babu Jnan Chandra Sen, clerk of the Sub-Registry Office at Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Lahirihat, in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jyotirindra Chandra Chakrabatti, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 7788Regn.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Hira Lal Das, Officiating as Sub-Registrar of Damuria, in the district of Khulna, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and fifteen days, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th October 1917.

Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1718Regn.—The 19th November 1917.—The following promotions and confirmations are sanctioned in the grades of Sub-Registrars :—

Promoted to grade I.

Maulvi Muhammad Masud promoted to grade I, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, *vice* Maulvi Taskinuddin Ahmad appointed District Sub-Registrar.

„ Abdur Razzaq Ansari promoted to grade I, with effect from the 21st August 1917, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Majid Chaudhuri, deceased.

Promoted to grade II.

Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Wahab promoted to grade II, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Masud promoted to grade I.

Babu Mahendra Lal Maitra promoted to grade II, with effect from the 21st August 1917, *vice* Maulvi Abdur Razzaq Ansari promoted to grade I.

Promoted to grade III.

Babu Amrita Lal Das Gupta promoted to grade III, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Wahab promoted to grade II.

„ Jnanendra Nath Guha promoted to grade III, with effect from the 21st August 1917, *vice* Babu Mahendra Lal Maitra promoted to grade II.

Confirmed in grade IV.

Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, *vice* Babu Amrita Lal Das Gupta promoted to grade III.

„ Abdul Khaleque Khan confirmed in grade IV, with effect from the 2nd July 1917, on account of the creation of an appointment in grade IV consequent on the permanent retention of the Sub-Registry Office at Joydebpur in Dacca.

Promoted to grade IV.

Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jubbar promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 22nd June 1917, *vice* Maulvi A. K. M. Mokrambillah Chaudhuri confirmed in grade IV and confirmed with effect from the 21st August 1917, *vice* Babu Jnanendra Nath Guha promoted to grade III.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to grade IV.*

Babu Gauranga Chandra Kabyatirtha promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 2nd July 1917, *vice* Maulvi Abdul Khaleque Khan confirmed in grade IV.

„ Asutosh Sen Gupta promoted substantively *pro tempore* to grade IV, with effect from the 21st August 1917, *vice* Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jabbar confirmed in grade IV.

Promoted to grade V.

Maulvi Saiyid Abdul Jabbar, Probationer, promoted to grade V with effect from the 31st May 1917.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1319Edn.—The 19th November 1917.—Mr. E. E. Biss, officiating Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, was placed in charge of the current duties of the office of the Superintendent of Industries and Inspector of Technical and Industrial Institutions in Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. H. Everett, for twenty-five days from the 24th September 1917.

No. 1326Edn.—The 20th November 1917.—Maulvi Matloob Ahmad Khan Chaudhuri, Assistant Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, in class VI of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act as an Additional Inspector of Schools in the same division, during the absence, on leave, of Khan Bahadur Maulvi Ahsanullah.

Presidency Divn.

No. 201Eccle.—The 19th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by section 4 of Act V (B. C.) of 1881, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. C. F. Payne, I.C.S., Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation, to be Chairman of the Christian Burial Board for the town and suburbs of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. S. W. Goode, I.C.S., resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 206Eccle.—The 19th November 1917.—The Revd. W. H. Drawbridge, Chaplain of Shillong, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, with effect from the 18th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Shillong.
Calcutta.

No. 210Eccle.—The 19th November 1917.—The Revd. W. A. H. Parker, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, is appointed to be Chaplain of Dum-Dum, with effect from the 1st November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.
24-Parganas.

No. 212Eccle.—The 19th November 1917.—The Revd. E. W. P. Keeling, Chaplain of St. Stephen's Church, Kidderpore, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Peter's Church, Fort William, with effect from the 18th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2562S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1915-16, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1917, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 587 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 22nd December 1916, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*, except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 3,200 per chest from 1st April 1917 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 187S.R., dated the 23rd January 1917).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1917, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1917, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1917.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA. *the 19th November 1917.*

No. 2538S.R.—The 16th November 1917.—In modification of the orders, dated the 30th June 1917, Babu Jitendra Nath Goswami, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Jessore, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 18th July 1917, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Jessore.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 5695Com.—The 17th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 4 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901 (VIII of 1901), and with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. R. Simpson, Inspector of Mines in India, No. 1 Circle, to be an Inspector of Mines within the Presidency of Bengal and to assign to him mines of all classes in the Presidency with effect from the afternoon of the 31st December 1917, until further notice, *vice* Mr. G. C. Leach, resigned.

Calcutta.

No. 5704Emi.—The 17th November 1917.—The services of Mr. J. Cowan, Inspector of Factories and Vice-President and Secretary to the Boiler Commission, Bengal, were placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, from the 16th to the 29th October 1917, both days inclusive.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

Office of the Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle.

Calcutta, the 19th November 1917.

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is of the opinion that the following articles can be utilized in connection with the prosecution of the present war, namely :—

Best bright double twist screw augers, eyed of the following sizes :—

$\frac{1}{2}$", $\frac{11}{16}$", $\frac{5}{8}$", $\frac{3}{4}$", $\frac{7}{8}$" and 1".

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules 1915, I, being an officer of Government authorised by the Governor-General in Council in this behalf by an order in writing, hereby require all persons within the Calcutta or Howrah Municipalities who in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such augers to send to the Controller, Bengal Circle, Indian Munitions Board, 1, Kyd Street, Calcutta, the following particulars of all such augers, namely :—

(*a*) the quantity held of each size,

(*b*) the place or places at which held,

(*c*) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell such augers is willing to sell the same by agreement ;

and I further require that every person shall refrain from d sposing of the said augers from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter not exceeding fourteen days, after the expiry of which period the whole or any part of the said augers may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of such period, a notice of requisition under Rule 11AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules 1915, has been issued in respect of the whole or part of the said augers by me :

Provided that this order shall not be held to apply to stocks held in the ordinary course of business by persons whose aggregate holding of such augers does not exceed one dozen in all.

J. C. K. PETERSON,

Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1784Medl.—The 16th November 1917.—The undermentioned passed students of the Medical College, Calcutta, are temporarily admitted into the service of Government as Assistant Surgeons with effect from the dates mentioned against their names :—

(1) Babu Dhirendra Nath Mitra, L.M.S.—19th October 1917.
(2) „ Jatindra Nath Ray, L.M.S.—5th November 1917.

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6105A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6053A.—The 20th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Nadia, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Nadia.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Ranaghat Bench in the said district :—

Babu Satya Bhushan Mukharji.
„ Sarbeswar Pal Chaudhuri.
„ Basanta Kumar Mitra.

RESIGNATION.

No. 6048A.—The 20th November 1917.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. E. N. Forbes of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Asansol Bench in the district of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3594J.—The 19th November 1917.—Mr. H. C. Maitland, I.C.S., Additional District Judge, Hooghly, is appointed to perform the functions of a Court under section 3, clause (*d*) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (I of 1894), within the local limits of the executive district of Howrah.

Hooghly.
Howrah.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3596J.—The 19th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14, sub-section (*1*) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (Act XII of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to fix the town of Howrah as the place where the court of the temporary Additional District Judge of Hooghly will be held with effect from the 19th November 1917.

Howrah.
Hooghly.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 14254P.—The 14th November 1917.—Babu Sharat Kumar Guha, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Chaukidari Circle Officer, and is posted to the Brahmanbaria subdivision of the Tippera district.

Tippera.

No. 14248P.—The 17th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Fatulla in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Narayanganj police-station, in the district of Dacca, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in the Narayanganj police-station:—

Schedule.

Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.	Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.
Simrail ...	143	Kasipur ...	170
Ati ...	144	Baterchar ...	171
Azibpur ...	145	Char Baktaballi ...	172
Siddhirganj ...	146	Char Bairagadi ...	173
Khorda Ghoshpara ...	147	Char Garkul ...	173A
Bhuingar ...	148	Char Indradi ...	173B
Dewlpara ...	149	Char Gangaprosad ...	173C
Pagla ...	150	Alirtek ...	174
Dhopatita ...	151	Gopchar ...	175
Philguni ...	152	Saiyadpur ...	176
Aliganj ...	153	Masinabanda ...	178
Dapa Idrakpur ...	154	Sitallakhya ...	180
Sinchar ...	155	Goalbanda ...	182
Khizirpur ...	156	Bara Deobhog ...	184
Bag Benidas ...	157	Chashara ...	189
Fatulla ...	158	Masdail ...	191
Lalpur ...	159	Isdair ...	192
Alinagar ...	160	Khanpur ...	193
Fazilpur ...	161	Talla ...	195
Uttar Azmatpur ...	162	Mokarba ...	196
Dharmmaganj ...	163	Hajiganj ...	198
Sridhardi ...	164	Kaeimpur ...	200
Dakshin Azmatpur ...	165	Kutubpur ...	201
Hariharpara ...	166	Jalkundi ...	202
Sasangaon ...	167	Dhankunda ...	203
Emetnagar ...	168	Godnail ...	204
Baraibhog ...	169		

No. 14249P.—The 17th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Sonakanda in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Narayanganj police-station, in the district of Dacca, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule which have hitherto been included in the Narayanganj police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of village	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.	Names of village	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.
Lakshmankhola ...	206	Uttar Kulcharitra ...	218
Nangalbanda ...	212	Gobindakul ...	219
Kamtal ...	213	Dasergaon ...	220
Baligaon ...	214	Deuli ...	221
Barapara ...	215	Amirabad ...	222
Musapur ...	216	Uttar Nadya ...	223
Dakhin Kulcharitra ...	217	Nandirgaon ...	224

Name of village.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Narayanganj.
Satenga ...	225
Tingaon ...	226
Kusiara ...	227
Bara Baraikhali ...	228
Bandar ...	229
Bandar Barabari ...	230
Ganpara ...	231
Chhota Baraikhali ...	232
Gobindamandali ...	233
Sonapur ...	234
Sonapur (Municipality)	235
Uttar Bandar Krishnapara (Municipality) ...	236
Bandar Krishnapura ...	237
Dakshin Bandar Krishnapura (Municipality) ...	238
Gangakul Bandar ...	239
Gangakul Bandar (Municipality) ...	240
Dariakandi ...	241
Dariakandi (Municipality) ...	242
Gobindapur ...	243
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N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA POLICE.

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power conferred on me in Government Order No. 4434P.D., dated the 25th October 1918, I re-appoint the following gentlemen to be non-official Visitors of the Presidency Jail :—

1. R G. Girard, Esq., I.S.O.
2. R. D. Mehta, Esq., C.I.E.
3. R H. M. Rustomjee, Esq.
4. I. J. Cohen, Esq.
5. Nawab Serajul Islam Khan Bahadur.
6. Babu Atal Kumar Sen.
7. „ Ambica Charan Law.

CALCUTTA,
The 12th November 1917.

R. CLARKE,
Commissioner of Police.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 19th November 1917.

No. 17R.—The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for general information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 775P-16, dated Simla, the 7th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IN continuation of Notification No. 775P-16, dated the 27th September 1917, it is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a reconnaissance survey being carried out by the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway Company, Limited, for a line of railway on the 2 feet gauge from Rungpo to a point between Rongli and Lingtam, a distance of about 12 miles.

2 This survey will be known as the Rungpo-Rongli railway reconnaissance survey.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 16th November 1917.

No. 99Marine.—Mr. J Sherman, Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for one month, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th October 1917. The Bengal Government Notification No 86Marine, dated the 13th September 1917 is hereby cancelled.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6106A.

No. 5998A.—The 16th November 1917.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors and are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Murshidabad.
Bogra.

Maulvi Shaikh Abdullah, B.Sc., Murshidabad.
„ Mafizuddin Fakir, B.A., Bogra.

They are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and are directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6050A.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to the Rajshahi Division.

Burdwan.
Rajshahi Divn.

No. 6055A.—The 20th November 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Guha, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for two months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 8th October 1917.

No. 6061A.—The 20th November 1917.—The following confirmations and promotions are sanctioned in the Subordinate Civil Service :—

Confirmed in the third grade

Babu Rai Charan Pal, with effect from the 1st July 1917, *vice* Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, confirmed in the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the third grade.*

Babu Akshay Kumar Mukharji, with effect from the 21st July 1917, *vice* Babu Sudhir Chandra Ghosh, appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the seventh grade.

Promoted substantively pro tempore *to the fourth grade.*

Babu Haridas Chatarji, with effect from the 21st July 1917, *vice* Babu Akshay Kumar Mukharji, promoted to the third grade.
„ Jaladhar Ghosh, with effect from the 24th July 1917, *vice* Maulvi Fazlur Rahman, on deputation as Inspector, Co-operative Societies.

Confirmed in the fifth grade.

Babu Satyendra Nath Ray, with effect from the 9th November 1917.
„ Anadi Nath Sarkar, with effect from the 4th October 1917.
„ Phani Lal Mukharji, with effect from the 9th November 1917.
Maulvi Asad Husain, with effect from the 5th September 1917.
Babu Surendra Nath De, with effect from the 9th November 1917.

No. 6086A.—The 20th November 1917.—The Probationary Sub-Deputy Collectors, named below, are posted to the headquarters stations of the districts mentioned opposite their names :—

Babu Radharaman Singh	...	... Burdwan.
„ Shyamananda Banarji	...	... 24-Parganas.
Maulvi Muhammad Abdus Sattar		... Bogra.
Babu Birendra Nath Bose	...	... Dacca.

Maulvi Nurul Halim will continue to be employed, until further orders, as Inspector, Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 14948, dated Calcutta the 16th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacherji is appointed to act as Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Sara, with effect from the 3rd November 1917, during the absence, on leave, of 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Chatterji, or until further orders.

No. 14951, dated Calcutta, the 16th November 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Chatterji, Medical Officer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Sara, is allowed privilege leave for two months and fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd November 1917.

No. 15062, dated Calcutta, the 17th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Dwijendra Nath Dhar is placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, with effect from the 12th November 1917, until further orders.

No. 15064, dated Calcutta, the 17th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jagadispada Datta is posted temporarily to Rangpur with effect from the 9th November 1917, *vice* second grade Assistant Surgeon Bipin Chandra Das Gupta.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

MAULVI ABDUL AZIZ, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is placed in charge of the Malda Treasury, with effect from the forenoon of the 17th November 1917, and authorised to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. H. LINDSAY, *Collector.*

MALDA COLLECTORATE, *the 17th November 1917.*

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

BABU SURESH CHANDRA SEN, No. I, Munsif of Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Contai Munsifi.

HIGH COURT ; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL : H. M. VEITCH,
The 13th November 1917. *Registrar.*

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপিস আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া যোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ।

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI ASAD HUSAIN, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 242(*a*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 8th November 1917.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI AZIZUR RAHMAN (No. 11), Sub-Deputy Collector, transferred to this Division, is posted to the Uluberia Subdivision of the Howrah district.

This cancels the order posting Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, to Uluberia.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4899J.—Babu Srimanta Das Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Munshiganj, Dacca, under orders of transfer to the Dakshin Shahabazpur subdivision of the Bakarganj district (*vide* this office Notification No. 4486J., dated the 17th October 1917) was temporarily posted to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district from the 1st to the 3rd November 1917, both days inclusive.

F C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 13th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a general election held on the 10th October 1917, the following gentlemen were duly elected as Commissioners of the Sonamukhi Municipality in the district of Bankura :—

WARD NO. I.

Babu Amrita Shekhar Banerjee.

WARD NO. II.

Babu Radha Gobinda Banerjee.
,, Ram Ratan Chatterji.

WARD NO. III.

Babu Nitya Madhab Ghar.

WARD NO. IV.

Babu Rasaraj Biswas.

WARD NO. V.

Babu Rajendra Nath Mahadani.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 6th November 1917 in Ward IV of the Suri Municipality in the district of Birbhum Babu Diptendra Nath Chakravarti was duly elected a Commissioner in the place of Babu Arunendra Nath Chakravarti, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2994M.—In exercise of the power conferred upon me by section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885) as amended by Act V (B. C.) of 1908, I appoint Maulvi Abdul Mazid to be a member of the Boalia Local Board, in the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Syed Tufazzal Hossein, deceased.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 13th November 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (2) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET NO. XXV.

(Gora Chand Road Area.)

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of Proposed Public Street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXV (Gora Chand Road area).

The plan provides for the laying out of several new roads of a width of 60 feet and is one of a series of alignments which are being published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the Eastern Bengal Railway and linking up Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street Nos. XXIII (outer Circular Road) and XXIV (Linton Street area), also Proposed Public Street No. XXVI (Entally Park Avenue), which will shortly be published. The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal holdings:—

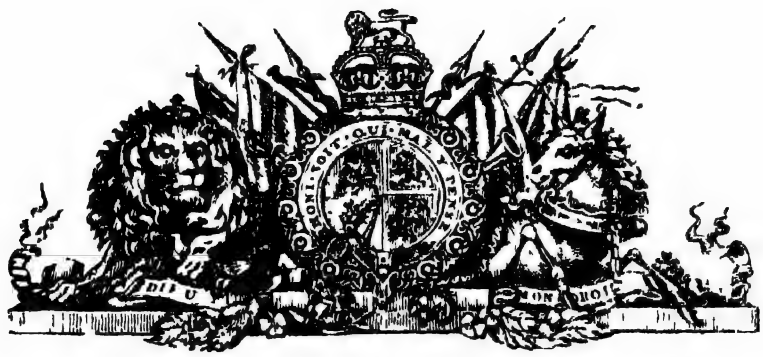
Name of Street.		Number of Municipal holdings.
Gora Chand Road	...	1/5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 14/1, 15, 16, 17, 17/1, 18, 18/1, 18/2, 18/3, 18/4, 33, 35, 36, 36/1, 37, 37/1, 37/2, 38, 39, 39/1, 39/2, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 46/1, 47, 47/1.
Gora Chand Lane	...	5, 5/1, 5/2, 6, 7, 9, 10, 10/1, 10/2, 18, 19, 20, 20/1, 20/2, 21.
Ostagar Lane	...	4, 5, 6.
Jannagore Road	...	7/1, 8.
Kasaipara Lane	...	8, 9, 10, 11, 11/1, 11/2, 12, 13, 14.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the Offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 31st January 1918.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 2nd November 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications issued by the Government of India in the Legislative Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th November 1917, are republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 15th November 1917.

No. 44.—The Governor General is pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu of his office of Additional Member of the Indian Legislative Council.

No. 45.—A vacancy having occurred in the Indian Legislative Council by reason of the resignation of the Hon'ble Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, an Additional Member elected to the said Council by the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal, the Governor General is pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of Regulation XI (*b*) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the Legislative Council of the Governor General, to call upon the non-official Additional Members of the Council of the Governor of Fort William in Bengal to elect in accordance with the said Regulations a person for the purpose of filling the said vacancy on or before the tenth day of January, 1918

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The 15th November 1917.

No. 46—The Hon'ble Mr. A. P. Muddiman, C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of India in the Legislative Department, is granted privilege leave for one month and three days with effect from the 20th November, 1917, under articles 246 and 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

H. M. SMITH,
Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th November 1917, are republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 17th November 1917.

No. 347-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made to the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz*:—

Add as new entries:—

"(B) Carborundum."
"(B) Carbonado."
"(B) Garnets."

No. 478-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alteration shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz*:—

Additions.

Australian Produce Company, Shanghai.
China Pencil Company, Limited, Shanghai.
Dong Chong and Company, Shanghai.
Lapshain, S., Harbin.

Removal.

Chester Cowen and Company.

No. 479-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that "Smith (S.) and Son, Limited, Bangkok" shall be added to the schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 2981-C. W., dated the 24th March 1917, as subsequently amended.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 17th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 16th November 1917.

INDIAN ARMY.

Army Reserves.

No. 1960.—The following gentlemen are appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

CAVALRY BRANCH.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Donald Stuart Fraser. Dated 15th November 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Commerce and Industry Department, published in the Supplement of the *Gazette of India* of the 17th November 1917, is republished for general information.

N. G. A. EDGLEY,
Offg. Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 494-D.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(EMIGRATION.)

RESOLUTION.

Delhi, the 16th November 1917.

The following paper is published in accordance with Rule 29 of the Assam Labour Board Rules :—

Annual report on the working of the Assam Labour Board during the year ending the 30th June 1917.

I.—Administrative.

Membership of the Board and Executive Committee.

1. Lieutenant Colonel W. M. Kennedy, C.I.E., I.A., Chairman of the Board, proceeded to England on deputation in April 1917, and Mr R. W. Davies, I.C.S., Madras, was appointed to officiate as Chairman during his absence. Lieutenant-Colonel Kennedy did not resume charge of his duties as Chairman till the 10th September 1917, after the close of the year under report.

Alterations in the Act and Rules.

2. At the instance of the Board, rule 24 of the rules for the working of the Board was amended by notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 6534-Emi., dated the 9th June 1917. This rule, which deals with the collection of the cess, has now been much simplified: Superintendents of Emigration have been relieved of the duty of furnishing monthly returns of labourers in respect of whom cess is leviable except in the case of those recruited by garden-sarders working independently of a local agent, and Supervisors have been made responsible for checking, during the course of their tours, the cess collected through the medium of local agents.

Meetings of Board.

3. Two meetings of the Board were held during the year under review, namely, on the 18th September 1916 and 20th March 1917. The following members were unavoidably prevented from attending :—

September Meeting.—Messrs. N. M. Ross, E. H. Hannay and the Hon'ble Sir E. H. Bray.

March Meeting.—The Hon'ble Mr. H. B. Fox, the Hon'ble Sir E. H. Bray and Mr. R. T. Fraser.

Meetings of Executive Committee.

4. Two meetings of the Executive Committee attended by all the members were held, viz., on the 18th September 1916 and 20th March 1917.

Board's office.

5. Sanction was accorded to the strengthening of the Board's office establishment by the addition of one clerk on Rs. 60—$\frac{1}{2}$—80. A Provident Fund was established for the staff, and minor improvements were made in the prospects of the clerks.

During the year 2,646 letters were received and 4,668 letters issued.

Tours of Chairman

6. The Chairman was on tour for 107 days, and the Acting Chairman for 51 days. In addition to interviewing Local Governments and District Officials, 20 local agencies and 4 transport agencies were inspected in the course of these tours.

In March the Chairman paid a visit to Delhi by desire of the Government of India.

Supervisors.

7. With effect, respectively, from the 25th and 12th April 1917, the services of Messrs. Craven and McPherson, Supervisors, were placed at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa for employment with Labour Corps, leaving the Board with one Supervisor only (Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart), whose headquarters have been transferred temporarily to Calcutta as being more central. A single Supervisor is insufficient for the adequate performance of the inspection, preventive and miscellaneous work of the Board, which is spread over six provinces, but it was felt that the claims of war work were paramount. Suitable substitutes for the two Supervisors, whose services have been relinquished, are not as yet forthcoming, and this, also, is largely due to the effect of the war.

The following table shows the touring and inspection work done by the Supervisors :—

Name.	No. of days inspected.	Number of Stations visited.		Number of Local Agencies inspected.		Number of Transport Agencies inspected.	
		Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.	Once.	More than once.
Mr. J. McPherson (from July 1916 to April 1917).	219	21	15	2	4	1	5
Mr. C. H. Craven (from July 1916 to April 1917).	134	19	13	7	8	...	1
Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart ...	251	18	16	5	8	...	1

In addition to the inspection of local agencies and transport agencies, the Supervisors were of much service in smoothing over local difficulties. They were, also, engaged, as before, in the detection and prevention of abuses and in several cases assisted at the prosecution of offenders in Court. They did much useful work, that of Mr. (now Captain) McPherson being specially meritorious.

II.—Supervision of Local Agents.

Appointment of Local Agents

8. There were altogether fifty-seven applications for the grant of licenses as local agents ; in forty-eight cases the Board recommended that licenses should be granted, in five the applications were withdrawn, and in two cases the Board recommended that the applications should be rejected. The recommendations of the Board were accepted by Superintendents of Emigration in all cases except one, in which a license was issued to a person whom the Board were unable to recommend. The recipient has, however, recently resigned his license. Two applications were pending with the Board at the end of the year and have since been disposed of.

At the close of the year fifty persons held local agents' licenses, forty-four of them being employes of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, and six of individual employers or firms or combinations of firms. The special local agencies of Messrs. Barry and Company at Berhampore and of the Barduar Tea Estate at Ranchi ceased to work during the year.

Conduct of Local Agents.

9. Owing to the appointment of Supervisors the work of local agents was subjected to much closer supervision than in the previous year ; it was, as a rule, satisfactory. The license of no local agent was cancelled, but one agent resigned his license in order to avoid cancellation. In one case, an application for the renewal of a license was not proceeded with, since the holder's conduct was not satisfactory in a matter outside his duties as local agent. As in the previous year, defects which came to light in the course of inspection were readily remedied on their being brought to the notice of those concerned.

System of remuneration of Local Agents

10. Reference was made in paragraph 16 of last year's Report to the system of remunerating local agents. The Board are glad to be able to state that at the close of the year all local agents received fixed salaries, only, with the exception of one, who, in addition to a fixed salary, was granted a commission on each recruit. The local agent referred to has since ceased to work.

It is a matter for regret that, owing to financial stringency following upon the falling off in recruitment, the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have been compelled temporarily to reduce the salaries of their staff, and to effect other economies. The Association have also been obliged to ask their constituents to come to their assistance with the object of enabling them to tide over a period of financial difficulty. This assistance, the Board understand, has been largely afforded. Over 90 per cent. of the recruitment for Assam is carried on under the auspices of the Association, and the Board would regard it as a great misfortune should the members decide to wind it up. A proposal is on foot to reorganise the Association by broadening the basis of membership in order that the tea industry, as a whole, may be more widely represented on the Committee. Any measure which could strengthen the Association would be welcomed by all persons interested in clean recruitment. A central recruiting Association of some description is a necessity, since, if individual estates or companies or combinations thereof were to appoint their own local agents, the result would be chaos, and the competition among the garden-sardars of the different agencies to obtain recruits could not but give rise to abuses.

Licensing of Local Agents contrary to the recommendations of the Board

11. In paragraph 17 of the Report of the previous year allusion was made to the fact that the Government of India had been addressed with the object of securing to the Board a veto on the appointment of local agents. That Government after considering the replies of Local Governments, decided to leave it to the latter to issue, if they so desired, executive instructions that no local agents' license should be granted without the favourable recommendation of the Board, this decision being, however, subject to the reservation that before the procedure is finally adopted it should be reconsidered by the Local Governments concerned after a year and a report made to the Government of India. The Governments of Bengal, Madras, the United Provinces and the Central Provinces have acceded to the request of the Board. In the province of Bihar and Orissa should a Superintendent of Emigration wish to issue a license to a person whom the Board are unable to recommend, he will refer the case to the Local Government for final orders.

III.—Recruitment.

General results of the year

12. As was anticipated, the results for the year fell far short of those for the year 1915-16. From the 1st July 1916 to the 30th June 1917 cess was paid on 33,759 adult labourers, who were recruited by 28,317 garden-sardars as compared with 56,588 adult labourers recruited by 37,849 garden-sardars between the 21st August 1915 and the 30th June 1916. (These figures do not agree with those given in paragraph 20 relating to realisations on account of cess, since cess accruing in June is not received by the Board till July and is, accordingly, accounted for in the year succeeding that under report.) In all areas the results compare unfavourably with those of the previous year; they were best in the districts of Ranchi and Singhbhum, which (including the neighbouring Feudatory States) supplied about one-half the total recruits. It will be observed that the average number of recruits per garden-sardar diminished very considerably. The main reason for the falling off in numbers is the fact that agricultural conditions were generally good. The results, also, of the previous season having been unusually favourable, certain estates had a sufficiency of labour and consequently sent down fewer garden-sardars. In the latter half of the year recruitment for War Labour Crops was partly responsible for the diminution in the number of recruits, while the general financial stringency obtaining throughout the tea industry, consequent upon the difficulty of disposing of tea owing to shortage of freight, tended towards the restriction of recruiting operations.

Prospects for the year 1917-18 are still less favourable. Larger numbers of persons are being recruited for service for the combatant and non-combatant branches of the Army, agricultural conditions are generally good and the financial position of the tea industry is still unsettled. The numbers of absconding

garden-sardars have increased considerably. This has rightly or wrongly led to the impression that a good many of them have been recruited for Labour Corps, and concerns are, therefore, reluctant to risk further loss of labourers who have been imported at great expense. In this connection it may be mentioned that the recruiting authorities for war purposes in the provinces from which Assam chiefly draws its labour, have agreed not to accept absconding garden-sardars as recruits and to grant facilities for their identification. In view of the abovementioned difficulties most of the larger Calcutta Agency Houses at one time issued instructions prohibiting recruitment altogether or drastically restricting it. It is hoped, however, that the difficulties of the financial situation may soon be surmounted and Agency Houses are issuing instructions that recruitment should be resumed, at any rate to a moderate extent. The tea industry have no desire to compete in any way with recruitment for war purposes, but it is necessary, with a view to the future, to maintain connection with the recruiting districts. Moreover, to cut off the coolies in Assam from communication with their old homes would be liable to arouse discontent on the tea estates.

The Tea Districts Labour Supply Association have offered to assist, in any way possible, in the recruitment of War Labour Corps, and the Board have also afforded such help in this matter as has been asked of them.

Measures affecting recruitment.

13. Difficulties have arisen in working the areas in the Madras Agency Tracts lately thrown open to recruitment, the chief being that of determining whether coolies who wish to be sent down as garden-sardars originally came from villages in the open or closed areas It is not easy for the tea-planters in Assam to distinguish between these areas, the boundaries being somewhat indefinite. It is understood that villages are not permanently located in the same place, and in some cases there are several hamlets bearing the same name, some within and some beyond the area thrown open. An additional complication arises owing to the fact that most of the coolies from these areas were obtained through contractors, before the areas were thrown open, with the result that their names and addresses are often incorrect. By arrangement with the Agent to the Governor in Ganjam, sardars for the open area are sent down and their names and addresses are tested locally, those belonging to the area still closed being returned in Assam. Objection was taken on the part of the Agency Tracts authorities to the emigration of single males without their families, who were liable to fall into a state of destitution. The authorities concerned were informed that in such cases, if necessary, an absolute guarantee would be given to return a male recruit after six months' residence in Assam in order to enable him to bring up his family or to remain at home should he not be satisfied with the work and prospects in Assam. The Acting Chairman, who had personal knowledge of local conditions, addressed the Agents to the Governor in the Vizagapatam and Godavari Tracts explaining the difficulties of the existing system and suggesting further facilities, and a communication on similar lines will shortly be made to the Agent to the Governor in the Ganjam Agency Tract.

Closely connected with the above subject is the scheme sanctioned by the Government of Madras under which coolies in Assam recruited from the areas still remaining closed should be permitted to assist their immediate relatives to emigrate. Lists of such relatives were to be prepared in Assam, and verified locally by tehsildars, after which permission would be accorded to the coolies in Assam to come down and expatriate the persons named. Voluminous lists have been prepared, but here again great difficulty has arisen in identifying the names and addresses given, and the lists are still in process of verification.

The scheme for the regularisation of recruitment in the Feudatory States of Bihar and Orissa is still under consideration, but is approaching conclusion, and it is hoped that final orders will soon be issued.

Cost of sardari recruitment.

14. This important subject was considered at length by a Sub-Committee appointed by the Indian Tea Association, of which the Chairman was a member. The Indian Tea Association referred the Report of the Sub-Committee for the opinion of the Board, who generally approved of the recommendations. The matter is still under the consideration of the Association.

In this connection, it may be mentioned that the attention of the Board was drawn to the practice followed by a few concerns of consigning garden-sardars to local agents with instructions that no advances are to be paid but

that the garden-sardars are to be rewarded by *per capita* bonuses in respect of the recruits which they may bring in. Such garden-sardars generally bring down considerable sums of money with them. The Board consider that this method of recruitment is objectionable, that garden-sardars should be financed only by the local agents and that bonuses, if any, should not be paid till the return of the garden-sardars to the tea estates.

IV.—Illegal Recruitment.

Recruitment by arkatties

15. Though the operations of *arkatties* have been circumscribed owing to the abolition of the system of recruitment by contractors, a number of them were still active, especially during the earlier portion of the year under review. By a ruse a Supervisor, assisted by the police, caught a gang of seven persons, two of whom hold Colonial recruiting licenses, red-handed at Allahabad, all of them being convicted. By a similar ruse at Puri another Supervisor secured the conviction of a well-known *arkatti*. In Sylhet, thanks to the information given by the manager of a tea estate, an *arkatti*, who was hawking coolies for sale, was run to earth by one of the Board's Supervisors, convicted and sentenced to two months' imprisonment. In several instances *arkatties* supplied coolies to garden-sardars working independently of a local agent, some of whom were at large at the beginning of the year under report. An important case of this description was detected at Sewan in Chapra which ended in the conviction of a gang of four persons headed by a Marwari, who obtained coolies from the United Provinces for supply to the dummy garden-sardars. The manager of the tea estate would also have been prosecuted but for the fact that he disappeared on leave. A similar case occurred at Arrah, resulting in the conviction of the offender. A notorious *arkatti* came down to the Ghazipur Agency of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association with a sardar's certificate and collected a batch of coolies from the persons with whom he was in touch. His prosecution unfortunately failed owing to a technical error. In five cases offers were made to supply coolies to local agents, in two of which prosecutions were instituted and convictions obtained, but in one of these the accused persons were acquitted on appeal. In a third case the license of a Colonial contractor at Bahraich was cancelled. These are the more important cases in which the Board were concerned. There is reason to believe that the policy of harassing illegal recruiters is bearing fruit, as the number of offences reported diminished during the latter part of the year. So far as the Board are aware, there are now no garden-sardars working independently of a local agent; thus an easy channel for the commission of abuses has been blocked. The Central Provinces Administration has lately prohibited recruitment by garden-sardars not working under a local agent, and the Board will consider whether other Local Governments should not be asked to pass similar orders. The fact that the Government of the United Provinces has, as recommended in paragraph 26 of last year's Report, amended the notification published under section 91, Act VI of 1901, the certificates of all garden-sardars being now required to be countersigned in the labour districts, has facilitated control over those working *mala fide*. It may be added that in all cases in which there is reason to believe that the manager of a tea estate is concerned in the malpractices of his subordinates, he is called upon for an explanation and dealt with through the Indian Tea Association or his employer, and in an extreme case his prosecution is recommended.

Coolies visiting their home districts on leave

16. For many years past it has been the practice on certain estates to grant leave *chits* instead of sardari certificates to coolies proceeding at their own expense to visit their old homes in the recruiting districts, it not being the intention of such persons to engage in recruiting. In practice, however, some of their relatives or friends not infrequently wish to accompany them back to Assam. Difficulties then arise. If the coolie brings these people to a local agent, the latter cannot send them forward unless there happens to be a certificated garden-sardar in the neighbourhood who can nominally recruit them. Indeed, the coolie who brought them in has probably already committed the technical offence of engaging or attempting to engage them. Or, perhaps, the coolie will take these persons back with him to Assam, without producing them before the local agent of the estate, and instances of this have occurred during

the past year. The latter practice is not only totally illegal but most objectionable, as in some cases the persons recruited by the coolie on leave would not have been passed by a responsible local agent, and complaints are subsequently received from the recruiting districts regarding their recruitment. The Tea Districts' Labour Supply Association have advised their constituents to furnish coolies proceeding on leave with sardari certificates, and the Board strongly recommend to all employers the adoption of this advice. The possession of such a certificate not only obviates any trouble should recruits be obtained, but is an advantage in that it enables the local agent to keep touch with the cooly and to finance and otherwise assist him on his return journey.

Recruitment nominally for Chittagong and the Duars

17. No cases of coolies being recruited ostensibly for Chittagong and sent up to Assam came to light during the year, and there is no reason to suppose that this form of illegal recruitment is now being practised. There can be no doubt, however, that from the Ranchi district batches of coolies were smuggled up to Assam under the pretence that they were intended for the Duars. In consequence of the prevalence of rumours to this effect, a Supervisor was deputed specially to investigate the matter, and he eventually succeeded in tracing a batch to a tea estate in the Darrang district. The manager and recruiters were prosecuted, but the case was eventually withdrawn on the Directors of the Company satisfying the Chairman that they were ignorant of the manager's proceedings and on their undertaking to dismiss him and pay Rs. 500 to a war charity. In another case a different procedure was followed. The batch was taken to a plains district in Bengal, and there handed over to a garden-sardar who produced the coolies before the local agent of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association, it being alleged by the parties that they had left their own district in search of work, and had been recruited locally by the garden-sardar. Subsequent investigation elicited the true facts. It is to be hoped that the action taken in the Darrang case has acted as a deterrent, since no further information of such cases has lately been received. On the other hand, however, this particular form of malpractice is not very easy to detect, and, owing to the depletion of the Board's staff of Supervisors, it has not been possible to maintain the same vigilance as formerly.

V.—Financial.

Collection of cess

18. For the year under review the cess was again fixed at Rs. 2 on each garden-sardar and emigrant, *vide* Department of Commerce and Industry notification No. 2475-45, dated the 6th May 1916. The cess was collected punctually and without difficulty, that on garden-sardars, including those working in the United Provinces whose certificates are now required to be countersigned in the labour districts, being, since the 1st September 1916, realised by countersigning officers in Assam and remitted by them to the Board. The cess on labouring emigrants was, by the courtesy of the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association and the employers of local agents not belonging to that Association, entirely collected through local agents, to whom the Board beg to tender their thanks, no garden-sardars having been appointed to recruit independently of a local agent.

Refund of cess

19. During the year under review a sum of Rs. 1,366 was refunded on account of cess erroneously paid, Rs. 202 being in respect of 101 sardars on whom cess was twice realised and Rs. 1,164 in respect of 582 emigrants who had not gone forward, who had absconded *en route* or who had been repatriated either *en route* or within a short time of their arrival on the tea estates.

20. The estimate of receipts provided for an income of Rs. 2,33,133, *viz.*, an opening balance of Rs. 81,000, a Government grant of Rs. 16,133 and Rs. 1,36,000 derived from cess on 27,000 garden-sardars and 41,000 emigrants. The actual credits amounted to Rs. 2,71,875-5-7, the excess being due to the fact that the opening balance (Rs. 1,20,243-2-1) was larger than was anticipated. The cess realised amounted to Rs. 1,31,912 (excluding the refund of Rs. 1,366) which was paid on 31,483 garden-sardars and 34,473 emigrants. In addition, Rs. 1,125 were received on account of interest on a sum of Rs. 75,000 which was placed on fixed deposit with the Bank of Bengal from the 5th of August 1916 to the 4th of February 1917. A further sum of

Rs. 1,485-13-8 was realised as interest on Rs. 75,000 invested in the 5½ per cent. Indian War Loan Bonds on the 4th of April 1917. The Board deemed it desirable to afford the War Loan this measure of support, providing Rs. 50,000 from the surplus funds at credit and borrowing Rs. 25,000 from the Bank of Bengal on the security of the fixed deposit of Rs. 75,000. The loan has since been repaid. The contribution payable by the Government of India for the months March to June 1917 has been received since the close of the year.

The total expenditure amounted to Rs. 1,12,461-4-9 as compared with the estimate of Rs. 1,18,190-3. The savings accrued principally under the heads travelling allowance of all classes (Rs. 9,160), and salary of Chairman (Rs. 3,257); while the chief excess payment (Rs. 4,000) was due to the grant of an advance to one of the Supervisors for the purpose of purchasing a motor car, a charge for which budget provision had not been made.

Budget estimate for 1917-18.

21. The budget estimate for 1917-18, which was passed at the meeting of the Board held in March 1917, provides for an opening balance of Rs. 1,59,000 (the actual opening balance being Rs. 1,59,414-0-10), a contribution from Government of Rs. 14,145-9-8, Rs. 1,18,000 as realisations from cess at Rs. 2 on 26,000 gardensardars and 33,000 emigrants and Rs. 2,250 on account of interest. The latter item is likely to be exceeded as the investment in the War Loan Bonds was made after the budget had been drawn up.

In view of the fact that a substantial balance has accumulated, the Board considered whether a recommendation should not be made to the Government of India that a reduction be made in the rate of cess. It was, however, deemed to be inadvisable to recommend that the rate should be reduced since recruiting prospects during the current year are very uncertain owing to the existence of war conditions, especially the recruitment of Labour Corps and the financial stringency consequent upon the restrictions on imports of tea into the United Kingdom, which are likely to react unfavourably on the receipts of the Board. The poor recruiting results up to date constitute a justification of the Board's attitude in this matter, as under present conditions there is every prospect of realisations on account of cess falling far short of the estimate. The budget provides for an expenditure of Rs. 1,21,116-7-9 and a closing balance of Rs. 1,72,279-1-11. Since it includes expenditure on account of the two Supervisors who have left the service of the Board considerable savings may be expected.

VI.—Miscellaneous.

Transit arrangements

22. The special Supervisor appointed to supervise the transit routes between Assam and the recruiting districts made frequent tours prior to his deputation to military duty, and did much useful work in drawing attention to defects and suggesting improvements which were brought to the notice of the railway administrations concerned with satisfactory results.

The Eastern Bengal Railway authorities have now completed their arrangements to facilitate coolie traffic, and they will be brought into operation when they receive an intimation from the Tea Districts Labour Supply Association that the volume of traffic warrants their adoption. At present comparatively few coolies are going up to Assam.

In consultation with the Sanitary Commissioner, Assam, improved measures for notifying the existence of epidemic diseases along the transit routes and for arranging for the vaccination of emigrants from areas infected with small-pox have been adopted.

Conclusion.

23. The Board again wish to tender their thanks to the Local Governments and their officers, with whom they deal, for their courtesy and support, as also to the Indian Tea Association and Tea Districts Labour Supply Association for the assistance which has been so readily afforded them.

Statement of RECEIPTS and

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PARTICULARS.	Budget.	Actuals.	Short.	Excess.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Opening Balance	81,000 0 0	1,20,243 2 1	.....	39,243 2 1
1. Cess received from employers on garden-sardars and emigrants.	1,36,000 0 0	1,38,278 0 0	2,722 0 0	.....
2. Contribution from the Government of India on account of Chairman's salary.	16,133 0 0	14,913 14 4*	1,219 1 8	.....
3. Balance of contribution from the Government of India towards salary of Chairman for the year ending 31st March 1916.	.....	2 0 0	.....	2 0 0
4. Interest on the Fixed Deposit of Rs 75,000.	.....	1,125 0 0	.....	1,125 0 0
5. Interest on Rs. 75,000 invested in the 5½ per cent. War Bonds.	.....	1,485 13 8	.....	1,485 13 8
6. Recoveries	.....	605 4 0†	.....	605 4 0
7. Recoveries from the salary of Mr. C. E. Middleton Stewart towards payment of Motor Car Advance.	.....	222 3 6	.....	.....
Total ...	2,33,133 0 0	2,71,875 5 7	3,941 1 8	42,461 3 9

* Contribution by the Government of India towards the salary of Chairman from 1st April 1916 to 28th February 1917

† Includes recovery of Rs. 600 given to Messrs. C. H. Craven and J. McPherson as permanent advance.

W. M. KENNEDY, *Lt.-Col.*,
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

EXPENDITURE for the year 1916-17.

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	Particulars.	Budget as sanctioned by Government of India.	Reappropriation.	Budget after reappropriation.	Actuals.	Savings.	Excess.
		Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1.	Salary of Chairman ...	32,266 11	...	32,266 11	29,008 11 3	3,257 15 9	.....
2.	Travelling allowance of Chairman.	5,000 0	-975	4,025 0	4,021 12 0	3 4 0	.....
3.	Travelling allowance of Members of the Board	5,000 0	-3,075	1,925 0	2,083 14 9	.....	158 14 9
4.	Salary of Board's office ...	3,489 8	...	3,489 8	3,301 8 5	187 15 7	.....
5.	Travelling allowance of Board's office.	1,800 0	...	1,800 0	2,241 10 2	.....	441 10 2
6.	Grain compensation allowance of Board's office.	48 0	...	48 0	48 8 3	.....	0 8 3
7.	Purchase of books and periodicals.	500 0	...	500 0	368 4 0	131 12 0	.....
8.	Stationery and printing ..	500 0	+300	800 0	718 2 10	81 13 2	.....
9.	Forms	600 0	...	600 0	455 0 0	145 0 0	.....
10.	Postage and telegrams ...	600 0	...	600 0	531 5 0	68 11 0	.....
11.	Office rent	2,100 0	...	2,100 0	2,100 0 0	.....	.....
12.	Telephone charges ...	250 0	+150	400 0	350 0 0	50 0 0	.....
13.	Electric lights and fans ...	150 0	...	150 0	70 2 3	79 13 9	.....
14.	Board's office contingencies...	700 0	...	700 0	313 12 6	386 3 6	.....
15.	Purchase of furniture ...	200 0	+478	678 0	651 4 0	26 12 0	.....
16.	Temporary establishment and job typing.	600 0	...	600 0	172 6 2	427 9 10	.....
17.	Liveries	50 0	+100	150 0	113 8 0	36 8 0	.....
18.	Tour charges	400 0	...	400 0	390 7 0	9 9 0	.....
19	Unforeseen charges ...	1,000 0	-450	550 0	246 0 0	304 0 0	.....
20.	Refund of cess ...	.....	...	1,700 0	1,366 0 0	334 0 0	.....
21.	Purchase of Typewriter ...	320 0	+372	692 0	372 0 0	320 0 0	.....
	Supervisors.						
22.	Salary of supervisors including contribution towards pension and leave allowances.	39,450 0	+4,100	43,550 0	43,500 12 1	49 3 11	.....
23.	Travelling allowance of supervisors.	15,000 0	-3,500	11,500 0	10,067 1 3	1,432 14 9	.....
24.	Salary of supervisors' office...	1,672 0	...	1,672 0	1,619 0 7	52 15 5	.....
25.	Grain compensation allowance	72 0	...	72 0	58 0 10	13 15 2	.....
26.	Travelling allowance of supervisors' office.	2,400 0	+600	3,000 0	2,070 9 2	929 6 10	.....
27.	Contingent expenditure including stationery and tour charges.	2,142 9	...	2,142 0	865 15 3	1,276 0 9	.....
28.	Office rent	1,080 0	...	1,080 0	975 0 0	105 0 0	.....
29.	Purchase of furniture ...	200 0	+200	400 0	380 9 0	19 7 0	.....
30.	Purchase of books ...	600 0	...	600 0	.....	600 0 0	.....
31.	Motor Car advance ...	.....	...	.....	4,000 0 0	.....	‡4,000 0 0
	Total ...	1,18,190 3	...	1,18,190 3	1,12,461 4 9	10,329 15 5	4,601 1 2
	Add ...	.....	...	.....	*75,000 0 0	.....	.....
	Add ...	.....	...	.....	†50,000 0 0	.....	.....
	GRAND TOTAL ...	1,18,190 3	...	1,18,190 3	2,37,461 4 9	10,329 15 5	4,601 1 2

* Fixed deposit. † Part of War Loan ‡ Sanctioned by the Board.

W. M. KENNEDY, *Lt-Col.*,
Chairman, Assam Labour Board.

ORDERED that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations noted on the margin and that it be published in the Supplement to the *Gazette of India*.

Government of Bengal.
Government of Bihar and Orissa.
Government of the United Provinces.
Government of Madras.
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.
Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

NOTIFICATION.

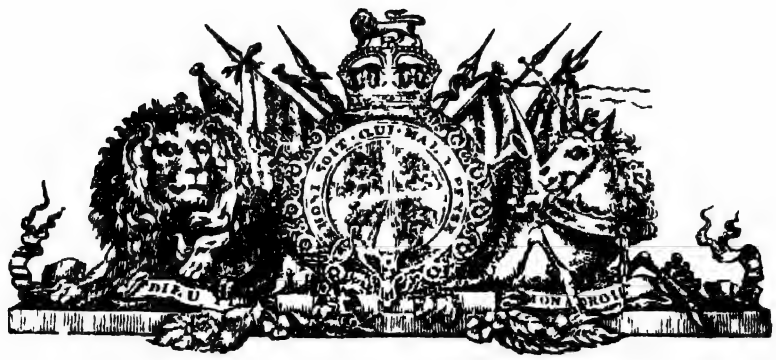
No. 5707Com.—The 19th November 1917.—The following notification of the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, is republished for general information :—

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 13346, dated Delhi, the 10th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

MR. G. C. LEACH, Inspector of Mines in India, No. 2 Circle, is permitted to resign the service with effect from the afternoon of the 31st December 1917



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

[Third publication.]

No. 764T.-M.—The 29th October 1917.—The following proposed plan for lighting portions of the Maniktala Municipality with gas, which has been submitted by the Commissioners of that Municipality to the Government of Bengal for sanction under section 308 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

24-Parganas.

11. The proposed plan will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be considered.

Proposed Plan.

1. The portions of the Municipality which it is proposed to light with gas is defined below:—

PLOT A—ARIFF ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road.

West—The municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

PLOT B—BAGMARI ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 132-A, Bagmari Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Bagmari Road, and from No. 8, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, and from the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding Nos. 132-A and 132-B, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

PLOT C—CANAL EAST ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards west up to the Circular Canal.

South—From the Circular Canal towards east up to the south-west corner of the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

West—Circular Canal.

PLOT D—SASTITOLA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, and from the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, towards south-west up to the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, and from the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, and from the said No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, and from the said No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane.

West—From the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

PLOT E—NARKELDANGA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

PLOT F—BELLIAGHATTA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghatta Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghata Main Road.

PLOT G—CHARAKDANGA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road, towards east up to the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road,

East—From the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 70, Charakdanga Road, and from No. 70, Charakdanga Road up to the municipal holding No. 6, Charakdanga Lane, and from No. 6, Charakdanga Lane towards north up to the municipal holding No. 53, Charakdanga Road and from No. 53, Charakdanga Road towards north up to the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road.

2. Sixty-four gas lamps will be installed within these portions of the Maniktala Municipality, viz., eight gas lamps in Ariff Road, ten in Bagmari Road, seven in Canal East Road, three in Narkeldanga Main Road, seven in Sastitola Road, sixteen in Belliaghatta Main Road and thirteen in Charakdanga Road. It is estimated that the total cost for the installation will be Rs. 4,960. The Commissioners have decided to enter into an agreement with the Oriental Gas Company, Limited, on account of the maintenance of these lamps at the rate of Rs. 50 for each lamp a year or at a total annual cost of Rs. 3,200 *per annum*.

3. The Municipal Commissioners propose to meet the charge to be incurred on account of lighting the aforesaid areas by imposing an annual lighting rate of 3 *per cent.* on the annual value of holdings situated within the areas to be lighted as defined in paragraph 1 of this notification. The income to be derived from the lighting-tax of the aforesaid areas is estimated to be Rs. 3,840 a year.

No. 2036M.—The 16th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the Santipur Municipality, in the district of Nadia :—

Nadia.

Babu Kartik Chandra Das.	Maulvi Saiyid Tajammal Ali.
,, Keshab Chandra Talukdar.	Munshi Muhammad Bechu.

Babu Pyari Mohon Sanyal.

No. 2049M.—The 19th November 1917.—In pursuance of section 49, sub-section (1), of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the power conferred by section 48 of that Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the street scheme known as Scheme No. X (Ripon Street Triangle) which has been submitted to him by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta, under section 47 of the said Act, and the net cost of which is estimated at Rs. 71,841.

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2. The area covered by the scheme is bounded on the—

North—From a point on Wellesley Street about 19 feet west of the south-west corner of premises No. 105, Ripon Street, running south-east in a straight line along Ripon Street to a point on the southern boundary of premises No. 105, Ripon Street, about 25 feet west of the south-east corner of the same holding.

East—From this point running south in a straight line, across Ripon Street to a point on Ripon Street, about 10 feet to the north of the north-west corner of premises No. 8, Ripon Street.

South—From this point running south-west in a straight line, along Ripon Street to a point on Wellesley Street about 14 feet west of the north-west corner of premises No. 6, Ripon Street.

West—From this point running north-east in a straight line to the starting point.

3. A list of holdings to be acquired is annexed.

4. A plan of the proposed lay out of the area included in the scheme can be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

List of properties to be acquired.

Ripon Street	...	... No. 106.
Wellesley Street	...	... Nos. 55, 56 and 57.

No. 2051M.—The 20th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 43 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Bengal Act IV of 1866), as amended by section 2 of the Calcutta and Suburban Police (Amendment) Act, 1907 (Bengal Act III of 1907), and upon the recommendation of the Municipal Commissioners of Calcutta, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare Shambazar Bridge Road in the town of Calcutta to be a main thoroughfare for the purposes of that clause.

Calcutta.

No. 2047L.S.-G.—The 19th November 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

Birbhum.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Rampurhat, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union :—

Name of the district within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Birbhum ...	Margram...	9	Margram	...	150	*North.*		
			Parkuta	...	151	Dalgram	...	118
						Dakhalbati	...	120
			Parkutahat	...	153	Sherpur	...	158
						Ramdebpur	...	156
			Benegram	...	121	Narayanpur	...	154
						Kartik Chunari Bara	...	205
			Goasbari	...	152	*East.*		
						Pora	...	222
						Durgapur or Basoa	...	223
						Basoa	...	149
						South.		
						Batina	...	147
						Paikpara	...	146
						Kalikapur	...	128
						Habetkund	...	127
						Ranapur	...	126
						West.		
						Dhakuria	...	125
						Kamikhya	...	123
						Chandankastha	...	122

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Margram Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

No. 2055 L.S.-t.—The 20th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clauses (*q1*) and (*t*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following rules for regulating the powers and duties of Union Committees in regard to sanitation, conservancy and drainage works under sections 115 and 116 of that Act.

RULES REGULATING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF UNION COMMITTEES IN REGARD TO SANITATION, CONSERVANCY AND DRAINAGE WORKS UNDER SECTIONS 115 AND 116 OF THE BENGAL LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT ACT OF 1885.

1. A Union Committee may execute any work under section 115 or section 116 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, of which the estimated cost does not exceed Rs. 1,000.

2. Except with the previous sanction of the District Board, no work estimated to cost over Rs. 1,000 shall be executed by any Union Committee :

Provided that, if the Commissioner so authorises a Union Committee, it may execute any work which is estimated to cost Rs. 2,500 or less, without the previous sanction of the District Board.

3. Any work estimated to cost over Rs. 1,000 may be executed under the supervision either of the Union Committee or of the District Board staff, as the District Board may direct :

Provided that when one-third of the cost of such work has been contributed from private sources on the condition that the work shall be executed by, and under the supervision of, the Union Committee, the work shall be carried out accordingly.

4. When a work is executed under the supervision of the Union Committee, it shall be competent to the Chairman of the District Board at any time to direct that it shall be supervised by a Circle Officer or any other person designated by the Chairman.

5. The Chairman of the District Board may authorize a Circle Officer or any other person designated by the Chairman to inspect any work executed by a Union Committee.

6. No member of a Union Committee may have any share or interest in any work executed at the expense of the Union Committee of which he is a member, but any member may with the sanction of the Committee engage in the supervision or execution of sanitary works, and draw advances and make payments on this account.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

NOTIFICATION.

ANNUAL EXAMINATION OF PLEADERS IN SURVEYING.

(*See* Government Notification No. 3157J., dated 25th November 1909)

(*Modified in Government Notification No. 320J.D., dated 16th July 1914.*)

1. The next examination will be held in February 1918 and will be conducted at the following centres (provided that not less than five names be registered at each centre) :—Sibpur and Dacca, in Bengal, and Bankipur and Cuttack, in Bihar and Orissa.

2. Each examination is complete in itself. A candidate will be required to pass by every test and will not be exempted from any test on the ground that he has previously satisfied the examiner in it.

3. Candidates practising in the Courts of the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions will be required to present themselves at Sibpur, in Orissa at Cuttack, in Patna, Tirhoot, Bhagalpur and Chota Nagpur Divisions at Bankipur, and in Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions at Dacca

4. In the event of more than 20 or less than 5 names being registered for examination at any one centre, the Secretary may direct the candidates to present themselves at any other centre.

5. No candidate will be admitted to the examination unless he has been enrolled as a Pleader and

(*i*) has obtained credit for attendance at the special course of instruction at Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, in 1914, 1915, 1916 or 1917, and has not previously appeared at the examination more than twice, or

(*ii*) has been registered for admission to the Intermediate Engineering Examination of the Calcutta University, or

(*iii*) has passed the Sub-Overseer Examination, or

(*iv*) has obtained the Surveyor's certificate of one of the Government Survey Schools, or

(*v*) has been specially exempted from the operation of this rule by the Board controlling the examination.

6. Candidates wishing to appear at the examination will apply upon the prescribed registration form, obtain the necessary countersignature of the District Judge in whose Court he is enrolled, and forward the same so as to reach the Secretary of the Examination Board at the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than the 11th January 1918. The form may be had from the Principal, Civil Engineering College.

7. Each application must be accompanied by a receipt from the local treasury certifying to the receipt of the examination fee of Rs. 50, *which fee will in no case be returned.*

8. The exact date of the examination and the proposed programme will be published in the Calcutta, Bihar and Orissa, and Assam Gazettes.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secretary, Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 7th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

PLEADERS' SURVEY CLASSES, 1918.

1. Classes for the training of Pleaders in Surveying will be opened in January and February 1918 in connection with the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, the Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipur, the Dacca School of Engineering and the Survey School at Cuttack, provided sufficient candidates register their names at each centre.

2. The course will last for six weeks and will consist of practical work combined with class instruction. The routine and hours of attendance will be settled by the heads of the institutions, who will also decide the exact locality in which the classes will be held and the date of the opening.

3. Pleaders must make their own arrangements for attending this course. No tents or other residental accommodation will be provided.

4. Credit for attendance at these classes will not be given unless the pleader has been present for 80 per cent. of the working days and for the full working hours of each day.

5. Any candidate who desires to undergo the course of training must apply to the Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, not later than 30th November. His application must be endorsed by the District Judge. It should state the centre which the candidate wishes to join, *i.e.*, Sibpur, Bankipur, Cuttack or Dacca, and should be accompanied by a remittance receipt from the local treasury certifying that the fee of Rs. 100 has been paid into the treasury to the credit of the Engineering College.

6. The Secretary will allot candidates to the centres, consulting their wishes as far as possible, giving not more than 34 and not less than 8 to a centre. He will then inform the heads of the institutions of the names and addresses of the candidates registered at their centre and they will inform the candidates as to the locality and the date of opening.

7. The following is the syllabus of instruction. No definite text-books are prescribed :—

(*a*) Practical work—

Chain surveying, Prismatic compass surveying. plane tabling and levelling.

(*b*) Class work—

Use of mathematical instruments.		Variation of compass.
Construction of scales	...	Preparation of field books from maps.
Mensuration of areas	...	Elementary principle of levelling.
Plotting ...	...	Plotting of level sections.

Candidates who obtain the required percentage of attendance at this course of instruction are qualified to appear at the Practical Examination held in 1919, 1920 and 1921.

B. HEATON,

Principal, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur,
and Secy. to the Pleaders' Survey Examination Board.

SIBPUR, *the 7th November 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Primary Examination for the Licentiateship of the Faculty :—

(In alphabetical order.)

	Name.	Age in years and months.	School.
	Bagchi, Jagadischandra ...	24-8	Campbell Medical School.
	Bandyopadhyay, Jatindranath ...	19-7	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Srischandra ...	19-4	Campbell Medical School.
	Bhattacharyya, Nirmalchandra...	22-9	Ditto.
	„ Prakaschandra...	23-9	Ditto.
	Biswas, Alokabala ...	19-4	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Rameschandra ...	19-4	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Harendramohan ...	23-7	Dacca Medical School.
	Datta, Praphullachandra ...	23-6	Ditto.
10	De, Nagendranath ...	22-6	Campbell Medical School.
	Ghosh, Bhupendranath ...	18-8	Ditto.
	„ Jaminikumar ...	21-4	Dacca Medical School.
	Maitra, Kumudbhushan ...	19-8	Ditto
	Mandal, Ramtaran ...	24-7	Campbell Medical School.
	Mitra, Nanigopal ...	18-9	Ditto.
	„ Ramchandra ...	21-5	Ditto.
	Muhammad Ibrahim Biswas ...	20-11	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Panchugopal ...	26-6	Ditto.
	„ Paritoshkumar	19-6	Ditto.
20	Pal, Bijaykrishna ...	19-3	Dacca Medical School.
	Pathak, Jasodanandan ...	22-4	Campbell Medical School.
	Ray, Jyo irindranath ...	23 9	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Kunjabihari ...	20-5	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Sanatkumar ...	18-2	Ditto.
	Samaddar, Abhayapada ..	20-4	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Satischandra ...	20-3	Ditto.
	Sengupta, Bijaykanta ...	19-2	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Priyanath ...	20-7	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Sudhirchandra ...	19-3	Ditto.
30	Sil, Sitalakanta ...	17-10	Dacca Medical School.
	Sinha, Dwijendranath ...	19-6	Campbell Medical School.
32	„ Madhusudan ...	19-8	Ditto.

G. C. MOOKERJEE,

Secy., State Medical Faculty of Bengal.

GROSVENOR HOUSE,

The 16th November 1917.

Notice.

THE Test Examination of private candidates will be held on Monday, the 17th December 1917, and the following days, instead of on the 3rd December 1917 and the following days, as already announced.

W. E. GRIFFITH,

Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded special junior scholarships for Muhammadans on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years:

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

Twenty-five scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

IN THE TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Anwarul Hasan	...	Calcutta Madrasa.
2.	S. Mozaffaruddin	...	Ditto.
3.	Aboo Sayeed	...	Ditto.
4.	Hamid Hasan	...	Ditto
5.	Hemayet Husan	...	Ditto.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

1.	Ainul Hoque Khan	...	P. N. High School, Satkhira.
2.	Muhammad Abdul Hannan	...	Sadarpur High School, Amla.
3.	Anwaral Haque	...	Baraset Government High School.
4.	Muhammad Hossain	...	Edward High School, Salar.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1.	Muhammad Serajul Islam	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
2.	Abdul Azim Mollah	...	R. M. Basu High School, Maju.
3.	Islam Ali Tarafder	...	Higher Class English School, Sibpur.

DACCA DIVISION.

1.	Momtazuddin	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
2.	Muhammad Ismael	...	Gafargaon Islamia High School.
3.	Muhammad Husen Ali	...	Ditto.
4.	Syed Abdul Ahad	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya.
5.	Abul Kasem	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1.	Abdul Aziz	...	Uma Lochan High School, Bangora.
2.	Mamtazul Huq Mallick	...	Feni High School.
3.	Shahed Ali	...	Comilla Zilla School.
4.	Karim Baksha	...	Chittagong Collegiate School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1.	Moyen Uddin Mian	...	Bogra Zilla School.
2.	Mohammed Ishaque	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
3.	Nafizuddin Ahmad	...	Ditto.
4.	Md. Abdus Sobhan	...	Shazadpur High School.

EVAN E. BISS,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GIRLS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded Special Junior Scholarships for girls on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years :

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

One of Rs. 20 a month.

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	Name of the school from which the candidate matriculated.
1.	Sudha Dutta ...	Maharani High School, Darjeeling.

Six of Rs. 15 a month each.

1.	Subodhbala Ray ...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
2.	Nikhilbala Gupta ...	Eden Girls' High School, Dacca.
3.	Pritilata Guha Maulik ...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Indubala Das Gupta ...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
5.	Lilabati Nag ...	Ditto ditto.
6.	Sudha Chatterjee ..	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.

Ten of Rs. 10 a month each.

1.	Amiyaprabha Biswas ...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.
2.	Lila Bose ...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3.	Malotimala Sircar ...	United Missionary Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Snehaprabha Sarkar ...	Vidyamoyee Girls' School, Mymensingh.
5.	Phulabala Gupta ...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	Sudhirabala Guha ...	Ditto ditto.
7.	Sumatibala Das ...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
8.	Monica Chatterji ...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
9.	Chapala Devi ...	Dr. Khastigir's Girls' School, Chittagong.
10.	Sunitibala Ray ...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.

F. C. TURNER,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1421	Kismat Bibi Chini, pargana Bozorgomedpur.	2,655 2 10	.....	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another.	993 10 10	.....	160 4 7
1449	Darihat Rajbariganj pargana Bozorgomedpur	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakrabarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Barajia pargana Bozorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 6as. 4gds. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold the remaining 9as. 15gds 2c. 2dt. will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,384 8 1	.....	555 12 5
3865	Tappa Abdullapur, Zamindari 10as. 13½ gds	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7as. 9gd. 2c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be sold, the remaining 8as. 10gds. 1c. 1kt. 1½dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	310 15 3

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 13th November 1917.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the main line of the East Indian Railway, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Thursday, the 3rd January 1918, corresponding with the Bengali 19th Paush, Fush, at Special Land Acquisition Office, Burdwan.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acre.		
1	Burdwan...	Pargana Burdwan, mauza Gopalbati.	65	Situated on the north side of the railway.	57 18 0	19·14	.....	.....	From chain 2·650-3 to chain 3·900.	*North*—By the waste lands of Dasi and the Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, the Banka Nu'la and a Bhagan road and by the waste and arable lands of Nistarini Dasi and Kali Das Pal. *East*—By the waste land of Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan cultivated lands of Kali Das Pal, Bhola Nath Pal, Khetra Nath Ghose, Ananta Pal, Kunja Pal, Sheik Nasiruddi, Uttom Pal, Riyote Hosen and Rakhal Mal. *South*—By the boundary fencing of the East Indian Railway Company's land.. *West*—By the cultivated lands of Mohendra Ghose and Kunja Behari Pal, waste and arable lands of Mohendra Ghose, Rakhal Mal, Sibattar land of Kunja Behari Pal, waste lands of Maharajadhiraj of Burdwan, the Banka river and a Bhagar road and cultivated lands of Sarbeswar Ghose.

Burdwan, the 9th November 1917.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 s. 6 gds. 2 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,319 4 9	.....	26/1000. Hissa 11 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhurs.	Purna Chandra Roy. ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
2703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhal, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sundar Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. a. p.				Rs a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babuita taraf Samaula Khan.	1 043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,458 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 13½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-6 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-5.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Baksita, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Dadu Meah, Sm Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan and town, taraf Inoch Alop.	2,365 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-8-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	189 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Dadu Meah Sm. Biabibi and others	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas Patiya town, Raozan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Raozan, taraf Keoja Hos Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto ...	.....	Sunadu Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Raozan, taraf Monoher Ray	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 2pies 10kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6½ kts paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 a. 3 pies 3½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 989 2-6.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Raozan, taraf Manoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 6 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 10 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18½ kts paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-2.	Baroda Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	528 11 3	.....	96 10 8
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Rustum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612-6-8.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mhd. Ohhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kaikobad Ahmed, mortgagee Misri jan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 0	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Raujan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar Do, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2554	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Raujan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Sm. Rahimunnesa herself and on behalf of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 3 9
3054	Thanas Raujan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 3, Nityananda Ray to the extent of interest 2 as 9 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as. 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
33641	Thana Chakaria, Kaimi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1,055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Decruz and Shaik Waisuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 12th November 1917.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,35,80,706 4 9			
Ditto ditto at Branches ...	„ 1,57,86,119 12 4	2,93,66,826	1	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		31,04,29,789	6	1
Bank Post Bills, etc		18,19,119	6	3
Sundries		14,67,528	11	5
		38,43,33,213	8	10

ASSETS

		Rs.	A	P
Government Securities		6,28,38,971	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,32,16,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		5,20,08,241	7	10
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		4,91,51,823	10	10
Bills discounted and purchased		2,74,78,966	0	10
Balances with other Banks		48,87,885	8	3
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		28,96,006	4	0
Stamps		11,060	0	11
Sundries		3,78,061	11	4
		21,28,62,609	12	0
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 10,63,53,082 9 4			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 6,51,17,571 8 6	17,14,70,603	12	10
		38,43 33,213	8	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,78,022 8 0

† Do. do. do „ 6,53,430 0 0

Rs. 10,31,452 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans. 5 per cent

Percentage 50·05

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 16th November 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2708—1)

DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of September 1917.

Budget for 1917.	Income	September 1917.	Total.	Total from January to Sept. 1917.	Budget for 1917.	Expenditure	September 1917.	Total.	Total from January to Sept. 1917.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5,911	Opening Balance ...	.....	.....	.....	25,737	POOR RELIEF— Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	2 0 0		19,155 13 0
14,400	GRANT-IN-AID— Government of India	1,200 0 0		10,800 0 0	1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment	150 8 0		1,415 2 0
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0		2,250 0 0					
4,000	Sunday fees	.....		3,520 0 0					
188	Corporation to Alms House.	.....		91 7 0	21,500	Central Office, Pensions.	1,701 0 0		15,326 0 0
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....		...	3,000	Central Office, Schooling.	366 8 0		1,967 0 0
			1 450 0 0		8,500	Central Office, Casual Relief.	475 8 0		5,603 8 0
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—				700	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	178 0 0		661 4 0
6,000	Recurring	302 0 0		5,187 12 0					
7,500	New Subscriptions and Donations.	477 0 0		8,519 5 0	1,500	Central Office, Private Orders.	141 0 0		1,859 2 3
180	Contribution towards rent.	15 0 0		135 0 0	600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		.....
600	Xmas Dinner account	.....		.....					
			794 0 0					5,120 5 0	
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—								
50	Received by the Central Office.	.....		20 0 0		ALMS HOUSE—			
			.....		3,984	Establishment and Enquiry Officer	344 0 0		3,096 0 0
					14,000	Diet ing	979 4 6		8,620 13 0
					2,000	Contingencies ...	135 11 6		1,351 14 9
					1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		191 11 0
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—				1,500	Repairs	.....		546 12 0
640	General Fund ...	.....		471 0 0	5,000	Bakery account ...	525 13 3		3,297 6 6
31,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	.....		20,865 0 7	6,000	Oil-crushing account	54 7 0		913 5 0
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	.....		13,016 7 4				1,839 4 3	
			.....						
	RELIEF FUNDS—					ESTABLISHMENT—			
1,500	Private Orders ...	222 1 6		1,764 7 3	9,216	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	707 8 0		6,482 8 0
			222 1 6		300	Auditing	150 0 0		300 0 0
					1,300	Rent	... ..		800 0 0
					1,000	Contingencies ...	209 13 6		981 2 8
					1,000	Printing and advertising.	12 0 0		696 2 6
	ALMS HOUSE—								
6,000	Bakery account ...	433 13 3		3,646 10 6				1,079 5 6	
7,000	Oil-crushing account	319 8 9		3,215 3 3					
			753 6 0						
7,500	DeSouza Home ...	489 0 0		4,834 8 0		SUNDRY CHARGES—			
	Deposit account ...	295 0 0		3,905 12 0	100	Bank charges ...	.....		82 9 9
			784 0 0					.....	
			4,003 7 6	90,193 8 11					
					7,500	DeSouza Home ...	495 12 9		4,856 11 9
						Deposit account ...	527 10 0		7,044 14 0
								1,023 6 9	
	Stock Account, Babu Shewpershad Jhoonjhoonwalah, at 3½ per cent G. P. note and Rai Isur Chandra Mittra Bahadur, 5 per cent. Indian War Loan and 3½ per cent. Rai Durga Das Bose Bahadur's Fund.	.....		12,400 0 0				9,062 5 6	86,289 12 2
						Bank of Bengal Safe Custody deposit.	.....	.....	13,400 0 0
			.....			Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China fixed deposit.	.....	.....	2,000 0 0
1,16,464	Total ...	.....	4,003 7 6	1,02,593 8 11	1,17,237	Total ...	.....	9,062 5 6	1,00,689 12 2

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	5,911 8 2	Total payments from 1st January to 30th September 1917.	.....	1,00,689 12 2
Total Receipts from 1st January to 30th September 1917	.....	1,09,592 8 11	Balance at Bank	7,407 11 3	
			Cash in hand	406 9 8	
					7,814 4 11
Total ...	.....	1,08,504 1 1	Total ...	.....	1,08 504 1 1

CALCUTTA,
The 17th October 1917.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

PERCY W. WOOLLEY,
Secretary.

		Rs	
1916, Donations and New Subscriptions	from January to August ...	13,905	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in September	588	
			Rs. 14,493
1917, ,, ,, ,,	from January to August ...	16 654	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in September	477	
			,, 17,131

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, Original Jurisdiction, in his sale-room on Saturday, the 1st day of December 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to decrees of the said Court, dated respectively, the 12th March 1915 and the 12th January 1917, made in suit No. 71 of 1915 (Bepin Behary Ghosh *versus* Hari Das Pal), the following property of the defendant :—

All that partly one-storied and partly two-storied brick-built messuage or dwelling-house with land thereunto belonging containing by measurement 2 cottahs 3 chitaks and 22 square feet being premises No. 11, Sreemanto Dey Lane, holding No. 334, block No. XIII, Northern Division, Calcutta, and bounded as follows :— On the north partly by Sreemanto Dey Lane and partly by premises No. 10, Sreemanto Dey Lane, on the east by Sreemanto Dey Lane, on the south by premises No. 12, Sreemanto Dey Lane, and on the west by the Municipal drain filled passage, the annual Government revenue payable in respect whereof is annas 6 and pies 3 only.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's office or at the office of Babu Sarat Chunder Ghosh, attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 5, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

Sarat Chunder Ghosh, Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, dated the 27th day of August 1917.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

(2709—1—2707)

Notice.

WANTED 24 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of Ganja. Some of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of January 1918 and some on later dates. Selected candidates will have to work for six months. None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 7th December 1917.

R. C. DUTT, Subdivisional Officer, Naogaon (Rajshahi).

Naogaon, the 14th November 1917.

WANTED an M. A. in Sanskrit with experience in teaching as an Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit) for the Sanskrit Collegiate School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month (class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service). Applications must reach the Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School, on or before the 15th December 1917.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSANA,
Principal, Sanskrit College.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.

Notice.

WANTED for the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, a clerk on a monthly salary of Rs. 25—1—30 outside the grades. None but I.A.'s, I.Sc.'s, or F.A.'s need apply. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan candidate. Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as regards age, educational qualifications, native village and district, schools and colleges, where educated and previous experience, if any, will be received up to the 15th of December 1917. The cover should be addressed to the Superintendent, office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, P. O. Ramna.

M. V. IRONS, Inspectress of Schools,
Dacca Circle.

Dacca, the 8th November 1917.

The Commissioners for the Port of Chittagong.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 58 of the Chittagong Port Act, 1914 (Bengal Act V of 1914), and with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council, the Commissioners of the Port of Chittagong will levy, with effect from the 1st December 1917, a river due of two annas a ton on bunker coal shipped at the said Port.

K. C. DE, Chairman.

Chittagong, the 19th November 1917. (2711—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

A GENERAL Meeting of members of the Dacca Amsl. Club, Ld. (in Liquidation), will be held at the registered office of the Company on Friday, the 21st December 1917, at 6 P.M., when the accounts of the winding up of the Company will be laid before the meeting and any explanations furnished that may be required.

S. G. HART, Liquidator.

Dacca, the 18th November 1917. (2712—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate Henry Jephson Hilary, deceased.

PURSUANT to section 320 of Act X of 1865 and section 42 of Act XXVIII of 1866, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Henry Jephson Hilary, deceased, formerly Vice-Chairman of the Port Commissioners, Calcutta, but late a Lieutenant in the Royal Field Artillery in His Majesty's Army, who died at the Casualty Clearing Station in France on or about the 3rd day of June 1917, should, on or before the 15th day of January 1918, send in particulars of such claims to the undersigned, after which date no claims will be admitted and assets of the estate of the deceased will be distributed.

ISOBEL MARY HILARY, Administratrix
to the estate of the deceased abovenamed.
Hollyhurst, Burwash Common, Sussex, England.

The 12th day of November 1917. (2705—1—2698)

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Calcutta G. P. O., the 19th November 1917. J. FISCHER RODRIGUES, Presidency Postmaster.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1917.

PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1189L., dated the 20th November, 1917.—The following Report of the Select Committee, which was presented to the Bengal Legislative Council on the 20th November, 1917 (with the Bill as amended by the Committee), is hereby published for general information :—

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

Papers No. 1.—(1) Letter No. 352, dated the 28th September, 1917, from the Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association.

(2) Letter No. 1467, dated the 26th September, 1917, from the Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Birbhum.

(3) Letter No. 200L.—888T., dated the 28th September, 1917, from the Director of Land Records, Bengal.

Paper No. 2.—Letter No. 503A.D., dated the 30th September, 1917, from the Honorary Secretary, North Bengal Zamindars' Association.

Papers No. 3.—(1) Letter No. 2266G., dated the 2nd October, 1917, from the Additional District Judge of Dinajpur.

(2) Letter No. 2586, dated the 4th October, 1917, from the District Judge of Bankura.

(3) Letter No. 112 R.G., dated the 5th October, 1917, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

(4) Letter No. 79 R.C.T., dated the 9th October, 1917, from the Officiating Commissioner, Rajshahi Division.

(5) Letter No. 2535 G., dated the 11th October, 1917, from the District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi.

Paper No. 4.—Letter dated the 7th September, 1917, from the Honorary Secretary, Bengal Landholders' Association.

Papers No. 5.—Letter No. 4856R., dated the 8th October, 1917, from the Commissioner, Dacca Division, with enclosures.

Papers No. 6.—Letter No. 5054R., dated the 17th October, 1917, from the Commissioner, Dacca Division, with enclosures.

Paper No. 7.—Letter No. 9206, dated the 26th October, 1917, from the District and Sessions Judge, Midnapore.

Paper No. 8.—Letter dated the 8th November, 1917, from the Collector of Birbhum.

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee, to which the Bill to supplement and amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have the honour to submit this, our Report, with the Bill, as amended by us, annexed hereto. In reprinting the Bill, all changes made by us have been underlined. The more important alterations are explained below.

2. *Section 49A.*—When the Bill was introduced in Council, objection was taken to the indefinite scope of the proposed Act. Many of the opinions received suggested that aboriginals should be defined. The section has been re-drafted to show that the Bill is primarily intended for the Sonthals of the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore. Other castes and tribes to which the Bill may be applied have been specified. Provision has also been made for withdrawing the provisions of the Chapter if the occasion should arise.

3. *Section 49E.*—The period "nine" years has been reduced to "seven" in conformity with the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908.

4. *Section 49F.*—This section has been re-drafted to make the meaning clearer and also to provide on the lines of section 49 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, for the transfer of land by an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat by private sale, gift or will. Provision has also been made to make it clear that this section does not validate any transfer otherwise invalid.

5. *Section 49H.*—The change in section 49H (*2*) (*b*) is intended to meet the objection which has been taken to the interference with the right of settlement enjoyed by the landlord and to the indefinite discretion allowed to the Collector. The re-draft makes it clear that if the Collector after first endeavouring to restore the land to the original owner or his heir, finds himself unable to do so, he will make over the land to the landlord for settlement subject to the provisions of section 49J. A proviso has been added to the effect that if the landlord does not exercise his right within one year the Collector may, within six months of such failure, settle the land with an aboriginal on behalf of the landlord. If the Collector fails to find an aboriginal tenant, an unrestricted right of settlement of the land will then vest in the landlord.

6. *Section 49J.*—Sub-section (*1*) of this section as re-drafted indicates the procedure for the settlement of the land which vests in the landlord under section 49H (*2*) (*b*), or which is surrendered or abandoned by an aboriginal tenant No action by the Collector is contemplated if the landlord settles the land with an aboriginal. In clause (*ii*) of the same sub-section provision has been made for the settlement of the land by the landlord with a person who is not an aboriginal or for the retention of possession by the landlord of any such land, in both cases subject to the approval of the Collector.

7. *Section 49K, proviso* (*b*).—In view of the new provision in section 49A (*1*) applying the proposed Act to the Sonthals of the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore. a date is necessary in their case as well as in the case of other notified aboriginals, after which all transfers except those authorised by the proposed Act will be illegal. One year is considered sufficient for this purpose.

Proviso (*c*) has been made more concise.

8. *Section 49L.*—In view of the objections to the transfer of sales in execution of decrees to the Collector, the provision for transfer of a decree to the Collector has been omitted, and the Court executing the decree has been authorised to grant reasonable time for payment.

9. *Section 49N.*—We have omitted this section as being unnecessary.

10. *Section 49O.*—We have amplified this section on the lines of section 258 of the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908, so as to meet cases of fraud or want of jurisdiction.

11. *Section 49P.*—We have altered this section for the reasons given for the alterations made in section 49K, proviso (*b*).

12. We recommend that the Bill, as now amended by us, be passed.

J. G. CUMMING,

Member-in-charge.

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A. M. HUTCHISON,

(Offg.) Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal and Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

CALCUTTA ;

The 17th November, 1917.

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917;

(as amended by the Select Committee.)

[*Note.*—The amendments made by the Select Committee have been underlined.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
(Offg.) Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council.]

A

BILL

to supplement and amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885.

[*Note:*—"Reg. III of 1872" means the Sonthal Parganas Settlement Regulation, 1872 (III of 1872), as amended by the Sonthal Parganas Settlement (Amendment) Regulation, 1908 (III of 1908). "C. P. T." means the Central Provinces Tenancy Act, 1898 (XI of 1898). "Act XIII of 1900" means the Punjab Alienation of Land Act, 1900. "C. N. T." means the Chota Nagpur Tenancy Act, 1908 (Ben. Act VI of 1908).]

WHEREAS it is expedient to supplement and amend the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, in the manner hereinafter appearing; VIII of 1885.

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained under section 79, subsection *(2)*, of the Government of India Act, 1915, to the passing of this Act; 5 & 6 Geo. 5, c. 61.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Act, 1917.

New Chapter VIIA. **2.** After Chapter VII of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, the following Chapter shall be inserted, namely:— VIII of 1885.

"CHAPTER VIIA.

"*Restrictions on alienation of land by aboriginals.*

Application of Chapter. **"49A.** *(1)* This Chapter shall apply in the first instance only to the Sonthals of the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, who shall be deemed to be aboriginals for the purposes of this Chapter. [*Cf.* Act XIII of 1900, s. 4.]

(2) The Local Government may, from time to time by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, declare that the provisions of this Chapter shall, in any district or local area, apply to such of the following aboriginal castes or tribes as may be specified in the notification, and that such castes or tribes shall

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(*Clause 2: sections 49B—49E.*)

be deemed to be aboriginals for the purposes of this Chapter, namely:—

Santhals of other districts, Bhuiyas, Bhumijes, Garos, Gonds, Hadis, Hajangs, Hos, Kharias, Kharwars, Kochs, Koras, Maghs (Bakarganj), Mal and Sauria Paharias, Meches, Mundas, Oraons and Turis, and allied castes or tribes.

(*3*) The publication of a notification under sub-section (*2*) shall be conclusive evidence that the provisions of this Chapter have been duly applied to such castes or tribes.

(*4*) The Local Government may, by a like notification, declare that this Chapter shall, in any district or local area, cease to apply to the Santhals mentioned in sub-section (*1*) or to any caste or tribe to which it may have been applied under sub-section (*2*).

Restrictions on transfer of tenant rights

"**49B.** No transfer by an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat of his right in his tenure or holding, or in any portion thereof, by private sale, gift, will, mortgage, lease or any contract or agreement, shall be valid to any extent except as provided in this Chapter. [*Cf.* C. N. T., ss 46, 240, Reg. III of 1872, s 27 (*1*).]

Lease by tenure-holder

"**49C.** An aboriginal tenure-holder may grant a lease to another aboriginal, to hold the land as a tenure-holder, or to cultivate it as a raiyat, in accordance with the provisions of this Act. [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 240 (*4*).]

Sub-letting by raiyat

"**49D.** Subject to the provisions of section 85, an aboriginal raiyat may sub-let his holding to another aboriginal to cultivate it as an under-raiyat. [*Cf.* Reg III of 1872, s 27(*1*).]

Usufructuary mortgage by tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat

"**49E.** An aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat may enter with another aboriginal into a complete usufructuary mortgage in respect of any land under his own cultivation, for any period which does not and cannot, in any possible event, by any agreement, express or implied, exceed seven years, or the period of his own right, whichever is less: [*Cf.* C. N. T., s 46 (*1*) proviso, s. 240 (*3*).]

Provided that every mortgage so entered into shall be registered under the Indian Registration Act, 1908. XVI of 1908.

Explanation.—A 'complete usufructuary mortgage' means a transfer by a tenant of the right of possession in any land for the purpose of securing the payment of money or the return of grain advanced or to be advanced by way of loan, upon the condition that the loan, with all interest thereon, shall be deemed to be extinguished by the profits arising from the land during the period of the mortgage. [*Cf.* C. N T, s. 3 (*ii*).]

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(*Clause 2: sections 49F—49H.*)

Application to Collector for transfer in certain cases.

"**49F.** (*1*) If in any case— [*Cf.* Act XIII of 1900, ss. 3, 6 C. N. T. S. 49.]

(*a*) an aboriginal tenure-holder is unable to lease his land as provided in section 49C, or an aboriginal raiyat is unable to sub-let his holding as provided in section 49D, or an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat is unable to mortgage his land to another aboriginal as provided in section 49E, or

(*b*) an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat desires to transfer his land, or any portion thereof, by private sale, gift or will to any person,

he may apply to the Collector for permission, in case (*a*), to transfer the same to a person who is not an aboriginal, or in case (*b*), to transfer the same by private sale, gift or will to any person; and the Collector may pass such order on the application as he thinks fit.

(*2*) Every such transfer shall be made by registered deed, and before the deed is registered and the land transferred, the written consent of the Collector shall be obtained to the terms of the deed and to the transfer.

(*3*) Nothing in this section shall validate a transfer of any land or portion thereof which, by the terms upon which it is held, or by any law or local custom, would not be transferable except for the provisions of this section.

Courts not to register, or recognise as valid, transfers in contravention of this Chapter.

"**49G.** No transfer by an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat in contravention of the provisions of this Chapter shall be registered or in any way recognised as valid by any Court, whether in the exercise of civil, criminal or revenue jurisdiction. [*Cf.* C. N. T., ss. 46(*3*), 210(*6*); Reg. III of 1872, s. 27 (*2*).]

Power to Collector to set aside improper transfers by tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat.

"**49H.** (*1*) If a transfer of a tenure or holding, or any portion thereof, is made by an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat in contravention of the provisions of section 49B, or if the transferee has continued in possession in contravention of the provisions of section 49E or section 49F, the Collector may, on his own initiative or on application made in that behalf, by an order in writing, eject the transferee from such tenure, holding or portion: [*Cf.* C. P. T., ss. 47 and 71; Reg. III of 1872, s. 27 (3).]

Provided that—

(*a*) the transferee whom it is proposed to eject has not been in continuous possession in contravention of this Act for twelve years, and [*Cf.* Reg. III of 1872, s. 27(3), proviso.]

(*b*) he is given an opportunity of showing cause against the order of ejection.

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(Clause 2: sections 49J, 49K.)

(2) When the Collector has passed any order under sub-section (1), he shall either—

(a) restore the transferred land to the aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat, or his heir, or

(b) failing the transferor or his heir, declare that the right of settlement is vested in the landlord subject to the provisions of section 49J, provided that if the right is not exercised within one year, the Collector may, within six months, settle the land on behalf of the landlord on such terms as he deems fit with an aboriginal; and, if the Collector is unable to make such settlement within the said period, an unrestricted right of settlement will vest in the landlord.

Resettlement of surrendered or abandoned tenancies.

"49J. (1) Whenever— [*Cf.* Act VIII of 1885, s. 87.]

(a) the right of settlement of any tenancy, or any portion thereof, is declared to be vested in the landlord under clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 49H, or

(b) an aboriginal tenant surrenders his tenancy, or a portion thereof, or abandons his residence and ceases to hold his tenancy,

the landlord may, subject to the provisions of sections 86 and 87,—

(i) settle the tenancy, or a portion thereof, with an aboriginal, or

(ii) with the approval of the Collector in writing, settle the same with a person who is not an aboriginal or retain it in his own possession.

(2) If any landlord resettles or otherwise deals with any tenancy as aforesaid in contravention of the provisions of sub-section (1), the Collector may take action, so far as may be, in accordance with the provisions of section 49H.

Restrictions on sale of tenant rights under order of Court.

"49K. Notwithstanding anything in this Act, no decree or order shall be passed by any Court for the sale of the right of an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat in his tenure or holding, or in any portion thereof, nor shall any such right be sold in execution of any decree or order: [*Cf.* Act XIII of 1900, s. 16; C. P. T., ss. 46 (2), 70 (2); C. N. T., s. 47.]

Provided as follows:—

(a) any tenure or holding belonging to an aboriginal may be sold, in execution of a decree of a competent Court, to recover an arrear of rent which has accrued in respect of the tenure or holding; [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 47, proviso (a).]

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(Clause 2; sections 49L, 49M.)

(*b*) nothing in this section shall affect any right to execute a decree for the sale of any such tenure or holding, or the terms or conditions of any contract relating thereto, if such decree was passed, or such contract registered,— [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 47.]

(*i*) in the case of the Santhals of the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore, before the 1st November 1916, and

(*ii*) in the case of other castes and tribes to which this Chapter has been applied, at least one year before the date of the publication of the notification under section 49A, sub-section (*2*), in respect to such castes or tribes;

(*c*) nothing in this section shall affect any right for the sale of any such tenure or holding for the recovery of any dues which are recoverable as public demands. [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 47, proviso (*b*).]

"**49L.** If the sale of a tenure or holding, or any portion thereof, is ordered in execution of a decree against an aboriginal tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat in respect of such tenancy or portion thereof, the Court executing the decree shall allow the tenant reasonable time in which to pay the amount due.

Stay of execution of decrees

"**49M.** (*1*) An appeal, if presented within thirty days from the date of the order appealed against, shall lie to the Collector of the district from any order made under sections 49F, 49H or 49J by any officer in the district exercising the powers of a Collector, and the order of the Collector on appeal shall be final: [*Cf.* C. N. T., ss. 215, 216; Act VIII of 1885, s. 104G (*1*).]

Appeal and revision.

Provided that every order passed by the Collector on appeal shall be subject to revision and modification by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* Ben. Act VII of 1876, s. 85.]

(*2*) Notwithstanding anything in sub-section (*1*), an appeal from any order made under any of the sections mentioned in that sub-section by an officer acting under Chapter X of this Act shall be to such officer as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf, and the orders of such officer on appeal shall be final:

Provided that, in every such case, every order passed by the said officer on appeal shall be subject to revision and modification by such officer as the Local Government may appoint to deal therewith.

(*3*) An appeal, as provided in sub-section (*1*), shall lie to the Commissioner from any original order made by the Collector of the district under any of the sections mentioned in that sub-section. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1918, s. 51 (*1*) (*b*) and (*2*).]

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(*Clause 2; sections 49N—49P.*)

"**49N.** (*Omitted in Select Committee.*)

"**49-O.** Notwithstanding anything in this Act, no suit shall lie to vary or set aside any order passed by the Collector in any proceeding under this Chapter except on the ground of fraud or want of jurisdiction. [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 268; Act XIII of 1900, s. 21.]

Bar to suits.

"**49P.** Nothing in this Chapter shall affect the validity of any transfer (not otherwise invalid) by a tenure-holder, raiyat or under-raiyat of his tenure or holding, or any portion thereof, made *bonâ fide*,— [*Cf.* C. N. T., s. 46 (5) and s. 240 (7).]

Saving of certain transfers.

(*a*) in the case of the Sonthals of the districts of Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapore before the 1st November 1916. and

(*b*) in the case of other castes and tribes to which this Chapter has been applied, at least one year before the date of the publication of the notification under section 49A, sub-section (2), in respect to such castes or tribes."

A. M. HUTCHISON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (offg.).

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REPORT ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE STAMP DEPARTMENT DURING THE THREE YEARS ENDING THE 31ST MARCH 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

No 2563S.R.—The 19th November 1917.—The following extracts from the Report on the Administration of the Stamp Department for the triennium ending the 31st March 1917 are published for general information.

J. DONALD,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 264T.-S.R., dated Darjeeling, the 8th September 1917.

From—The HON'BLE MR. J. DONALD, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Dept.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Dept.

I AM directed to submit for the information of the Government of India the following report on the administration of the Stamp Department during the three years ending the 31st March 1917.

2. *Important changes in the law and in the rules.*—The stamp revenue during the period under review was realised under the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (Act II of 1899), and the Court-Fees Act, 1870 (Act VII of 1870), as amended by subsequent enactments. During this period the Court-Fees Act, 1870, was amended by Act XVII of 1914 and the Indian Stamp Act, 1899, by Act XIII of 1916.

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Financial Results.

8. The receipts, which, in 1913-14, the last year of the preceding triennium, were Rs. 2,21,97,277, fell to Rs. 2,05,06,462 in 1914-15, but rose to Rs. 2,26,77,548 in 1915-16. During the last year of the period under review the receipts as reported by the Accountant-General, Bengal, *plus* Rs. 4,60,972 paid to the Calcutta Improvement Trust being the collection of the increased stamp duty leviable under section 82 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, and also Rs. 4,99,000, the Provincial share of the sale-proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues, amounted to Rs. 2,46,13,677, an increase of Rs. 19,36,129 or 8·5 per cent. as compared with those of 1915-16, and of Rs. 41,07,215 or 20·0 per cent. over those of 1914-15. The increase occurred both under judicial and non-judicial stamps.

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A.—Judicial Stamps.

10. The sale-proceeds of Court-fee stamps (excluding stamps for copies) rose steadily during the past three years. The receipts during 1916-17 were Rs. 1,56,85,461 against Rs. 1,47,36,832 in 1915-16 and Rs. 1,35,28,272 in 1914-15. Compared with 1915-16, there was an increase in 1916-17 in all divisions except the Presidency. The decrease in that division, which occurred chiefly in Calcutta, was due to the opening of the Patna High Court, and also to the fact that large probate duties were realised in 1915-16. In the other divisions the increases are ascribed partly to the institution of a large number of civil suits and partly to work in connection with settlement operations. The receipts from the sale of stamps for copies fell from Rs. 6,84,582 in 1914-15 to Rs. 6,74,477 in 1915-16, but rose to Rs. 7,10,527 in 1916-17. The receipts from the sale of plain paper rose from Rs. 3,07,099 in 1914-15 to Rs. 3,23,513 in 1915-16 and to Rs. 3,55,566 in 1916-17.

B.—Non-Judicial Stamps.

11. The revenue derived from the sale of non-judicial stamps during 1916-17 showed an increase of Rs. 9,18,627 or 13·2 per cent. as compared with 1915-16, and of Rs. 18,74,811 or 31·3 per cent. over that of the first year of the triennium. The increase was shared by all classes of stamps except "Forms for agreements and contracts chargeable with two-anna coloured impressions."

12. (*a*) *Impressed stamps.*—The receipts from the sale of impressed stamps (the most important item among non-judicial stamps) showed a progressive increase during the past three years. The revenue which amounted to Rs. 33,81,392 in 1914-15 rose to Rs. 39,32,854 in 1915-16, and to Rs. 41,93,529 in 1916-17. The increase is generally attributed to the execution of a larger number of sale and mortgage deeds owing to high prices of food-stuffs, to the settlement operations in some districts, and to the increased stamp duty levied under the Calcutta Improvement Act on instruments relating to immoveable property situated in the suburban areas of Calcutta.

13. (*b*) *Hundis or inland bills-of-exchange.*—The revenue derived from the sale of stamps from *hundis* or inland bills-of-exchange rose steadily

during the triennium. The receipts during 1916-17 were Rs. 1,81,459, an increase of Rs. 59,762 over those of 1915-16, and of Rs. 84,185 over those of 1914-15.

14. (*c*) *Impressed labels or special adhesive stamps.*—The receipts from the sale of these stamps during 1916-17 showed an increase of Rs. 3,53,157 or 26·2 per cent. as compared with those of 1915-16. and of Rs. 3,91,806 or 29·9 per cent. over those of 1914-15. These stamps are principally used in Calcutta where there was an increase of Rs. 3,53,653 in 1916-17, as compared with 1915-16. attributed mainly to the additional stamp duty levied under the Calcutta Improvement Trust Act and to the general prosperity of trade.

15. (*d*) *Foreign bill stamps.*—The receipts from these stamps, which are sold only in Calcutta and Chittagong, amounted in 1916-17 to Rs. 1,87,274, and exceeded those of the preceding two years by Rs 43,583 and Rs. 46,475, or 30·3 and 33·0 per cent., respectively. The rise in the prices of articles imported into India during the war, and the growing scarcity of freight account for the increase under this head.

16. (*e*) *Share-transfer stamps.*—Sales of these stamps. which are used for the payment of stamp duty on transfers of shares of public companies and associations, are practically confined to Calcutta. The revenue rose from Rs. 1,18,008 in 1914-15 to Rs. 3,67,454 in 1915-16 and to Rs. 6.11.407 in 1916-17. The increase is attributed to considerable speculation in jute mill shares, the value of which has swollen abnormally owing to the enormous profits made by the mills. The appropriation of first class coal by the Government towards the close of the past year gave a spurt to the shares of coal companies also and added to the sale of stamps on transfers.

17. (*f*) *Stamps for legal practitioners' licenses.*—The receipts from the sale of these stamps fell from Rs. 1,29,711 in 1914-15 to Rs. 1,27.379 in 1915-16, but rose to Rs. 1,31,330 in the last year of the triennium.

18. (*g*) *Notarial stamps.*—These are one-rupee foreign bill stamps overprinted with the words "Notarial" under rule 17 (*d*) of the rules issued with the notification of the Government of India. No. 1140—F., dated the 14th August 1914. They were sold in four out of 27 districts in 1916-17. The sales of the year amounted to Rs. 1,740 in comparison with Rs. 1,251 and Rs. 2,215 during the two previous years, respectively.

19. (*h*) *Forms for agreements and contracts chargeable with two-anna coloured impressions.*—In accordance with rule 8 of the rules published with the notification cited in the foregoing paragraph. skeleton forms of instruments, chargeable with a duty of two-annas under article 5 or 43 of schedule I of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899, are impressed with two-anna coloured impressions in the office of the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps, Calcutta, on receipt of certificates of payment from a Government treasury. The income from this source rose from Rs. 2,527 in 1914-15 to Rs. 3,682 in 1915-16, but fell to Rs. 3,388 in 1916-17.

20. (*i*) *Forms for cheques and receipts.*—The sale of these forms, which are stamped with one-anna coloured impressions by the Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps, Calcutta, in accordance with the rule cited above, brought in Rs. 1,94,393 in 1916-17. The receipts exceeded those of the previous two years by Rs. 20,891 and Rs. 19,356 or by 12·0 per cent. and 11·1 per cent., respectively. The increase occurred chiefly in Calcutta.

21. (*j*) *Miscellaneous receipts.*—The receipts under this head were mainly composed of realisations under section 35 and sections 32, 37, 40 and 41 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899. The income from these sources rose from Rs. 1,33,262 in 1914-15 to Rs. 2,26,250 in 1915-16, but fell to Rs. 1,58,710 in the last year of the triennium. The decrease occurred chiefly in Calcutta.

Arrangements for the sale of stamps.

22. * * * * *

The total number of vendors engaged in the sale of judicial and non-judicial stamps during the year 1916-17 was 5,250 against 5,092 and 5,232 in the preceding two years. The expenditure on discounts allowed to stamp vendors during 1916-17 was Rs. 3,89,246, which exceeded that of the preceding two years by Rs. 33,512 and Rs. 75,903, respectively. The increase followed on the rise in the sale of judicial and non-judicial stamps. The average discount per vendor during the triennium under report was Rs. 68 against Rs. 69 in the preceding period.

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Punitive action of the Courts and Revenue Officers.

23. * * * * * *

The total number of cases dealt with by the Civil Courts increased from 2,002 in 1914-15 to 2,209 in 1915-16 and 2,329 in 1916-17. The duty and penalty realised by the Civil Courts during the last year of the triennium was Rs. 16,653, showing an increase, as compared with the previous two years, of Rs. 2,899 and Rs. 2,992, respectively. There was an increase of 414 in the number of cases decided and of Rs. 4,478 in the duty and penalty realised by Revenue Officers in 1916-17, as compared with the figures of the preceding year, and of 534 and Rs. 40,125, respectively, as compared with the figures of 1914-15. The increase, both in the number of cases and in the amount of realisation, is attributed to the vigilance of the Courts, and to more careful examination of documents by officers of the Registration Department.

24. * * * * * *

The number of cases instituted in 1916-17 was 257, in which 266 persons were brought to trial against 332 and 342 in 1915-16 and 740 and 758 in 1914-15. Compared with the year 1915-16, the number of prosecutions in 1916-17 was less in all divisions except the Chittagong Division, where the number remained unchanged. It is said that the public are gradually taking greater precautions to stamp their documents properly. The fines imposed during the year amounted to Rs. 2,419, showing a decrease, as compared with the previous two years, of Rs. 339 and Rs. 2,050, respectively. The amount paid in rewards in 1916-17 was Rs. 1,240 against Rs. 1,080 and Rs. 2,087 in the previous two years, respectively. No rewards were paid outside Calcutta.

Working of section 19H added to the Court-Fees Act, VII of 1870, by Act XI of 1899.

25. * * * * * *

The number of cases reported to the Collector showed a gradual decrease from 1,934 in 1914-15 to 1,729 in 1915-16 and to 1,617 in the last year of the triennium. The number of cases in which enquiries were instituted and the number of enquiries completed fell from 1,713 and 1,774 in 1914-15 to 1,558 and 1,474 in 1915-16, but rose to 1,901 and 1,605 in 1916-17. The amount of deficit Court-fees realised rose from Rs. 54,394 in 1914-15 to Rs. 61,385 in 1915-16 and to Rs. 89,641 in 1916-17. Of the cases reported during 1916-17, including those pending at the beginning of the year, 72·8 per cent. were completely enquired into; the corresponding percentages in the preceding two years were 67·7 and 75·1. The proportion borne by the deficit duty required to the amount originally realised was 12·3 in 1916-17 and 18·3 and 8·4 in the preceding two years. There was a marked increase in the realisation of

deficit duties in Calcutta during the last year of the triennium under review, due mainly to the creation of a special post and the appointment of a Deputy Collector to conduct enquiries regarding the valuation of the estates in respect of which probates and letters of administration are applied for in the High Court. No case of serious undervaluation has been reported during the triennium.

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STATEMENT I.—*Abstract of receipts and charges for the year ending the 31st March 1917.*

—	Receipts.	Charges.				Net receipts.	Cost of stamps and plain paper supplied from central stores.
		Discount and establishment for the sale of stamps.	Refunds.	Other charges.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Under the Stamp Act...	79,06,735*	2,41,236	50,744	30,061§	3,22,041	75,84,694	58,200
Under the Court-fees Act.	1,67,06,942	1,48,157	1,29,384	...	2,77,541	1,64,29,401	1,48,717
Total ...	2,46,13,677	3,89,393	1,80,128	30,061	5,99,582	2,40,14,095	2,06,917
Total of the year 1915-16.	2,26,77,548†	3,55,510	1,70,946	26,216	5,52,672	2,21,24,876	2,00,984
Total of the year 1914-15.	2,05,06,462‡	3,12,106	1,97,937	27,442	5,37,485	1,99,68,977	2,80,912

* Includes Rs. 4,60,972 paid to the Calcutta Improvement Trust on account of excess stamp duty realized from several districts and also Rs. 4,99,000 being the provincial share of sale-proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues.

† Includes Rs. 2,39,730 paid to the Calcutta Improvement Trust on account of excess stamp duty realized from several districts and also Rs. 4,99,000 being the provincial share of sale-proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues.

‡ Includes Rs. 2,38,107 paid to the Calcutta Improvement Trust on account of excess stamp duty realized from several districts and also Rs. 4,99,000 being the provincial share of sale-proceeds of unified stamps credited to non-postal revenues.

§ Includes Rs. 22,090 on account of district establishment, Rs. 1,240 on account of rewards to informers and Rs. 6,731 on account of contingencies.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE PUBLIC SERVICES COMMISSION REGARDING THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

EDUCATION BRANCH.

Calcutta, the 16th November 1917.

The following Circular letter from the Government of India, Department of Education, published in the *Gazette of India* of the 20th October 1917, is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 866.

FROM

THE HON'BLE MR. H. SHARP, C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT,

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY,
EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL,
GENERAL (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED PROVINCES, EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

THE UNDER-SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB, HOME (EDUCATION) DEPARTMENT.

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BURMA,
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BIHAR AND ORISSA, EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF ASSAM.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG.

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER AND AGENT TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL, NORTH-WEST FRONTIER PROVINCE.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF DELHI.

Simla, the 6th October 1917.

Department of Education.
Education.

SIR,

In the Home Department letter No. 380-C., dated the 25th January 1917, local Governments were informed of the proposals of the Government of India as regards the procedure to be followed in dealing with the report of the Public Services Commission. In paragraph 3 of that letter it was stated that the Government of India would, in the first place, form provisional

conclusions regarding the Commission's recommendations involving general principles and of general application and that local Governments would be informed of these conclusions at an early date. It is hoped that the Government of India will shortly be able to make a communication to local Governments in accordance with the arrangement above described.

2. In forwarding the report of the Commission to the Government of India in October 1916, the Secretary of State suggested that they should give early consideration to the recommendations of the Commission regarding the Education Department. He added that the recommendations embodied in annexure IV to the Commission's report aimed at removing many anomalies now existing in this service which constituted a source of discontent and appeared to cause embarrassment to Government. The Government of India, in submitting their proposals for the procedure to be followed in dealing with the report, informed the Secretary of State that endeavour would be made to expedite preliminary secretariat work as much as possible, and that his special request for early consideration of the Education Department case had been noted. The Secretary of State, moreover, in dealing with another case in January 1917, invited a reference to his previous suggestion and expressed a hope that the Government of India would be able to give very early consideration to the proposals of the Commission regarding the educational services.

I am accordingly directed to say that the Government of India desire, in the case of the Education Department, to depart from the general line of procedure pursued in dealing with the report as a whole, and I am to address you regarding certain important proposals relating to that Department. It is not proposed in the present communication to deal with questions of leave or pension, as these must be decided largely in accordance with the principles adopted for other services, nor is it proposed to touch for the present on the service for women which the Commission have recommended. The Subordinate Educational Service again was not included in the scope of the Commission's enquiries. The present reference is intended to deal with the main features of the constitution of the Department *qua* the 'Indian' and 'Provincial' Services. Though it will be open to local Governments to make suggestions regarding any of the further detailed recommendations of the Commission bearing on these main features, the object of the Government of India at the present stage is to obtain the views of local Governments at the earliest possible date in respect of the fundamental principles on which the Department should be recognised. The recommendations of the Commission on this subject are summarised in paragraph 36 of their annexure IV, and the present communication is concerned mainly with Nos. (*i*)—(*viii*), (*x*) and (*xviii*) of the recommendations as there summarised.

3. Apart from a certain number of miscellaneous appointments outside the cadre, the existing Department consists of two branches, the collegiate and the administrative, and transfers from one of these branches to the other are fairly frequent in some provinces, but rare in others. The higher branch of the Department again consists of two services, the Indian Educational Service and the Provincial Educational Service, which are nominally parallel to each other but in practice, at any rate so far as pay is concerned, are quite unequal. The former service is recruited in England and consists almost entirely of Europeans who draw a salary rising from Rs 500 to Rs. 1,000 per mensem with certain additional allowances. The latter service is recruited in India and its members draw as a rule a graded pay varying between Rs. 200 and Rs 700. Proposals for the reorganisation of these services may be framed either in the way adopted by the Commission, though not necessarily in close accord with their specific proposals, or on alternative lines such as are suggested below. The Governor-General in Council desires that local Governments will take into their consideration both these alternative proposals and favour him with their opinion upon them.

4. The proposals made by the Commission are explained in annexure IV of their report and need not be repeated here in detail. The Commission adhere to the present distinction between the collegiate and administrative branches, but they desire that transfers from one to the other should not be permitted except under sanction of Government and to meet the public interest. Moreover, in addition to the main cadre of the Education Department to which reference will presently be made, they recommend the

organisation of (*a*) a body of 20 professors recruited either in England or in India, and (*b*) special recruitment to certain posts which would otherwise fall under class II.

5. As regards the former, it will be noticed that the Commission attached considerable importance to this portion of their scheme as representing a basis for building up a system of higher studies and original research. But they found great difficulty in deciding the relationship of these posts with the existing system of affiliating universities. They suggested, therefore, that such posts might be attached to (*a*) Government colleges, or (*b*) the affiliating universities along the lines now attempted by the Universities of Calcutta, Madras and Allahabad, or (*c*) a post-graduate institute of research.

These proposals are open to obvious criticisms. For example, a Government college professor is, and must be, insufficiently in contact with other colleges to be able to influence the higher teaching of the university as a whole; again, a professor of an affiliating university is almost entirely out of touch with the main stream of college work and also finds it difficult to conduct research work with students whose past training he has been unable to influence or to guide; and a research institute of the character contemplated by the Public Services Commission is impossible of early realisation. It might also be urged that the proposed body of higher professors will tend to debase the position of the ordinary college professor, whose duties are possibly of even greater importance and difficulty than those of the former. The Government of India, however, are in agreement with the Commission in thinking that there is a real need for a body of specialists in the several departments of study who would improve the methods of instruction in colleges and the courses of study in the universities, and would also inculcate a spirit of research, especially in those subjects termed "orientalia" in which India should take a leading part. It will probably be more convenient to consider at a later date the constitution of this class of posts and the method in which they should be brought into being, but it is impossible to neglect altogether this issue in the present reference.

6. So, too, as regards the other special posts referred to in paragraph 3 of annexure IV, it will probably be necessary under any form of organisation to make provision for a class of appointment outside the cadre, as is indeed done under present arrangements. The Government of India do not ask for any detailed proposals regarding the exact number of posts which should be included in this class. If, however, any special posts of importance should be so included to which the Commission have not referred, it is hoped that local Governments will specify the character of such posts.

7. Outside the subsidiary but important matters to which reference has been made, the main proposals of the Commission will result in the amalgamation of the Indian Educational Service and the Provincial Educational Service and, after this amalgamation has been effected, in a division into class I and class II, the distinction between which should be based on the type of work to be performed by each officer. The manner in which this distinction could be carried out is indicated with a certain amount of detail in paragraphs 5 and 6 of annexure IV. The new class I proposed by the Commission is designed to consist, in the first place, of 264 appointments, including (*a*) the present Indian Educational Service, comprising 199 posts, whose incumbents would be transferred *en bloc* to the new class I, and (*b*) posts equal to about one-third of that number to be filled by persons recruited in India either direct or by promotion from the Provincial Service.

Regarding future recruitment to these 264 posts, it is recommended in paragraph 11 of the annexure that the present proportions of recruits obtained in Europe and India respectively, which would under the adjustment above indicated amount roughly to 3 : 1, should be maintained in the future for the existing number of posts taken as a whole, on the understanding that if no candidate from Europe of sufficient merit applied for any particular vacancy which would ordinarily be filled in Europe, there should be no hesitation in making the appointment for that occasion only in India, provided that a better candidate were there forthcoming. It is also recommended that additional posts which may be found necessary hereafter should be filled half by men trained in one country and half by men trained in the other. In this way it was expected that the percentage of the service recruited in India would gradually increase while that taken from Europe would diminish in proportion.

On the administrative side half of the class I posts to be filled up in India are to be reserved for direct recruits, and half given to class II officers provided qualified candidates are available. On the collegiate side, the proportion is to be two-thirds and one-third respectively (paragraph 15 of annexure).

Class II is to be as large as the work to be done requires (paragraph 7), and recruitment for it is to be entirely in India (paragraph 12). The proportion of class II posts to be filled by promotion from the Subordinate Service is left to be determined by the local authorities (paragraph 15).

8. It is proposed by the Commission that both classes should be paid on an incremental scale (paragraph 21) For class I officers who are recruited in India a general scale of Rs. 350—50—1,250 a month is recommended, whilst for those who are recruited in Europe, whether statutory natives of India or not, the Commission propose a salary of Rs. 550—50—1,250 a month. This would bring all officers, irrespective of any selection, on to equal grades of pay after 18 years' service at the latest (paragraph 22). The Commission also provide for selection grades for all alike, wherever recruited and whether statutory natives of India or not, of 10 per cent. of the cadre on Rs. 1,250—50—1,500, and of a further 10 per cent. on Rs. 1,500—50—1,750. a month in all the major provinces except Assam.

For class II the same general scale is proposed as has been recommended for the provincial civil and police services and other such services which are recruited in India. This would give a scale for all provinces, exclusive of Burma, where a special scale is proposed, of Rs. 250—$\frac{40}{3}$—450—$\frac{50}{3}$—500 a month for the main body of officers; with selection grades of Rs. 500—40—700 a month for 15 per cent. of the total cadre (paragraph 22). These changes are estimated to involve an additional cost of over 9 lakhs per annum (paragraph 23).

9. Such are the main features of the organisation proposed by the Commission and the Government of India would be glad to receive the comments of local Governments on the advisability or otherwise of following the principles laid down. It is desired that special consideration be given to the following points:—

(*a*) Whether a distinction between class I and class II can in practice be made according to the work done in the manner suggested by the Commission and whether the scales of pay proposed for the two classes are suitable.

(*b*) In this connection special attention should be given to the proposed differentiation in pay between the members of class I recruited in England and in India respectively and to the general considerations put forward in paragraph 55 of the Report. In other words, is there to be a distinction of pay in class I, *e.g.*, according as its members are recruited in England or in India or should all officials of this class draw the same pay?

(*c*) In the event of there being a distinction of pay between officers who are deemed to possess European qualifications and others, should Indians be admitted to the former category merely on the ground that they happen to be in Europe when recruited or should there be a condition that Indian officers deemed to possess European qualifications should have received education in Europe for a specified number of years?

10. The Government of India desires that the Commission's scheme should be examined as above suggested, but they recognise that it appears open to criticism in various respects, of which the following appear to be some of the most important:—

(*a*) The Public Services Commission of 1886-7 were of opinion that the recruitment of educational officers in England should be confined as far as possible to principalships of colleges and professorships in those branches of learning in which European standards of knowledge had not been reached in India. Officers so recruited in England were to receive a scale of remuneration based on the attainments required and the duties to be performed. It has been represented that these proposals have not been carried out. The fact that at the time of the present Commission's enquiry there were only six Indians in a service of 199 members tends to support this contention. Instances are adduced of Indian officers of distinction who have been unable to obtain admission to the Indian Educational Service; and, on the other hand, attention has been drawn to the alleged inferiority of many of the

officers recently appointed in Europe to the Service. By allotting one-quarter of the new class I posts to members of the present Provincial Educational Service or others recruited in India, by giving some definite opportunities for promotion in the future to men of proved merit in class II, and by insisting that, for the posts for which recruitment will be made in England, Indians trained in that country will be eligible, the Commission have attempted to remedy the defects of the old system, while it may be hoped that with the improved conditions of service a better type of candidate for the class I posts will be forthcoming than in the past. The question is, however, whether the Commission's proposals are sufficiently effective, and one point that needs special consideration is that referred to in paragraph 9(*a*) above. It may often be desirable that the teaching of the junior classes in colleges should be conducted by the more experienced and competent officers, and it does not therefore follow that participation in the higher teaching is a claim to inclusion in class I. It is in connection with problems of this sort that the opinions of local Governments will be specially valuable, and the Governor-General in Council hopes that they will be able to suggest some practical means of distinction between class I and class II which will not depend primarily upon racial grounds.

(*b*) Critics of the new proposals may again contend that the main bulk of the educational work in this country should be discharged by Indians serving on Indian rates of pay, and that its guidance and control should be very largely in their hands. Europeans, they would argue, however experienced or scholarly, are unable to understand adequately the needs of Indian students or to enter into their lives with sufficient intimacy or sympathy. Such critics would therefore urge that instead of placing the Education Department, as suggested by the Commission, in that group of services in which a mixture of East and West is desirable, it should be included in the third of the categories described in paragraph 32 of the Commission's report. On the other hand, it may be maintained that while the bulk of the educational service in India should ultimately be manned by Indians recruited in this country and that a knowledge of the minds and habits of the people may be of more value than European training, this contention is under present conditions true only up to a certain point. A uniform service working under Indian rates of pay might reach only a dull level of mediocrity. It seems essential at the present moment to attract the best possible material, European as well as Indian, into educational employ.

On the scholastic side the establishment of some twenty research professorships could do little to raise the general level of university teaching, especially under the affiliating system. For the present therefore, until the new type of unitary or teaching universities has been more generally evolved in India, it seems necessary to give more scope to the capacity of efficient college professors.

Similarly, on the administrative side, provision ought, it is urged, to be made for Western capacity and experience. Even if it were accepted that this branch of the service should in the main be organised upon lines primarily contemplating an Indian staff, it appears of importance to pitch the salaries of some of the more influential and responsible posts on a scale which will attract the really able men, whether Indian or European.

(*c*) A further criticism of the proposals is that they are not adapted to the general trend of Indian educational policy, at any rate in the region of higher education. The progress of the Indian universities in the matter of higher teaching, both in the number of students attending the classes and in the specialised nature of the courses, demands more and more the assistance of highly specialised scholars and a certain measure of concentration of institutions. In paragraph 45 of their educational resolution of 1913 the Government of India declared their preference for the teaching as distinguished from the affiliating university. The proposals of the Dacca and Central Provinces Universities Committees, the Patna University scheme, now under consideration, and the recent changes made in Calcutta for post-graduate teaching are all in the direction of an increased university control over certain forms of teaching and of a certain measure of concentration. Should this line of policy be developed in future and be extended to other parts of India, it is urged that the establishment of a Government service, with its regular conditions of pay, prospects, promotions and transfers, will not be consistent

with the needs and requirements either of new unitary and teaching universities or of reformed affiliating universities. If universities are to conduct certain forms of teaching, they should obviously do so through the agency of their own professors and not through the members of an outside service.

There seems, therefore, some need for re-adjusting the present proposals to suit such future possibilities. It is true that there are many difficulties in the way of the fulfilment of such a policy, but it would be unwise to embarrass its development by the reconstitution of the educational services on lines ill-adapted to the requirements of the universities of the future.

(*d*) It has also been suggested that the line of distinction between the administrative and professorial sides of the service should be drawn even more clearly and decisively than has been done by the Commission. Transfers between the two have evoked a certain amount of criticism in the past and, under any circumstances, are open to some objection. There is to-day an increasing need for specialised knowledge which a man, who has been an inspector for some years cannot hope to have retained. Again, a professor can scarcely hope to attain the necessary intimacy with the Indian system of administration and that satisfactory knowledge of educational theory and practice, which are required from a successful educational administrator.

On the other hand, it may be urged that it is undesirable to have too rigid a line of distinction; that the men in the higher administrative posts would be the better for having had some actual experience of teaching in India; and that professors would profit by having had some experience of administrative work.

(*e*) It may be contended also that the proposals are rather too rigid and that too little scope is given for the employment of men of experience or of ripe scholarship from outside for short periods of time. Indian university education needs, at times, the services of men who have already achieved some distinction in scholarship or some experience of educational administration in other countries.

11. In setting out the above criticisms the Government of India must not be deemed to be prejudging the matters in issue. Their present object is merely to clarify these so as to assist in obtaining the well considered opinions of local Governments. The same remarks apply to the alternative suggestions, which follow, which are intended to elucidate opinion and not to forestall it. Nor in so far as they may prove acceptable, are they necessarily intended for immediate adoption but rather to indicate what may reasonably be accepted as the main policy of future development. For without a definite goal in view it is impossible to devise any satisfactory scheme for the reorganisation of the educational services.

12. (A) It has already been suggested in paragraph 6 of this letter that a certain number of posts in the Indian Educational Service should be turned into special appointments. In accordance with the Commission's proposals, a number of posts roughly equivalent to one-third of the Indian Educational Service (reduced by the exclusion of special appointments) would be added and filled in India. It might be considered whether a larger proportion of Indians might not at once be obtained by the additional transfer of the posts in the Indian Educational Service now vacant owing to the war and other causes (some 37 in number) to that portion of class I which will be recruited in India either by direct recruitment or by promotion. If this were done, taking into account, on the one hand, the reduction in the cadre by the special appointment of research professors, and the probability, on the other hand, that a considerably larger number of Indians will be appointed in England by the Secretary of State from among those educated in that country, the Indian element in class I would, at the outset, more nearly approximate to the European. The Government of India, therefore, would be glad to hear from local Governments (*a*) whether, in their opinion, it would be possible to obtain from the Provincial Educational Service or by direct recruitment so large a number of suitable Indians in this country, and (*b*) whether it would be to the interests of Indian education immediately to fix the proportion of Europeans and Indians at half and half.

(B) In order to prepare the way for a larger recruitment of Indians than is provided for by the Commission, it would also be necessary to fix a scale of pay which could easily be adapted to such altered circumstances in the future, for it would be a matter of great difficulty to reduce the

scale of salaries after the proportion of officers has become very largely Indian. For class I, therefore, pay on the analogy of that recommended by the Commission (paragraph 58) for services requiring high initial qualifications, *viz.*, Rs. 300—$\frac{50}{2}$—500—50—1,050, might be accepted, subject to the grant of special allowances for posts of special importance. There might also be a special allowance of Rs. 200 a month for officers recruited in Europe which should be given also to those few Indians now serving in the Indian Educational Service on full rates of pay. Selection grades would be created, as proposed by the Commission, and would be open to members of class I whether recruited in England or in India.

(C) In view of the difficulties referred to in paragraph 5 above, it might be better to hold the twenty research professorships in abeyance, at any rate for the present—a course which would make it the more desirable to accept the Commission's proposals regarding the selection grades. Should, however, the constitution of unitary and teaching universities become the general policy in the future, it would probably be the best course to transfer a number of posts from the selection grades of class I to the establishments of these universities. It would be premature at present to discuss how and by whom appointments would be made to these new posts, but recruitment would no doubt occasionally be from the ranks of class I of the Government service, provided it were possible to find applicants with the necessary specialised qualifications. Such appointments would give a certain number of officers more favourable opportunities for teaching and research than they can have under the existing system.

Similarly, in reference to the administrative side [*vide* paragraph 10(*b*) *ante*] it may be considered advisable by local Governments to treat the directorship of public instruction in the manner proposed in paragraph 26 of annexure IV to the Commission's report.

It might also be considered whether a certain number of the posts which would ordinarily be included in class I should not be removed from the cadre and left open to be filled by any persons who appear to be peculiarly fitted to discharge the duties attached to them, with the addition to the ordinary salary of such allowance as seemed called for by the qualifications and experience of the person specially selected. In other words, special need may arise from time to time for securing the highest possible talent to fill some of the posts in the educational service, such as a particular inspectorship or the principalship of an important college or the headmastership of a certain high school. There should, in such cases, be a certain latitude of selection which would afford to local Governments the scope necessary for securing the services of the most highly qualified persons irrespective of race, creed or departmental claim. The Government of India would be glad to receive suggestions from local Governments as to what posts might thus be earmarked and some rough estimate of the additional cost involved.

13. The object of the suggestions made in the preceding paragraph is primarily to effect, as regards the immediate future, a stage of transition between the past, when education was very largely in the hands of Europeans, and a time when the reverse will be the case. They are also aimed at laying down a general policy for the future organisation of the Department. It is also desirable to have always in view the possible development of affiliating into teaching universities.

Should the proposals above indicated be carried out, it is possible to postulate (*a*) a service consisting of two classes carrying respectively rates of pay amounting to (1) Rs. 350 rising to Rs. 1,050 with the allowances suggested in paragraph 12 (B) above and selection grades up to Rs. 1,750, and (2) Rs. 250 rising to Rs. 500 and, in the selection grades, to Rs. 700 (*b*) a small number of posts on the administrative side which will be filled up by Government with an eye to efficiency and merit rather than to the claims of a special service and whose incumbents would keep the Indian system of education sufficiently in touch with those of other countries, and (*c*) a number of specialist professors attached to teaching universities, who by their scholarship and experience would maintain a high standard of teaching in the higher grades, and influence the general administration of the universities.

With this end in view I am to invite the opinions of local Governments on these proposals in general and also on the special points (*a*) whether the

system of what may be called European allowances is practicable, (*b*) whether the rates of salary suggested are suitable, and (*c*) whether the general idea underlying sub-paragraph (C). of the preceding paragraph is based on sound principles.

14. The Government of India would be glad to learn the views of each local Government, firstly, as to the class of scheme which they would advocate, *viz.*, a scheme on the lines proposed by the Commission or one on the lines sketched out in paragraph 12 of the present communication, and, secondly, whether in the scheme advocated by the local Government any changes of substance are proposed in modification of the outline given in this letter. It is requested that a reply to this letter may be despatched so as to reach the Government of India by the 30th November next.

15. I am in conclusion to suggest for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor in Council / His Honour the Lieut.-Governor in Council, etc. that, in view of the importance which His Majesty's Secretary of State attached to the early submission of proposals in regard to the Department of Education, it might be desirable, with a view to expedite matters, to appoint a strong provincial committee, on which influential Indian opinion should be represented, to consider and report to the local Government upon the proposals dealt with in this letter.

16. The Government of India desire to elicit public opinion to the fullest extent upon the subject of the educational services, which has long attracted widespread interest. They have accordingly decided to publish this circular letter in the forthcoming *Gazette of India*.

I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

H. SHARP,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(Education.)

CALCUTTA, THE 16TH NOVEMBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 1295Edn.

READ—

Chapters I and IX and Annexure IV in Volume I, and Volume XX, of the Report of the Royal Commission on the Public Services in India, and a letter from the Education Department, Government of India, No. 866, dated the 6th October 1917.

Resolved—That a Provincial Committee be appointed, constituted as follows, to consider the proposals made by the Government of India with regard to the recommendations of the Public Services Commission affecting the Education Department :—

1. The Hon'ble Justice Nawab Sir Syed Shams-ul-Huda, K.C.I.E., *President.*
2. The Hon'ble Dr. Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E., Vice-Chancellor of the University of Calcutta.
3. The Hon'ble Mr. W. C. Wordsworth, Director of Public Instruction (offg.).
4. The Hon'ble Mr. Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.
5. The Hon'ble Mr. P. C. Mitter.
6. The Hon'ble Mr. A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq.
7. The Hon'ble Dr. Nilratan Sarkar.
8. Professor P. C. Ray, C.I.E.
9. The Revd. G. Howells, D.D., Principal, Serampore College.
10. The Revd. Dr. W. S. Urquhart. Professor, Scottish Churches College.
11. Dr. Brojendra Nath Seal.
12. Mr. E. E. Biss. Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education (offg.).
13. Mr. T. O. D. Dunn, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.
14. Mr. R. N. Gilchrist, Principal, Krishnagar College.
15. Dr. D. N. Mullick, Professor, Presidency College.
16. Rai Bahadur Dr. Purnananda Chatarji, Inspector of Schools, Rajshahi Division (offg.).
17. Khan Bahadur Ahsanullah, Additional Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.
18. Shams-ul-'ulama Maulvi Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed, Principal, Dacca Madrassah.
19. Mr. Satyendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., *Secretary.*

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR OCTOBER 1917.

Character of the Season.—The rainfall during the month under review was largely in excess of the normal. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of Agricultural Operations.**—The steeping and washing of jute and the preparatory tillage for the *rabi* crops were continued. *Rabi* sowings were not general until the third week of the month, the weather during the first two weeks being unfavourable on account of heavy rain and storms.

III. **State of Standing Crops.**—The condition of the winter paddy crop continued satisfactory.

IV. **Prospects and Probable Outturn.**—The prospects of the winter crops are reported to be fairly good.

V. **Damage to Standing Crops.**—Heavy rainfall and high winds did some damage to the unharvested autumn paddy. Some damage was done to *rabi* crops by floods and the crops had to be resown in places.

VI **Condition of Agricultural Stock.**—The condition of agricultural stock was reported as fair. The number of districts from which cattle-disease was reported varied from four to eight.

VII. **Failure of Pasturage and Fodder.**—No complaints have been received regarding shortage of fodder.

VIII. **Prices of Food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month under review the price of common rice rose in four districts, fell in seven and remained stationary in the rest. It varied from seven seers and eight chitaks a rupee in the Pirojpur subdivision of Bakarganj to fourteen seers per rupee in the Vishnupur subdivision of Bankura.

IX. **Condition of Agricultural People.**—The condition of the agricultural population was reported as fairly good.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th November 1917.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during October 1917.

Division	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of October.	Actual district rainfall for the month of October 1917.	Variation from the normal
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	4·70	14·40	+ 9·70
	Calcutta ...	3·91	11·31	+ 7·40
	Nadia ...	3·95	14·18	+10·23
	Murshidabad ...	3·51	19·76	+16·25
	Jessore ...	4·35	10·56	+ 6·21
	Khulna ...	5·30	11·34	+ 6·04
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	3·03	14·21	+11·18
	Birbhum ...	3·18	13·21	+10·03
	Bankura ...	2·73	11·36	+ 8·63
	Midnapore ...	3·99	15·13	+11·14
	Hooghly ...	3·82	12·12	+ 8·30
	Howrah ...	3·51	14·32	+10·81
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	3·38	16·44	+13·06
	Dinajpur ...	3·10	18·26	+15·16
	Jalpaiguri ...	5·53	11·53	+ 6·00
	Darjeeling ...	4·27	15·25	+10·98
	Rangpur ...	4·49	21·43	+16·94
	Bogra ...	4·24	20·09	+15·85
	Pabna ...	4·75	14·64	+ 9·89
	Malda ...	2·71	15·24	+12·53
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	4·44	6·94	+ 2·50
	Mymensingh ...	5·07	15·85	+10·78
	Faridpur ...	4·39	9·48	+ 5·09
	Bakarganj ...	6·21	11·99	+ 5·78
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	7·09	7·79	+ 0·70
	Tippera ...	4·87	6·03	+ 1·16
	Noakhali ...	7·92	10·59	+ 2·67
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	6·45	6·87	+ 0·42
	Cooch Behar ...	5·16	15·18	+10·02

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 19th November 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report light scattered showers fell in parts of the province. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Sowing of potatoes and other spring crops is in brisk progress. The prospects of standing crops are generally reported to be good. Cattle-disease exists in six districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about two per cent. below that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0·39	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced generally. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of sugarcane have commenced in Basirhat subdivision. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	0·05	10	10	
	Barrackpore	0·12	8½	8	
	Barasat ...	Nil	10	10	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	9½	9¼	
2	NADIA ...	0·04	10	10½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	0·06	9	8½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	10½	10	
3	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	10½	10½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	11½	11½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	11¾	11½	
4	JESSORE ..	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is insufficient in Magura.
	Jhenidah ...	0·29	12	12	
	Magura ...	0·07	12	12	
	Narail ...	Nil	9	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	10¾	10	
5	KHULNA ...	0·12	12	{ 8* 9† }	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	0·06	9	8	
	Bagerhat ...	0·12	9	8½	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

* *Aman.* | † *Aus.*

Serial No	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10	10	Weather cool and clear. Washing and steeping of jute and harvesting of *aus* paddy are nearly finished. Sowing of potato and other *rabi* crops, weeding of sugarcane and harvesting of early winter paddy are going on. Standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	11⅛	11⅛	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10½	10½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	11½	11½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	13½ (new) 11 (old)	14 (new) 11½ (old)	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Simlapal.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14 (new) 11 (old)	14 (new) 11 (old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	0·08	9 1/16	9⅛	Weather cold. Sowing of rape and mustard and tobacco continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	0·31	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	0·03	10	10	
	Contai ...	0·45	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	10	10	Weather comparatively warm. Sowing of potato and other *rabi* crops continues. Prospect of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	0·05	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	0·48	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	0·07	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Standing crops are doing well. Planting of sugarcane for the next year's crop and sowing of *rabi* crops have commenced. The harvesting of *aman* paddy is going on at places. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	0·90	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	9	
	Nator ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10 3/16	10 3/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	10 7/16	10 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather clear. Winter rice, millet and cardamom are being harvested. *Marua* is doing well. Wheat and barley are being sown. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	9	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and transplanting of tobacco seedlings continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Pirganj in Sadar subdivision.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	Nil	8½	(*n*)	
17	BOGRA ...	0·20	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. *Rabi* crops are being sown. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	0 14	7½	7½	Weather cool and pleasant. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7½	(*n*)	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good; harvesting has commenced. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	8⅞	8⅞	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced at places. Transplanting of tobacco seedlings, washing of jute, preparation of lands for and sowing of other *rabi* crops are in progress. Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	1·93	10	9	Weather generally cloudy, but agricultural operations are unaffected. Harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced in the Sadar subdivision. Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *kalai*, mustard and sweet potatoes is in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Prices of rice show a tendency to fall.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narayanganj	0·97	9⅜	8⅞	
	Munshiganj*	0·25	9½	9	

(*n*) Not reported.

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	0·01	8¾	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	(*n*)	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9	
	Netrakona ...	0·03	8½	8	
	Kishorganj...	1·90	8½	8½	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	12	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12	12	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	10	10	
	Gopalganj† ...	0·30	13	13	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0·26	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas of Bola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	0·07	7½	7½	
	Patuakhali...	2·08	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shahbazpur (Bhola).	2·22	7½	7½	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·53	10½	10	Prospects of standing crops are fairly good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of early winter paddy continues; outturn good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 6½ and 5½ seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	7·77	10	9	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent, except in parts of Brahmanbaria subdivision from where damage by insects is reported. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	0·13	10	9⅞	
	Chandpur ...	0·70	10	9	
27	NOAKHALI ...	2·24	10	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Winter paddy is being harvested. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 6½ seers per rupee. No cattle-disease.
	Feni ...	0·35	13¼	13	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	0·19	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops continues. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 5½ seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(*n*) Not reported.

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CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Rice—												
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	0	0	.....			0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	4	11	0	5	0	0	0	2	3	0	3	3
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	12	0	4	14	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	2	0	5	5	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			0	2	0	.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	4	0	3	8	0	...	..		.....		
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	4	14	0	5	1	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali ...	4	9	0	4	12	0	.....			.....		
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	4	0	3	12	0	0	1	9	0	2	0
4. „ dal	4	2	0	4	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
5. Mung „	5	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	4	0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	0	0	5	4	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
6. Arhar „	3	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	9
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	3	0	0	5	12	0	0	3	6	0	3	6
8. Kalai „	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
9. Salt	4	7	0	5	6	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	8	0	.....			0	5	0	0	6	6
11. Gur, Bhursut	10	0	0	10	8	0	0	5	6	...	..	
12. „ Bheli	8	8	0	.....			0	3	6	0	4	0
13. Milk	9	0	0	10	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0
14. Mustard oil	16	8	0	18	0	0	0	6	6	0	9	0
15. Flour (country) ...	6	8	0	7	3	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
16. Ata No. 3	3	12	0									
„ „ 2½	5	0	0	.....			0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ B	7	7	0									
17. Suji	7	2	0	7	11	0	0	3	0	0	3	9
18. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	73	0	0	.....			2	0	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, &c.).	64	0	0	.....			1	12	0	1	14	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	57	0	0	.....			1	8	0	.....		
19. Maize	2	4	0	2	12	0	.....			.....		
20. Potato	6	0	0	8	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	6
21. Patal	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0
22. Brinjal	4	0	0	.....			0	2	0	0	2	6
23. Onion	3	4	0	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
24. Fish, Rahu	16	0	0	20	0	0	0	8	0	0	14	0
25. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
26. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....			.....			0	3	0	0	5	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

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CALCUTTA, *the 19th November 1917.*

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Rate per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	20,837	15,394	35,231	19	6·23	...	3	·98	...	...	...	...	24	7·87
	2	Kalna	4,531	4,082	8,603	9	12·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13·69
	3	Katwa	3,459	3,445	6,904	18	30·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11·94
	4	Dainhat	3,534	2,808	5,342	9	19·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·43
	5	Raniganj	8,417	7,080	15,497	62	47·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	21·27
	6	Asansol	12,486	9,433	21,919	58	31·16	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·30
Birbhum	7	Suri	4,907	4,224	9,131	15	19·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·73
Bankura	8	Bankura	12,156	11,297	23,453	30	15·06	...	4	2·01	...	...	...	...	20	10·04
	9	Vishnupur	10,025	10,453	20,478	38	21·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	10·92
	10	Sonamukhi	6,254	7,021	13,275	35	31·04	1	3	2·66	...	...	...	...	7	6·21
Midnapore	11	Midnapore	17,577	15,163	32,740	48	16·18	...	1	·36	...	...	...	...	14	5·03
	12	Ghatal	6,216	5,848	12,064	12	11·71	...	2	1·95	...	...	...	...	10	9·76
	13	Kharar	4,714	4,125	8,839	9	11·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·66
	14	Chandrakona	4,034	4,087	8,121	11	15·95	...	3	2·90	...	...	...	...	14	20·30
	15	Ramjibanpur	4,224	4,257	8,481	15	20·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	19·44
	16	Khirpai	2,294	2,311	4,605	8	20·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	28·13
	17	Tamluk	4,385	3,695	8,050	12	17·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·93
Hooghly	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,317	13,099	28,916	67	27·28	...	2	·81	...	...	...	...	24	9·77
	19	Baneberia	3,443	2,665	6,108	12	23·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11·57
	20	Arambagh	4,061	3,987	8,048	11	16·09	...	1	1·46	...	...	...	...	4	5·85
	21	Serampore	19,639	12,439	32,078	53	19·45	3	2	·73	...	...	...	...	16	5·87
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,734	6,792	17,516	38	25·55	...	1	·67	1	·67	...	...	15	10·08
	23	Uttarpara	4,412	2,961	7,373	19	30·34	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·89
	24	Kotrung	4,103	2,471	6,574	9	16·12	1	1	1·79	...	...	...	...	4	7·16
	25	Baidyabati	11,792	8,724	20,516	36	20·66	...	3	4·59	...	...	...	...	17	9·76
	26	Bhadreswar	15,869	8,491	24,353	33	15·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·93
Howrah	27	Howrah	114,329	64,560	179,389	371	24·35	28	7	·46	2	·13	...	...	108	7·09
	28	Bally	14,217	8,177	22,394	34	17·88	...	2	1·05	...	...	...	...	13	6·84
24-Parganas	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	58	14·17	...	3	·49	...	...	...	...	33	8·07
	30	Manicktala	31,735	22,032	53,767	62	13·14	3	3	·65	...	...	...	...	33	7·23
	31	South Suburban	17,663	13,650	31,533	63	23·62	3	1	·37	...	...	...	...	21	7·84
	32	Tollygunj	11,183	7,290	18,473	37	23·63	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	14·05
	33	Garden Reach	27,665	17,630	45,295	95	24·69	6	1	·25	...	...	...	...	19	4·94
	34	Budge-Budge	11,529	6,453	17,982	35	22·74	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·92
	35	Baranagar	14,382	10,913	25,295	45	20·46	3	4	1·81	...	...	...	...	8	3·63
	36	Kamarhati	11,348	6,772	19,016	31	20·26	...	1	·65	...	...	...	...	18	11·76
	37	Bajpur	5,763	5,846	11,607	28	23·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·08
	38	Baruipur	3,907	2,468	6,375	5	9·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	14·77
	39	Jaynagar	4,681	4,814	9,345	7	8·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	8·91
	40	North Dum-Dum	5,151	3,714	8,865	7	9·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·98
	41	South Dum-Dum	7,760	5,114	12,874	32	29·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	13·72
	42	South Barrackpore	2,988	2,043	5,031	12	28·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11·70
	43	Barrackpore	11,357	6,944	18,301	6	5·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·28
	44	Panihati	6,239	4,779	11,118	16	16·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4·23
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	30	21·91	3	13	8·76	1	·73	...	...	10	7·30
	46	Titaghar	31,226	13,946	45,171	28	9·90	10	2	·52	...	...	...	...	37	9·64
	47	Garulia	7,876	3,704	11,580	2	2·03	...	10	10·16	...	...	...	...	2	2·03
	48	Naihati	11,085	6,534	18,219	25	16·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·87
	49	Halisahar	8,371	5,052	13,423	16	14·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4·36
	50	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	44	10·47	...	13	3·03	...	...	...	...	13	3·03
	51	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	9	12·05	...	1	1·33	...	...	...	...	8	10·71
	52	Gobardanga	2,333	2,537	5,070	13	27·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10·59
	53	Basirhat	9,517	8,814	18,331	38	24·40	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8·99
	54	Badaria	7,088	6,622	13,650	16	13·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5·16
	55	Taki	2,637	2,575	5,202	5	11·31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	11·31
Calcutta	56	Calcutta	807,674	288,393	896,067	1,477	19·41	102	30	·39	2	·03	...	...	260	3·42
Nadia	57	Krishnagar	11,767	11,708	23,475	57	28·59	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	7·02
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,821	6,659	12,480	19	17·92	2	10	9·43	...	...	...	...	10	9·43
	59	Ranaghat	5,210	4,640	9,850	24	28·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	15·54
	60	Birnagar	1,801	1,853	3,654	4	17·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	22·18
	61	Santipur	13,186	14,517	26,703	70	30·87	2	3	1·32	...	...	...	...	22	9·70
	62	Chakdaha	2,469	2,462	4,931	8	19·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9·55
	63	Kushtia	3,556	2,339	6,095	6	11·59	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·93
	64	Kumarkhali	1,781	1,988	3,769	4	12·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	15·62
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	14	27·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·90
Murshidabad	66	Berhampore	14,302	11,841	26,143	41	18·47	1	2	·90	...	...	...	...	15	6·76
	67	Murshidabad	6,269	6,410	12,679	27	25·09	1	7	6·50	...	...	...	...	29	26·95
	68	Azimganj	6,725	5,602	12,327	34	23·92	...	3	2·87	...	...	...	...	16	15·28
	69	Kandi	6,213	6,426	12,638	26	24·22	1	1	·93	...	...	...	...	19	17·70
	70	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	28	28·90	1	1	1·03	...	...	...	...	7	7·22
	71	Dhulian	4,016	4,282	8,298	39	55·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	31·22
Jessore	72	Jessore	5,404	3,507	8,911	4	5·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·96
	73	Kotchandpur	4,284	3,792	8,076	21	30·62	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·66
	74	Maheshpur	2,105	2,106	4,211	2	6·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·59
Khulna	75	Khulna	7,983	5,013	12,996	6	5·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6·34
	76	Satkhira	5,802	5,100	10,902	13	14·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·24
	77	Debhatta	2,607	2,662	5,269	5	17·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

the month of August 1917.

REGISTERED.

Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injuries including suicide.		Other causes.		Total all causes.				Total of corresponding month of previous year.				Number.	Towns.
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
10	6·23	4	1·31	1	·33	9	2·95	36	24	60	19·67	43	26	69	22·65	1	Burdwan.
1	1·37	1	1·37	...	...	7	9·58	11	8	19	26·00	7	5	12	16·46	2	Kalna.
1	1·71	...	...	...	...	5	8·53	9	4	13	22·17	...	3	3	5·13	3	Katwa.
4	6·82	...	...	...	...	4	6·82	7	8	15	33·06	5	6	11	24·31	4	Daihat.
10	7·60	3	1·62	...	...	10	7·60	28	22	50	37·99	16	11	27	20·57	5	Raniganj.
5	2·69	...	...	...	...	21	11·28	14	20	34	18·26	28	17	45	24·23	6	Asansol.
...	...	...	...	...	..	1	1·28	3	5	7	9·02	3	3	6	7·75	7	Suri.
11	5·52	...	...	...	...	11	5·52	19	27	46	23·09	17	15	32	16·10	8	Bankura.
4	2·30	3	1·15	1	·57	14	8·05	18	22	40	23·00	14	18	32	18·44	9	Vishnupur.
3	2·66	...	...	1	·89	1	·89	8	7	15	13·30	11	8	19	16·89	10	Sonamukhi.
18	6·47	9	3·24	1	·36	8	2·88	28	23	51	18·34	17	13	30	10 45	11	Midnapore.
3	2·93	...	...	2	1·95	...	...	6	11	17	16·59	12	19	31	30·33	12	Ghatal.
...	...	3	4·00	3	4·00	...	...	8	3	11	14·65	8	4	12	16·02	13	Kharar.
3	4·35	2	2·90	...	...	3	4·35	9	15	24	34·80	9	11	20	29·07	14	Chandrakona.
1	1·39	...	...	...	...	5	6·94	9	11	20	27·77	13	16	29	40·37	15	Ramjibanpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	2	9	11	28·13	1	8	9	23·07	16	Khirpai.
2	2·93	1	1·46	...	...	1	1·46	4	2	6	8·78	7	6	13	19·06	17	Tamluk.
15	6·11	1	·40	1	·40	11	4·48	25	29	54	21·99	16	28	44	17·96	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
1	1·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	7	13·49	2	5	7	13·53	19	Bansberia.
7	10·24	1	1·46	2	2·93	4	5·85	12	7	19	27·80	5	6	11	16·13	20	Arambagh.
14	5·14	7	2·57	...	...	19	6·97	31	27	58	21·29	31	25	56	20·61	21	Serampore.
6	4·03	1	·67	1	·67	11	7·39	20	16	36	24·20	10	6	16	10·78	22	Bishra-Konnagore.
1	1·59	...	...	...	...	4	6·38	4	2	6	9·58	6	3	9	14·41	23	Uttarpara.
2	3·58	...	...	1	1·79	5	8·96	6	7	13	23·28	2	1	3	5·38	24	Kotrung.
13	7·46	2	1·15	1	·57	10	5·74	26	25	51	29·29	22	10	32	18·41	25	Baidyabati.
13	6·29	1	·48	...	...	3	1·45	13	8	21	10·15	15	15	30	14·54	26	Bhadreswar.
69	4·53	37	2·43	10	·66	106	6·96	178	161	339	22·25	173	170	343	22·57	27	Howrah.
6	3·15	1	·53	...	...	4	2·10	13	14	26	13·67	17	12	29	15·28	28	Bally.
7	1·71	13	3·18	3	·73	36	8·80	50	44	94	22·97	51	29	80	21·81	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
24	5·25	24	5·25	1	·21	30	6·54	58	66	124	27·15	66	61	127	27·88	30	Maniktala.
7	2·61	3	1·14	...	...	7	2·61	18	21	39	14·56	25	13	38	14·22	31	South Suburban.
6	3·63	...	...	2	1·27	...	...	15	15	30	19·16	19	9	28	17·93	32	Tollygunj.
17	4·41	13	3·12	1	·25	23	5·72	40	33	73	18·71	43	38	81	21·11	33	Garden Reach.
8	5·23	2	1·31	5	3·27	5	3·27	20	6	26	17·02	4	8	12	7·87	34	Budge-Budge.
17	7·73	3	1·36	1	·45	18	8·18	37	24	61	23·18	25	26	51	23 25	35	Baranagar
7	4·56	...	...	1	·65	6	3·92	20	13	33	21·56	25	10	35	22·93	36	Kamarhati.
1	1·01	...	...	1	1·01	2	2·03	6	4	10	10·14	9	11	20	20·34	37	Bajpur.
1	1·85	1	1·85	1	1·85	1	1·85	7	5	12	22·16	...	3	3	5·55	38	Barnipur.
2	2·54	1	1·27	...	...	...	...	6	4	10	12·73	10	10	20	25·54	39	Jaynagar.
5	6·64	1	1·33	...	...	2	2·66	8	3	11	14·61	6	5	11	14·64	40	North Dum-Dum.
..	...	3	1·83	1	·91	4	3·65	13	9	22	20·12	11	8	19	17·42	41	South Dum-Dum.
2	4·66	2	4·66	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	21·06	Figures not available.				42	South Barrackpore.
2	1·28	4	4·56	...	...	...	...	7	1	8	5·14					43	Barrackpore.
2	2·12	2	2·12	1	1·06	1	1·06	4	6	10	10·59	7	6	13	13·80	44	Panihati
2	2·19	2	1·46	...	...	5	3·65	15	18	33	24·10	9	9	18	17·93	45	North Barrackpore.
1	·46	1	·46	1	·26	8	2·08	31	19	50	13 03	33	32	65	16 98	46	Titaghar.
2	2·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	14	14·44	6	3	9	9·17	47	Garulia.
5	3·25	2	1·28	1	·64	9	5·80	13	10	23	14·86	11	7	18	11·66	48	Naihati.
1	·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	5·26	5	2	7	6·15	49	Halisahar.
15	2·60	3	·70	1	·23	4	·93	29	17	46	10·74	33	14	47	11 00	50	Bhatpara.
...	...	...	...	3	2·67	1	1·33	8	4	12	16·07	4	7	11	14·77	51	Baraset.
...	...	1	2·34	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	29·90	3	5	8	18·62	52	Gobardanga.
1	·64	...	...	...	...	2	1·28	7	10	17	10 91	14	19	33	21·25	53	Basirhat.
...	...	1	·66	1	·66	1	·66	3	6	9	7·74	11	6	17	14·47	54	Badaria.
...	...	...	...	1	2·26	1	2·26	2	5	7	15·84	3	1	4	9·07	55	Taki
201	2·64	206	3·69	39	·51	783	10·28	885	725	1,610	21·16	955	728	1,683	22·17	56	Calcutta.
1	·50	1	·50	...	...	7	3·51	15	8	23	11·54	9	10	19	9 55	57	Krishnagar.
5	4·72	...	...	...	...	1	·94	14	12	26	24·53	10	10	20	18·92	58	Nadia or Nabadwip.
3	3·59	2	2·39	1	1·19	3	3·59	13	9	22	26 30	10	6	16	19·17	59	Ranaghat.
2	5·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	7	31·05	...	2	2	8·89	60	Birnagar.
...	...	2	1·32	1	·44	10	6·38	32	16	48	21·16	30	30	60	26·52	61	Santipur.
2	4·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6	14 33	...	4	4	9·57	62	Chakdaha.
...	...	1	1·93	...	...	1	1·93	3	...	3	5·80	3	3	6	7·74	63	Kushtia.
...	...	2	6·46	...	...	...	...	3	4	7	21·87	2	5	7	21·92	64	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	1	1·97	...	...	4	1	5	9 86	1	1	2	3·96	65	Meherpur.
13	5·85	2	·90	...	...	4	1·80	30	16	36	16·21	15	17	32	14·45	66	Berhampur.
3	1·86	1	·94	2	1·86	1	·92	17	25	42	39 03	12	13	25	23·29	67	Murshidabad.
5	2·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10	22	21 01	26	14	40	38·31	68	Azimganj.
2	1·86	6	5·59	2	1·86	4	3·73	18	16	34	31·68	15	15	30	28·02	69	Kandi.
...	...	1	1·03	...	...	...	...	8	4	9	9·29	16	5	21	21·73	70	Jangipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	13	23	31·44	13	5	17	24·18	71	Dhulian.
2	2·64	1	1·32	...	...	2	3·96	5	4	9	11·89	2	2	4	5·29	72	Jessore.
...	...	1	1·46	...	...	3	4·37	4	8	12	17·49	1	2	3	4·38	73	Kotchandpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·80	3	1	3	8·40	9	4	13	36·44	74	Maheshpur.
2	1·81	...	...	1	·91	1	·91	6	5	11	9·97	4	5	9	8·17	75	Khulna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·16	3	3	6	5·40	9	6	15	16·44	76	Satkhira.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·90	1	3	4	3·90	5	3	8	17·85	77	Debhata.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal

District.	Number.	Town	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of popula-tion.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
RAJSHAHI ...	78	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,067	10,349	23,406	48	24·15	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	9·05
	79	Nator ...	4,609	3,742	8,351	9	12·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·14
DINAJPUR ...	80	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	12	8·86	...	10	7·40	...	...	...	...	12	8·86
JALPAIGURI ...	81	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	21	21·02	1	1	1·00	...	...	...	...	11	11·00
DARJEELING ...	82	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	22	13·63	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·34
	83	Kurseong ...	3,136	2,448	5,574	20	42·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	27·46
RANGPUR ...	84	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	12	8·60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·45
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,269	3,824	9,113	10	12·92	...	1	1·29	...	...	...	...	13	16·80
	86	Sherpur	2,317	1,671	4,088	3	8·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	11·52
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,056	9,218	19,274	12	7·33	...	1	·61	...	...	...	...	7	4·28
	88	Sirajganj	13,226	11,541	24,777	23	10·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3·80
MALDA	89	English Bazar ...	7,697	6,625	14,322	18	14·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	9·04
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	3	28·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6·28
	91	Nawabganj ...	11,123	12,200	23,322	30	25·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6·58
DACCA	92	Dacca	52,091	45,460	108,551	295	32·00	6	2	·22	...	...	...	...	75	8·14
	93	Narayanganj ...	18,758	9,128	27,876	55	23·23	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	5·50
MYMENSINGH	94	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	13	7·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·59
	95	Muktagachha ...	3,922	2,633	6,555	3	14·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·59
	96	Netrakona ...	6,018	5,722	13,740	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4·28
	97	Jamalpur ...	11,738	9,381	21,109	64	35·70	2	2	1·12	...	...	...	...	18	10·04
	98	Sherpur ...	8,516	7,075	15,591	35	26·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6·04
	99	Kishorganj ...	9,508	8,518	18,026	53	34·62	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5·23
	100	Bajitpur ...	5,447	5,396	10,823	15	16·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5·43
	101	Tangail ...	8,493	7,969	16,462	37	26·63	...	1	·72	...	...	...	...	6	4·32
FARIDPUR ...	102	Faridpur	8,017	5,114	13,131	30	17·93	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·79
	103	Madaripur	10,549	8,524	19,073	34	20·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6·17
BAKARGANJ ...	104	Barisal	15,488	6,985	22,473	19	9·95	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·57
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	2	3·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·91
	106	Nalchiti	1,484	499	1,983	4	24·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	12·06
	107	Pirojpur	6,522	5,473	11,996	26	25·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·94
	108	Patuakhali ...	2,938	2,279	6,217	6	11·36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	13·26
CHITTAGONG ...	109	Chittagong ...	18,779	9,987	28,766	47	19·20	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·37
	110	Cox's Bazar ...	2,108	2,270	4,378	12	32·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	10·76
NOAKHALI ...	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	10	16·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8·40
TIPPERA ...	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	22,692	23	12·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5·19
	113	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	40	21·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	7·92
	114	Chandpur	9,062	8,655	17,717	10	9·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8·33
Total of month ...			1,781,510	1,125,741	2,907,251	4,879	19·76	206	164	·66	6	·02	...	...	1,580	6·40
Total of corresponding month of previous year			...	...	...	4,062	16·49	186	194	·78	26	·10	...	...	1,582	6·42
Increase + or decrease − ...			...	...	...	+817	+3·27	+20	−30	−·12	−20	−·08	...	...	−2	−·02

REMARKS.

The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses incomplete.

CALCUTTA,

The 16th November 1917.

for the month of August 1917—concld.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.				Number.	Towns.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
1	·50	2	1·01	..	...	10	5·03	18	13	31	15·59	10	13	23	11·59	78	Rampur-Boalia.
1	1·43	...	...	...	...	3	4·28	6	3	9	12·84	9	5	14	20·03	79	Nator.
...	...	3	2·19	1	·73	7	5·16	18	15	33	24·36	3	2	5	3·70	80	Dinajpur.
2	2·00	4	4·00	1	1·00	6	6·00	14	11	25	25·02	18	1	19	19 06	81	Jalpaiguri.
6	3·72	3	1·86	1	·62	4	2·48	12	9	21	13 01	20	12	32	19 87	82	Darjeeling
4	8·45	6	12·67	1	2·11	3	6·34	16	11	27	57·03	10	6	16	33 89	83	Kurseong.
5	3·58	3	2·15	1	·72	7	5·02	15	10	25	17·92	12	7	19	13 65	84	Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	..	...	2	2·56	8	8	16	20·67	5	7	12	15 54	85	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	11·52	2	2	4	11·52	86	Bhurpur
2	1·22	...	...	...	...	2	1·22	6	6	12	7·33	5	4	9	5·51	87	Pabna.
1	·47	...	...	3	1·43	2	·95	11	3	14	6 65	3	2	5	2·38	88	Sirajganj.
3	2·47	4	3·29	1	·82	3	2·47	11	11	22	18 09	6	6	12	9·89	89	English Bazar
1	3·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	9 44	3	2	5	15·74	90	Malda.
...	...	...	...	1	·50	5	4·04	18	8	26	13 13	14	6	20	10·12	91	Nawabganj.
13	1 41	...	...	4	·43	77	8·35	89	82	171	18 55	94	85	179	19 46	92	Dacca.
4	1·69	2	·84	...	...	18	7·60	22	15	37	15·63	12	9	21	8·89	93	Narayanganj.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·76	4	...	4	2·37	11	8	19	11·29	94	Mymensingh.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3·59	1	2	3	5·40	95	Muktagachha
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·57	5	3	8	6 86	4	1	5	4·29	96	Netrakona.
...	...	2	1·12	2	1.12	22	12·27	21	25	46	25 06	12	12	24	13·44	97	Jamalpur.
2	1·51	1	·76	...	...	8	6 04	10	9	19	14·36	12	12	24	18·17	98	Sherpur.
7	4·57	3	1·96	...	...	10	6·53	15	14	29	18·29	10	4	14	9·16	99	Kishoreganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1 09	4	2	6	6 54	6	1	7	7·62	100	Bajitpur.
3	2·16	...	...	...	...	5	3·60	6	7	13	10 79	3	4	13	8·65	101	Tangail.
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·79	1	3	4	3·59	8	3	11	9 89	102	Faridpur
4	2·47	3	1·23	1	·62	4	2·47	12	9	21	12·96	13	12	24	21·57	103	Madaripur
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·52	4	2	4	4·10	8	9	17	8 93	104	Satkhira.
2	3·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	9 85	...	...	...	.....	105	Jhalakati
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	12·06	1	...	1	6 04	106	Nalchiti.
1	·98	...	...	2	1 96	3	1·96	5	3	8	7·85	3	3	6	5·90	107	Pirojpur
1	1·89	...	...	2	3·79	...	...	4	6	10	18 94	2	4	6	11·39	108	Patuakhali.
5	1·23	1	·41	5	2·05	10	4·09	30	17	37	15 14	22	12	34	13·95	109	Chittagong
1	2 69	1	2·69	...	...	...	...	3	4	6	16 14	2	4	6	16·18	110	Cox's Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·36	8	4	7	11·76	3	2	5	8 42	111	Sudharam
...	...	...	...	1	·52	8	4·15	13	7	19	9·86	4	4	8	4·16	112	Comilla.
...	...	2	1 06	1	·53	15	7·92	17	16	33	17·43	23	9	34	18·00	113	Brahmanbaria.
2	1·66	...	...	...	...	5	4·63	10	6	16	14·81	8	3	11	10 21	114	Chandpur.
673	2·72	511	2·07	135	·51	1,040	6·24	4,479	3,119	4,598	18·62						
646	2·54	503	2·24	113	·45	1,388	5 63	3,491	1,991	4,482	18·20	3,491	1,991	4,482	18·20		
+46	+·18	+8	-·17	+13	+·06	+152	+·61	+13	+128	+116	+·42						

relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases and in a few instances are obviously

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions	Number	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan.	1	Burdwan ...	718,350	725,805	1,444,155	4,017	32·75	17	16	·13	18	·14	...	...	2,540	20·71
	2	Birbhum ...	496,931	467,411	964,342	2,709	34·43	93	19	·24	2	·03	...	...	1,563	19·86
	3	Bankura ...	554,150	547,314	1,061,464	2,564	27·91	...	99	1·08	9	·10	...	...	1,648	20·12
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	5,399	23·21	165	148	·62	5	·02	..	...	3,537	15·17
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	466,970	472,645	939,615	2,069	25·95	9	78	·98	...	...	...	...	1,838	19·29
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	1,403	22·27	5	73	1·14	...	...	...	...	427	6·94
Total of Division for month.			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	18,161	27·17	289	429	·64	34	·05	...	...	11,453	17·13
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						15,556	23·48	205	990	1·48	166	·24	...	...	12,424	18·63
Presidency.	7	24-Parganas ...	970,950	914,740	1,885,690	5,930	24·47	45	19	·11	14	·09	...	..	1,733	10·94
	8	Nadia ...	765,498	756,429	1,521,928	4,623	35·76	80	8	·02	...	...	...	...	1,976	15·29
	9	Murshidabad ...	636,285	653,506	1,288,791	3,614	33·02	171	36	·33	6	·05	...	...	1,960	17·95
	10	Jessore ...	889,299	847,767	1,737,066	3,329	22·56	188	23	·16	1	·01	...	...	1,718	11·69
	11	Khulna ...	693,187	644,392	1,337,579	2,699	23·76	99	50	·44	...	...	...	...	1,505	13·23
Total of Division for month.			3,954,120	3,816,834	7,770,954	18,195	27·55	553	131	·20	21	·03	...	...	8,911	13·52
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						13,899	21·11	444	368	·55	59	·08	...	...	10,898	16·55
Rajshahi.	12	Rajshahi ...	737,840	711,290	1,448,930	2,852	23·01	276	5	·04	4	·03	...	...	3,228	26·21
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	3,945	27·78	143	41	·28	43	·29	...	...	3,655	25·59
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,214	890,895	2,489	32·89	180	33	·44	55	·73	...	...	1,827	24·15
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,237	113,634	240,971	883	33·37	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	610	29·61
	16	Rangpur ...	1,344,208	1,134,693	2,368,901	5,518	27·43	392	47	·23	43	·21	...	...	4,154	20·65
	17	Bogra ...	495,020	475,346	970,366	2,041	25·25	108	46	·58	...	...	...	...	1,634	18·61
	18	Pabna ...	700,399	684,236	1,384,635	3,272	19·32	171	4	·03	64	·54	...	...	1,691	14·38
	19	Malda ...	477,714	485,051	962,765	2,933	27·31	56	...	...	8	·10	...	...	1,599	20·78
Total of Division for month.			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	23,053	26·12	1,558	178	·21	215	·25	...	...	18,375	21·77
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						20,574	24·43	1,305	160	·19	79	·09	...	...	19,410	23·05
Dacca.	20	Dacca ...	1,395,581	1,428,114	2,823,975	4,981	20·77	309	17	·07	..	...	...	...	2,346	9·78
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,509	2,133,844	4,404,353	7,009	18·74	393	16	·04	79	·21	...	...	4,250	11·36
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,893	1,032,817	2,089,710	3,416	19·25	161	14	·08	...	...	...	...	1,840	10·37
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,212,560	1,167,733	2,380,293	3,716	18·38	120	9	·04	3	·01	...	...	2,064	10·21
Total of Division for month.			5,935,323	5,762,008	11,698,331	19,122	19·25	983	56	·06	82	·08	...	...	10,500	10·57
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						18,485	18·65	1,057	77	·07	91	·09	...	..	11,026	11·12
Chittagong.	24	Chittagong ...	701,950	773,339	1,475,289	3,639	28·96	324	3	·02	3	·02	...	...	2,578	20·57
	25	Noakhali ...	641,532	653,549	1,295,081	2,745	25·00	183	...	...	6	·05	...	...	1,401	12·74
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	4,405	21·37	327	6	·03	...	...	...	...	2,396	11·39
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month.			2,552,124	2,590,680	5,142,804	10,879	24·45	834	9	·02	9	·02	..	..	6,374	14·36
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						10,912	25·05	784	79	·18	14	·03	...	...	6,659	15·24
Total of month for Bengal			21,501,020	20,920,976	42,421,996	88, 00	24·48	4,010	803	·22	360	·10	...	...	55,522	15·41
Total of corresponding month of previous year						79,535	22·13	3,696	1,674	·46	409	·11	...	...	60,396	16·80
Increase + or Decrease -						+8,675	+2·35	+315	-871	-·24	-49	-·01	...	...	-4,874	-1·39

REMARKS.—The above tables is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons.

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1917

of Bengal, for the month of August 1917.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					DISTRICTS.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Number. Female.	Number. Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Number. Female.	Number. Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
60	·49	17	·14	77	·63	653	5·41	1,784	1,607	3,391	27·65	1,506	1,836	3,342	27·32	1	Burdwan.
5	·07	2	·03	48	·51	240	2·92	1,004	861	1,865	23·70	1,039	1,326	2,365	37·78	2	Birbhum.
80	·65	4	·04	41	·45	438	4·77	1,298	1,201	2,499	27·21	1,409	1,224	2,633	28·74	3	Bankura.
110	·47	10	·04	126	·54	857	3·68	2,525	2,245	4,760	20·55	2,905	2,560	5,465	23·56	4	Midnapore.
96	1·20	16	·20	76	·94	396	4·47	1,131	1,028	2,159	27·08	1,129	1,023	2,152	27·06	5	Hooghly and Serampore
213	3·38	31	·49	61	·97	280	4·44	592	502	1,094	17·37	657	545	1,202	19·13	6	Howrah.
544	·81	80	·12	435	·64	2,824	4·22	8,344	7,444	15,788	23·62						
573	·85	134	·20	413	·61	3,061	4·59	9,845	8,214	17,759	26·63						
32	·19	35	·20	182	1·18	434	2·71	1,324	1,149	2,473	15·44	1,544	1,335	2,879	18·08	7	24-Parganas.
7	·05	5	·03	134	1·04	596	4·61	1,449	1,272	2,721	21·05	1,557	1,351	2,908	22·79	8	Nadia.
3	·03	2	·02	66	·60	508	4·62	1,336	1,258	2,594	23·61	1,838	1,715	3,553	32·45	9	Murshidabad.
9	·06	9	·06	106	·72	301	2·04	1,180	994	2,174	14·74	1,493	1,222	2,715	18·48	10	Jessore.
40	·35	1	·01	100	·88	535	4·71	1,315	1,014	2,329	19·62	1,262	1,124	2,386	21·06	11	Khulna.
91	·14	50	·08	595	·90	2,372	3·59	6,494	5,687	12,181	18·46						
93	·13	56	·08	556	·84	2,448	3·71	7,734	6,747	14,471	21·93						
6	·07	2	·02	91	·74	317	2·58	1,799	1,883	3 682	29·68	1,894	1,790	3,684	30 10	12	Malbhum.
1	·01	2	·02	65	·38	105	·73	2,061	1,820	3,881	27 33	2,271	1,842	4,113	29 04	13	Dinajpur.
180	1·98	7	·09	19	·25	147	1·94	1,178	1,081	2,235	29·58	1,308	1,180	2,488	32·37	14	Jalpaiguri.
110	5·37	4	·19	10	·49	165	8 06	451	448	899	43 92	432	491	813	39·83	15	Darjeeling.
13	·06	3	·01	66	·33	154	·77	2,418	2,069	4.478	22·26	2,625	2,184	4,809	23 96	16	Rangpur.
10	·12	9	·11	54	·66	139	1·93	926	888	1,814	22·01	975	916	1,891	23 00	17	Bogra.
9	·08	6	·05	66	·56	128	1·05	1,034	928	1,962	16·70	1,004	840	1,834	15 63	18	Pabna.
...	...	...	...	57	70	271	3·31	1,073	963	2 036	24·89	1,307	1,106	2,413	29 57	19	Malda.
360	·36	33	·04	418	·50	1,441	1·71	10,939	10,021	20,960	24·83						
953	·35	97	04	514	·61	1,838	1·81	11,807	10,217	22,024	26·16						
104	·43	11	·05	92	·38	800	3·34	1,888	1,482	3,370	14·05	1,865	1,436	3,301	13·80	20	Dacca.
69	·13	12	·03	133	·33	840	2·15	2,939	2,450	5,389	14·35	2,467	2,319	4,306	14·22	21	Mymensingh.
31	·17	9	·05	118	·66	524	2·95	1,673	1,164	2,836	14·29	1,698	1,401	3,099	17·50	22	Faridpur.
34	·17	2	·01	163	·81	826	4 09	1,762	1,339	3,101	15·34	2,036	1,613	3,649	18·09	23	Bakarganj.
218	·22	34	·03	496	·50	2,990	3·01	7,961	6,415	14,376	14·47						
223	·22	47	·04	529	·53	3,463	3·39	8,686	6,769	15 355	15·49						
9	·07	...	...	90	·72	69	·55	1,334	1,417	2,751	21·96	1,530	1,513	3,043	24 34	24	Chittagong.
3	·03	...	...	114	1·04	320	2·91	903	941	1,844	16·76	1,060	983	2,043	18 62	25	Noakhali.
45	·23	6	·03	131	·65	647	3·71	1,889	1,443	3,041	15·03	1,899	1,447	3,146	15 65	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
56	·13	6	·01	333	·77	936	2·14	3,836	3,800	7,636	17·46						
66	·15	15	·03	389	·89	1,026	4·36	4,269	3,942	8,231	18·89						
1,311	·34	203	·06	2,269	·63	10,863	2·93	37,844	33,987	70,931	19·69						
1,253	·34	288	·08	2,399	66	11,421	3 17	41,951	35,889	77,840	21·66	41,951	35,889	77,840	21·66		
-42	Equal	-85	-·02	-130	-·03	-858	-·24	-4,887	-2,922	-6,909	-1·97						

As far as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 10th November 1917.

Date	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
4th Nov 1917	At low tide.	60·0	Not connected with mean sea-level.	59·5	Top of the setting tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
5th " "	Ditto	59·7		59·2	
6th " "	Ditto	59·4		58·8	
7th " "	Ditto	58·9		58·7	
8th " "	Ditto	58·7		58·6	
9th " "	Ditto	58·6		58·7	
10th " "	Ditto	58·6		58·8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
13th "	1912	67·16	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
12th "	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide
13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·8	
15th "	1916	50·8	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 13th November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 17th November 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero. R. L. of zero = 51·40 from 12th November 1917 R. L. of zero = 345·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
11th Nov. 1917	7 A.M	1·70	53·10	51·70	R. L. of gauge post is 51·40 from 12th November 1917.
12th " "	7 "	7·30	52·70	51·30	
13th " "	7 "	7·00	52·40	51·10	R. L. of gauge post is 345·40.
14th " "	7 "	6·70	52·10	50·90	B. M. on College step 69·74.
15th " "	8 "	6·35	51·75	50·60	
16th " "	7 "	6·00	51·40	50·40	
17th " "	7 "	5·70	51·10	50·20	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	... Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	... Highest "	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890
Do. ...	... Lowest "	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	38·18 on 14th-15th April 1883
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897
Do. ...	... Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 17th November 1917.

D. N. BANERJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 17th November 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
	A.M.				
11th Nov. 1917	7-45	14·5	14·5	13·7	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
12th " "	7-45	14·3	14·3	13·3	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat. Its reduced level is 22·41.
13th " "	7-45	14·1	14·1	13·1	
14th " "	7-45	13·9	13·9	12·8	
15th " "	7-45	13·8	13·8	12·5	
16th " "	7-45	13·6	13·6	12·3	
17th " "	7-45	13·4	13·4	12·1	

The previous year	... Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	... Lowest "	...	1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 17th November 1917.

N. DE,
Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 10th November 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 11th November 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	315	24,135	381	188	23,461	366
Jute	280	87,068*	1,154	319	103,008†	1,481
Firewood	71	40,725	604	26	12,805	169
Other articles	771	142,335	1,695	795	149,956	1,873
Total ...	1,437	294,263	3,834	1,328	289,230	3,889
Empty boats and rafts ...	409	...	897	652	...	1,126
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,846	294,263	4,731	1,980	289,230	5 015

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 79,600
† Ditto ditto 114,250

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1917.

A. W. DAVIS,
for *Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	589,382	7,23,459 0 0	73,58,583 0	13,65,380 0 0	60,690 0 0	21,49,529 0 0	149,469	283,148	432,617
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	276 5 5	.....	521 8 7	23 2 11	821 0 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 31 weeks of half-year ...	9,206,807	27,89,239 0 0	33,207,788 0	54,81,148 0 0	2,13,850 0 0	84,84,237 0 0	589,753	1,230,009	1,819,762
Total from 1st October ...	2,796,089	35,12,698 0 0	40,466,371 0	67,96,528 0 0	2,74,540 0 0	1,06,33,766 0 0	739,222	1,513,157	2,252,379
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	688,346	6,47,623 0 0	8,981,528 0	14,96,701 0 0	19,913 0 0	21,64,236 0 0	181,135	332,180	513,315
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	248 11 3	.....	574 12 4	7 10 4	831 1 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	3,179,696	29,54,111 0 0	43,906,299 0	70,52,595 0 0	35 691 0 0	1,00,42,397 0 0	872,155	1,641,570	2,513,725

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,580	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,762	13,95,861	16,613,844	26,95,466	55,480	41,77,777	849	869,861	4 12 10
2,615	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,850	7,74,908	9,566,832	13,72,065	56,700	24,03,673	909	498,249	4 15 3
2,616	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	528,394	6,18,470	7,027,811	11,63,617	71,700	18,53,787	708	464,962	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,382	7,23,459	7,358,583	13,65,380	60,690	21,49,529	821	432,617	4 15 6
	Totals up to date ...	2,796,089	35,12,698	40,466,371	67,96,528	2,74 540	1,06,33,766	827	2,252,379	4 11 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,378,076	13,68,230	16,446,287	26,18,533	7,371	38,94,074	748	1,097,498	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	688,529	5,93,090	9,996,715	13,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,801	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,883	5,39,735	9,606,846	15,34,756	7,400	20,71,891	796	518,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	688,346	6,47,623	8,981,528	14,96,701	19,913	21,64,236	831	513,315	4 3 6
	Totals up to date ...	3,378,834	30,48,668	45,031,346	72,34,495	36,443	1,03,19,596	793	2,657,613	3 15 10

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd November 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,684	45,168 0 0	578,826 0	46,907 0 0	295 0 0	92,460 0 0	12,467	8,359	20,80
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	231 10 1	.....	241 0 2	1 8 3	474 3 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 31 weeks of half-year.	196,193	1,71,110 0 0	2,315,835 0	1,93,453 0 0	1,092 0 0	3,65,655 0 0	46,340	32,387	78,727
Total from 1st October...	241,877	2,16,278 0 0	2,894,663 0	2,40,360 0 0	1,387 0 0	4,58,115 0 0	58,807	40,726	99,533
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	42,839	37,719 0 0	644,200 0	49,577 0 0	346 0 0	87,643 0 0	11,937	10,279	22,106
Per mile of railway corresponding period of previous year.	.....	193 7 9	.....	254 3 10	1 4 2	448 15 9	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	203,425	1,75,491 0 0	2,523,679 0	1,90,483 0 0	1,360 0 0	3,67,334 0 0	57,796	47,636	105,433

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,179	78,883	1,153,121	79,864	922	1,59,069	484	37,879	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	78,676	55,905	989,087	63,731	385	1,19,021	610	20,656	5 13 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	34,139	36,232	673,847	51,068	365	87,665	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	46,684	45,108	578,648	46,997	295	92,400	474	20,806	4 7 1
	Totals up to date ..	241,877	2,16,278	3,394,683	2,40,480	1,967	4,58,115	484	99,533	4 9 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88 079	72,818	993,786	64 073	578	1,36,968	351	43,165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,850	35,411	434,8	39,137	289	74,837	344	22,339	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	45,956	35,048	509,453	41,828	289	77,166	396	20,822	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	42,529	37,729	644,300	49,577	216	87,522	449	22,106	3 15 4
	Totals up to date ...	219 414	1,80 836	2,601,753	1,94,609	1,402	3,76,537	386	103 353	3 7 7

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 3rd November 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,207	1,558 0 0	19,824 0	1,188 0 0	15 0 0	2,761 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	35 6 7	.....	27 0 0	0 5 5	62 15 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year.	28,476	7,434 0 0	1,07,346 0	5,111 0 0	58 0 0	12,603 0 0	3,537	1,176	4,713
Total from 1st October...	34,683	8,992 0 0	1,27,170 0	6,299 0 0	73 0 0	15,364 0 0	4,454	1,481	5,935
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding 3 days of previous year.	585	96 0 0	.....	.....	4 0 0	100 0 0	196	65	261
Per mile of railway corresponding 3 days of previous year.	...	2 2 11	.....	.....	0 1 5	2 4 4	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	585	96 0 0	.....	.....	4 0 0	100 0 0	196	65	261

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October,	11,670	8,010	86,698	2,651	28	5,689	70	2,289	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	30,759	1,207	15	4.136	94	1,232	3 6 3
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,200	1,570	19,769	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,214	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,207	1,558	19,824	1,188	15	2,761	63	1,222	2 4 3
	Totals up to date ...	34,683	8,992	127,170	6,299	73	15,364	73	5,935	1 11 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
39*	First 4 days November ...	713	139	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 1
		713	139	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 1

* Mean miles for the week.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 38 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	6,793	3,194 0 0	100 274 0	21,372 0 0	(a)338 0 0	25,854 0 0	513	(d)746	1,259
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	89 0 0	...	594 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 684 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year.*	32,162	9,909 0 0	388,721 0	50,314 0 0	1,953 0 0	63,176 0 0	2,567	3,194	5,761
Total for 6 weeks ...	38,955	13,033 0 0	488,995 0	71,686 0 0	2,311 0 0	89,030 0 0	3,080	3,940	7,020
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	10,476	2,852 0 0	85,776 0	13,808 0 0	(b)385 0 0	17,045 0 0	531	(e)849	1,380
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	79 0 0	...	384 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 464 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	50,804	13,935 0 0	481,942 0	72,118 0 0	1,920 0 0	87,973 0 0	3,078	5,161	8,239

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 311.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 339.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 30.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 43.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,214	5,286 0 0	121,568 0	20,702 0 0	15 0 0	24,997 0 0	1,800	(a) 3,439	5 239
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	45 0 0	...	254 0 0	.....	299 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 5 weeks of half-year.*	74,179	24,685 0 0	456,956 0	72,831 0 0	1,361 0 0	98,847 0 0	9,311	14,956	24,267
Total for 6 weeks ...	90,403	29,935 0 0	578,524 0	102,533 0 0	1,376 0 0	1,23,844 0 0	11,111	18,395	29,506
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,914	7,132 0 0	111,605 0	21,035 0 0	16 0 0	28,183 0 0	1,512	(b)4,202	5,804
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	61 0 0	...	180 0 0	.....	241 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	110,421	35,660 0 0	657,962 0	106,739 0 0	308 0 0	1,44,743 0 0	10,476	21,961	32,436

(a) Ballast train-miles, 482.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,146.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 3rd November 1917, on 51 miles run

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
otal traffic for the week	6,408	28,823 0 0	31,328 0	14,913 0 0	110 0 0	43,846 0 0	3,386	3,579	6,965
r per week per mile of railway	.....	565 0 0	4.....	293 0 0	2 0 0	860 0 0	.....	.....	.....
or previous 3 weeks of the half-year	24,359	75,350 0 0	105,408 0	41,512 0 0	1,045 0 0	1,17,907 0 0	11,323	11,330	22 653
otal traffic up to 3rd November 1917 ...	30,717	1,04,173 0 0	136,736 0	56,425 0 0	1,155 0 0	1,61,753 0 0	14,619	14,909	29,528
4 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.. ...	421 0 0	.....	228 0 0	4 0 0	653 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
otal for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,552	18,356 0 0	33,201 0	14,977 0 0	161 0 0	33,494 0 0	3,061	3,534	6,596
er week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	360 0 0	.....	294 0 0	3 0 0	657 0 0	.....	.....	...
otal up to corresponding week of previous year ...	33,7654	92,257 0 0	155,430 0	70,039 0 0	1,108 0 0	1.53 404 0 0	13,919	17,928	30.847.
r per week per mile of railway	... ..	352 0 0	.....	288 0 0	4 0 0	619 0 0	... ..	.....	.....

NOTES:—Difference for the week + 10,467 — 64 — 51 + 10,353
Difference up to date + 21,916 — 13,514 + 47 + 8,349

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local and Foreign passengers and Luggage traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 3rd November 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
otal traffic for the week...	3,941	2,378 0 0	33,022 0	2,975 0 0	40 0 0	5,393 0 0	631	1,329	1,960
r per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	42 0 0	1 0 0	77 0 0	.....	.....	...
or previous 3 weeks of the half-year	17,340	9 409 0 0	83,445 0	5,594 0 0	103 0 0	15,106 0 0	2,488	5,212	7,700
otal traffic up to 3rd Nov.mber 1917 ...	21,281	11,787 0 0	76,467 0 0	8,569 0 0	143 0 0	20,499 0 0	3,119	6,541	9,660
4 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	25 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
otal for corresponding week of previous year ...	7,011	2.630 0 0	84,279 0	1,577 0 0	12 0 0	4,218 0 0	945	851	1,796
er week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	38 0 0	... ...	22 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
otal up to corresponding week of previous year ...	35,983	11,023 0 0	104,359 0	7,693 0 0	76 0 0	18,791 0 0	4,433	3,703	8,136
r per week per mile of railway	.....	32 0 0	.....	22 0 0	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES:—Difference for the week ... — 251 + 1,398 + 28 + 1,175
Difference up to date ... + 764 + 877 + 97 + 1,708

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Potato traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 3rd November 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	588	1,081 0 0	3,867 0	770 0 0	5 0 0	1,856 0 0	212	258	470
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	36 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	62 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of the half-year	1,989	1,871 0 0	5,295 0	1,179 0 0	13 0 0	3,763 0 0	310	526	1,836
Total traffic up to 3rd November 1917	2,577	2,952 0 0	9,162 0	1,949 0 0	18 0 0	4,619 0 0	1,022	784	1,806
(34 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	18 0 0	.....	14 0 0	.....	32 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	806	566 0 0	8,509 0	1,483 0 0	4 0 0	2,046 0 0	130	284	414
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	19 0 0	.....	49 0 0	.....	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	2,2664	1,367 0 0	21,847 0	2,966 0 0	18 0 0	5,351 0 0	585	614	1,199
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	9 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	36 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES :—Difference for the week + 521 — 713 + 1 — 190
Difference up to date + 1,385 — 2,017 ... — 632

The increase during the week in coaching is mainly under Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Public Coal, Lime and Wool Traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	84,388	59,235 0 0	392,059 0	56,921 0 0	7,269 0 0	1,33,535 0 0	12,776	20,592	33,368
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	67·42	.....	63·77	8·17	139·36	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3½ weeks of half-year	338,714	2,39,990 0 0	1,344,928 0	2,15,700 0 0	25,564 0 0	4,71,254 0 0	49,015	78,990	128,005
Total for 4½ weeks ...	423,002	2,99,515 0 0	1,736,987 0	2,72,621 0 0	32,833 0 0	6,04,789 0 0	61,791	99,582	161,373
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	111,343	56,743 0 0	463,297 0	85,923 0 0	9,596 0 0	1,52,261 0 0	15,713	21,132	36,845
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	70·84	.....	104·40	11·66	186·90	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	475,198	3,54,380 0 0	2,045,637 0	3,99,335 0 0	48,378 0 0	7,02,293 0 0	74,144	99,534	173,678

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 3rd November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 3rd November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 3rd November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 3rd November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,33,535	139·36	823	1,52,261	184·90	40,11,838	41,50,334	.....	1,38,496

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 3rd November 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,208	5,641 0 0	39,344	8,555 0 0	.....	9,196 0 0	1,186	962	2,150
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	63·31	.....	63·43	.....	136·73	.....	.....	.....
For previous 31 weeks of half-year	48,340	15,883 0 0	99,339	14,553 0 0	.....	30,435 0 0	4,508	2,879	7,384
Total for 42 weeks ...	58,548	19,524 0 0	138,673	20,107 0 0	.....	39,631 0 0	5,673	3,841	9,514
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 3rd November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 3rd November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 3rd November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 3rd November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·50	9,196	159·73	...	.....	...	79,611	.....	79,611	.....

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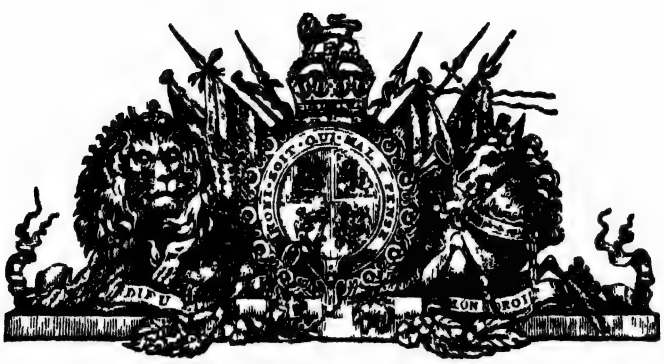

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1186 L., dated the 20th November, 1917.—The following Bill was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on the 20th November, 1917, and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons annexed thereto :—

THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL BILL, 1917.

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530. Limitation of time for appeal.

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61. Grounds on which permission to erect a masonry new building may be refused.
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87. Remedy if Commissioner delays grant or refusal of permission.
88. Grounds on which permission to erect a hut may be refused.
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2. Power to Commissioner to require cleansing and lime-washing of building.
3. Power to Commissioner to require owner to secure, enclose, cleanse, or clear land or building which is untenanted, filthy or a nuisance.
4. Power to Commissioner to demolish, repair or secure building or fixture in a ruinous state, etc.
5. Power to Commissioner to sell materials of buildings demolished in pursuance of notice issued under rule 4.
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SCHEDULE XXII.

CONSTRUCTION OF REFERENCES IN BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 TO THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL BILL, 1917.

[NOTE.—"1899" in the right hand margin means the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), as amended to date.]

A Bill to amend and consolidate the law relating to the Municipal Affairs of the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta.

Whereas it is expedient to amend and consolidate, in the manner hereinafter appearing, the law relating to the municipal affairs of the town and suburbs of Calcutta;

And whereas the previous sanction of the Governor General has been obtained under section 79 of the Government of India Act, 1915, to the passing of this Act;

5 & 6 Geo V, c. 61.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

PART I.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1917. [*Cf* 1899, s. 1.]

(*2*) Except as is hereinafter otherwise expressly provided, it applies only to Calcutta.

(*3*) It shall come into force on the first day of April, 19 : [*Cf.* 1899, s. 1 (3), as originally enacted, and s. 42]

Provided that, before the said first day of April, 19 , and at such time (after this Act is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* after having received the assent of the Governor General) as the Local Government shall appoint, a general election and appointment of Councillors shall be held and made under the provisions of this Act, but such election or appointment shall not take effect until the said first day of April.

Repeal of enactments and savings.

2. (*1*) The following enactments are hereby repealed, namely:— [*Cf* 1899, s 2.]

(*a*) the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, Ben Act III of 1899.

(*b*) the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, and Ben Act IV of 1914.

(*c*) the Calcutta Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1917. Ben Act I of 1917.

(*2*) Every budget passed, loan taken, assessment, plan of a projected public street, measurement or division made, standard plan of a *bustee* approved, license, permission or sanction granted and debenture or notice issued under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall, so far as it is in force at the commencement of, and is not inconsistent with, this Act, be deemed to have been respectively passed, taken, made, approved, granted or issued under this Act, and shall (unless previously altered, modified, cancelled, repaid, suspended, surrendered or withdrawn, as the case may be, under this Act) remain in force for the period

Ben Act III of 1899

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(if any) for which it was so passed, taken, made, approved, granted or issued.

Definitions.

3. For the purposes of this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3.]

"Adulterated."

(*1*) an article shall be deemed to be "adulterated"— [*Cf.* Public Health Law, New York, 1909, C. 49, Article 4, s. 41.]

(*a*) in the case of drugs—

(*i*) if, when it is sold or exposed for sale under or by a name recognized in the British Pharmacopœia, it differs from the standard of strength, quality or purity laid down in the said Pharmacopœia, unless the standard of strength, quality or purity of such drug be plainly stated on the bottle, box or other receptacle, or,

(*ii*) if its strength, quality or purity falls below the professed standard under which it is sold or exposed for sale; and

(*b*) in the case of food—

(*i*) if any substance has been mixed or packed with it so as to reduce or lower or injuriously affect its quality or strength, or

(*ii*) if any substance has been substituted wholly or in part for the article, or

(*iii*) if any valuable constituent of the article has been wholly or in part abstracted;

"Assessment-book."

(*2*) "assessment-book" means the municipal assessment-book prescribed by section 160;

"*Bazar*."

(*3*) "*bazar*" means any place of trade (other than a market) where there is a collection of shops or warehouses; [1899, s. 2 (*1*).]

"Budget-grant."

(*4*) "budget-grant" means a sum entered on the expenditure side of a Budget Estimate which has been finally adopted, and includes also any sum by which a budget-grant is at any time increased by a transfer under section 116, clause (*c*); [1899, s. 3 (*2*).]

"Building."

(*5*) "building" includes a house, out-house, stable, privy, urinal, shed, hut, wall (other than a boundary wall not exceeding eight feet in height) and any other such structure, whether of masonry, bricks, wood, mud, metal or any other material whatsoever; [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 3 (*s*).]

"Building-line."

(*6*) "building-line" means the line up to which the main wall of a building abutting on a street or a projected public street may lawfully extend; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*3*).]

"Building of the warehouse class."

(*7*) "building of the warehouse class" means a building used or intended to be used as a warehouse, factory, manufactory, brewery or distillery, or for any similar purpose, which is neither a "dwelling-house" nor a "public building" as defined in this section; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*4*).]

"*Bustee*."

(*8*) "*bustee*" means an area containing land occupied by, or for the purposes of, any collection of huts; [*Cf.* 1899 s. 3 (*5*).]

(Part I.—Chapter I.—Preliminary.—Clause 3.)

"Calcutta." (*9*) "Calcutta" means, subject to the exclusion or inclusion of any local area by notification under section 546, the area described in Schedule I; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*7*).]

"Carriage." (*10*) "carriage" means any wheeled vehicle, with springs or other appliances acting as springs, which is used for the conveyance of human beings, and includes a *jinrickshaw*, a bicycle and a tricycle; [1899, s. 3 (*8*).]

"Cart." (*11*) "cart" means any cart, hackney or wheeled vehicle with or without springs, which is not a "carriage" as defined in this section; [1899, s. 3 (*9*).]

"Commissioner." (*12*) "the Commissioner" means the Municipal Commissioner appointed under section 11, sub-section (*1*), and includes an acting Commissioner appointed under section 35, sub-section (*3*); [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 3 (*d*).]

"Connected-privy." (*13*) "connected-privy" means a privy which is directly connected with a sewer; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*10*).]

"Connected-urinal." (*14*) "connected-urinal" means a urinal which is directly connected with a sewer;

"Cubical extent." (*15*) the expression "cubical extent", when used with reference to the measurement of a building, means the space contained within the external surfaces of its walls and roof and the upper surface of the floor of its lowest or only storey; [1899, s. 3 (*11*).]

"Dangerous disease." (*16*) "dangerous disease" means— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*12*).]

(*a*) cholera, plague, small-pox, tuberculosis, cerebro-spinal meningitis, diphtheria and enteric fever; and

(*b*) any other epidemic, endemic or infectious disease which the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, declare to be a dangerous disease for the purposes of this Act;

"Depot." (*17*) "depôt" means a place where bulky articles are stored, whether for sale or otherwise, in quantities exceeding 50 maunds; [1899, s. 3 (*13*).]

"Deputy Commissioner" (*18*) "Deputy Commissioner" means a Deputy Municipal Commissioner appointed under section 27, sub-section (*1*), and includes an acting Deputy Commissioner appointed under section 35, sub-section (*3*); [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 3 (*e*).]

"Domestic building." (*19*) "domestic building" includes a dwelling-house and any other masonry building which is neither a "building of the warehouse class" nor a "public building", as defined in this section, nor a place exclusively used for private worship; [1899, s. 3 (*14*).]

"Domestic purposes." (*20*) a supply of water for "domestic purposes" shall not be deemed to include a supply— [1899, s. 3 (*15*).]

(*a*) for animals or for washing carriages, where such animals or carriages are kept for sale or hire,

(*b*) for any trade, manufacture or business,

(*c*) for fountains,

(*d*) for watering gardens or streets,

(*e*) for any ornamental or mechanical purpose,

(Part I.—Chapter I.—Preliminary,—Clause 3.)

(*f*) for building purposes, or

(*g*) for flushing purposes;

"Drain." (*21*) "drain" includes a sewer, a house-drain, a drain of any other description, a tunnel, a culvert, a ditch, a channel and any other device for carrying off sullage, sewage, offensive matter, polluted water, rain-water or sub-soil water; [1899, s. 3 (*16*).]

"Drug." (*22*) "drug" includes medicine for internal or external use; [1899, s. 3 (*17*), and *cf* 38 & 39 Vict., c. 63, s. 2.]

"Dwelling-house." (*23*) "dwelling-house" means a masonry building constructed, used or adapted to be used wholly or principally for human habitation; [1899, s. (*18*).]

"Food." (*24*) "food" includes every article used for food or drink by man, other than drugs or water; [*Cf.* 62 & 63 Vict., c. 51, s. 26.]

"Habitable room." (*25*) "habitable room" means a room constructed or adapted for human habitation; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*19*).]

"Half-year." (*26*) "half-year" means a financial half-year;

"House-drain." (*27*) "house-drain," means any drain of, and used for the drainage of, one or more premises; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*20*).]

"House-gully." (*28*) "house-gully" means a passage or strip of land constructed, set apart or utilized for the purpose of serving as a drain or of affording access to a privy, urinal, cesspool or other receptacle for filthy or polluted matter to municipal servants, or to persons employed in the cleansing thereof or in the removal of such matter therefrom, and includes the air space above such passage or land; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*21*).]

"Hut." (*29*) "hut" means any building no wall or other material portion of which above the plinth level is constructed of masonry; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 *22*).]

"Inhabited room." (*30*) "inhabited room" means a room in which some person passes the night, or which is used as a living room, and includes a room with respect to which there is a reasonable presumption (until the contrary is shown) that some person passes the night therein or that it is used as a living room; [1899, s. 3 (*23*).]

"Market." (*31*) "market" includes any place where persons periodically assemble for the sale of meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, live-stock or any other article of food; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*24*).]

"Masonry building." (*32*) "masonry building" means any building other than a hut; [1899, s. 3 (*25*).]

"Municipal drain." (*33*) "municipal drain" means a drain vested in the Corporation; [1899, s. 3 (*26*).]

"Municipal market." (*34*) "municipal market" means a market belonging to or maintained by the Corporation; [1899, s. 3 (*27*).]

"Municipal slaughter-house." (*35*) "municipal slaughter-house" means a slaughter-house belonging to or maintained by the Corporation; [1899, s. 3 (*28*).]

"New building." (*36*) the expression "new building" means and includes— [*Cf.* 57 & 58 Vict., c. 213, s. 5 (*6*), and 1899, s. 3 (*39*).]

(*a*) any building erected after the commencement of this Act,

(*b*) any building which, having collapsed or been demolished or burnt down

for more than one-half of its cubical extent, is re-erected wholly or partially after the commencement of this Act, whether the dimensions of the re-erected building are the same as those of the original building or not,

(*c*) any hut which is converted into a masonry building after the commencement of this Act, and

(*d*) any building not originally constructed for human habitation which is converted into a place for human habitation after the commencement of this Act.

Explanation.—Clause (*b*) applies whether more than half the cubical extent has collapsed or been demolished or burnt down at the same time or at different times;

"Nuisance." (*37*) "nuisance" includes any act, omission, place or thing which causes or is likely to cause injury, danger, annoyance or offence to the sense of sight, smell or hearing, or which is or may be dangerous to life or injurious to health or property; [1899, s. 3 (29).]

"Occupier." (*38*) "occupier" means any person for the time being paying, or liable to pay, to the owner the rent or any portion of the rent of the land or building in respect of which the word is used, and includes an owner living in, or otherwise using, his own land or building and also a rent-free tenant; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (30).]

Offensive matter." (*39*) "offensive matter" means dung, dirt, putrid or putrefying substances, and filth of any kind which is not included in "sewage" as defined in this section; [1899, s. (31).]

"Owner." (*40*) "owner" includes the person for the time being receiving the rent of any land or building or of any part of any land or building, whether on his own account or as agent or trustee for any person or society or for any religious or charitable purpose, or as a receiver, or who would so receive such rent if the land, building or part thereof were let to a rent-paying tenant; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (32).]

"Party-wall." (*41*) "party-wall" means a wall forming part of a building and used or constructed to be used for the support and separation of adjoining buildings belonging to different owners or constructed or adapted to be occupied by different persons; [1899, s. (33).]

"Platform." (*42*) the word "platform," when used with reference to a privy, means the surface containing the aperture through which the sewage passes into the receptacle or sewer; [1899, s. (34).]

"Private street." (*43*) "private street" means any street, road, lane, gully, alley, passage or pathway which is not a "public street" as defined in this section, and includes a passage or pathway securing access to two or more premises, whether belonging to the same or different owners, but does not include a pathway made by the owner of a building on his own land to secure access to such building only; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (35).]

(Part I.—Chapter I.—Preliminary.—Clause 3.)

"Public building." (*44*) "public building" means a masonry building constructed, used or adapted to be used— [1899, s. 3 (*36*).]

(*a*) as a place of public worship, or as a school, college or other place of instruction (not being a dwelling-house so used), or as a hospital, work-house, public theatre, public hall, public concert-room, public ball-room, public lecture-room, public library or public exhibition room, or as a public place of assembly, or

(*b*) for any other public purpose, or

(*c*) as an hotel, lodging-house, home refuge, or shelter, where the building exceeds in cubical extent two hundred and fifty thousand cubic feet or has sleeping accommodation for more than one hundred persons ;

"Public street." (*45*) "public street" means any street, road, lane, gully, alley, passage or pathway whether a thoroughfare or not, over which the public have a right of way, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*37*).]

and includes—

(*a*) the roadway over any public bridge or causeway,

(*b*) the footway attached to any such street, public bridge or causeway, and

(*c*) the drains attached to any such street, public bridge or causeway,

and, where there is no drain attached to any such street, shall be deemed to include also, unless the contrary is shown, all land up to the outer wall of the premises abutting on the street, or, if a street alignment has been fixed, then up to such alignment ;

"Railway." (*46*) "railway" includes a tramway ; [1899, s. 3 (*38*).]

"Registered medical practitioner." (*47*) "registered medical practitioner" means a medical practitioner registered under the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 ; Ben. Act VI of 1914.

"Reside." (*48*) (*a*) a person shall be deemed to "reside" in any dwelling-house or hut which, or some portion of which, he sometimes, although not uninterruptedly, uses as a sleeping apartment, and [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (*40*).]

(*b*) a person shall not be deemed to cease to "reside" in any such dwelling-house or hut merely because he is absent from it or has elsewhere another dwelling-house or hut in which he resides, if there is the liberty of returning to it at any time and no abandonment of the intention of returning to it ;

"Rubbish" (*49*) "rubbish" means dust, ashes, broken bricks, mortar, broken glass, kitchen or stable refuse, and refuse of any kind which is not "offensive matter" as defined in this section ; [1899, s. 3 (*41*).]

"Service-privy" (*50*) "service-privy" means a fixed privy which is cleansed by hand, but does not include a movable commode ; [*Cf.* 1899 s. 3 (*42*).]

(Part I.—Chapter I.—Preliminary.—Clause 4.)

"Service-urinal." (*51*) "service-urinal" means a fixed urinal which is cleansed by hand;

"Sewage." (*52*) "sewage" means night-soil and other contents of privies, urinals, cesspools or drains; [1899, s. 3 (43).]

"Sky-sign." (*53*) "sky-sign" means any word, letter, model, sign, device or other representation, in the nature of an advertisement, announcement or direction, which is supported on or attached to any post, pole, standard, framework or other support wholly or in part upon, over or above any building or structure and which is wholly or in part visible against the sky from any point in any street or public place, and includes— [1899, s. 3 (44).]

(*a*) every part of such support, and

(*b*) any balloon, parachute or similar device employed wholly or in part for the purposes of any advertisement or announcement on, over or above any building, structure or erection of any kind, or on or over any street or public place;

but shall not be deemed to include—

(*i*) any flagstaff, pole, vane or weathercock, unless adapted or used wholly or in part for the purposes of any advertisement or announcement,

(*ii*) any sign on any board, frame or other contrivance securely fixed to or on the top of the wall or parapet of any building, on the cornice or blocking-course of any wall, or to the ridge of a roof, if such contrivance be of one continuous face and not open work and do not extend in height more than three feet above any part of such wall, parapet or ridge, or

(*iii*) any representation which relates exclusively to the business of a railway company, and which is placed wholly upon or over any railway, railway station, yard, platform or station approach, or premises belonging to a railway company and which is also so placed that it could not fall into any street or public place;

"Slaughter-house." (*54*) "slaughter-house" means any place used for the slaughter of cattle, sheep, goats, kids or pigs for the purpose of selling the flesh thereof as meat; [1899, s. 3 (45).]

"Street." (*55*) "street" means a public or private street; [1899, s. 3 (46).]

"Street alignment." (*56*) "street alignment" means the line dividing the land comprised in and forming part of a street from the adjoining land; and [*Cf.* 1899, s. 3 (47).]

"Year." (*57*) "year" means a financial year.

Power to Commissioner to decide whether area is a *bustee* or not.

4. The Commissioner may decide whether any particular area is or is not a "*bustee*" as defined in section 3, and his decision shall be final. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 4.]

PART II.

CONSTITUTION AND GOVERNMENT.

CHAPTER II.

MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES.

Enumeration of municipal authorities.

5. The municipal authorities charged with carrying out the provisions of this Act are— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 5.]

(*a*) a Corporation,

(*b*) a General Appeals Committee of the Corporation,

(*c*) a Buildings Appeals Committee, and

(*d*) a Municipal Commissioner. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 4 (*c*).]

Constitution of the Corporation.

Constitution and incorporation of the Corporation.

6. The Corporation shall consist of seventy-five Councillors to be elected or appointed as hereinafter provided, and shall, by the name of "the Corporation of Calcutta", be a body corporate and have perpetual succession and a common seal, and may by such name sue and be sued. [1899, s. 6 *Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, s 5 (*1*)]

Property vested in the Corporation.

7. All property, movable and immovable, and all interests of whatsoever nature or kind therein, vested in the Corporation of Calcutta under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, at the commencement of this Act, with all rights of whatsoever description used, enjoyed or possessed by the said Corporation, shall be deemed to be vested in the Corporation constituted under this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 7] Ben Act III of 1899

Councillors how to be elected or appointed.

8. (*1*) Of the seventy-five Councillors referred to in section 6, thirty-seven (hereinafter called Ward Councillors) shall be elected at ward elections and nine (hereinafter called Mahomedan Councillors) shall be elected at district elections, as provided in Chapter IV. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 8.]

(*2*) The remaining twenty-nine Councillors shall be appointed as follows, namely :—

(*a*) six by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce,

(*b*) five by the Calcutta Trades Association,

(*c*) two by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta,

(*d*) one by the University of Calcutta,

(*e*) two by the Marwari Association,

(*f*) one by the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, and [*Cf.* Ben Act V of 1911, s. 4 (*c*).]

(*g*) twelve by the Local Government.

(*3*) The Local Government may make rules to regulate the method of appointment of Councillors under clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) of sub-section (*2*).

Constitution of the General Appeals Committee.

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9. (*1*) The General Appeals Committee shall consist of seven Councillors to be appointed by the Corporation at their first meeting in the month of April in each year, and the term of office of the Committee so appointed shall be for one year only.

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities.—Clauses 10-13.)

(*2*) Of the seven Councillors appointed under sub-section (*1*), not more than four shall be Councillors elected under the provisions of Chapter IV.

(*3*) In case of the death, resignation, removal or disqualification of any Councillor who is a member of the said Appeals Committee, the Corporation shall forthwith appoint a Councillor to fill the vacancy, and such Councillor may continue to serve as member of the Committee until the expiration of its term of office:

Provided that no appointment shall be made under this sub-section so as to contravene the provisions of sub-section (*2*).

(*4*) The Local Government may make rules to regulate the method of appointment of members of the General Appeals Committee under this section.

Constitution of the Buildings Appeals Committee.

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10. (*1*) The Buildings Appeals Committee shall consist of three members (who need not be Councillors) to be appointed in the month of April in each year as follows:—

(*a*) one by the Corporation at their first meeting in the said month, and

(*b*) two by the Local Government.

(*2*) The term of office of the Committee so appointed shall be for one year only.

(*3*) In case of any vacancy among the members of the said Committee, such vacancy shall forthwith be filled by the appointment of a member by the Corporation or by the Local Government, as the case may be, and such member may continue to serve on the Committee until the expiration of its term of office.

Appointment of the Commissioner.

Appointment and removal of Commissioner.

11. (*1*) The Local Government shall from time to time appoint a proper person to be Municipal Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 11.]

(*2*) The Commissioner may be removed from his office by the Local Government in their discretion, and shall be removed from his office if his removal be recommended by a resolution which has been passed at a special meeting of the Corporation and in favour of which not less than two-thirds of the Councillors present at such meeting have voted.

Commissioner's salary and house-rent allowance

12. The Commissioner shall receive such consolidated salary not exceeding a maximum of rupees three thousand two hundred and fifty (including house-rent allowance) as may from time to time be fixed by the Local Government. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 12.]

Powers, Duties and Functions of the several Municipal Authorities.

Respective functions of the municipal authorities

13. (*1*) The respective functions of the several municipal authorities shall be such as are specifically prescribed by or under this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 18.]

(*2*) If any doubt arises as to the municipal authority to which any particular function pertains, the Commissioner shall refer the matter to the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities.—Clauses 14, 15.)

(3) Except as is in this Act otherwise expressly provided, the municipal government of Calcutta vests in the Corporation.

Special powers to the Corporation

14. In addition to the other powers and duties conferred or imposed on them by or under this Act or any other Act for the time being in force, the Corporation may, in their discretion, provide from time to time, either wholly or partly, for all or any of the following matters, namely :— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 14.]

(*i*) the planting and preservation of trees in streets and public places;

(*ii*) the construction, alteration, maintenance and adornment of public halls, offices and other buildings under the control of the Corporation or required for municipal purposes;

(*iii*) the laying out and maintenance of squares and gardens;

(*iv*) the playing of music in squares, gardens or other public places; [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 68 (*jj*).]

(*v*) the survey of buildings and lands, and the preparation and maintenance from time to time of survey maps and plans and of the records relating thereto;

(*vi*) the construction and maintenance of hospitals and alms-houses either in Calcutta, or (if such institutions are for the benefit of persons residing in Calcutta) without Calcutta;

(*vii*) the establishment of municipal dairy farms and milk depôts, the leasing, for the purpose of establishing private dairies whether in or without Calcutta of lands acquired by the Corporation under this Act, and the transport of milk to Calcutta from any municipal or private dairy farm or milk depôt;

(*viii*) the purchase and maintenance of stud bulls, and such other measures as may appear to the Corporation to be desirable with a view to improving the local breed of cattle;

(*ix*) the establishment of municipal, and the subsidisation by such means as may appear desirable to the Corporation, of privately-owned grazing-grounds, whether in or without Calcutta;

(*x*) vaccination;

(*xi*) the promotion of primary and technical education;

(*xii*) free libraries;

(*xiii*) with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the payment of contributions to the cost incurred on the occasion of any public ceremony or entertainment held in Calcutta;

(*xiv*) the payment of contributions to the Commissioners of any neighbouring municipality for expenditure on sanitary purposes;

(*xv*) the presentation of addresses to persons of distinction; and [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 68 (*i*).]

(*xvi*) any other matter which is likely to promote the public health, safety, or convenience or the carrying out of this Act.

Functions of the General Appeals Committee and filing of appeals.

15. *(1)* The General Appeals Committee shall hear and decide appeals in all cases in which an appeal to that Committee is expressly provided for in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder.

(*2*) Every such appeal shall be preferred by petition in writing and the orders passed by the said Committee thereupon shall be final.

(*3*) Every such petition of appeal (in which the grounds of appeal shall be set out) shall be delivered to the Secretary to the Corporation within the period prescribed therefor in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder.

Functions of the Buildings Appeals Committee.

16. (*1*) The Buildings Appeals Committee shall hear and decide appeals in all cases in which an appeal to that Committee is expressly provided for in Chapter XXII and Schedule XVI or in any rule or by-law made under this Act relating to the erection of buildings.

(*2*) The provisions of section 15, sub-section (*2*) and sub-section (*3*), shall apply to all appeals referred to in sub-section (*1*) of this section.

Functions of the Commissioner.

17. Subject, whenever it is in this Act expressly so directed, to the control or previous sanction of the Corporation and subject also to all other restrictions, limitations and conditions imposed by or under this Act, the entire executive power for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act shall vest in the Commissioner, who shall also— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 15.]

(*a*) perform all the duties and exercise all the powers specifically imposed or conferred upon him by or under this Act;

(*b*) prescribe the duties of, and exercise supervision and control over, the acts and proceedings of all municipal officers and servants, and, subject to the provisions of Chapter V, dispose of all questions relating to the service of the said officers and servants and their pay, privileges and allowances; and,

(*c*) on the occurrence or the threatened occurrence of any sudden or unforeseen emergency, take such immediate action as such emergency shall appear to him to justify or require, reporting forthwith to the Corporation, when he has done so, the action he has taken and his reasons for taking the same and the amount of cost, if any, incurred or likely to be incurred in consequence of such action, when such cost is not covered by a current budget-grant.

Power to Corporation to authorize the Commissioner to take action in anticipation of their sanction.

18. (*1*) In any case in which it is provided by or under this Act that the Commissioner may take action subject to the sanction of the Corporation, the Corporation may, by resolution in writing, authorize him to take such action in anticipation of their sanction, subject to such conditions (if any) as may be specified in such resolution. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 16.]

(*2*) Whenever the Commissioner, in pursuance of any such resolution, takes any action in anticipation of the sanction of the Corporation, he shall forthwith inform them of the fact.

Annual administration report and statement of accounts by Commissioner.

19. (*1*) The Commissioner shall, as soon as may be after each first day of April, cause to be prepared a detailed report of the municipal administration of Calcutta during the previous year, together with a statement showing the amounts of the receipts and disbursements, respectively, credited and debited to the Municipal Fund during the said year, and the balance at the credit of the said Fund at the close of the said year. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 17.]

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities.—Clause 20.)

(*2*) The Commissioner shall thereupon forward a copy of the said report and statement to each Councillor and to the Local Government.

(*3*) The Corporation shall, as soon as may be thereafter, consider the said report and statement, and a copy of the proceedings of any meeting at which the same may be discussed shall be forwarded by the Commissioner to the Local Government.

(*4*) Copies of all the aforesaid documents shall be obtainable by any person requiring the same, on payment of such reasonable fee for each copy as the Corporation may determine.

Delegation of certain of Commissioner's functions to municipal officers.

20. (*1*) The Commissioner may, by general or special order in writing, delegate to any municipal officer any of the Commissioner's powers, duties or functions under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder, except those conferred or imposed upon or vested in him by— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 18.]

(*i*) any rule of any Schedule to, or any rule or by-law made under, this Act in which it is otherwise expressly provided, or

(*ii*) the following sections, or sub-sections of this Act, namely:—

section	36,		section	419,	
„	51,	sub-section (*3*),	„	433,	sub-section (*1*),
„	79,		„	435,	sub-section (*1*),
„	92,	sub-section (*2*),	„	437,	sub-section (*7*),
„	102,		„	443,	sub-section (*2*),
„	107,		„	445,	
„	111,		„	451,	sub-section (*1*),
„	112,		„	452,	
„	113,	sub-section (*2*),	„	454,	sub-section (*2*),
„	114,		„	466,	sub-section (*1*),
„	122,		„	467,	sub-section (*1*),
„	240,		„	468,	
„	272,	sub-section (*2*),	„	501,	sub-section (*3*),
„	276,	sub-section (*2*),	„	501,	sub-section (*5*),
„	385,		„	523:	
„	387,				
„	392,				
„	401,				
„	406,				

Provided that:—

(*a*) the Commissioner shall not delegate his power under section 66, sub-section (*3*), or sub-section (*4*), to make appointments to offices carrying a salary of more than one hundred rupees *per mensem*;

(*b*) the Commissioner shall not delegate to any municipal officer his power, under section 71, to fine, reduce, suspend, remove or dismiss any employé, or his power, under section 75, to grant leave of absence and leave and other allowances to any employé, unless such employé was appointed by such officer by virtue of a delegation of the Commissioner's powers of appointment conferred by section 66;

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities—Clauses 21, 22.)

(*c*) the Commissioner shall not delegate his power, under section 88, to make on behalf of the Corporation any contract involving an expenditure exceeding one thousand rupees;

(*d*) when, by any order made under this section, any power to enter premises between sunset and sunrise is delegated to any municipal officer, the name of such officer, as well as his official designation, shall be specified in the order;

(*e*) when the Commissioner, by any order made under this section, delegates to any municipal officer any power or duty which is exercisable or is required to be performed with the sanction of the Corporation, the Commissioner shall send a copy of such order to the Corporation.

(*2*) The exercise or discharge by any municipal officer of any powers, duties or functions delegated to him under sub-section (*1*) shall be subject to such conditions and limitations (if any) as may be prescribed in the said order, and also to control and revision by the Commissioner.

Exercise of functions to be subject to sanction of the necessary expenditure

21. The exercise or performance by any municipal authority of any power conferred or duty imposed by or under this Act, which will involve expenditure, shall, except in any case specified in the proviso to section 109, be subject to the following conditions, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 19]

(*a*) such expenditure, so far as it is to be incurred in the year in which such power is exercised or duty performed, shall be provided for under a current budget-grant, and,

(*b*) if the exercise of such power or the performance of such duty involves or is likely to involve expenditure for any period or at any time after the close of the said year, liability for such expenditure shall not be incurred without the sanction of the Corporation:

Provided that clause (*b*) shall not apply where the proposed expenditure is covered by a current budget-grant and is such that it can be discontinued in the next year's budget.

Control by Local Government over Municipal Authorities.

Sanction of Local Government required to projects costing 2½ lakhs or over.

22. When any project is framed by any municipal authority for the execution of any work or series of works the entire estimated cost of which amounts to two and a half lakhs of rupees or more, then, notwithstanding that the cost may be included in a Budget Estimate as finally adopted under Chapter VIII— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 20]

(*a*) the work shall not be commenced until the project has been sanctioned by the Local Government, and,

(*b*) if any material change be made in the project after it has been so sanctioned, such change shall not be carried into effect unless and until it is sanctioned by the Local Government.

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities.—Clauses 23-25.)

Power to Local Government to require returns, etc.

23. The Local Government may require the Commissioner to furnish them with— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 21.]

(*a*) any return, statement, estimate, statistics or other information regarding any matter under the control of any municipal authority;

(*b*) a report on any such matter; or

(*c*) a copy of any document in his charge.

Power to Local Government to depute officers to make inspection or examination and report.

24. (*1*) The Local Government may depute any officer or officers to make an inspection or examination of any department, office, service, work or thing under the control of any municipal authority, and to report to them the result of such inspection or examination. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 22.]

(*2*) Any officer so deputed may, for the purpose of making such inspection or examination, inspect the condition of any part of Calcutta, and may require the Commissioner—

(*a*) to produce any record, correspondence, plan or other document which is in his possession or under his control as Commissioner, or which is recorded or filed in his office or in the office of any municipal officer or servant; or

(*b*) to furnish any return, plan, estimate, statement, account or statistics; or

(*c*) to furnish a report by himself; or

(*d*) to obtain a report from any head of a department subordinate to him and furnish the same with his own remarks thereon.

(*3*) Every requisition made under sub-section (*2*) shall be complied with by the Commissioner without delay.

Power to Local Government to require municipal authority to take action.

25. (*1*) If, on receipt of any document furnished under section 23 or any report submitted under section 24, the Local Government are of opinion that— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 23.]

(*a*) any of the duties imposed on any municipal authority by or under this Act has not been performed or has been performed in an imperfect, inefficient or unsuitable manner, or

(*b*) adequate financial provision has not been made for the performance of any such duty,

the Local Government may, by written order, direct the municipal authorities, or any of them, within a period to be specified in the order,—

(*i*) to make arrangements to their satisfaction for the proper performance of the duties referred to in clause (*a*), or to make financial provision to their satisfaction for the performance of any such duty, as the case may be, or

(*ii*) to show cause to the satisfaction of the Local Government against the making of such arrangements or provision, as the case may be.

(Part II.—Chapter II.—Municipal Authorities.—Clause 26.)

(*2*) Any municipal authority affected by an order made under sub-section (*1*) may, within thirty days from the receipt of the order, transmit through the Local Government a petition of appeal to the Government of India, praying that the order be withdrawn.

(*3*) No action directed by any such order shall be suspended in consequence of the transmission of any such petition, unless the Government of India, upon receipt of the petition, so direct.

Procedure by Local Government where municipal authority fails to take action.

26. (*1*) If, within the period fixed by any order issued under section 25, any action directed under clause (*i*) of that section has not been duly taken, or cause has not been shown as aforesaid, the Local Government may, by order,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 24.]

(*a*) appoint some person to take the action so directed,

(*b*) fix the remuneration to be paid to him, and

(*c*) direct that such remuneration and the cost of taking such action shall be defrayed out of the Municipal Fund and, if necessary, that the consolidated rate or other taxes authorized by Part IV shall be levied or increased, but not so as to exceed any *maximum* prescribed by that Part.

(*2*) The person appointed under sub-section (*1*) may, for the purpose of taking the action directed as aforesaid, exercise any of the powers conferred on any municipal authority by or under this Act, which are specified in that behalf in the order issued under sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) With the previous sanction of the Government of India, the Local Government may, in addition to or instead of directing under sub-section (*1*) the levy or increase of the consolidated rate or other taxes, direct, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, that any sum of money which may, in their opinion, be required for giving effect to any order issued under that sub-section be borrowed by way of debenture on the security of the said rate or all or any of the said taxes, or of both the said rate and all or any of the said taxes, at such rate of interest and upon such terms as to the time of repayment and otherwise as may be specified in the notification.

(*4*) The provisions of Chapter IX shall apply to any loan raised in pursuance of sub-section (*3*).

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CHAPTER III.

PROVISIONS AS TO COMMISSIONER AND DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

Appointment and salary of Deputy Commissioner.

27. *(1)* The Local Government may, if they deem it expedient so to do, appoint a proper person to be Deputy Municipal Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 26, and Bom. Act III of 1888, ss. 55 and 58.]

(2) The Deputy Commissioner shall receive such salary as may from time to time be fixed by the Local Government, not being more than fifteen hundred nor less than one thousand rupées *per mensem*.

Prohibition of having share or interest in contract or employment with Corporation.

28. *(1)* No person shall be eligible for the office of Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner if he has, directly or indirectly, by himself or his partner or employer or employé, any share or pecuniary interest in any contract or employment with, by, or on behalf of, the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 27.]

(2) If the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner acquires, directly or indirectly as aforesaid, any share or interest as aforesaid, otherwise than as Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be, he shall cease to be Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be, and his office shall become vacant.

(3) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to any such share or interest as, under clause (*ii*) or clause (*iv*) of section 59, it is permissible for a Councillor to have without being thereby disqualified for being a Councillor.

Indebtedness to disqualify for office.

29. *(1)* No person shall be eligible for the office of Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner if he is seriously indebted to any person. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 28.]

(2) If any person holding any of the said offices becomes so indebted, the Local Government shall declare his office to be vacant.

Contribution in respect of pension or leave-allowances of Government servant appointed to be Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, and pension for person other than a Government servant so appointed.

30. *(1)* When a servant of the Government is appointed to be Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, the Corporation shall pay, in addition to his salary, any contribution which may, for the time being be levied by the Government in respect of his pension or leave-allowances. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 29 and 30 and Ben. Act III of 1890, s. 18A.]

(2) When the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner is not a servant of the Government, the Corporation may, with the sanction of the Local Government, grant him a pension or gratuity on retirement, or grant a compassionate allowance to his family on his death :

Provided as follows :—

(*a*) the amount of any pension, gratuity or compassionate allowance shall in no case, without the special sanction of the Government of India, exceed what would be admissible in the case of Government servants of similar standing and status, and

(*b*) the conditions under which the pension, gratuity or compassionate allowance is granted shall not, without similar sanction, be more favourable than those for the time being prescribed for such Government servants.

(Part II.—Chapter III.—Provisions as to Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner.—Clauses 31-35.)

Prohibition of engaging in other business with certain exceptions.

31. (*1*) The Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner shall devote their whole time to the duties of their respective offices, and shall not hold any other office or engage in any other profession, trade or business whatsoever: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 31.]

Provided that—

(*a*) any civil or military officer in the service of the Government may hold the office of Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner so long as he fills no office other than one of those specified in clause (*b*);

(*b*) the Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner may—

(*i*) hold the office of a Commissioner under the Calcutta Port Act, 1890; Ben. Act III of 1890.

(*ii*) be an additional Member of the Council of the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal for making Laws and Regulations; or,

(*iii*) with the sanction of the Corporation, hold the office of Chairman to any public institution or any other honorary office.

(*2*) The provisions of sub-section (*1*) shall not apply in the case of any office which the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner is required or permitted to hold, *ex officio*, under the provisions of any other enactment for the time being in force.

Place of residence.

32. The Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner shall reside in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 32.]

Daily attendance at Municipal Office.

33. The Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner shall, except upon such holidays as are allowed by the Government, and unless prevented by sickness or other reasonable cause, attend daily at the Municipal Office for the transaction of business under this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 33.]

Functions and position of Deputy Commissioner.

34. (*1*) The Deputy Commissioner shall be subordinate to the Commissioner, and, subject to his general direction and control, shall have the same authority as the Commissioner, and shall exercise such of the powers and perform such of the duties of the Commissioner as the Commissioner may from time to time delegate to him. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 34.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall inform the Corporation of the powers and duties which he from time to time delegates to the Deputy Commissioner.

(*3*) The Deputy Commissioner shall be subject to the same liabilities, restrictions and conditions as the Commissioner.

(*4*) All acts and things performed and done by the Deputy Commissioner during his tenure of his office and in virtue thereof shall for all purposes be deemed to have been performed and done by the Commissioner.

Leave of absence to Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner.

35. (*1*) With the sanction of the Local Government, the Corporation may grant to the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner such leave of absence as they think fit. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 35.]

(Part II.—Chapter III.—Provisions as to Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner.—Clause 36.)

(*2*) The allowance to be paid to the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner while absent on leave shall be of such amount, not exceeding the amount of his salary, as may be fixed by the Local Government:

Provided that, if the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner is a Government officer, the amount of such allowance shall be—

(*a*) regulated by the rules for the time being in force relating to the leave-allowances of officers of his class, and

(*b*) paid by the Local Government or by the Corporation, or partly by the Local Government and partly by the Corporation, as the case may be, in accordance with the provisions of such rules.

(*3*) Whenever leave of absence is granted to the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, the Local Government may appoint a person to act as Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be.

(*4*) The salary of any person acting as Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner under this section shall be fixed by the Local Government, subject to the provisions of section 12 or section 27, as the case may be.

(*5*) Any person appointed to act as Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner shall exercise the powers and perform the duties conferred or imposed by or under this Act or any other enactment for the time being in force on the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be, and shall be subject to the same liabilities, restrictions and conditions as the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner, as the case may be.

Power to Commissioner to attend meetings.

36. The Commissioner shall have the same right of being present at any meeting of the Corporation, or of any Appeals Committee, or of any Standing or Special Committee, and of taking part in the discussions thereat as if he were a Councillor or a member of such Committee,

[*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 36 (*i*), and 1899, s. 80.]

and, with the consent of a majority of the Councillors or members present at such meeting, ascertained by a show of hands without discussion, may at any time make a statement or explanation of facts, but he shall not vote upon, or make, any proposition at such meeting.

(Part II.)

CHAPTER IV.

ELECTION AND APPOINTMENT OF COUNCILLORS.

Preparation and Publication of Election-rolls.

Ward and Mahomedan election rolls.

37. An election roll (hereinafter in this Part and in Schedules V and VI called the ward election roll) for the election of Ward Councillors and an election roll (hereinafter in this Part and in the said Schedules called the Mahomedan election roll) for the election of Mahomedan Councillors shall be prepared and published in the manner prescribed in the rules contained in Schedule V. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 86.]

Election of Ward Councillors.

Qualifications of voters at ward elections.

38. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of any other law on the subject for the time being in force and subject to the provisions of sub-section (*2*), every person who is not a Mahomedan, and who is of the male sex, and has attained the age of twenty-one years, and resides or pays the consolidated rate or other taxes under this Act in Calcutta, shall be entitled to be enrolled in the ward election roll as a ward-voter, if such person— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 87; see Ben. Act I of 1899, s. 3 (32).]

(*i*) has his name entered in the assessment-book, as showing that he is—

(*a*) the owner and occupier of some land or building (other than a hut in a *bustee*) in Calcutta, separately numbered and valued for assessment purposes at not less than one hundred and fifty rupees *per annum*; or

(*b*) the owner of some land or building (other than a hut in a *bustee*) in Calcutta, separately numbered and valued for assessment purposes at not less than three hundred rupees *per annum*; or

(*c*) the occupier of some land or building (other than a hut in a *bustee*) in Calcutta, separately numbered and valued for assessment purposes at not less than three hundred rupees *per annum*; or

(*d*) the owner of a hut in a *bustee* in Calcutta valued for assessment purposes at not less than two hundred rupees *per annum*; or

(*ii*) has taken out a license under Class I, Class II, Class III or Class IV of Schedule II for the year in which the election is held; or

(*iii*) has paid on his sole account and in his own name not less than twenty-four rupees, either in respect of the consolidated rate levied under Chapter XI, or in respect of taxes levied under Chapter XII or Chapter XIII, or in respect of both such rate and taxes, for the year in which the election is held:

Provided that, if such payment or any portion thereof has been made in respect of the consolidated rate, the name of such person shall be entered in the assessment-book in respect of such payment or portion thereof.

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clauses 39-42.)

(*2*) No person shall be enrolled as a ward-voter in the election roll of more than one ward, nor shall more than one entry be made in the election roll of a ward in respect of any person notwithstanding the number of qualifications he may possess.

(*3*) No company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals shall be entitled to be enrolled in its own name in the ward election roll, but any such association shall, subject to the provisions of Schedule V, be entitled to be represented on the ward election roll as a ward-voter, if it pays the consolidated rate or other taxes leviable under this Act in Calcutta and has complied with the provisions prescribed by clause (*i*), (*ii*) or (*iii*) of sub-section (*1*).

(*4*) No person shall be entitled to vote at a ward election for any ward, in the election roll of which his name has not been entered as a ward-voter.

(*5*) The number of votes which a ward-voter shall be entitled to give at a ward election shall be equal to the number of Councillors to be elected for that ward, but no voter shall give more than one vote to a candidate.

Enrolment of ward-voters.

39. A ward-voter, who possesses the necessary qualifications mentioned in sub-section (*1*) of section 38 in respect of more than one ward, may elect, in the manner provided by Schedule V, from among those wards, the ward in which he shall be enrolled:

Provided that if such ward-voter possesses the qualifications mentioned in sub-clauses (*i*) (*a*), (*i*) (*d*), (*ii*), or (*iii*) of section 38 he may elect to be enrolled either in the ward in which he resides, or in a ward in which he pays the rates or taxes mentioned in those sub-clauses:

Provided also that a ward-voter qualified under sub-clause (*i*) (*b*) or sub-clause (*i*) (*c*) of section 38 shall not be enrolled in the election roll of a ward other than that in which the land or building in respect of which he possesses such qualification is situated.

Commissioner to determine ward in certain cases.

40. If a ward-voter entitled to make election under section 39 fails to make such election before the date specified in this behalf in Schedule V, the Commissioner shall determine the ward in which such ward-voter shall be enrolled and his name shall be enrolled accordingly.

Name of ward-voter not to be transferred from one election roll to another.

41. The name of a ward-voter shall not be transferred from the election roll of one ward to another, except at the time of revision of the election roll in accordance with the provisions of Schedule V.

Qualification for election as a Ward Councillor.

42. No person shall be qualified to be elected to be a Ward Councillor unless he is enrolled in the ward election roll as a ward-voter: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 38.]

Provided that, if any company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals is represented on the said roll as a ward-voter, the person with regard to whom an entry has been made

in that roll, under Schedule V, to the effect that he is duly authorized to represent, and vote on behalf of, such association shall, subject to the provisions of this Chapter, be deemed to be qualified to be elected a Ward Councillor.

Wards for purposes of election.

43. For the purposes of the election of Ward Councillors, Calcutta shall be divided into twenty-five wards, the respective numbers, names and boundaries of which are specified in Schedule III. [*Cf.* 1899, s 42.]

Electors to elect number of Councillors specified for ward

44. The electors of each of the twenty-five wards may elect the number of Councillors specified with regard to such ward in column 7 of Schedule III.

Election of Mahomedan Councillors.

Division of Calcutta into districts for purposes of Mahomedan electorate.

45. For the purposes of the election of Mahomedan Councillors, Calcutta shall be divided into four districts, the respective numbers, composition and boundaries of which are specified in Schedule IV.

Electors to elect number of Councillors specified for district

46. The electors of each of the four districts (hereinafter in this Part and in Schedule V called district-voters) may elect the number of Mahomedan Councillors specified with regard to such districts in column 7 of Schedule IV.

Power to modify boundaries of districts and of number of candidates representing such districts.

47. The Local Government may, on the recommendation of the Corporation, at any time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, modify the boundaries of, or the number of Councillors to be elected to represent, any district specified in Schedule IV, but not so as to vary the total number of Mahomedan Councillors prescribed by section 8, sub-section (*1*).

Qualifications and enrolment of Mahomedan electors.

48. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of any other law on the subject for the time being in force, every Mahomedan who is of the male sex and has attained the age of twenty-one years and resides or pays the consolidated rate or other taxes under this Act in Calcutta, and who possesses one or more of the qualifications mentioned in clause (*i*), (*ii*) or (*iii*) of section 38, shall be entitled to be enrolled in the district election roll and shall be a district-voter :

Provided that no district-voter shall be enrolled in the election roll of more than one district.

(*2*) No district-voter shall be entitled to vote at a district election for any district in the election roll of which his name has not been entered.

(*3*) The number of votes which a district-voter shall be entitled to give at a district election shall be equal to the number of Councillors to be elected for that district, but no voter may give more than one vote to a candidate.

(*4*) The provisions of section 42 shall, with all necessary modifications, apply to the election of Mahomedan Councillors.

In what district voter shall be enrolled.

49. The district, in the election roll of which the name of a district-voter shall be entered, shall be determined in manner similar to that provided by sections 39, 40 and 41 for the preparation of the election roll of ward-voters.

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clauses 50-55)

General provisions as to elections.

Government or Corporation not to vote.

50. At any election under this Chapter, no vote shall be given either by the Government or by the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 52.]

Date of elections.

51. (*1*) General elections of Ward Councillors and of Mahomedan Councillors shall be fixed by the Local Government to take place triennially on such days in the month of March as they may think fit. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 53.]

(*2*) Such elections shall be so fixed that all elections of Ward Councillors shall take place simultaneously in all the wards, and all elections of Mahomedan Councillors shall take place simultaneously in all the districts.

(*3*) Elections to fill casual vacancies shall be fixed by the Commissioner to take place as soon as conveniently may be after the occurrence of the vacancies.

Conduct of elections.

52. Elections shall be conducted in the manner prescribed in the rules contained in Schedule VI. [1899, s. 54.]

Publication of list of duly returned candidates.

53. A list of duly returned candidates for the several wards and districts shall be published by the Commissioner in the *Calcutta Gazette*. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 55.]

Hearing of election petitions by Judge of High Court.

54. (*1*) If there is any dispute as to whether any person whose name is entered in the list published under section 53 is qualified to be elected a Councillor, or if the validity of any election is questioned, whether by reason of the improper rejection by the Commissioner of a nomination or of the improper reception or refusal of a vote, or for any other cause, any person enrolled in the ward election roll or the Mahomedan election roll, as the case may be, may, at any time within eight days after the publication of the said list, apply to a Judge of the High Court exercising original jurisdiction, and the said Judge, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he deems necessary, shall determine whether or not such Councillor is qualified for election, or whether such Councillor has been duly elected, as the case may be, and shall pass such order as he may deem necessary, and his decision shall be final: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 56.]

Provided that no election shall be called in question on the ground that—

(*a*) the name of any person qualified to vote has been omitted from the election roll, or

(*b*) the name of any person not qualified to vote has been inserted in the election roll, or

(*c*) any direction given in Schedule V or Schedule VI has not been obeyed.

(*2*) If the Judge sets aside an election or declares an election to be null and void, a fresh election shall be held.

(*3*) Every election not called in question under this section shall be deemed to have been to all intents a good and valid election.

Bribery.

55. (*1*) No person, whether qualified to vote or claiming to be qualified to vote at an election under this Act, shall accept or obtain, or agree to accept, or attempt to obtain, for himself or for any other person, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 57.]

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clauses 56-58.)

any gratification whatever as a motive or reward for giving or forbearing to give his vote at any such election.

(*2*) No person shall, by any gift or reward, or by any promise or agreement or security for any gift or reward, corrupt or procure, or offer to corrupt or procure, any person to give or forbear to give his vote at any such election.

(*3*) If any person is convicted of an offence against sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*), he shall, for seven years from the date of his conviction, be disqualified from voting at any election under this Act and from being elected or appointed a Councillor.

Appointment of Councillors.

Appointments by Bengal Chamber of Commerce and other bodies.

56. (*1*) Appointments of Councillors by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, the Calcutta Trades Association, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the Calcutta University, the Marwari Association and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, respectively, shall be made by the members for the time being of such Chambers or Associations or the said Port Commissioners or the Fellows of the Calcutta University, as the case may be, in such manner as may be prescribed by rules made under section 8, sub-section (*3*). [1899 s. 58.]

(*2*) The Secretary to the said Chambers, Associations or Port Commissioners, and the Registrar of the Calcutta University, respectively, shall make a return in duplicate to the Commissioner setting forth the name in full of every person so appointed, and the said return shall be published by the Commissioner in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Appointments by Local Government to make up the prescribed number

57. If there is not a sufficient number of valid nominations for an election in any ward or district, or if the electors of any ward or district do not elect the prescribed number of Councillors, the Local Government shall appoint as many Councillors as may be necessary to make up the prescribed number. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 59 (*1*).]

Appointments of Councillors when to be made.

58. (*1*) All appointments of Councillors whether made— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 59 (*2*).]

(*a*) by the Local Government under section 8, sub-section (*2*) or under section 57, or

(*b*) by any association or other body under section 56, sub-section (*1*),

shall be made as soon as may be after the publication of the list of candidates returned at the general election, and such appointments shall take effect from the date from which the general election takes effect.

(*2*) Every appointment made under clause (*a*) shall be made by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clauses 59, 60.)

General provisions as to Disqualifications for being a Councillor.

Disqualifications for being a Councillor.

59. (*1*) No person shall be elected or appointed as, or continue to be, a Councillor if such person— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 39.]

(*a*) is of the female sex or is under twenty-one years of age; or

(*b*) has been sentenced by any Court to transportation, imprisonment or whipping for any non-bailable offence, such sentence not having been subsequently set aside and such person's disqualification on account of such sentence not having been removed by an order which the Local Government are hereby empowered to make, if they think fit, in this behalf; or

(*c*) is an uncertificated bankrupt or an undischarged insolvent; or

(*d*) is the Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner, or a municipal officer or servant, or a plumber or building surveyor licensed under this Act; or

(*e*) is a Judge of a Court of Small Causes, or a Municipal Magistrate, or is acting in either of those capacities; or

(*f*) has, directly or indirectly, by himself or by his partner or employer or any employé, any share or interest in any contract or employment with, by, or on behalf of, the Corporation.

(*2*) Notwithstanding anything contained in clause (*f*) of sub-section (*1*), no person shall be deemed to be disqualified thereunder by reason only of his having a share or interest in—

(*i*) any lease, sale or purchase of land or any agreement for the same; or

(*ii*) any agreement for the loan of money or any security for the payment of money only; or

(*iii*) any newspaper in which any advertisement relating to the affairs of the Corporation is inserted; or

(*iv*) any incorporated company which contracts with or is employed by the Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation:

Provided that no Councillor who has, directly or indirectly, by himself or by his partner or employer or any employé, a share or interest in any matter or thing described in this sub-section, or who has acted professionally on behalf of any person having such share or interest, shall vote or take any part in any proceeding relating to that matter or thing.

Persons becoming disqualified to cease to be Councillors.

60. Any Councillor who— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 40.]

(*a*) becomes disqualified for being a Councillor for any reason mentioned in section 59, or

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clauses 61-63.)

(*b*) absents himself during six successive months from the meetings of the Corporation, except from temporary illness or other cause to be approved by the Corporation, or

(*c*) is retained in any professional capacity as a barrister, attorney, *vakil*, pleader or *mukhtear* in connection with any case to which the Corporation is a party,

shall cease to be a Councillor and his office shall thereupon become vacant.

Decision by Chief Judge of Small Cause Court of questions regarding disqualification.

61. Whenever it is alleged that any Councillor has become disqualified for office for any reason aforesaid and such Councillor does not admit the allegation, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 41.]

or whenever any Councillor is himself in doubt whether or not he has become disqualified for office,

such Councillor or any other Councillor may, and the Commissioner, at the request of the Corporation, shall, refer the question to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta;

and the said Judge, after making such inquiry and taking such evidence as he deems necessary, shall determine whether or not such Councillor has become disqualified for being a Councillor, and his decision shall be final.

Term of office of Councillors, removals and filling of Casual Vacancies.

Term of office of Councillors.

62. (*1*) Every Councillor elected or appointed in pursuance of the proviso to section 1, sub-section (*3*), [*Cf.* 1899, s. 60.]

and every Councillor elected or appointed after the commencement of this Act,

shall, subject to the provisions of section 64, be elected or appointed, as the case may be, for a term of three years:

Provided that, if any election or appointment after the first be not made in due time, any Councillor who would otherwise have vacated his office shall continue in office until such election or appointment be duly made.

(*2*) At the expiration of the term or extended term mentioned in sub-section (*1*), a Councillor shall cease to hold office as such, but shall, unless disqualified, be eligible for re-election or re-appointment.

Removal of Councillor.

63. The Local Government may, if they think fit, on the recommendation of the Corporation, made after due inquiry in which the Councillor concerned shall have the right to be heard, remove any Councillor elected or appointed under this Act, if such Councillor has been guilty of misconduct in the discharge of his duties or of any disgraceful conduct. [*Cf.* 1899 s. 61.]

(Part II.—Chapter IV.—Election and Appointment of Councillors.—Clause 64.)

Filling of casual vacancies.

64. In case of the death, resignation, removal or disqualification of any Councillor, a person shall forthwith be elected or appointed in his stead in the manner hereinbefore provided, and such person shall, subject to the proviso to section 62, sub-section (*I*), remain a Councillor for the residue of the term of office of the Councillor in whose stead he was elected or appointed. [*Cf.* 1899, s 62.]

(*Part II.*)

CHAPTER V.

MUNICIPAL OFFICERS AND SERVANTS.

Appointment and salary of principal officers.

65. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 63.]

(*a*) appoint proper persons, for such periods respectively as they may think fit, to hold the respective offices of Chief Engineer, Health Officer, Solicitor, Secretary, Assessor, Collector, City Architect, Chief Accountant, Surveyor and License Officer, or to hold any office carrying a salary of more than five hundred rupees *per mensem* which the Corporation may from time to time create for the purposes of this Act, and

(*b*) fix the monthly salary to be paid to persons so appointed :

Provided as follows :—

*(*i*) every appointment to the office of Chief Engineer or Health Officer shall be subject to the approval of the Local Government ; and

(*ii*) the salary of the Secretary shall not exceed one thousand rupees *per mensem*.

(*2*) Any two or more of the offices mentioned or referred to in sub-section (*1*) may be held by one person.

Appointment and salary of other officers and servants

66. (*1*) The Commissioner shall annually prepare and bring before the Corporation a statement setting forth the designations and grades of the officers and servants (other than those mentioned or referred to in section 65 and other than employés who are paid by the day or whose pay is charged to temporary work) who should, in his opinion, be maintained, and the amount and nature of the salaries, fees and allowances which he proposes should be paid to each. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 65.]

(*2*) The Corporation shall sanction such statement either as it stands or subject to such modifications as they may deem expedient, and provision for the same shall be entered in the Budget Estimate.

(*3*) All appointments to offices specified in such statement as finally sanctioned shall be made by the Commissioner.

(*4*) The Commissioner may also make such temporary appointments of officers or servants as he thinks fit, subject to the following conditions, namely :—

(*a*) the monthly salary attaching to any such temporary appointment shall not, without the sanction of the Corporation, exceed two hundred rupees, and

(*b*) no such appointment shall, without the sanction of the Corporation, continue for more than six months in any one year.

(Part II.—Chapter V.—Municipal Officers and Servants.—Clauses 67-73.)

Prohibition of having share or interest in contract or employment with Corporation

67. (*1*) No person shall be eligible for employment as a municipal officer or servant if he has, directly or indirectly, by himself or his partner or employer or employé, any share or interest in any contract or employment with, by, or on behalf of, the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 66.]

(*2*) If any municipal officer or servant acquires, directly or indirectly as aforesaid, any share or interest as aforesaid, otherwise than as such officer or servant, he shall cease to be a municipal officer or servant and his office shall become vacant.

(*3*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to any such share or interest as, under clause (*ii*) or clause (*iv*) of section 59, it is permissible for a Councillor to have without being thereby disqualified for being a Councillor.

Indebtedness to disqualify for office under section 65.

68. (*1*) No person shall be eligible for any office mentioned or referred to in section 65 if he is seriously indebted to any person. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 67.]

(*2*) If any person holding any of the said offices becomes so indebted, the Corporation may declare his office to be vacant.

Rules as to qualifications.

69. (*1*) The Corporation may make rules prescribing the qualifications of candidates for employment in the Health, Building and Engineering Departments, respectively, of the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 68.]

(*2*) It shall be the duty of the Commissioner to see that all such rules are duly enforced.

Contribution in respect of pension or leave-allowances of Government servants appointed to be municipal officers or servants.

70. When a servant of the Government is appointed to be a municipal officer or servant, the Corporation shall pay, in addition to his salary, any contribution which may for the time being be levied by the Government in respect of his pension or leave-allowances. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 69.]

Punishment of officers and servants.

71. Every municipal officer or servant shall be liable to fine, reduction, suspension, removal or dismissal by the authority by whom he was appointed: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 70.]

Provided that any action taken by the Corporation under this section in respect of the Chief Engineer or the Health Officer, or any action so taken with a view to the termination of the appointment of either of these officers, shall be subject to the approval of the Local Government:

Provided also that any other municipal officer or servant in receipt of a salary of more than three hundred rupees *per mensem* who is dismissed by the Commissioner may appeal to the General Appeals Committee. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 83 (*a*).]

Chief Engineer and Health Officer to be whole-time officers.

72. The Chief Engineer and the Health Officer shall devote their whole time to the duties of their respective offices. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 71.]

Certain officers to reside in Calcutta.

73. The Chief Engineer, Health Officer, Solicitor, Secretary, Assessor, Collector, City Architect, Chief Accountant, Surveyor and License Officer shall reside in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 72.]

(Part II.—Chapter V.—Municipal Officers and Servants.—Clauses 74-76.)

Power to Corporation to make rules as to furnishing security and grant of leave of absence, and leave and other allowances

74. The Corporation, by a resolution in favour of which not less than two-thirds of the Councillors voting have voted, may make rules— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 73]

(*a*) fixing the amount and nature of the security to be furnished by any municipal officer or servant from whom it may be deemed expedient to require security;

(*b*) for regulating the grant of leave of absence, leave-allowances, acting-allowances, deputation-allowances, pensions and gratuities to municipal officers and servants;

(*c*) for regulating the grant of compassionate allowances and gratuities to members of the families of deceased municipal officers and servants; and

(*d*) for establishing and maintaining a provident or annuity fund, and for compelling all or any of the municipal officers or servants (other than any servant of the Government in respect of whom a contribution is made under section 70) to contribute to such fund:

Provided that no pension, gratuity or compassionate allowance referred to in clauses (*b*) and (*c*) shall, save with the special sanction of the Government of India, exceed the sum to which under any general or special orders of the Government of India for the time being in force such officer or servant or his family would be entitled if the service had been service under Government.

Grant of leave of absence, and leave and other allowances, and appointment and payment of substitutes.

75. Subject to the rules for the time being in force under section 74, the authority by whom any municipal officer or servant was appointed may grant him such leave of absence and such leave-allowance, or acting or deputation-allowance, as it thinks fit, and may appoint a person to act for him during such absence and grant an acting-allowance to such person: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 74.]

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) every appointment to act as Chief Engineer or Health Officer and the acting-allowance granted to any person so appointed, shall be subject to the approval of the Local Government;

(*b*) if, in any special case, a departure from the aforesaid rules relating to leave-allowances or acting or deputation-allowances seems requisite, a special allowance may be granted subject to the sanction of the Local Government by a resolution of the Corporation in favour of which not less than two-thirds of the Councillors voting have voted.

Powers of acting officer or servant

76. Any person appointed under section 75 to act for any municipal officer or servant shall, while so acting, have all the powers and be liable to all the restrictions, limitations and provisions which such officer or servant would have, or be liable to, under this Act. [1899, s. 75.]

(Part II.—Chapter V.—Municipal Officers and Servants.—Clause 77.)

Grant of pensions, gratuities, and compassionate allowances.

77. (*1*) The Corporation may, in accordance with the rules made under section 74, grant— [*Cf.* 1899, s 76.]

(*a*) pensions and gratuities to municipal officers and servants, and

(*b*) compassionate allowances and gratuities to members of the families of deceased municipal officers and servants,

and may also make contributions to a Provident Fund in accordance with the said rules.

(*2*) For the purposes of this Chapter the family of a municipal officer or servant shall be deemed to include his wife, his legitimate children, his father or mother, dependent upon him for support. [*Cf.* Civil Service Regulations, Art 740.]

(Part II.)

CHAPTER VI.

CONDUCT OF BUSINESS.

Transaction of Business by the Corporation.

Meetings.

78. (*1*) The Corporation shall meet not less than once a month for the transaction of business. [*Cf.* 1899 s. 77.]

(*2*) The President appointed under section 80 may, whenever he thinks fit, and shall, upon a requisition made in writing by any seven Councillors, call a meeting of the Corporation.

First meeting after general election

79. The first meeting of the Corporation after a general election of Councillors shall be held as early as conveniently may be in the month of April next following such election and shall be convened by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 36 (*b*)]

Annual appointment of President and Vice-President

80. (*1*) The Corporation shall, at their first meeting in each year, appoint one of their number to be President of their meetings until the first meeting in the next following year. [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 37]

(*2*) At the same meeting the Corporation shall appoint one of their number to be Vice-President for the same period, to perform all the functions of the President during his absence.

(*3*) If any vacancy occurs in the office of President or Vice-President, the Corporation shall choose one of their number to fill such vacancy, and the President or Vice-President so appointed shall continue in office so long only as the person in whose place he is appointed would have been entitled to continue in office.

Notice of meetings and business.

81. A list of the business to be transacted at every meeting shall be sent to the address of each Councillor resident in Calcutta, so that it may be in his hands not less than forty-eight hours before the time fixed for such meeting; and no business shall be brought before, or transacted at, any meeting other than the business of which notice has been so given: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 78.]

Provided that any Councillor may submit to a meeting any resolution going beyond the matters mentioned in the notice given of such meeting, if he has given not less than forty-eight hours' previous notice of his intention so to do, by leaving a copy of such resolution at the Municipal Office.

Vote of majority decisive.

82. All acts authorized or required to be done by the Corporation, and all questions which may come before the Corporation for decision, shall, save as is in this Act otherwise provided, be respectively done and decided by a majority of the Councillors voting at the meeting before which the matter is brought. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 79]

President at meeting

83. (*1*) The President or, in his absence, the Vice-President appointed under section 80 shall preside at every meeting of the Corporation, and shall have a second or casting vote in all cases of equality of votes. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 81]

(*2*) In the absence of the said President and Vice-President, the Councillors present at any meeting shall choose one of their number to preside, who shall, in case of equality of votes have a second or casting vote.

(Part II.—Chapter VI.—Conduct of Business.—Clauses 84-88.)

(3) The President of any meeting at which a quorum of the Councillors is present may, with the consent of a majority of the Councillors present, adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place.

Quorum.

84. No business shall be transacted at any meeting unless a quorum of eighteen Councillors be present throughout the meeting: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 82.]

Provided that, if at any meeting there is not a sufficient number of Councillors present to form a quorum, the President of such meeting shall adjourn the meeting to such convenient time and place as he thinks fit; and the business which should have been brought before the original meeting, if there had been a quorum present, shall be brought forward and disposed of in the usual manner at the adjourned meeting, at which a quorum of ten Councillors shall suffice.

Declaration by President that a resolution has been carried or lost.

85. At any meeting, unless a poll be demanded by at least five Councillors, a declaration by the President of such meeting that a resolution has been carried or lost, and an entry to that effect in the minutes of proceedings shall, for the purposes of this Act, be sufficient evidence of the fact, without proof of the number or proportion of the votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 83.]

Poll and ballot

86. If a poll be demanded under section 85, the votes of all the Councillors present who desire to vote shall be taken under the direction of the President of the meeting, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Corporation at such meeting: [*Cf* 1899, s. 84.]

Provided that the Corporation may, subject to such rules as may be framed by them under section 87, resolve that any question or class of questions shall be decided by ballot.

Power to Corporation to make rules

87. The Corporation may make rules for the conduct of business at their meetings. [1899, s 85.]

Contracts and Seal of Corporation.

Execution of contracts by Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation.

88. (1) The Corporation may enter into and perform all such contracts as they may consider necessary or expedient for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 86.]

(2) With respect to the making of such contracts the following provisions shall have effect, namely:—

(*a*) every such contract shall be made on behalf of the Corporation by the Commissioner;

(*b*) every such contract for any purpose which, under this Act, the Commissioner may not carry out without the sanction of the Corporation, shall be made by him subject to such sanction being first duly given;

(*c*) no contract involving an expenditure exceeding five thousand rupees and not exceeding two and a half lakhs of rupees shall be made by the Commissioner unless the same is previously sanctioned by the Corporation;

(Part II.—Chapter VI.—Conduct of Business.—Clauses 89, 90.)

(*d*) no contract involving an expenditure exceeding two and a half lakhs of rupees shall be made by the Commissioner unless the same is previously sanctioned by the Corporation and the Local Government.

(*3*) The foregoing provisions of this section shall apply to every variation or discharge of a contract as well as to an original contract.

Further provisions as to execution of contracts, and provisions as to seal of Corporation

89. (*1*) Every contract made by the Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation shall be entered into in such manner and form as would bind the Commissioner if such contract were made on his own behalf, except that the common seal of the Corporation shall be used (where necessary); and every such contract may in the like manner and form be varied or discharged. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 87.]

(*2*) Every contract for the execution of any work or the supply of any materials or goods which will involve an expenditure exceeding one thousand rupees shall be in writing, shall be sealed, and shall specify—

(*a*) the work to be done or the materials or goods to be supplied, as the case may be,

(*b*) the price to be paid for such work, materials or goods, and,

(*c*) in the case of a contract for work, the time or times within which the work or specified portions thereof shall be completed.

(*3*) The common seal of the Corporation shall remain in the custody of the Secretary to the Corporation, and shall not be affixed to any contract or other instrument except in the presence of a Councillor, who shall attach his signature to the contract or instrument in token that the same was sealed in his presence.

(*4*) The signature of the said Councillor shall be distinct from the signature of any witness to the execution of such contract or instrument.

(*5*) A contract not executed as provided in this section shall not be binding on the Corporation.

Tenders.

90. (*1*) Not less than seven days before the Commissioner enters into any contract for the execution of any work or the supply of any materials or goods which will involve an expenditure exceeding one thousand rupees, he shall give notice by advertisement in local newspapers inviting tenders for such contract. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 88.]

(*2*) In every case in which the acceptance of a tender would involve an expenditure exceeding five thousand rupees, the Commissioner shall place before the Corporation the specifications, conditions and estimates, and all the tenders received, specifying the particular tender (if any) which he recommends for acceptance.

(*3*) In every case in which the acceptance of a tender would involve an expenditure exceeding two and a half lakhs of rupees, the Corporation shall submit to the Local Government the specifications, conditions and estimates, and all the tenders received, specifying the particular tender (if any) which they recommend for acceptance.

(4) The Commissioner, the Corporation, or the Local Government, as the case may be, may reject all or any of the tenders made under the provisions of this section.

(5) Notwithstanding anything contained in this section, the Corporation may authorize the Commissioner, for reasons which shall be recorded in their proceedings, to enter into a contract without inviting tenders or without the acceptance of any tender which may have been received. [*cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s 72 (3).]

Security for performance of contract.

91. The Commissioner shall take sufficient security for the due performance of every contract into which he enters after a tender has been accepted and may, in his discretion, take security for the due performance of any other contract into which he enters under this Act. [*cf.* 1899, s 89.]

Transaction of Business by the General Appeals Committee.

Meetings.

92. (*1*) The General Appeals Committee shall meet not less than once a month for the transaction of business.

(*2*) The first meeting of the said Committee shall be held in the month of April in each year, as soon as conveniently may be after the appointment of their members under section 9, and shall be convened by the Commissioner.

Quorum.

93. No business shall be transacted at any meeting of the General Appeals Committee unless at least three members are present throughout the meeting.

Appointment of Chairman.

94. (*1*) The General Appeals Committee shall, at their first meeting in each year, appoint one of their number to be Chairman of the Committee and to preside at their meetings.

(*2*) If, at any meeting, the Chairman appointed under sub-section (*1*) is not present at the time appointed for holding the meeting, the members present shall (if they form a quorum) appoint one of their own number to preside over such meeting.

Vote of majority decisive.

95. Every question which may come before a meeting of the General Appeals Committee shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present and voting on that question; but, when there is an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote.

Rules.

96. The General Appeals Committee may make rules to regulate the conduct of business at their meetings.

Transaction of Business by the Buildings Appeals Committee.

Meetings, appointment of Chairman, etc.

97. (*1*) The Buildings Appeals Committee shall meet not less than once a month for the transaction of business, but no business shall be transacted at any meeting of the Committee unless at least two of the members thereof are present throughout the meeting.

(Part II.—Chapter VI.—Conduct of Business.—Clause 98.)

(*2*) The first meeting of the said Committee shall be held in the month of April in each year, as soon as conveniently may be after the appointment of their members under section 10, and shall be convened by the Commissioner.

(*3*) The Local Government shall appoint one of the members of the said Committee to be Chairman thereof and to preside at their meetings.

(*4*) The provisions of section 95 and section 96 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to the Buildings Appeals Committee, except that when only two members of the Committee are present at a meeting thereof and disagree on any question such question shall be referred to all three members of the Committee.

(*5*) Each member of the said Committee shall be entitled to receive such remuneration, by way of fees, as the Local Government may prescribe.

Standing Committees.

Standing Committees.

98. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time appoint Standing Committees and, by specific resolution, delegate any of their powers or duties to such Committees, and may also from time to time, by like resolution, refer to them for inquiry and report, or for opinion, such subjects relating to the functions, powers or duties of the Corporation as the Corporation may think fit. [*Cf* 1899, s. 95.]

(*2*) A Standing Committee shall not consist of more than ten Councillors, and no Councillor shall, at the same time, be a member of more than two Standing Committees.

(*3*) The Local Government may make rules declaring what proportion of—

(*i*) Ward Councillors,

(*ii*) Mahomedan Councillors,

(*iii*) Councillors appointed under clause (*a*), clause (*b*), clause (*c*), clause (*d*), clause (*e*) or clause (*f*) of section 8, and

(*iv*) Councillors appointed under clause (*g*) of section 8,

respectively, shall be nominated by the Corporation to be members of every or any Standing Committee.

(*4*) Every Standing Committee shall conform to any instructions that may from time to time be given to them by the Corporation.

(*5*) The Corporation may at any time dissolve, or, subject to the provisions of sub-section (*2*) and of any rules made under sub-section (*3*), alter the constitution of any Standing Committee.

(*6*) Every Standing Committee shall appoint one of their number to be their Chairman and to preside at their meetings:

Provided that no Councillor shall, at the same time, be the Chairman of more than one Standing Committee.

(Part II.—Chapter VI.—Conduct of Business.—Clauses 99-101.)

(*7*) If, at any meeting, the Chairman appointed under sub-section (*6*) is not present at the time appointed for holding the meeting, the members of the Standing Committee present shall choose one of their number to preside over such meeting.

(*8*) When any matter is referred to a Standing Committee, the Corporation may fix a time within which the report of the Standing Committee thereon is to be submitted to the Corporation.

(*9*) All the proceedings of every Standing Committee shall be subject to confirmation by the Corporation:

Provided that, if the Commissioner concurs in any action recommended by a majority of the members of any Standing Committee and considers that inconvenience would result from delay in taking such action, he may take such action without waiting for confirmation by the Corporation of the proceedings of such Standing Committee; but if the Corporation do not confirm the proceedings of the Standing Committee, such steps shall be taken to carry out any orders passed by the Corporation as may still be practicable.

(*10*) The Corporation may make rules for regulating the conduct of business at meetings of Standing Committees.

Special Committees.

Special Committees

99. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time, by specific resolution, appoint a Special Committee to inquire into and report upon any matter (to be specified in such resolution) which may arise in connection with any of the functions, powers or duties of the Corporation and which is not at the time under consideration by a Standing Committee constituted under section 98. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 96.]

(*2*) The provisions of sub-sections (*3*), (*4*), (*5*), (*6*) (excluding the proviso), (*7*), (*8*) and (*9*) of section 98 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to every Special Committee appointed under this section, and such Committee shall confine their inquiry to the matter specified in the resolution referred to in sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) The Corporation may make rules for regulating the conduct of business at meetings of Special Committees.

Minutes and Reports of Proceedings.

Keeping of minutes of proceedings.

100. Minutes in which shall be recorded the names of the members present at, and the proceedings of, each meeting of the Corporation, of any Appeals Committee, and of every Standing or Special Committee, respectively, shall be drawn up and fairly entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall be laid before the next ensuing meeting of the Corporation or of such Committee, as the case may be, and signed at such meeting by the President or Chairman thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 97.]

Inspection of minutes and reports of proceedings.

101. The minutes referred to in section 100 and the full reports (if any) of the proceedings of meetings of the Corporation, shall, at all reasonable times, be [*Cf.* 1899, s. 98.]

kept open at the Municipal Office for the inspection of any Councillor without charge, and of any other person on payment of a fee of eight annas.

Forwarding of minutes and reports of proceedings to Local Government.

102. The Commissioner shall forward to the Local Government a copy of the minutes of the proceedings of each meeting of the Corporation, within ten days from the date on which the minutes of the proceedings of such meeting were signed as prescribed in section 100; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 59.]

and, if the Local Government so direct in any case, shall also forward a copy of all papers which were laid before the Corporation or the Standing or Special Committee, as the case may be, for consideration at such meeting;

and shall also forward to the Local Government, as soon as may be after such date, a full report of the proceedings of meetings of the Corporation, if any such report be prepared.

Supplemental Provisions.

Validation of acts and proceedings.

103. *(1)* No act done or proceeding taken under this Act shall be questioned on the ground merely of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 102.]

(*a*) the existence of any vacancy in, or any defect in the constitution of, the Corporation, or any Appeals Committee or any Standing or Special Committee,

(*b*) any Councillor having voted or taken part in any proceeding in contravention of the proviso to section 59, or

(*c*) any defect or irregularity not affecting the merits of the case.

(*2*) Every meeting of the Corporation, or of any Appeals, Standing or Special Committee, the minutes of the proceedings of which have been duly signed as prescribed in section 100, shall be deemed to have been duly convened and to be free from all defects and irregularity.

PART III.

FINANCE.

CHAPTER VII.

THE MUNICIPAL FUND.

Municipal Fund to be sole and to be held in trust

104. (*1*) There shall be one Municipal Fund and it shall be held by the Corporation in trust for the purposes of this Act, subject to the provisions therein contained. [*cf.* 1899, s. 108.]

Credit of moneys to Municipal Fund

105. All moneys realized or realizable under this Act shall be credited to the Municipal Fund.

Receipt of moneys and deposit in bank.

106. All moneys payable to the credit of the Municipal Fund shall be received by the Commissioner and shall be forthwith paid into the Bank of Bengal to the credit of an account which shall be styled, in each case, "the account of the Municipal Fund of the City of Calcutta." [*cf.* 1899, s. 111.]

Drafts on the Municipal Fund.

107. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of section 26, section 138 and section 139, no payment shall be made by the Bank of Bengal out of the Municipal Fund except upon a cheque signed— [*cf.* 1899, s. 112.]

(*a*) by any two of the following persons, namely:—

(*i*) the Commissioner,

(*ii*) the Deputy Commissioner,

(*iii*) the Secretary,

(*iv*) the Chief Accountant; or,

(*b*) in the event of the illness or absence from Calcutta of any three of the persons mentioned in clause (*a*), by the remaining one of such persons and any other person appointed in that behalf by the Commissioner, or,

(*c*) in the event of the illness or absence from Calcutta of all the persons mentioned in clause (*a*), by any two other persons appointed as provided in clause (*b*).

(*2*) Payment of any sum due by the Corporation exceeding one hundred rupees in amount shall be made by means of a cheque signed as provided in sub-section (*1*) and not in any other way.

(*3*) Payment of any sum due by the Corporation not exceeding one hundred rupees in amount may be made in cash, cheques signed as prescribed in sub-section (*1*) being drawn from time to time to cover such payments.

(Part III.—Chapter VII.—The Municipal Fund.—Clauses 108, 109.)

Application of Municipal Fund.

108. *(1)* The moneys from time to time credited to the Municipal Fund shall be applied in payment of all sums, charges and costs necessary for the purposes specified or referred to in section 14 or for otherwise carrying this Act into effect, or of which the payment is duly directed or sanctioned by or under any of the provisions of this Act, inclusive of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 114.]

(*a*) the expenses of every election held under this Act;

(*b*) the salaries and other allowances of the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner;

(*c*) the fees payable under section 97, sub-section (*5*), to members of the Buildings Appeals Committee;

(*d*) the salaries, fees and allowances of all municipal officers and servants and all pensions, gratuities, compassionate allowances, bonuses and contributions to a Provident Fund granted under Chapter V;

(*e*) charges for stationery, printing and advertising;

(*f*) all expenses and costs incurred by the Commissioner in the exercise of any power or the discharge of any duty conferred or imposed upon him by or under this Act, including payments which he is required or empowered to make by way of compensation; and

(*g*) every sum payable—

(*i*) under section 26, under the orders of the Local Government;

(*ii*) under the direction of any officer appointed under section 138 or section 139;

(*iii*) under a decree or order of a Civil or Criminal Court passed against the Corporation or against the Commissioner *ex officio*; or

(*iv*) under a compromise of any suit or other legal proceeding or claim effected under section 542.

(2) Such moneys shall likewise be applied in payment of all sums payable out of the Municipal Fund under any other enactment for the time being in force.

Payments not to be made out of Municipal Fund unless covered by a budget-grant and balance is available

109. No payment of any sum out of the Municipal Fund shall be authorized by the Commissioner unless the expenditure of the same is covered by a current budget-grant and a sufficient balance of such budget-grant is still available notwithstanding any reduction or transfer thereof which may have been made under section 116 or section 117: [*Cf.* 1896, s. 115.]

Provided that this section shall not apply to payments made in the following classes of cases, namely:—

(*a*) refunds of taxes and other moneys which are authorized by this Act;

(Part III.—Chapter VII.—The Municipal Fund.—Clauses 110-112.)

(*b*) repayments of moneys belonging to contractors or other persons and held in deposit and of moneys collected or credited to the Municipal Fund by mistake;

(*c*) costs incurred by the Commissioner under clause (*c*) of section 17;

(*d*) sums payable in any of the circumstances mentioned in section 108, clause (*g*) and sub-section (*2*);

(*e*) temporary payments under section 112 for works urgently required for the public service;

(*f*) sums which the Commissioner is, by or under section 271, sub-section (*2*), section 323, sub-section (*1*), section 357, sub-section (*2*), section 406, sub-section (*4*), section 445, sub-section (*2*), section 447, sub-section (*4*), section 511, sub-section (*3*), section 523, clause (*c*) of section 540, or rule 2, sub-rule (*6*), or rule 6, sub-rule (*2*), of Schedule XV, required or empowered to pay by way of compensation;

(*g*) sums payable by the Commissioner as compensation under any rule or by-law made under this Act; and

(*h*) expenses incurred by the Commissioner in the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 452.

Duty of person signing cheque

110. Before any person authorized under section 107 signs a cheque, he shall satisfy himself that the sum for which such cheque is drawn is either— [*cf.* 1899, s. 116.]

(*a*) required for a purpose or work specifically sanctioned by the proper authority and covered by a current budget-grant, or

(*b*) required for any payment referred to or specified in the proviso to section 109.

Procedure when money not covered by a budget-grant is expended under clause (*c*), (*d*), (*f*), (*g*) or (*h*) of section 109.

111. Whenever any sum is expended by the Commissioner under clause (*c*), clause (*d*), clause (*f*), clause (*g*) or clause (*h*) of the proviso to section 109, he shall forthwith communicate the circumstances to the Corporation, who shall take such action under section 116 as may in the circumstances appear possible and expedient for covering the amount of the additional expenditure. [*cf.* 1899, s. 117.]

Temporary payments from the Municipal Fund for works urgently required for the public service.

112. (*1*) On the written requisition of a Secretary to the Local Government, the Commissioner may at any time undertake the execution of any work certified by such Secretary to be urgently required for the public service, and for this purpose may temporarily make payments from the Municipal Fund, so far as the same can be made without unduly interfering with the regular working of the municipal administration. [*cf.* 1899, s. 118.]

(*2*) The cost of all work so executed and of the establishment engaged in executing the same shall be paid by the Local Government and credited to the Municipal Fund.

(*3*) On receipt of any requisition under sub-section (*1*), the Commissioner shall forthwith forward a copy thereof to the Corporation together with a report of the steps taken by him in pursuance of the same.

(Part III.—Chapter VII.—The Municipal Fund.—Clause 113.)

Investment of surplus money.

113. (*1*) Surplus moneys at the credit of the Municipal Fund, which cannot immediately or at an early date be applied to the purposes of this Act, may from time to time be deposited at interest in the Bank of Bengal, or invested in any of the securities or debentures mentioned in section 132, sub-section (*1*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 119.]

(*2*) All such deposits and investments shall be made by the Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation; and the Commissioner may at any time withdraw any deposit so made, or dispose of any securities, and re-deposit or re-invest the money so withdrawn or the proceeds of the disposal of such securities.

(*3*) The loss, if any, arising from any such deposit or investment shall be debited to the Municipal Fund.

(*Part III.*)

CHAPTER VIII.

BUDGET ESTIMATE.

Commissioner to lay before Corporation annual estimates of expenditure, receipts and balances and statement of proposed taxes.

114. The Commissioner shall, on or before each tenth day of February, cause to be prepared and lay before the Corporation, in such form as the Corporation may from time to time approve,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 120.]

(*a*) an estimate of the expenditure which should, in his opinion, be incurred by the Corporation in the next ensuing year,

(*b*) an estimate of receipts from all sources during the said year,

(*c*) an estimate of all balances, if any, which will be available for reappropriation or expenditure at the commencement of the said year, and

(*d*) a statement of proposals as to the taxation which it will, in his opinion, be necessary or expedient to impose under this Act in the said year.

Corporation to frame Budget Estimate.

115. (*1*) The Corporation shall consider the estimates and proposals submitted by the Commissioner under section 114 and shall thereafter— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 121, 123, 124 and 125.]

(*a*) on or before the twenty-second day of March in each year frame and adopt a Budget Estimate of income and expenditure for the ensuing year, and

(*b*) determine, subject to the provisions of Part IV, the levy of the consolidated rate and taxes for the said year at such rates as are necessary to provide for the purposes mentioned in sub-section (*2*).

(*2*) In such Budget Estimate, the Corporation shall, among other things,—

(*a*) make adequate and suitable provision for such services as may be required for the fulfilment of the several duties imposed by this Act,

(*b*) provide for the payment, as they fall due, of all instalments of principal and interest for which the Corporation may be liable in respect of loans contracted by them, and

(*c*) allow for a cash balance at the end of the said year of not less than six lakhs of rupees.

Power to Corporation to alter budget-grants.

116. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time during the year— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 126.]

(*a*) increase the amount of any budget-grant,

(*b*) make an additional budget-grant to meet any special or unforeseen requirement arising during the same year,

(*c*) transfer the amount or a portion of the amount of any budget-grant to the amount of any other budget-grant, or

(*d*) reduce the amount of any budget-grant:

(Part III.—Chapter VIII.—Budget Estimate.—Clause 117.)

Provided as follows :—

(*i*) due regard shall be had to all the requirements of this Act, and

(*ii*) in making any increase or additional budget-grant, the estimated cash balance at the close of the year shall not be reduced below six lakhs of rupees.

(*2*) Every increase to a budget-grant and every additional budget-grant made in any year under sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to be included in the Budget Estimate finally adopted for that year.

Power to Corporation to re-adjust income and expenditure during the year.

117. (*1*) If at any time during the year it appears to the Corporation that, notwithstanding any reduction of budget-grants that has been made under section 116, the income of the Municipal Fund during the same year will not suffice to meet the expenditure sanctioned in the Budget Estimate of that year, and to leave at the close of the year a cash balance of not less than six lakhs of rupees, then it shall be incumbent on the Corporation forthwith to sanction any measure which they may consider necessary for proportioning the year's income to the expenditure. [*cf.* 1899, s. 127.]

(*2*) For the purposes of sub-section (*1*), the Corporation may either diminish the sanctioned expenditure of the year, so far as it may be possible so to do with due regard to all the requirements of this Act, or have recourse to supplementary taxation, or adopt both of those methods.

(*Part III.*)

CHAPTER IX.

LOANS.

Power to Corporation to borrow money.

118. (*1*) The Corporation may, in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting, from time to time raise a loan, by the issue of debentures, on the security of the consolidated rate, or of all or any of the taxes, fees and dues authorized by this Act (or of both the said rate and all or any of the said taxes, fees and dues), of any sums of money which may be required— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 128.]

(*a*) for the construction of works under this Act, or

(*b*) for the acquisition of land for the purposes of this Act, or

(*c*) to pay off any debt due to the Government, or

(*d*) to repay a loan raised under this Act:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) no loan shall be raised without the previous sanction of the Local Government, or (if the loan exceeds five lakhs of rupees or is to be repaid after a period exceeding thirty years) the Government of India;

(*ii*) the rate of interest to be paid for any loan, and the terms (as to the time and method of repayment, and otherwise) upon which any loan is to be raised, shall be subject to the approval of the Local Government, or (if the loan exceeds five lakhs of rupees or is to be repaid after a period exceeding thirty years) the Government of India;

(*iii*) the period within which a loan is to be repaid shall in no case exceed sixty years.

(*2*) When any sum of money has been borrowed under sub-section (*1*),—

(*i*) no portion thereof shall, without the previous sanction of the Local Government, be applied to any purpose other than that for which it was borrowed, and

(*ii*) no portion of any sum of money borrowed under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*) shall be applied to the payment of salaries or allowances to any municipal officers or servants, other than those who are exclusively employed upon the works for the construction of which the money was borrowed.

Determination of sums to be borrowed.

119. The Corporation shall, at a meeting to be held on or before the twenty-second day of March in each year, after considering the Commissioner's proposals in this behalf, determine, subject to the provisions of this Act, what sums of money (if any) shall be borrowed under section 118 in the next ensuing year. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 129.]

Limit to borrowing powers.

120. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the borrowing powers of the Corporation shall be limited so that the sums payable under this Act during any year for interest and for the maintenance of Sinking Funds (including the payments prescribed by sub-clause (*c*) of section 128), shall not exceed ten *per cent.* on the annual rateable value of land and buildings as determined under Chapter XI. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 130.]

(Part III.—Chapter IX.—Loans.—Clauses 121-125.)

Form, exchange, transfer and effect of debentures

121. (*1*) All debentures issued under this Act shall be in such form, and signed by such person, as the Corporation may from time to time prescribe, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, or (in the case of a loan raised out of India) the Government of India. [1899, s. 131.]

(*2*) The holder of any debenture in any form prescribed under sub-section (*1*) may obtain in exchange therefor, upon such terms as the Corporation may from time to time determine, a debenture in any other form so prescribed.

(*3*) The holder of any debenture issued by the Corporation under the authority of any prior enactment may obtain in exchange therefor, upon such terms as the Corporation may from time to time determine, a debenture in a form prescribed under sub-section (*1*).

(*4*) Every debenture issued by the Corporation under this Act shall be transferable in such manner as shall be therein expressed.

(*5*) The right to sue in respect of the moneys secured by any such debentures, or by any debentures issued by the Corporation under the authority of any prior enactment, shall be vested in the holders thereof for the time being, without any preference by reason of some of such debentures being prior in date to others.

Signature of coupons attached to debentures

122. All coupons attached to debentures issued under this Act shall bear the signature of the Commissioner; and such signature may be engraved, lithographed or impressed by any mechanical process. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 132.]

Payment to survivors of joint payees

123. When any debenture or security issued under this Act is payable to two or more persons jointly, and either or any of them dies, then, notwithstanding anything in section 45 of the Indian Contract Act, 1872, the debenture or security shall be payable to the survivor or survivors of such persons: [1899, s. 133.] IX of 1872

Provided that nothing in this section shall affect any claim by the representative of a deceased person against such survivor or survivors.

Receipt by joint holder for interest or dividend

124. Where two or more persons are joint holders of any debenture or security issued under this Act, any one of such persons may give an effectual receipt for any interest or dividend payable in respect of such debenture or security, unless notice to the contrary has been given to the Corporation by any other of such persons. [1899, s. 134.]

Repayment of loans

125. Every loan raised by the Corporation under section 118 shall be repaid within the time approved under proviso (*ii*) to sub-section (*1*) of that section, and by such of the following methods as may be so approved, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 135.]

(*a*) from a Sinking Fund established under section 126, in respect of the loan, or

(*b*) partly from the Sinking Fund established under section 126 in respect of the loan, and (to the extent to which that Sinking Fund falls short of the sum required for the repayment of the loan) partly from money borrowed for the purpose under clause (*d*) of section 118.

(Part III.—Chapter IX.—Loans.—Clauses 126-128.)

Establishment and maintenance of Sinking Funds for such loans.

126. (*1*) Whenever the repayment from a Sinking Fund of a loan referred to in section 125, has been approved under proviso (*ii*) to sub-section (*1*) of section 118, the Corporation shall establish such a Fund and shall pay into it on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year until the loan is repaid, a sum so calculated that, if regularly paid, it would, with accumulations in the way of compound interest, be sufficient, after payment of all expenses, to pay off the loan at the time approved. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 136.]

(*2*) The rate of interest, on the basis of which the sum referred to in sub-section (*1*) shall be calculated, shall be such as may be prescribed by the Government of India.

(*3*) A separate Sinking Fund shall be established in respect of each loan referred to in section 125.

Power to discontinue payments into Sinking Fund.

127. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 126, if at any time the sum standing at credit of the Sinking Fund established for the repayment of any loan is of such amount that, if allowed to accumulate at the rate of interest prescribed under sub-section (*2*) of that section, it will be sufficient to repay the loan at the time approved under proviso (*ii*) to sub-section (*1*) of section 118, then, with the permission of the Local Government, further payments into such Fund may be discontinued. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 137.]

Provisions regarding loans raised between the 1st April, 1881, and the commencement of the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914.

128. In respect of all loans raised by the Corporation between the 1st April, 1881, and the commencement of the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, the following provisions shall have effect, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 138.] Ben. Act IV of 1914.

(*1*) The Corporation shall maintain a Sinking Fund in respect of all such loans, and shall pay into such Fund the following sums:—

(*a*) on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year, in respect of such of the said loans as were repaid before the 31st March, 1914, a sum representing four *per cent. per annum* on the amount of each of such loans, such payments to be continued, in the case of each of such loans, until the expiry of a period of forty-seven years from the date on which the loan was raised, and

(*b*) on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year, in respect of such of the said loans as have not been repaid before the 31st March, 1914, a sum representing one *per cent. per annum* on the amount of each of such loans, until the loan is repaid, and

(*c*) on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year, for a period of ten years, with effect from the 1st July, 1914, the sum of Rupees sixty-six thousand.

(*2*) When any of the said loans hereafter falls due for repayment, it shall be repaid—

(*i*) from the sums which have accumulated in the Sinking Fund maintained under clause (*1*) and in Sinking Fund A maintained before the commencement of

the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, to the extent to which payments of one *per cent. per annum* on the amount of any such loan would have accumulated at three *per cent.* compound interest from the date of its commencement, and Ben. Act IV of 1914

(*ii*) to the extent to which the sums referred to in sub-clause (*i*) of this clause fall short of the sum required for repayment of the loan—from money to be borrowed by the Corporation for the purpose, for the period by which the term of the original loan falls short of forty-seven years.

(*3*) A separate Sinking Fund shall be established in respect of each amount borrowed under sub-clause (*ii*) of clause (*2*) of this section, and the provisions of sections 126 and 127, shall apply to each such Sinking Fund.

Method of disposal of securities transferred to Corporation under Ben. Act IV of 1914

129. All securities and cash jointly or severally held, before the commencement of the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, by the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Financial Department and the Accountant-General, Bengal, as Trustees for and in respect of Sinking Fund A referred to in sub-clause (*i*) of clause (*2*) of section 128, and transferred by them to the Corporation in pursuance of the provisions of that Act, shall be held by the Corporation as part of the Sinking Fund established under section 128. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 139.] Ben. Act IV of 1914

Power to Corporation to consolidate their loans

130. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Act, the Corporation may consolidate all or any of their loans, and for that purpose may invite tenders for a new loan (to be called 'the Calcutta Municipal Consolidated Loan, 19 ') and invite holders of municipal debentures to exchange their debentures for scrip of such loan. [1899, s. 140.]

(*2*) The terms of every such consolidated loan, and the rates at which exchange into such consolidated loan shall be permitted, shall be subject to the prior approval of the Government of India.

(*3*) The period for the extinction of any such consolidated loan shall not, without the sanction of the Government of India, extend beyond the furthest date within which any of the loans to be consolidated would otherwise be repayable.

(*4*) The Corporation shall provide for the repayment of every such consolidated loan by establishing a Sinking Fund therefor.

(*5*) The provisions of sections 126 and 127 shall apply to each Sinking Fund established under sub-section (*4*):

Provided that, in calculating the sum to be paid into any such Sinking Fund in pursuance of section 126, any sums transferred to that Fund in pursuance of proviso (*i*) or proviso (*ii*) to section 134 shall be taken into account.

Time for repayment of money borrowed to extinguish previous loan.

131. The time for the repayment of any money borrowed under this Act for the purpose of extinguishing any previous loan shall not, except with the express sanction of the Government of India, extend beyond the unexpired portion of the period for which such previous loan was sanctioned. [1899. 141.]

(Part III.—Chapter IX.—Loans.—Clauses 132-134.)

Investment of Sinking Funds.

132. (*1*) All money paid into a Sinking Fund shall as soon as possible be invested by the Corporation in— [1899, 141A.]

(*a*) Government securities, or

(*b*) securities guaranteed by the Government, or

(*c*) Calcutta Municipal debentures, or

(*d*) debentures issued by the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, or

(*e*) debentures issued by the Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta,

and shall be held by the Corporation for the purpose of repaying from time to time the debentures issued by it.

(*2*) All dividends and other sums received in respect of any such investment shall, as soon as possible after receipt, be paid into the appropriate Sinking Fund and invested in the manner prescribed by sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) Moneys standing at credit of two or more Sinking Funds may, at the discretion of the Corporation, be invested together as a common fund, and it shall not be necessary for the Corporation to allocate the securities held in such investments among the several Sinking Funds.

(*4*) Any investment made under this section may from time to time, subject to the provisions of sub-section (*1*), be varied or transposed.

Power to Corporation to reserve a portion of loan-debentures for investment of Sinking Funds.

133. (*1*) For the purpose of investing any portion of the Municipal Fund (including Sinking Funds) the Corporation may, with the previous sanction of the Government of India, reserve and set apart for issue at par to and in the name of 'the Municipal Commissioner of Calcutta (on behalf of the Corporation)' any portion of the debentures to be issued on account of any loan, provided that the intention so to reserve and set apart such debentures shall have been notified as a condition of the issue of the loan. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 141B.]

(*2*) The issue of any such debentures to the Commissioner, as aforesaid, shall not operate to extinguish or cancel such debentures, but every debenture so issued shall be valid in all respects as if issued to and in the name of any other person.

(*3*) The purchase by, or the transfer, assignment or endorsement to, the Corporation, or to the Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation, of any debenture issued by the Corporation shall not operate to extinguish or cancel any such debenture, but the same shall be valid and negotiable in the same manner and to the same extent as if held by, or transferred, assigned or endorsed to any other person.

Application of Sinking Funds.

134. Until any loan is wholly repaid, the Corporation shall not apply the Sinking Fund established in respect of that loan to any purpose other than the repayment of that loan: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 141C.]

Provided that—

(*i*) when any loan, or part thereof, which is raised after the commencement of this Act, is consolidated under section 130, the Corporation shall transfer to the Sinking Fund established for such consolidated loan the sum standing at credit of the Sinking Fund of the original loan, or, if

part only of a loan is consolidated, then such part of the sum standing at credit of the Sinking Fund of the original loan as is proportionate to the amount of the original loan which is incorporated in the consolidated loan; and

(*ii*) when any loan, or part thereof, which was raised before the commencement of the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, has been consolidated, the Corporation shall transfer such amounts as the Government of India may direct from the Sinking Fund maintained under clause (*l*) of section 128, and, from Sinking Fund A maintained before the commencement of the said Act to the Sinking Fund established for consolidated loans under section 130, sub-section (*4*). Ben. Act IV of 1914.

Annual statement by Commissioner.

135. (*1*) The Commissioner shall, at the end of each year, prepare a statement showing— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 141D.]

(*a*) the amount which has been invested during the year under section 132;

(*b*) the date of the last investment made previous to the submission of the statement,

(*c*) the aggregate amount of the securities then in the hands of the Corporation, and

(*d*) the aggregate amount which has, up to the date of the statement, been applied under section 134, in or towards repaying loans.

(*2*) Every such statement shall be laid before a meeting of the Corporation and published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Priority of payments for interest and repayment of loans over other payments.

136. All payments due from the Corporation for interest on and repayment of loans shall be made in priority to all other payments due from the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 141E.]

Annual examination of Sinking Funds.

137. (*1*) All Sinking Funds established under this Act shall be subject to annual examination by the Accountant-General, Bengal, who shall ascertain whether the cash and the current value of the securities at credit of such Funds are actually equal to the amount which would have accumulated had investments been regularly made and had the rate of interest as originally estimated been obtained therefrom. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 141F.]

(*2*) The Corporation shall forthwith pay into any Sinking Fund any amount which the Accountant-General may certify to be deficient, unless the Government of India specially sanction a gradual readjustment.

(*3*) If the cash and the current value of the securities at credit of any Sinking Fund are more than equal to the amount which should have accumulated in the circumstances described in sub-section (*1*), the Accountant-General shall certify the amount of such excess sum, and the Corporation may thereupon transfer the excess sum to the Municipal Fund.

(*4*) If any dispute arises as to the accuracy of any certificate made by the Accountant-General under sub-section (*2*) or sub-section (*3*), the Corporation may, after making the payment or transfer therein mentioned, refer the matter to the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

(Part III.—Chapter IX.—Loans.—Clauses 138, 139.)

Attachment of Municipal Fund for recovery of money borrowed from the Government

138. (*1*) If any money borrowed by the Corporation from the Government, whether before or after the commencement of this Act, or any interest or costs due in respect thereof, is or are not repaid according to the conditions of the loan, the Local Government may attach the Municipal Fund or any portion thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, 141G.]

(*2*) After such attachment, no person except an officer appointed in this behalf by the Local Government shall in any way deal with the attached Fund or portion thereof; but such officer may do all acts in respect thereof which any municipal authority, officer or servant might have done if such attachment had not taken place, and may apply the proceeds in satisfaction of the arrear and of all interest and costs due in respect thereof and of all expenses caused by the attachment and subsequent proceedings:

Provided that no such attachment shall defeat or prejudice any debt for which the Fund attached was previously pledged in accordance with law; but all such prior charges shall be paid out of the proceeds of the Fund before any part of the proceeds is applied to the satisfaction of the debt due to the Government.

Attachment of Municipal Fund for securing payment into Sinking Funds.

139. If the Corporation fail to make any payment as required by section 137, sub-section (*2*), the Local Government may attach the Municipal Fund or any portion thereof; and the provisions of section 138, sub-section (*2*), shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply. [*Cf.* 1899, 141H.]

(Part III.)

CHAPTER X.

ACCOUNTS.

Accounts to be kept.

140. Accounts of receipts and expenditure of the Corporation shall be kept in such manner and in such forms as the Commissioner, subject to the control of the Corporation, may from time to time prescribe. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 142.]

Appointment and powers of municipal auditors

141. (*1*) The municipal accounts shall be examined and audited from time to time by auditors appointed in that behalf by the Local Government. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 143.]

(*2*) The auditors so appointed may,—

(*a*) by written summons, require the production before them of any document which they may consider necessary for the proper conduct of their audit;

(*b*) by written summons, require any person accountable for, or having the custody or control of, any such document to appear in person before them; and

(*c*) require any person so appearing before them to make and sign a declaration with respect to such document or to answer any question or prepare and submit any statement.

Reports and information to be furnished by auditors.

142. The auditors appointed under section 141, shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 144.]

(*a*) report to the Commissioner any material impropriety or irregularity which they may observe in the expenditure, or in the recovery of moneys due to the Corporation, or in the municipal accounts,

(*b*) furnish to the Commissioner such information as the Commissioner may from time to time require concerning the progress of their audit, and

(*c*) as soon as may be after the completion of their audit, deliver to the Commissioner a report upon the municipal accounts.

Auditors' report to be sent to each Councillor and laid before Corporation.

143. The Commissioner shall, on receipt of the report mentioned in clause (*c*) of section 142,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 145.]

(*a*) cause it to be printed, and

(*b*) forward a printed copy thereof to each Councillor, and

(*c*) submit such report to the Corporation for consideration at their next meeting.

Commissioner to remedy defects pointed out by auditors, and to report same to Corporation.

144. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner forthwith to remedy any defects or irregularities that may be pointed out by the auditors, and to report the same to the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 146.]

PART IV.

TAXATION.

CHAPTER XI.

THE CONSOLIDATED RATE.

Imposition of Consolidated Rate.

Power to Corporation to impose consolidated rate.

145. A consolidated rate not exceeding twenty-three *per cent.* on the annual valuation determined under this Chapter may be imposed by the Corporation upon all lands and buildings in Calcutta for the purposes of this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 147.]

Amount of consolidated rate how to be fixed.

146. The amount of the said rate shall be fixed annually, in the manner provided in Chapter VIII, with reference to the requirements of the Municipal Fund. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 148.]

Exemptions.

Exemptions from consolidated rate.

147. (*1*) Buildings used exclusively for purposes of public worship, and public burial or burning grounds or other places for the disposal of the dead duly registered under Chapter XXXI, shall be exempt from the consolidated rate; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 150.]

and the Corporation may either wholly or partially exempt from the consolidated rate any land or building used for purposes of public charity:

Provided that the following land and buildings shall not be deemed to be used exclusively for public worship or for purposes of public charity within the meaning of this section, namely:—

(*a*) land or buildings in or on which any trade or business is carried on, and

(*b*) land or buildings in respect of which rent is derived, whether such rent is or is not applied exclusively to religious purposes or purposes of public charity.

(*2*) Open spaces and parade grounds, which are the property of Government, shall be exempted from the consolidated rate, if the Local Government so direct.

(*3*) The Corporation may exempt the owner of any hut from payment of the whole or any portion of the consolidated rate payable in respect of such hut.

(*4*) The Corporation may, by resolution, exempt from the consolidated rate all lands and buildings the annual valuation of which, as determined under this Chapter, does not exceed twenty rupees or such smaller sum as may be specified in such resolution:

Provided that no person shall be entitled to claim the benefit of such exemption if he owns or occupies more than one piece of land or one building and the aggregate annual valuation of all the lands or buildings owned or occupied by him exceeds twenty rupees or the said smaller sum.

Assessment of Lands and Buildings to the Consolidated Rate.

Annual value of land or building now to be ascertained.

148. For the purpose of assessing land and buildings to the consolidated rate,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 151.]

(*a*) the annual value of land, and the annual value of any building erected for letting purposes or ordinarily let, shall be deemed to be the

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clause 149.)

gross annual rent at which the land or building might reasonably be expected to let from year to year, less, in the case of a building, an allowance of ten *per cent.* for the cost of repairs and for all other expenses necessary to maintain the building in a state to command such gross rent; and

(*b*) the annual value of any building not erected for letting purposes and not ordinarily let shall be deemed to be five *per cent.* on the sum obtained by adding the estimated present cost of erecting the building, less a reasonable amount to be deducted on account of depreciation (if any), to the estimated value of the land valued with the building as part of the same premises:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) the annual value of a *bustee* shall be deemed to be the gross annual rent at which the land contained within it might reasonably be expected to let from year to year, *plus* the gross annual rent at which the huts or structures erected thereon might reasonably be expected to let from year to year, after deducting therefrom the rent of the land and an allowance of ten *per cent.* for the cost of repairs and for all other expenses necessary to maintain such huts or structures in a state to command such gross rent;

(*ii*) in calculating the value of any land or building under this section, the value of any machinery on such land or in such building shall be excluded; but all fixtures, including lifts and electric and other fittings, which add to the convenience of the building, shall be valued;

(*iii*) if, in the case of a building valued under clause (*b*), any exceptional circumstances exist which render a valuation of five *per cent.* on the cost of erecting the building, less depreciation, excessive, a lower percentage may be taken;

(*iv*) when any building has been valued at a special percentage taken under proviso (*iii*), it may be re-valued at any time after the exceptional circumstances referred to in that proviso have ceased to exist.

Assessment of annual value, and duration of assessment.

149. (*1*) The valuation of any land or building situated in Calcutta, which was made under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, and is in force at the commencement of this Act, shall continue in force for the unexpired portion of the period for which such valuation was made under that Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 152.] Ben. Act III of 1899.

(*2*) A valuation of all land and buildings within any area which is included in Calcutta under this Act but which was not so included under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall be made by the Commissioner, as soon as may be after the commencement of this Act, and such valuation shall remain in force until the expiration of the period prescribed under sub-section (*1*) for the valuation of other land and buildings in the ward in which the said area is included. Ben. Act III of 1899.

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clause 149.)

(*3*) The Commissioner shall, after the expiration of the said period, cause a new valuation of all land and buildings referred to in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) to be made and shall fix the said valuation for a period of six years from the date of such expiration, and shall thereafter cause the same to be revised at the termination of successive periods of six years.

(*4*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), and sub-section (*3*), the conditions set out below shall apply in the several cases hereinafter specified, namely :—

bustees; (*a*) *bustees* with the huts upon them may be valued annually at the discretion of the Commissioner, and shall be so valued on the application of the owner; and, when such *bustees* are not re-valued, the former valuation shall remain in force from year to year until a re-valuation is made;

unvalued lands and buildings; (*b*) any land or building the valuation of which has been cancelled on the ground of irregularity, or which for any other reason has no annual value assigned to it under this Act, may be valued by the Commissioner at any time during the currency of the period prescribed in respect of such land or building by sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), as the case may be, and such valuation shall remain in force, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, for the unexpired portion of such period;

alterations and improvements; (*c*) if, during the currency of any period prescribed by sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), any substantial alteration and improvement is made in any building the Commissioner may cause such building to be re-valued; and such re-valuation shall remain in force, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, until the expiration of the said period;

new buildings; (*d*) if, during the currency of any period prescribed by sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), any new building is erected, the Commissioner may cause such building to be valued; and such valuation shall remain in force, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, until the expiration of the said period;

depreciation (*e*) if, during the currency of any period prescribed by sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), the value of any building suffers depreciation from any cause proved to the satisfaction of the Commissioner to have been beyond the control of the owner or occupier thereof, the Commissioner shall, as soon as practicable, on application being made to him in writing by the owner or occupier of such building, cause it to be re-valued; and such re-valuation shall remain in force from the beginning of the quarter next following the date of the application, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, until the expiration of the said period:

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alterations and improvements after re-valuation;

(*f*) if any building has been re-valued under clause (*e*) and any substantial alteration and improvement is made in the building during the currency of the period prescribed by that clause for the continuance of such re-valuation, the Commissioner may cause such building to be newly valued; and such new valuation shall remain in force, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, until the expiration of the said period;

sub-division into separate shares.

(*g*) if, during the currency of any period prescribed by sub-section (*1*), sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), the ownership of any land or building or portion thereof be subdivided into separate shares, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, on the application of any of the share-holders interested individually or collectively to the extent of one moiety or upwards, apportion the assessment on such land, building or portion among such share-holders according to the value of their respective shares, and such apportionment shall remain in force, and the consolidated rate shall be levied according to it, until the expiration of the said period.

Separate valuation of land and huts in case of a *bustee*.

150. For the purpose of levying the consolidated rate in the case of a *bustee*, the Commissioner shall cause the land contained within the *bustee* and the huts standing on it to be valued separately. [*Cf.* 1899, s 153.]

Valuation by wards.

151. The Commissioner shall cause the valuation of lands and buildings in Calcutta, as prescribed by section 149, sub-section (*2*), or sub-section (*3*), to be carried out by wards as specified in Schedule III. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 154.]

Power to Commissioner separately to assess out-houses and portions of buildings

152. The Commissioner may, in his discretion, assess any out-house appurtenant to a building, or any portion of a building, separately from such building or the other portions of such building, as the case may be; and, when any out-house or portion of a building is so separately assessed, the same shall, for the purposes of this Chapter, be deemed to be a separate building. [*Cf.* 1899, s 155.]

Returns and inspection for purpose of valuation.

153. (*1*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any land or building to furnish him, within one week after the service of the notice, with returns of the measurements and of the rent or annual value of the land or building and with such other details affecting the rent or annual value as the Commissioner may specify in the said notice. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 156.]

(*2*) Every owner and occupier on whom any such requisition is made shall be bound to comply with the same and to make a true return to the best of his knowledge or belief.

(*3*) The Commissioner, or any person authorized by him in this behalf, may inspect, survey and measure such land or building.

Public notice and inspection of valuations.

154. (*1*) When the valuation of the lands and buildings in any ward has been completed, the Commissioner shall cause the respective valuations to be [*Cf.* 1899, s 157.]

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clauses 155-158.)

entered in a list and give public notice of the place where such list may be inspected.

(2) Such notice shall be by advertisement in local newspapers and also by placards posted up in conspicuous places throughout such ward.

(3) The Commissioner shall also cause a placard to be posted up in each *bustee*, showing separately for each building situated in the *bustee* the valuation assigned to it in the valuation list.

(4) The person having custody of the valuation list shall permit any person to inspect it and to make extracts from it.

(5) No fee shall be charged for any such inspection; but there shall be payable, by all persons other than owners or occupiers of land in the ward and their agents, a fee of one rupee in respect of each entry extracted.

Notice when valuation made for the first time or increased.

155. The Commissioner shall, in all cases in which any land, *bustee* or building, is for the first time valued, or in which the valuation of any land, *bustee* or building previously valued is increased, give special notice thereof to the owner or occupier of the same; and, when the valuation is so increased, the said notice shall contain a statement of the grounds of such increase. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 158 and 159.]

Notice of objection to valuation

156. (1) Any person who is dissatisfied with a valuation made under section 149 may deliver at the Municipal Office a written notice stating the grounds of his objection to such valuation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 160.]

(2) Such notice shall be delivered within fifteen days after the publication of the notice referred to in section 154, or after receipt of the notice referred to in section 155, if such notice is received after the publication of the notice referred to in section 154.

Entry of objection and investigation thereof by Commissioner.

157. (1) All such objections shall be entered in a register to be maintained for the purpose; and, on receipt of any objection, notice shall be given to the objector of a time and place at which his objection will be investigated. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 161.]

(2) At the said time and place the Commissioner shall hear the objection, in the presence of the objector if he appears, or may, for reasonable cause, adjourn the investigation.

(3) When the objection has been determined, the order passed shall be recorded in the said register, together with the date of such order.

Appeal to Small Cause Court.

158. (1) Any person dissatisfied with the order passed on his objection may appeal to the Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction in the place where the land or building, to the valuation of which the objection was made, is situated. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 162.]

(2) Such appeal shall be presented to such Court of Small Causes within thirty days of the date of the order passed under section 157, and shall be accompanied by an extract from the register of objections containing the order objected to.

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clauses 159-161.)

(*3*) The provisions of Parts II and III of the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, relating to appeals, shall apply to every appeal preferred under this section. IX of 1908.

(*4*) No appeal shall be admitted under this section unless an objection has first been determined under section 157.

Valuations when to be final

159. (*1*) Every valuation made by the Commissioner under section 149 shall, subject to the provisions of sections 156, 157 and 158, be final. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 163.]

(*2*) Every order passed by the Commissioner under section 157 shall, subject to the provisions of section 158, be final.

(*3*) Every decision made by the Court of Small Causes under section 158 shall, subject to the provisions of section 6 of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, or section 25 of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, as the case may be, be final. XV of 1882. IX of 1887

Keeping of municipal assessment-book.

160. (*1*) The annual value fixed under this Chapter shall be entered in one or more books to be kept for the purpose at the Municipal Office, wherein shall also be recorded— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 164.]

(*a*) the number of each premises;

(*b*) the description of each premises;

(*c*) the name and place of abode of the owner and the name of the occupier;

(*d*) the amount of the valuation;

(*e*) the amount payable quarterly on account of the consolidated rate;

(*f*) the fact of exemption (if any) from payment of the said rate; and

(*g*) such other particulars (if any) as the Commissioner may from time to time direct.

(*2*) The particulars mentioned in sub-section (*1*) may be contained in as many books as the Commissioner may from time to time determine, which shall together constitute the municipal assessment-book.

(*3*) When the name of the owner or occupier of any premises is not known, it shall be sufficient to designate him in the said assessment-book as "the owner" or "the occupier", as the case may be.

Entry of names of owners and occupiers in assessment-book.

161. (*1*) Any owner or occupier may at any time apply to the Commissioner to have his name entered as owner or occupier, as the case may be, in the assessment-book; and the Commissioner shall, unless there is sufficient reason to refuse such application, cause such name to be entered in the assessment-book: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 165.]

Provided that if such application is refused, the reason for the refusal shall be recorded in writing.

(*2*) Where there are gradations of owners or occupiers, and doubt exists as to who is entitled to have his name entered in the assessment-book as owner or occupier of the premises, the Commissioner shall determine which of the several owners or occupiers is so entitled, and his decision shall remain in force for the purposes of this Act unless and until it is set aside by the order of a competent Court.

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(3) No owner or occupier whose name is not entered in the assessment-book shall be entitled to object that any bill, notice of demand, warrant or other notice of any kind required by this Act, to be served on the owner or occupier of any land or building has not been made out in his own name.

Notice of transfers of title when to be given.

162. (1) Whenever the title in any land or building, or in any part or share of any land or building, is transferred, both the transferor and the transferee shall, within three months after the execution of the instrument of transfer, or, if no such instrument be executed, after the transfer is effected, give notice in writing of such transfer to the Commissioner. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 149.]

(2) In the event of the death of the person in whom such title vests, the person to whom, as heir or otherwise, the title of the deceased is transferred by descent or devise, shall, within one year from the death of the deceased, give notice in writing of such transfer to the Commissioner.

Power to Commissioner to amend assessment-book.

163. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 159, the Commissioner may at any time amend the assessment-book— [*Cf.* 1899, s 168.]

(*a*) by inserting therein the name of any person whose name ought, in his opinion, to be so inserted, or by inserting any land or building which is, in his opinion, liable to the consolidated rate, or by inserting a valuation when the land or building liable to be valued has not been valued; or

(*b*) by striking out the name of any person, or by striking out any land or building which is, in his opinion, not liable to the consolidated rate, or by reducing the amount of any valuation:

Provided that, whenever it is proposed to make any amendment under clause (*a*), notice shall be given, to persons interested, of a day, not being less than fifteen days from the service of the notice, on which it is intended to make the amendment.

(2) If any amendment be made under clause (*a*), any person interested in such amendment may object by written application to the Commissioner, to be delivered at the Municipal Office three clear days before the day fixed in the said notice; and the provisions of sections 156 to 159 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to such objection.

Period for which revised valuations to continue in force.

164. When the valuation of any land or building is revised in consequence of an objection made under section 156 or section 163, sub-section (2), or an appeal is preferred under section 158, the revised valuation shall take effect from the quarter in which the first-mentioned valuation would have taken effect, and shall continue in force for the period for which the said first-mentioned valuation was made, and no longer. [*Cf.* 1899, s 169.]

Effect of entries in assessment-book.

165. (1) The assessment calculated on the valuation for the time being shown in the assessment-book shall be deemed to be the amount payable during the whole period for which the valuation is in force. [*Cf.* 1899, s 170.]

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clauses 166-169.)

(2) When any amendment has been made in the assessment-book, such period shall be calculated—

(a) from the commencement of the quarter next succeeding that in which the notice of objection was delivered under section 156 or section 163, sub-section (2), or,

(b) if no such notice has been delivered, then from the commencement of the quarter next succeeding that in which such amendment was made:

Provided that the old valuation shall, notwithstanding that the period for which it was made may have expired, continue in force until the commencement of the quarter referred to in clause (a) or clause (b), as the case may be.

Payment and recovery of the Consolidated Rate.

Payment of consolidated rate.

166. One-half of the consolidated rate shall be payable by the owners of the lands and buildings, and the other half by the occupiers thereof; and each such instalment shall be payable on or before the fifteenth day of April, the fifteenth day of July, the fifteenth day of October and the fifteenth day of January for the quarters respectively commencing on the first day of each of those months. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 171.]

Recovery by owner from tenant in certain cases of part of the owner's share of the consolidated rate.

167. If the annual value of any land or building, as determined under this Chapter, exceeds in any case the amount of the rent payable to the owner for the land or building, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 173.]

the owner may in such case recover from the person who pays him rent the difference between the sum assessed as the owner's share of the consolidated rate in respect of such land or building and the sum at which such share would have been assessed had the land or building been valued only at the amount of rent actually payable to the owner,

and such difference shall be added to the rent and shall be recoverable as rent by the owner from the person liable for the payment of the rent.

Refund of owner's share of consolidated rate for period of vacancy.

168. When any land or building which has been assessed to the consolidated rate has remained unoccupied and unproductive of rent for a period of sixty or more consecutive days and a written notice of the facts has been given to the Commissioner, he shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 173.]

(a) remit one-half of the owner's share of the consolidated rate due on account of such period, or,

(b) if the whole of such share has been paid, refund, on application made therefor, one-half of such share.

Refund of occupier's share of consolidated rate.

169. Any person who has, in respect of any land or building which has been assessed to the consolidated rate, paid the occupier's share of such rate for the whole of any quarter, shall be entitled to a refund of the rate so paid for any period in that quarter during which he did not occupy such land or building: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 174.]

Provided that such person has given notice in writing of the facts to the Commissioner.

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clauses 170-176.)

Notice under section 168 or section 169 when to be delivered.

170. Every notice referred to in section 168 or section 169 shall be given during the period for which the land or building is unoccupied and unproductive of rent, or during the period of the vacancy, as the case may be; and such period shall be calculated from the date on which such notice is delivered at the Municipal Office. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 175.]

Application for refund when to be made.

171. No refund of any amount shall be made under section 168 or section 169 unless the same is applied for within six months from the date on which the amount was paid. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 176.]

Notice of re-occupation when to be given

172. Whenever any land or building which has been assessed to the consolidated rate and has been unoccupied is re-occupied, the person liable to pay the owner's share of the rate in respect of such land or building shall, within fifteen days from the date of re-occupation, give notice thereof in writing to the Commissioner. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s 152.]

Rate payable from date of re-occupation

173. Whenever any land or building which has been assessed to the consolidated rate and has been unoccupied is re-occupied during any quarter, the occupier's share of the rate in respect of such land or building shall be payable from the date of such re-occupation. [*Cf.* 1899, s 177.]

Power to Commissioner to levy entire rate from owner in certain cases

174. If any land or building is ordinarily occupied by more than one person holding in severalty, or is valued at less than two hundred rupees, the Commissioner may, notwithstanding anything contained in section 166, levy the entire consolidated rate from the owner of such land or building. [*Cf.* 1899, s 178.]

Recovery from occupier of portion of rate paid by owner under section 174

175. When the entire consolidated rate is paid by the owner of any land or building under section 174, such owner may, if there be but one occupier of the building, recover from such occupier half of the rate so paid and may, if there be more than one occupier, recover from each occupier half of such sum as bears to the entire amount of rate so paid by the owner the same proportion as the value of the portion of the building in the occupation of such occupier bears to the entire value of such building. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 179.]

Consolidated rate to be paid by owner of a *bustee*

176. *(1)* Notwithstanding anything contained in section 166, the entire consolidated rate leviable upon a *bustee* shall, after deducting therefrom a sum equal to one-eighth of such rate, be paid by the owner of such *bustee:* [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 180 and 182.]

Provided that if the owner of the *bustee* is also the owner of the huts therein, no such deduction shall be made.

(2) Whenever the consolidated rate is leviable upon a *bustee*, the owner of the land contained within such *bustee* may recover from the owner of each hut standing thereon—

(*i*) one-half of the consolidated rate payable in respect of the land on which the hut stands,

(*ii*) the entire consolidated rate payable in respect of the hut.

(Part IV.—Chapter XI.—The Consolidated Rate.—Clauses 177-181.)

(*3*) The sum deducted under sub-section (*1*) shall be retained by the owner of the *bustee*—

(*a*) as a set-off against the expenses which may be incurred in collecting the portion of the rate recoverable under sub-section (*2*) from the owners of huts, and

(*b*) as a commutation of all refunds in respect of huts which are vacant or which may be removed or destroyed during the continuance of the period for which the rate is leviable.

Consolidated rate not payable on new or enlarged huts in a *bustee*.

177. The consolidated rate shall not be payable on account of any new huts built or any huts enlarged in a *bustee* during the year for which the valuation of the *bustee* remains in force under clause (*a*) of section 149. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 181.]

Power to Corporation to except *bustee* from section 176.

178. With the sanction of the Corporation, the Commissioner may, by order, from time to time and for such period as may be specified in the order, except any *bustee* or any part of a *bustee* from the operation of section 176; and, while any such order is in force in respect of any *bustee* or part thereof, the other provisions of this Act as to the payment and recovery of the consolidated rate shall apply to such *bustee* or part. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 184.]

Requisition for name of owner.

179. The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the occupier of any land or building to furnish him within fifteen days with the name and address of the owner of such land or building. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 166, 167 and 185.]

Occupier liable to owner's rate on failure to furnish owner's name and address.

180. If the occupier of any land or building refuses or neglects to comply with a notice served under section 179, he shall be liable to pay the rate payable by the owner on account of such land or building; and, on non-payment thereof, the Commissioner may recover the same by distress and sale of any movable property found on the land or in the building: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 186.]

Provided that no arrear of the rate which has remained due from the owner of any land or building for more than one year shall be so recovered from the occupier thereof.

Payment of consolidated rate how affected by objections to valuation.

181. (*1*) When an objection to a valuation has been made under section 156, the consolidated rate shall, pending the final determination of the objection, be paid on the previous valuation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 187.]

(*2*) If, when the objection has been finally determined, the previous valuation is altered, then—

(*a*) any sum paid in excess shall be refunded or allowed to be set off against any present or future demand of the Corporation under this Act, and

(*b*) any deficiency shall be deemed to be an arrear of the consolidated rate and shall be payable and recoverable as such:

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Clause 181.)

Provided that—

(*a*) if any premises have, for the purposes of valuation under section 149, been subdivided or amalgamated with any other premises, and an objection to the valuation thereof has been made under section 156, then the consolidated rate shall, pending the final determination of the objection, be paid on such valuation; and

(*b*) if, when such objection has been finally determined, such valuation is reduced, and if the consolidated rate has already been paid thereon, then the sum paid in excess shall be refunded or allowed to be set off against any present or future demand of the Corporation under this Act.

(*3*) (*a*) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Chapter or in Chapter XVII, the amount of money due to the Corporation in lieu of the consolidated rate on account of buildings and lands, being the property of Government (other than those exempted under section 147), and beneficially occupied, shall be ascertained in the manner provided in clauses (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) and shall be paid by the Government to the Corporation annually on presentation of a bill for the same. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 144.]

(*b*) The said rate shall be fixed by a person from time to time appointed in this behalf by the Local Government, with the concurrence of the Corporation.

(*c*) In determining such rate, the said person shall have a general regard to the provisions in this Act contained relating to the valuing of property assessable to the consolidated rate, and shall fix such amount as he shall deem to be fair and reasonable.

(*d*) The decision of the person so appointed shall hold good for a term of six years, subject only to proportionate variation, if in the meantime the number or extent of the buildings and lands vesting in the Government materially increases or decreases, and the assessment shall thereafter be revised in the same manner at the termination of successive periods of six years.

(*e*) The consolidated rate paid on account of any Government building or land which was fixed under the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall continue to be paid for the unexpired portion of the period for which such consolidated rate was fixed under that Act. Ben. Act III of 1899.

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XII.

TAX ON CARRIAGES AND ANIMALS.

Carriages and animals specified in Schedule VII.

Tax on carriages and animals specified in Schedule VII.

182. (*1*) A tax, at rates not exceeding those respectively prescribed in Schedule VII, shall be imposed upon all carriages and animals specified in that Schedule and kept in Calcutta, except— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 188.]

(*a*) carriages kept for sale by *bonâ fide* dealers in such carriages and not used for any other purpose;

(*b*) carriages and animals belonging to the Government or the Corporation;

(*c*) carriages and animals certified by the Commissioner or by the Commissioner of Police to be used by the owner thereof for municipal or police purposes;

(*d*) tram-cars and animals employed in working street tramways;

(*e*) horses referred to in section 25 of the Indian Volunteers Act, 1869; and XX of 1869.

(*f*) horses which any person exempted from the operation of any municipal tax by an order issued under section 3 of the Municipal Taxation Act, 1881, is bound by the regulations of the service to which he belongs, to keep. XI of 1881

(*2*) The rates at which the said tax is to be imposed shall be determined annually in the Budget Estimate prepared under Chapter VIII.

Tax when payable.

183. The tax imposed under section 182 shall be payable half-yearly in advance. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 189.]

Payment of tax on hackney-carriages and animals before registration.

184. The Registrar appointed under section 5 of the Calcutta Hackney-carriage Act, 1891, shall, before registering any hackney-carriage, satisfy himself that the tax imposed under section 182 upon such carriage and the animals used therefor has been duly paid— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 190.] Ben. Act II of 1891.

(*a*) for the current half-year, and

(*b*) for the last preceding half-year.

Obligation to furnish statements, and payment and remission of tax.

185. (*1*) The owner or the person in charge of any carriage or animal liable to the tax imposed under section 182 shall, before the first day of May and the first day of November in each year,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 191.]

(*a*) forward to the Municipal Office a written statement, signed by him, containing a description of all carriages and animals owned by him or in his charge which are so liable, and

(*b*) at the same time pay to the Corporation the tax payable for the current half-year in respect of the carriages and animals specified in such statement.

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(2) Any person who becomes the owner or takes charge during any half-year of any carriage or animal liable to the tax imposed under section 182 shall, within one week of his so becoming owner or taking charge,—

(*i*) forward to the Municipal Office a statement of the kind mentioned in clause (*a*), and

(*ii*) at the same time pay to the Corporation the tax payable in respect of such carriage or animal for the whole of the said half-year:

Provided that the tax payable in respect of any carriage or animal shall not be levied twice for the same half-year.

(3) If the Commissioner is satisfied—

(*i*) that any carriage liable to such tax has not been used during the half-year, or

(*ii*) that any carriage or animal liable to such tax has been kept for only a portion of the half-year,

he may refund or remit the whole of the tax payable in respect of such carriage or animal for the said half-year or such portion of such tax as he may think fit.

(4) For the purposes of this section a livery stable-keeper shall be deemed to be the owner or to be in charge of every carriage or animal in his stables.

Power to Commissioner to require occupier to furnish statements.

186. The Commissioner may from time to time, by written notice, require the occupier of any land or building to forward to him a statement, signed by such occupier, containing— [*Cf.* 1899, 192.]

(1) the name and address of every person who owns or is in charge of any carriage or animal which is kept in or on such land or building and is liable to the tax imposed under section 182, and

(2) a description of all such carriages and animals.

Grant of license on payment of tax.

187. (1) When any person pays to the Corporation the amount of the tax imposed under section 182 which is payable in respect of all carriages and animals kept by him, the Commissioner shall grant him a license to keep such carriages and animals during the current half-year, and no longer. [*Cf.* 1899, 193.]

(2) The Commissioner may at any time grant a similar license for any previous half-year for which no license has been taken out, on payment of the amount due for that half-year:

Provided that the production of such a license shall not afford a valid defence if the licensee is prosecuted for failing to take out a license within the time required by this Act.

Power to Commissioner to compound with livery stable-keepers, etc., for tax.

188. The Commissioner may, in his discretion, compound, for any period not exceeding one year, with any livery stable-keeper and other person keeping carriages for hire, or animals for sale or hire, for [*Cf.* 1899, 194.]

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a certain sum to be paid in respect of the carriages or animals so kept by such persons in lieu of the tax imposed thereon under section 182.

Power to Commissioner to require production of books and accounts by livery stable-keeper.

189. The Commissioner may, by written notice, require any person who carries on the trade or business of a livery stable-keeper to produce, for the inspection of the Commissioner, all books and accounts relating to such trade or business. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 195.]

Power to Commissioner to inspect any premises in pursuance of provisions of this Chapter, and to seize and dispose of carriages and animals.

190. (*1*) The Commissioner may inspect any stable, coach-house or other place for any of the purposes, or in pursuance of any of the provisions, of this Chapter. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 196.]

(*2*) If, on such inspection, he at any time finds any carriage or animal in respect of which no license has been obtained, the Commissioner—

(*a*) may, if the owner or person in charge of such carriage or animal is unknown, by written order, authorize any of the subordinate officers of the Corporation to take possession of such carriage or animal; and

(*b*) shall thereupon make such order as he may think fit respecting the custody of such carriage or animal.

(*3*) If any person, within the period of one month from the date of such order, establishes, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, his claim to the possession of such carriage or animal, the Commissioner shall order it to be delivered to him on payment of the tax due, together with such costs as the Corporation have reasonably incurred in taking possession of and keeping the same.

(*4*) If no person within the said period satisfies the Commissioner that he is entitled to the possession of such carriage or animal, the Commissioner may—

(*i*) cause the same to be sold for the recovery of the tax and costs referred to in sub-section (*3*); and

(*ii*) order the sale-proceeds, after deducting therefrom the said tax and costs (together with the costs of the sale), to be paid to any person who, within six months from the date of such sale, establishes, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, his claim to such proceeds.

Dogs.

Tax on dogs.

191. (*1*) A tax not exceeding two rupees *per annum* shall be imposed upon every dog kept in Calcutta.

(*2*) Such tax shall be payable yearly in advance, and the rate at which it is to be imposed shall be determined annually in the Budget Estimate prepared under Chapter VIII.

(*3*) The owner or person in charge of any dog liable to the tax imposed under sub-section (*1*) shall, before the first day of May in each year,—

(*a*) forward to the Municipal Office a list, signed by him, of all dogs owned by him or in his charge which are so liable, and

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(*b*) at the same time pay to the Corporation the tax payable for the current year in respect of every such dog.

(*4*) Any person who, in the course of any year, becomes the owner or takes charge of any dog shall, within one week of his so becoming owner or taking charge, furnish a like statement and pay to the Corporation the tax payable for that year in respect of such dog:

Provided that the tax payable in respect of any dog shall not be levied twice for the same year.

License and number-ticket for, and disposal of, dogs.

192. (*1*) When any person has paid to the Commissioner the tax payable in respect of any dog, the Commissioner shall—

(*a*) grant him a license to keep such dog during the current year, and

(*b*) provide him with a number-ticket, the number whereof shall be specified in the said license.

(*2*) The owner or person in charge of any dog so licensed shall at all times cause the said number-ticket to be kept attached to the collar or otherwise suspended from the neck of the dog.

(*3*) Any dog which has no such number-ticket for the then current year so attached or suspended—

(*i*) shall be presumed to be an unlicensed dog, and

(*ii*) may be seized by the police or by any person duly authorized by the Commissioner in this behalf, and detained until the tax due (if any) has been paid.

(*4*) If any person, within seven days from the date of such seizure, satisfies the Commissioner that he is the owner or keeper of such dog, the Commissioner shall order it to be delivered to such person on payment of the tax due (if any), together with the costs incurred by the Corporation in keeping the dog.

(*5*) If, within the said seven days, no person satisfies the Commissioner that he is the owner or keeper of the dog or pays the said tax and costs, the Commissioner may cause the dog, either—

(*a*) to be destroyed, or

(*b*) to be sold and the sale-proceeds, after deducting therefrom the said tax and costs (together with the costs of the sale) to be paid to any person who, within six months from the date of such sale, establishes, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, his claim to such proceeds.

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XIII.

TAX ON PROFESSIONS, TRADES AND CALLINGS.

Licenses to be taken out annually.

193. Every person who exercises or carries on in Calcutta, either by himself or by an agent or representative, any of the professions, trades or callings indicated in Schedule II, shall annually take out a license and pay for the same such fee as is mentioned in that behalf in the said Schedule: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 196.]

Provided that the grant of such a license shall not be deemed to affect the liability of the licensee to take out a license under any other section of this Act:

Provided also that the Commissioner may—

(*a*) remit or refund any portion of the fee so payable in respect of the exercise or carrying on of any profession, trade or calling, if he is satisfied that the profession, trade or calling has been exercised or carried on for less than half the year only, or,

(*b*) when any person is, in the Commissioner's opinion, unable to pay the fee due for a license, exempt him from liability to take out such license, or declare that he shall be entitled to take out a license under a lower class than that under which he is chargeable according to the said Schedule, or,

(*c*) in any other case, exempt any person from liability to take out a license or declare that any person shall be entitled to take out a license under a lower class than before.

Grant and contents of licenses.

194. (*1*) Every license mentioned in section 193 shall, in addition to the particulars required by section 501, sub-section (*1*), specify— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 196.]

(*a*) the profession, trade or calling in respect of which it is granted; and,

(*b*) (if the license is a local license as defined in rule 2 of Schedule II), the place of business where the said profession, trade or calling is exercised or carried on.

(*2*) The Commissioner may at any time grant a license for any previous year for which no license has been taken out, on payment of the fee which would have been payable therefor in the first instance:

Provided that the production of such a license shall not afford a valid defence if the licensee is prosecuted for failing to take out a license within the time required by this Act.

(Part IV.—Chapter XIII.—Tax on professions, trades and Callings.—Clauses 195, 196.)

Liability and class how to be determined.

195. The liability of any person to take out a license, and the class under which he shall be deemed bound to take out a license, shall be determined in accordance with the rules contained in Schedule II. [*Cf.* 1899, s 200.]

Power to Commissioner to require list of persons.

196. The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any building or place of business to forward to him within seven days a list, signed by such owner or occupier, of the names of all persons exercising or carrying on any profession, trade or calling therein, and of their respective professions, trades and callings. [*Cf.* 1899, s 201.]

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XIV.

SCAVENGING-TAX.

License to be taken out half-yearly, and fee to be paid therefor.

197. Every person who exercises in Calcutta any of the callings indicated in Part I of Schedule VIII shall every half-year take out a license and pay for the same a fee, to be calculated— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 203.]

(*a*) according to the number of animals kept by him in the exercise of such calling, or,

(*b*) in the case of the owner or occupier of a market, according to the average quantity of offensive matter and rubbish removed daily, as determined from time to time by the Commissioner,

at the rates mentioned in Part II of the said Schedule:

Provided that the Commissioner may remit or refund the whole or any portion of the fee so payable by any person in respect of any half-year if he is satisfied that such person himself removes the offensive matter and rubbish accumulating on his premises, or has exercised his said calling for a portion only of such half-year.

Grant and contents of licenses.

198. (*1*) Every license mentioned in section 197 shall, in addition to the particulars required by section 501, sub-section (*1*), specify— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 204.]

(*a*) the calling in respect of which it is granted and

(*b*) the animals in respect of which it is granted or, in the case of a market, the average quantity of offensive matter and rubbish removed daily, as determined by the Commissioner.

(*2*) Every such license shall be taken out not later than the first day of June or the first day of December in each year, as the case may be.

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XV.

TAX ON PETROLEUM.

Control by Corporation of storage and taxation of petroleum.

199. (*1*) The Corporation may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* and with the previous sanction of the Local Government, prohibit the introduction into Calcutta, for the purpose of storage therein, of petroleum intended for consumption elsewhere. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 206.]

(*2*) No person shall introduce petroleum into Calcutta in contravention of any notification published under sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) When any such notification has been published, a tax not exceeding four annas for every ten gallons may, with the sanction of the Local Government, be imposed, in the manner provided by Chapter VIII, on all petroleum introduced into Calcutta for consumption therein.

Confiscation of petroleum.

200. (*1*) All petroleum introduced into Calcutta in contravention of any notification published under section 199, sub-section (*1*), or of any by-law made under clause (*2*) of section 481, may be seized and confiscated. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 207.]

(*2*) All petroleum confiscated under this section shall become the property of the Corporation.

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XVI.

TAX ON CARTS.

Registration and numbering of carts.

201. (*1*) Every cart kept or used in Calcutta or the municipality of Howrah, except— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 208 and 210.]

(*a*) carts which are the property of the Government,

(*b*) carts which are the property of the Corporation of Calcutta or of the Commissioners of the Howrah or of any other municipality in the neighbourhood of Calcutta or Howrah, and

(*c*) carts which are kept at any place more than eight miles distant from Government House and are only temporarily and infrequently used in Calcutta or the municipality of Howrah,

shall be registered at the Municipal Office with the name and residence of the owner, and shall have a number-plate, showing the number of such registration, affixed thereto in such manner as the Commissioner may direct.

(*2*) Such registration shall be made, and the said numbers assigned, half-yearly, upon such dates as the Commissioner may appoint in that behalf.

(*3*) No person shall keep or be in possession of a cart not duly registered under this Chapter.

(*4*) No owner or driver of a cart shall fail to affix thereto a number-plate as required by sub-section (*1*).

Fees for registration of carts.

202. (*1*) The fee payable for each registration under section 201 shall be as follows:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 209.]

	Rs.
(*a*) for every cart propelled by mechanical power;	24
(*b*) for every trailer (being a cart) drawn by a cart referred to in clause (*a*);	12
(*c*) for every other cart;	4

and an additional charge of one rupee shall also be payable in each case for the number-plate to be affixed to the cart or trailer:

Provided that, if such number-plate is returned to the Municipal Office in serviceable condition, the said additional charge shall be refunded or set off against the charge leviable for a new number-plate.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, in his discretion, remit any portion of the fee leviable under sub-section (*1*) in respect of any cart if he is satisfied that the same has been kept or used for a portion of the half-year only.

(*3*) When the ownership of any registered cart is transferred during any half-year, it shall be re-registered in the name of the person to whom it has been transferred; and a fee of four annas shall be paid for every such re-registration.

(Part IV.—Chapter XVI.—Tax on Carts.—Clauses 203-205.)

Registration of drivers of carts

203. *(1)* The driver of every cart which has been registered under section 201 shall likewise be registered at the Municipal Office and shall have a number assigned to him.

(2) Such registration shall be made, and the said number assigned, half-yearly on the dates specified in section 201, sub-section *(2)*.

(3) A fee of one rupee shall be payable by each driver so registered and an additional charge of one rupee shall also be payable in each case for a number-ticket to be carried by the said driver:

Provided that, if such number-ticket is returned to the Municipal Office in serviceable condition, the said additional charge shall be refunded or set off against the charge leviable for a new number-ticket.

(4) No person shall drive a registered cart unless he has been duly registered under this section and unless he carries his registration number-ticket in a conspicuous position on his person.

Division of proceeds of registration fees, etc.

204. After deduction of the costs incurred on account of the registration of carts and drivers and the supply of number-plates and tickets under this Chapter, the total net proceeds of the fees and charges received by the Corporation for such registration shall be divided between the Corporation of Calcutta and the Commissioners of the municipality of Howrah and such other municipalities in the neighbourhood of Calcutta or of the municipality of Howrah as the Local Government shall declare to be entitled to a share in such proceeds, in such proportion as the Local Government may from time to time determine. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 209(4).]

Seizure and sale of unregistered carts and application of proceeds of sale

205. *(1)* If any person owns or keeps any cart not duly registered under this Chapter, the Commissioner may seize such cart, together with the animals (if any), drawing it, and detain the same in a place to be appointed by him in this behalf: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 211.]

Provided that no cart shall be so seized while conveying passengers or goods.

(2) If any cart or animals so seized be not claimed within ten days from the date of the seizure, it or they may be sold by auction by order of a Magistrate.

(3) The proceeds of such sale may be applied in defraying the expenses incurred on account of the seizure, detention and sale; and the surplus (if any), if not claimed within a period of twenty days from the date of such sale, shall be paid to the credit of the Municipal Fund.

(Part IV.)

CHAPTER XVII.

RECOVERY OF THE CONSOLIDATED RATE AND OTHER TAXES.

Saving of other Chapters.

206. The provisions of this Chapter shall be deemed to be in addition to, and not in derogation of, any powers conferred by or under other Chapters of this Act for the collection or recovery of the consolidated rate and other taxes. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 212.]

The Consolidated Rate.

Presentation of bills.

207. (*1*) When the consolidated rate or any instalment thereof is due, the Commissioner shall, with the least practicable delay, cause to be presented to the person liable a bill for the sum due. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 213.]

(*2*) Every such bill shall specify the period for which and the premises in respect of which the rate is charged.

(*3*) When any person is liable for the consolidated rate on account of more properties than one, the Commissioner may charge to him in one or several bills, as he may think fit, the several sums payable by him as such rate, on account of such properties :

Provided that if such person, by written notice to the Commissioner, requests to be furnished with separate bills for such sums, the Commissioner shall comply with such request in respect of all payments on account of the said rate for which such person becomes liable after receipt by the Commissioner of such notice.

Notice of demand.

208. (*1*) If the amount for which any bill has been presented under section 207 is not paid, within seven days from such presentation, into the Municipal Office or to a municipal officer appointed to receive the same, the Commissioner may cause to be served upon the person liable a notice of demand in the form in Schedule IX, or in a form to the like effect. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 214.]

(*2*) For every such notice of demand a fee of such amount, not exceeding one rupee as may in each case be fixed by the Commissioner, shall be payable by the said person, and the said amount shall be included in the costs of recovery.

Distraint in Calcutta.

209. (*1*) If the person liable for the payment of the consolidated rate does not, within seven days from the service of a notice of demand under section 208, pay the sum due, or show sufficient cause to the satisfaction of the Commissioner for non-payment of the same, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 215.]

such sum, with all costs of recovery, may be recovered under a warrant in the form in Schedule X, or in a form to the like effect, to be issued by the Commissioner—

(*a*) by distress and sale of any movable property belonging to such person, or,

(*b*) if such person be the occupier of any premises in respect of which the sum is due, by distress and sale of any movable property found on the said premises :

(Part IV.—Chapter XVII.—Recovery of the Consolidated Rate and other Taxes.—Clauses 210-215.)

Provided that, when the premises in respect of which the default is committed are a place of business, and the movable property distrained under clause (*b*) is shown to the satisfaction of the Commissioner to have been left there (by some person other than the person referred to in that clause) for repairs or safe custody in the ordinary course of business, it shall be released.

(*2*) The movable property of any person liable for the payment of any sum, for the recovery of which a warrant has been issued under sub-section (*1*), may be distrained wherever the same may be found in Calcutta.

(*3*) For every warrant issued under this section, a fee shall be charged at the rate mentioned in that behalf in Schedule XI, and the amount of the said fee shall be included in the costs of recovery.

Power to Commissioner to remit certain fees.

210. The Commissioner may, in his discretion, remit the whole or any part of any fee chargeable under section 208, sub-section (*2*), or section 209, sub-section (*3*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 216.]

Power to officer specially authorized to break open door or window.

211. Any officer charged with the execution of a warrant of distress issued under section 209, may, under the special written order of the Commissioner, between sunrise and sunset break open any outer or inner door or window of a building in order to make the distress— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 217.]

(*a*) if he has reasonable ground for believing that such building contains property which is liable to such distress, and

(*b*) if, after notifying his authority and purpose, and duly demanding admittance, he cannot otherwise obtain admittance :

Provided that such officer shall not enter, or break open the door of, any apartment appropriated to the use of females, until he has given not less than three hours' notice of his intention and has given such females an opportunity to withdraw.

Officer executing warrant to make inventory and notice of sale.

212. The officer charged with the execution of a warrant of distress issued under section 209, shall forthwith make an inventory of the movable property which he seizes under such warrant, and shall at the same time give a written notice, in the form in Schedule XII, or in a form to the like effect, to the person in possession thereof at the time of seizure, that such property will be sold as therein mentioned. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 218.]

Power to said officer to take away property if forcible removal apprehended.

213. If there is reason to believe that any property seized under a warrant of distress issued under section 209 is likely, if left in the place where it is found, to be removed by force, the officer executing the warrant may, under the special written order of the Commissioner, take it to the Municipal Office or to any place appointed by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 219.]

Distresses to be proportionate to sum distrained for.

214. The amount of property seized in any distress made under this Act shall not be disproportionate to the amount of the arrears due. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 220.]

Sale and disposal of proceeds.

215. (*1*) If a warrant of distress issued under section 209 is not in the meantime suspended by the Commissioner or discharged, the movable property seized thereunder shall, after the expiry of the period [*Cf.* 1899, s. 221.]

mentioned in the notice served under section 212, be sold by order of the Commissioner.

(*2*) All sales of property under this section shall, so far as may be practicable, be regulated by the procedure for the time being in force in the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta with respect to sale after distress.

(*3*) No municipal officer or servant shall directly or indirectly purchase any property at any such sale.

(*4*) The Commissioner shall apply the proceeds of every such sale, or such part thereof as shall be requisite, in discharge of the sum due and of the costs of recovery.

(*5*) The surplus (if any) of such proceeds shall be forthwith credited to the Municipal Fund; but, if the same be claimed by written application to the Commissioner within three years from the date of the sale, a refund thereof shall be made to the person who was in possession of the movable property at the time of its seizure.

(*6*) Any such surplus not so claimed shall be the property of the Corporation.

Power to Commissioner to issue fresh warrant when sale-proceeds insufficient.

216. (*1*) If the proceeds of any sale under section 215 are not sufficient to cover the sum due, together with the costs of recovery, the Commissioner may issue a fresh warrant of distress in the form in Schedule X, or in a form to the like effect, for the recovery of the balance due and for all additional costs thereof.

(*2*) The provisions of sections 209 to 215, inclusive, shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply whenever a warrant is issued under sub-section (*1*).

Recovery of owner's share of rate from occupier, or his sub-tenants, and deduction of amount from rent

217. (*1*) If the sum due from the owner of any land or building on account of the consolidated rate remains unpaid after notice of demand has been duly served upon him, the Commissioner may cause a notice of demand to be served upon the occupier of such land or building, or upon any of his sub-tenants for the time being thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, s 222.]

(*2*) If such occupier or any of such sub-tenants fails within fifteen days from the service of such notice to pay the amount therein demanded, the said amount may be recovered from him by distress and sale under the provisions of this Chapter.

(*3*) No arrear of the owner's share of the consolidated rate shall be recovered from any occupier or sub-tenant under this section if it has remained due for more than one year or if it is due on account of any period during which such occupier or sub-tenant was not in occupation of the land or building in respect of which the rate is due.

(*4*) If any sum is paid by or recovered from any occupier or sub-tenant of any land or building under this section, he shall be entitled to deduct the same from the rent payable by him in respect of such land or building for the period for which the arrear of consolidated rate was due, or for any subsequent period.

Liability of purchaser for vendor's share of consolidated rate.

218. The purchaser of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 223.]

(*a*) any land or building, or,

(*b*) any share, divided or undivided, in any land or building,

(Part IV.—Chapter XVII.—Recovery of the Consolidated Rate and other Taxes.—Clauses 219-221.)

in respect of which any sum is due at the time of the purchase on account of the owner's share of the consolidated rate, shall be liable for the said sum:

Provided that such purchaser shall not be liable for any sum so due for any period exceeding one year prior to the date of the purchase.

Execution of distress warrant outside Calcutta.

219. *(1)* When a warrant of distress has been issued against any person under section 209 or section 216— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 224.]

(*a*) if no sufficient movable property belonging to the said person can be found in Calcutta, or,

(*b*) when the said person is the occupier of premises in respect of which the consolidated rate is due, if no sufficient movable property can be found on such premises,

the Commissioner may issue a warrant, to any Magistrate in Bengal without Calcutta, for the distress and sale of any movable property belonging to the said person within the jurisdiction of such Magistrate.

(2) Any Magistrate to whom a warrant is so issued shall—

(*i*) endorse the same and cause it to be executed, and

(*ii*) remit the proceeds of the sale under such warrant to the Commissioner.

(3) Such proceeds shall be dealt with under the provisions of section 215.

Distraint not unlawful for want of form.

220. No distress levied under this Act shall be deemed unlawful, nor shall any person making the same be deemed a trespasser, on account of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 225.]

(*a*) any defect or want of form in the notice, summons, notice of demand, warrant of distress, inventory or other proceeding relating thereto, or

(*b*) any irregularity committed by the said person:

Provided that any person aggrieved by such defect or irregularity may recover, in any Court of competent jurisdiction, full satisfaction for any special damage sustained by him.

Power to Commissioner to take summary proceedings against persons about to leave Calcutta.

221. *(1)* If the Commissioner at any time has reason to believe that any person from whom any sum is due on account of the consolidated rate is about forthwith to remove from Calcutta, the Commissioner may direct the immediate payment by such person of the sum so due and cause a bill for the same to be presented to him. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 226.]

(2) If, on presentation of such bill, the said person does not forthwith pay the sum due by him, the amount shall be leviable by distress and sale under the provisions of this Chapter:

Provided that—

(*a*) it shall not be necessary to serve upon the said person any notice of demand, and

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(*b*) the warrant of distress may be issued and executed without any delay.

Power to Commissioner to sue for arrears.

222. It shall be competent to the Commissioner, instead of proceeding against a defaulter by distress and sale under the provisions of this Chapter, or after a defaulter has been so proceeded against unsuccessfully or with only partial success, to recover from him by suit, in any Court of competent jurisdiction, any sum due, or the balance of any sum due, as the case may be, on account of the consolidated rate, together with all costs. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 227.]

The consolidated rate to be a first charge on premises.

223. The consolidated rate due from any person in respect of any land or building shall, subject to the prior payment of the land-revenue (if any) due to the Government thereupon, be a first charge upon the said land or building and upon the movable property (if any) found within or upon such land or building and belonging to the said person. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 228.]

Other taxes.

Power to Commissioner to prosecute or serve notice of demand.

224. (*1*) When any sum is due from any person on account of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 229.]

(*a*) the tax on carriages and animals,

(*b*) the tax on professions, trades and callings, or

(*c*) the scavenging-tax,

the Commissioner may either prosecute such person under section 495 or cause to be served on him a notice of demand in the form in Schedule IX or in a form to the like effect.

(*2*) The provisions of section 208, sub-section (*2*), section 210 and clause (*a*) of section 220 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to every such notice of demand.

Election by defaulter to pay or to appear before Magistrate or Commissioner.

225. Within seven days after the service on any person of a notice of demand under section 224, such person may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 230.]

(*a*) pay the sum demanded together with any fee imposed under section 208, sub-section (*2*), or

(*b*) send a letter to the Commissioner, enclosing the sum demanded and electing to be prosecuted under section 495, or

(*c*) appear before the Commissioner, personally or by agent, and contest the demand.

Procedure by Commissioner after election by defaulter under section 225.

226. (*1*) If any person adopts the procedure provided by clause (*b*) of section 225, he shall be prosecuted as therein mentioned, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 231.]

and the sum deposited under that clause shall be deducted from the amount of any fine imposed under section 495.

(*2*) If he contests the demand in pursuance of clause (*c*) of section 225, the decision of the Commissioner, after hearing anything that may be urged by him or on his behalf, shall be final;

and if the Commissioner finds that the whole amount of the demand is due, he may, by way of penalty for previous failure to pay such amount,

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increase the same by any sum not exceeding fifty *per cent.* thereof.

Power to Commissioner to increase penalty where defaulter does not appear before Magistrate or Commissioner.

227. If, within seven days after the service on any person of a notice of demand under section 224, the said person has not taken any of the courses permitted by section 225, the Commissioner may, by way of penalty for previous failure to pay the amount due, increase the same by any sum not exceeding fifty *per cent.* thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 232.]

Distraint.

228. (*1*) If, in any case referred to in section 226, sub-section (*2*), or section 227, the amount of the demand, together with the amount of any penalty imposed thereunder, be not forthwith paid by the person liable to pay the same, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 233.]

such amount may, with all costs of recovery, be recovered under a warrant in the form in Schedule X, or in a form to the like effect, by distress and sale of the movable property of such person.

(*2*) The provisions of sections 209 to 216 and sections 219 to 221, inclusive, shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply whenever a warrant is issued under sub-section (*1*).

Power to Commissioner to seize hawkers' goods.

229. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections of this Chapter, if any person included under Class VI, number 55, or Class VII, number 57, in Schedule II, fails to take out a license under section 193, the Commissioner may cause the goods, which such person is hawking for sale, to be seized. [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 214.]

(*2*) Any goods so seized shall be dealt with, under the provisions of this Chapter, as property distrained under section 209.

Supplemental Provisions.

Taxes not invalid or defect of form.

230. (*1*) No assessment and no charge or demand of the consolidated rate or any other tax made under this Act shall be called in question or in any way affected by reason of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 234.]

(*a*) any mistake—

(*i*) in the name, residence, place of business or occupation of any person liable to pay the tax, or

(*ii*) in the description of any property or thing liable to the tax, or

(*iii*) in the amount of assessment of tax, or

(*b*) any clerical error, or

(*c*) any other defect of form.

(*2*) It shall suffice in the case of any such tax on property, or any assessment of value for the purpose of any such tax, if the property taxed or assessed is so described as to be generally known,

and it shall not be necessary to name the owner or occupier thereof.

Cancellation of irrecoverable dues.

231. The Corporation may order to be struck off the books any sum due on account of the consolidated rate or any other tax which may appear to them to be irrecoverable, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 235.]

and the Commissioner may similarly order to be struck off the books any sum due to the Corporation on any other account, if it appears to him that the same is irrecoverable.

PART V.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE.

CHAPTER XVIII.

WATER-SUPPLY.

Proprietary rights of the Corporation.

Public water-works, etc., vested in the Corporation.

232. All public tanks, reservoirs, cisterns, wells, aqueducts, conduits, tunnels, pipes, taps and other water-works, whether made, laid or erected at the cost of the Municipal Fund, or otherwise, and all bridges, buildings, engines, works, materials and things, connected therewith or appertaining thereto, and also any adjacent land (not being private property) appertaining to any public tank, shall be vested in the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 236.]

General duties of the Municipal Authorities in respect of the supply of water.

Corporation to provide supply of filtered and unfiltered water.

233. The Corporation shall provide— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 237.]

(*a*) a supply of filtered water in all parts of Calcutta, and

(*b*) a supply of unfiltered water—

(*i*) in those parts of Calcutta in which such water is provided at the commencement of this Act, and

(*ii*) in such other parts of Calcutta as they may think fit.

Bathing platforms and public stand-posts.

234. (*1*) The Corporation shall erect sufficient and convenient bathing platforms and public stand-posts for the supply, free of charge, of filtered water for bathing and other domestic purposes. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 238 and 239.]

(*2*) All such bathing platforms and stand-posts shall be supplied with a sufficient quantity of filtered water.

Hydrants, etc., for street-watering, etc.

235. On all distribution pipes in the unfiltered water system and, if the Corporation so direct, also in the filtered water system, the Commissioner shall provide suitable hydrants for street-watering, fire-extinguishing, washing down hackney-carriage stands, and flushing street-gullies, together with such sluices, branches and appliances as may be necessary for the efficient flushing of the municipal drains. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 240.]

(Part V.—Chapter XVIII.—Water-supply.—Clauses 236-240.)

Pressure of supply.

236. The pressure of the supply of filtered water in the municipal mains in Calcutta shall continuously be not less than forty feet; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 243.]

and the pressure of the supply of unfiltered water shall likewise be not less than forty feet, except during those hours when the pressure is locally reduced by street-watering, drain-flushing or extinguishing fire:

Provided that the Corporation may authorize a lower pressure in any case in which they may consider it impracticable to secure a pressure of forty feet.

Testing of purity of filtered water.

237. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner to test the purity of the supply of filtered water once every week and to lay the result before the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 245.]

Use of water.

Use of filtered water.

238. (*1*) Subject to the provisions of sections 248 and 250, filtered water shall be supplied for domestic purposes only. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 244 and 246.]

(*2*) No person shall, without the written permission of the Commissioner, use for other than domestic purposes filtered water supplied under this Chapter for the said purposes:

Provided that, in case of emergency, filtered water may be used for extinguishing fire.

Use of unfiltered water.

239. (*1*) Unfiltered water shall be used for public purposes, such as— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 246.]

(*a*) street-watering,

(*b*) flushing of municipal drains, public privies and urinals, gully pits and hackney-carriage stands, and

(*c*) extinguishing fire;

and shall also be used for such other purposes as the Corporation may direct.

(*2*) Unfiltered water may also be used, free of charge,—

(*i*) for flushing privies and urinals on private premises connected with the sewers, and

(*ii*) for flushing drains on private premises and for cleansing stables, cattle-sheds and cow-houses occupied by animals which are not kept for profit or hire.

(*3*) Unfiltered water shall not be used for domestic purposes.

Power to Commissioner to cut off filtered water supplied for other than domestic purposes.

240. Where filtered water is supplied to any person for any purpose other than a domestic purpose, the Commissioner may at any time cut off such supply. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 247.]

(Part V.—Chapter XVIII.—Water-supply.—Clauses 241-244.)

Private supply of water to premises.

Right of occupier of connected premises to receive water in consideration of payment of the consolidated rate

241. The occupier of any premises connected with the municipal water-supply shall be entitled to have, free of further charge, not more than fifteen hundred gallons of filtered water for every rupee paid to the Corporation as the consolidated rate on account of such premises, together with a sufficient supply of unfiltered water for flushing privies, urinals and drains within the premises and for cleansing stables, cattle-sheds and cow-houses within the premises which are occupied by animals not kept for profit or hire : [*Cf.* 1899, s. 248.]

Provided that—

(*a*) in no masonry building directly connected with the municipal water-supply shall the free allowance of filtered water be less than twenty, or more than fifty, gallons per head per day, calculated upon the ordinary number of inmates of the building, as determined by the Commissioner; and

(*b*) if, under the provisions of this Chapter, the Corporation at any time permanently discontinue the unfiltered water-supply, the Local Government may fix such larger free allowance of filtered water per day, in lieu of the supply of unfiltered water, as they may think fit.

Power to Commissioner to allow occupier of premises to lay down service-pipes.

242. Whenever he considers it practicable and consistent with the efficient maintenance of the municipal water-supply to do so, the Commissioner may allow any person occupying any premises to lay down service-pipes from the mains of the Corporation for the purpose of bringing into the premises a supply of filtered and unfiltered water for use therein under the provisions of this Chapter. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 249.]

Requisition by occupier of masonry building on owner to provide works for supply of water.

243. (*1*) Any occupier of a masonry building who holds the same direct from the owner may, by written notice signed by him, require the owner to provide all such necessary works as may be required for bringing into the premises within which such building is situate a sufficient supply of filtered water for domestic purposes and a sufficient supply of unfiltered water for the purposes specified in section 239, sub-section (*2*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 250.]

(*2*) Every such notice shall contain an undertaking on the part of the occupier—

(*a*) to pay, during the residue of his term of occupation, interest at the rate of one *per cent. per mensem*, calculated from the date of the completion of the works, on the cost of all works so provided by such owner, and,

(*b*) if the premises do not abut upon some street in which there is a supply-main, to pay the cost of connecting the premises with the nearest supply-main.

Provision or completion of works by occupier in default of owner, and deduction of expenses from rent.

244. If any owner upon whom a notice has been served under section 243 does not, within one month from such service, cause all necessary works, as required by the said notice, to be provided or completed, the occupier who gave the notice may cause the works to be provided or completed, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 251.]

(Part V.—Chapter XVIII.—Water-supply.—Clauses 245-248.)

and may deduct from the rent payable by him to such owner the expenses incurred by him in respect of such works, except so much of such expenses as may have been incurred under the circumstances mentioned in clause (*b*) of the said section 243.

Arbitration in case of difference between owner and occupier.

245. (*1*) If there is any difference between the owner and the occupier of any premises respecting the cost or the sufficiency of the water-supply thereof, either party may refer such difference to the Commissioner, and the written award of the Chief Engineer or of any officer authorized by the Commissioner in that behalf, shall be binding on such owner and occupier. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 252.]

(*2*) There shall be payable to the Corporation, by the person making a reference under sub-section (*1*), a fee at the rate of two rupees for every one hundred rupees of the monthly rent of the said premises:

Provided that such fee shall in no case exceed ten rupees.

Power to Commissioner to direct owner to obtain sufficient supply of water from nearest main.

246. Whenever it appears to the Commissioner that any premises are without a sufficient supply of water and that such a supply of water can be furnished from a main not more than one hundred feet distant from the nearest part of such premises, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner to obtain such supply and for that purpose to lay down such pipes, hydrants, stand-posts and other fittings and execute all such other works as the Commissioner may direct: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 253.]

Provided that—

(*a*) in any case in which the owner satisfies the Commissioner that he is too poor to bear the cost of the said works, the Commissioner may pay the whole or any part of such cost from the Municipal Fund; and

(*b*) if any premises in respect of which any notice is issued under this section are occupied by a person other than the owner, the occupier shall be bound, if the Commissioner so directs, to make to the owner, in respect of all works executed in pursuance of such notice, the payments prescribed by clause (*a*), or clauses (*a*) and (*b*), as the case may be, of section 243.

Water-supply not to be directly connected to huts.

247. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections of this Chapter, the municipal water-supply shall not be directly connected to any hut, but a sufficient supply of unfiltered water shall be provided for the flushing of any connected-privy attached to a hut.

Power to Commissioner to sell water for other than domestic purposes.

248. (*1*) The Commissioner may, in his discretion, supply filtered or unfiltered water for any purpose other than a domestic purpose, on receiving a written application specifying the purpose for which such supply is required and the quantity likely to be consumed: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 254.]

Provided that where, in the opinion of the Commissioner, the supply of unfiltered water might

possibly lead to contamination, only filtered water shall be supplied—

(*a*) for use by persons who manufacture articles for consumption by human beings, or

(*b*) for cow-houses where cows are kept for the purpose of supplying milk for sale.

(*2*) For all water supplied under sub-section (*1*), payment shall be made at such rate as may be prescribed by the Corporation.

(*3*) When any application under sub-section (*1*) is received, the Commissioner may, subject to such charges or rates as may have been fixed by the Corporation, place, or allow to be placed, the necessary service-pipes, taps and works (including water-meters), of such dimensions and character as may be prescribed by the Corporation, and may arrange for the supply of water through such pipes, taps, works and meters.

Supply of water to ships.

Supply of filtered water to ships.

249. (*1*) Filtered water from public stand-posts may be used, free of charge, for domestic purposes on ships for the time being lying at the jetties or in the docks of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899 s. 255.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall, on demand, supply every ship leaving the jetties or the docks of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta with a reasonable quantity of filtered water for use on the voyage, at such price, not exceeding five rupees for every thousand gallons, as the Corporation may determine.

Discontinuance of unfiltered water-supply.

Power to Corporation to discontinue supply of unfiltered water.

250. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, the Corporation may, with the sanction of the Local Government, discontinue the supply of unfiltered water in any part of Calcutta:

Provided that where the supply of unfiltered water is so discontinued—

(*a*) filtered water may be used for non-domestic purposes and for the purposes mentioned in section 239, and

(*b*) a sufficient quantity of filtered water shall, subject to the provisions of section 241, be supplied for all such purposes, in lieu of the unfiltered water discontinued as aforesaid.

Private connections of premises to the water-supply and maintenance thereof.

Rules as to private connections to premises.

251. All private connections of premises to the municipal mains for the supply of water therein, and all pipes, taps and other fittings used for such supply, shall be made, maintained and regulated in accordance with, and subject to, the rules contained in Schedule XIII.

Owner to keep works in repairs.

252. Except in the case of a special agreement to the contrary, the owner of any premises shall bear the expense of keeping all works connected with the supply of water thereto in substantial repair; and, if he fails to do so, the occupier may, after giving the owner three days' notice in writing, himself have the [1899, 255.]

repairs executed and deduct the expenses thereof from any rent which is due from him to the owner in respect of such premises:

Provided that nothing in this section shall affect the liabilities of parties under leases executed or made before the first day of April, 1889.

Power to Corporation to take charge of private connections

253. The Corporation may, if they think fit, take charge of all communication-pipes and fittings of any existing private water-works connected with the municipal water-supply up to and including the stop-cock nearest the supply-main for the said works, and such communication-pipes and fittings shall thereafter vest in, and be maintained at the expense of, the Corporation as municipal water-works. [*cf.* Bo. Act III 1888, s. 278.]

Regulation of consumption of water, and provision of meters.

Prevention of waste of filtered water in premises.

254. (*1*) Whenever the Commissioner has reason to believe that the filtered water-supply to any premises is being wasted, he may, by written notice, require the owner and occupier of the premises, within a period of four days after service of the notice, to repair and make good any defects in the pipes, taps or fittings connected with the water-supply, so as to put a stop to such waste. [*cf.* 189 s. 269.]

(*2*) If any notice issued under sub-section (*1*) is not complied with and the Commissioner has reason to believe that waste still continues, he shall cause to be served on the said owner and occupier a further notice informing them that if the first notice be not complied with within a further period of three days the supply of filtered water to the said premises will be cut off.

(*3*) If, after the expiration of the said period of three days, the Commissioner has reason to believe that waste still continues, he shall cut off the supply of filtered water to the said premises.

Power to Commissioner to provide water-meters.

255. (*1*) The Commissioner may, in his discretion, provide a water-meter and attach the same to the service-pipe of any premises connected with the municipal filtered water-supply. [*cf.* 1899, s. 270.]

(*2*) The expense of providing and attaching a meter under sub-section (*1*) shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Payment by occupier for filtered water supplied in excess of statutory allowance.

256. (*1*) When a meter has been attached to any premises, all filtered water which is shown thereby to have been supplied in excess of the free allowance to which the occupier is entitled under section 241 shall be paid for by him at the rate of one rupee for every three thousand gallons. [*cf.* 1899, s. 271.]

(*2*) The said free allowance shall be calculated on the amount of the consolidated rate payable quarterly, and the Commissioner may cause the meter to be read at any time during each quarter, but as nearly as practicable at intervals of three months:

Provided that if, during any quarter, the assessment of such premises is altered, the said free allowance shall be calculated on the consolidated rate payable on the assessment as altered.

(*3*) If such premises are ordinarily occupied by two or more persons holding in severalty, the owner shall be liable for water supplied in excess as referred

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to in sub-section (*1*); but such owner shall be entitled to recover rateably from the several occupiers any amount so paid.

(*4*) In any other case, if any premises change hands during any quarter, the last occupier shall be liable for any excess so supplied during the quarter, unless, not less than three days before the date of his occupation, he causes a written notice to be served upon the Commissioner in which—

(*a*) the date upon which such occupation is to commence is stated, and

(*b*) the Commissioner is required to cause the meter to be read on the said date.

(*5*) Upon receipt of such notice the Commissioner shall cause the meter to be read, and the previous occupier shall be liable for any such excess over the quantity to which he is entitled under section 241 in accordance with the proportion of the consolidated rate payable up to the date of the reading of the meter, or according to the number of the inmates of the said premises up to such date, as the case may be.

Presumption as to correctness of meter.

257. Whenever water is supplied under this Chapter through a meter, it shall be presumed that the quantity indicated by the meter has been consumed until the contrary is proved. [1899, 278.]

Rules as to meters.

258. The use, maintenance and testing of meters provided under this Chapter, and the calculation of the amount payable under section 256 in case of the incorrectness of any such meter, shall be in accordance with, and subject to, the rules contained in Schedule XIII.

Occupier of premises to be primarily liable for certain offences relating to water-supply.

259. (*1*) If it be shown that an offence against any provision of this Chapter, or against any rule or by-law made under this Act relating to water-supply, has occurred in any premises connected with the municipal water-supply, it shall, subject to the provisions of sub-section (*2*), be presumed, unless and until the contrary is proved, that such offence has been committed by the occupier of the said premises. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 286.]

(*2*) The existence of artificial means for— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 276 (*2*).]

(*a*) altering the index to any meter provided under this Chapter for measuring filtered water, or

(*b*) preventing any such meter from duly registering the quantity of water supplied, or

(*c*) abstracting or using water before it has been registered by such meter

shall, where the meter is under the custody or control of the consumer of such water, be *prima facie* evidence that the consumer has fraudulently caused such alteration, prevention, abstraction or use.

Supply of water for use beyond Calcutta.

Supply of filtered water to adjacent municipalities and cantonments.

260. (*1*) The Corporation may at any time, on receiving an application from the municipality or cantonment concerned, direct, by resolution, that such quantity of filtered water *per diem* as may be specified [*Cf.* 1899, s. 278.]

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in the resolution shall be delivered into reservoirs or pipes placed in—

(*a*) any of the following municipalities or cantonments, namely:—

Municipalities:

Baranagar,	North Dum-Dum,
Cossipur-Chitpur,	Panihati,
Garden Reach,	South Barrackpur,
Garulia,	South Dum-Dum,
Kamarhati,	South Suburban,
Maniktola,	Titaghar,
North Barrackpur,	Tollyganj;

Cantonments:

Barrackpur, | Dum-Dum; or

(*b*) any municipality which is hereafter formed by subdividing any municipality mentioned in clause (*a*), or by uniting into one municipality any of the municipalities mentioned in that clause;

and that for all water so delivered payment shall be made at such rate, not being less than the actual cost to the Corporation, as may be prescribed in such resolution.

(*2*) An appeal shall lie to the Local Government from any refusal by the Corporation to pass any such resolution, or from any direction given by the Corporation in any such resolution.

(*3*) Before deciding any such appeal, the Local Government shall consider any representation made by the Corporation with reference thereto.

(*4*) No order made on any such appeal shall direct the delivery of water at a lower rate of payment than the actual cost to the Corporation.

(*5*) Every order made by the Local Government on any such appeal shall be final.

Supply of water to persons residing out of Calcutta or for use without Calcutta.

261. (*1*) Subject to any rules from time to time made by the Corporation in this behalf, the Commissioner may, in his discretion, allow any person not residing in Calcutta to take or be supplied with water on such terms as the Corporation may from time to time prescribe. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 279.]

(*2*) No person shall, without the written permission of the Commissioner, take or cause to be taken for use without Calcutta water supplied under this Chapter:

Provided that this sub-section shall not apply to water taken by travellers for use on a journey.

Power to extend this Chapter to neighbourhood of Calcutta.

262. (*1*) If the Local Government determine that any area in the neighbourhood of Calcutta shall be included in the water-supply provided for by this Chapter, they may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend this Chapter or any portion thereof, together with any other portion of this Act which relates thereto, to such area. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 280.]

(*2*) In any such notification the boundaries of such area shall be defined, and the said notification shall take effect one month after the date of its publication in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

(*3*) When any portion of this Act has been so extended to any area, all expenses and compensation which, under this Act, may be ascertained and determined by a Court of Small Causes may be ascertained and determined by any Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction within such area; and any fines imposed for breach of any provisions of this Chapter may be enforced, by a Magistrate having jurisdiction within such area, in the manner prescribed by the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the levy of fines. V of 1898.

Supplemental provisions.

General powers of the Corporation.

263. The Corporation shall have the same powers and be subject to the same restrictions for carrying water-mains in or without Calcutta as they have and are subject to for carrying drains in or without Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 281.]

Power to Commissioner to cut off or turn off supply of water to premises.

264. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing sections of this Chapter, the Commissioner may cut off the connection between any water-works of the Corporation and any premises to which water is supplied from such works, or may turn off such supply, in any of the following cases, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 283.]

(*a*) if the premises are unoccupied;

(*b*) if (in the case of a *bustee*) the owner, or (in any other case) the occupier, of the premises fails, for fifteen days after the due presentation of a bill or the due service of a notice, to pay any sum due to the Corporation from him or in respect of such premises;

(*c*) if, after receipt of a written notice from the Commissioner requiring him to refrain from so doing, the owner or occupier of the premises continues to use the water or to permit the same to be used, in contravention of this Act or any rule or by-law made thereunder;

(*d*) if the occupier of the premises contravenes section 238, sub-section (*2*), or section 261, sub-section (*2*);

(*e*) if the occupier refuses to admit the Commissioner into the premises for the purpose of making any inspection under this Chapter or under any rule or by-law relating to water-supply made under this Act, or prevents the Commissioner from making such inspection;

(*f*) if the owner or occupier of the premises wilfully or negligently injures or damages his meter or any pipe or tap conveying water from any works of the Corporation;

(*g*) if any pipes, taps, works or fittings connected with the supply of water to the premises be found, on examination by the Commissioner, to be out of repair to such an extent as to cause a waste of water;

(*h*) if the use of the premises for human habitation has been prohibited under section 397;

(*i*) if there is any water-pipe situated within the premises to which no tap or other efficient means of turning the water off is attached; or

(*j*) if there is a leak in the service-pipe or fittings which causes damage to the public street:

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Provided as follows:—

(*i*) water supplied for flushing privies or urinals shall not be cut off or turned off;

(*ii*) water shall not be cut off or turned off in any case referred to in clause (*b*), clause (*g*) or clause (*h*), unless written notice of not less than twenty-four hours has been given to the occupier of the premises;

(*iii*) if, when the Commissioner demands payment of any expenses, his right to demand the same, or the amount of the demand, is disputed, the power to cut off or turn off water under clause (*b*) to secure payment of such expenses shall not be exercised unless and until the demand or part thereof is upheld on a reference made to a Court under section 525.

(*2*) The expense of cutting off the connection or of turning off the water and of restoring the same, as determined by the Commissioner in any case referred to in sub-section (*1*), shall be paid, in the case of a *bustee*, by the owner of the premises, and in any other case by the owner or occupier of the premises:

Provided that no charge for such expense shall be made in the cases mentioned in clause (*a*) and clause (*h*) of the said sub-section.

(*3*) When all moneys, for the non-payment of which water has been turned off or cut off from any premises under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), have been duly paid to the Corporation, together with the expense of cutting off or turning off and restoring the water, the Commissioner shall cause water to be supplied to such premises as before.

(*4*) If any money, for the non-payment of which water has been cut off or turned off from any premises under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), was due from the owner of the premises and is paid by the occupier, the occupier may deduct the amount thereof from the rent of the premises, together with the expenses paid by him under sub-section (*2*).

(*5*) No action taken under or in pursuance of this section shall relieve any person from any penalties or liabilities which he may otherwise have incurred.

Filling up wells when water supplied.

265. Whenever a supply of filtered and unfiltered water has been provided in any street, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any well situated in premises which are supplied from the mains to fill it up with suitable materials. [*Cf.* 1899, 284.]

Laying of pipes or construction of aqueducts beyond Calcutta for bringing water into Calcutta.

266. (*1*) When a plan for laying pipes or constructing aqueducts for bringing water into Calcutta from any place without Calcutta has been approved by the Local Government, the municipal authorities may, in the execution and for the purposes of the work, exercise, throughout the line of country without Calcutta through which such pipes or aqueducts are to run, all the powers which they might exercise under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder if the said pipes or aqueducts were to run in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, 285.]

(*2*) The Magistrate of any district without Calcutta through which the said pipes or aqueducts are to run, may exercise, in respect of such work, the same powers and jurisdiction as a Magistrate may, under this Act, exercise in respect of any work executed by a municipal authority in Calcutta.

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XIX.

DRAINS, PRIVIES AND OTHER RECEPTACLES FOR FILTH.

Proprietary Rights of the Corporation in respect of Drains.

Public drains, and drains in, alongside or under public streets, to vest in Corporation.

267. All public drains, and all drains in, alongside or under any public street, whether made at the charge of the Municipal Fund or otherwise, and all works, materials and things (including the soil) appertaining thereto shall vest in the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 286.]

Drains, etc., constructed, etc., at charge of Municipal Fund on private premises to vest in Corporation.

268. All drains and ventilation-shafts, pipes and other appliances and fittings connected with drainage-works constructed, erected or set up at the charge of the Municipal Fund in or upon premises not belonging to the Corporation, whether— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 287.]

(*a*) before or after the commencement of this Act, and

(*b*) for the use of the owner or occupier of such premises or not,

shall, unless the Corporation has otherwise determined, or do at any time otherwise determine, vest and be deemed always to have vested in the Corporation.

Duties of the Corporation in respect of Maintenance and Construction of Drains.

Repair and provision of municipal drains by Corporation.

269. The Corporation shall keep all municipal drains in repair, and shall cause to be made such drains as may be necessary for effectually draining Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 288.]

Provision by Corporation for outfall for discharge of storm-water and sewage.

270. (*1*) The Corporation shall provide a safe and sufficient outfall, in or without Calcutta, for the proper discharge of the storm-water and sewage of Calcutta in such manner as not to cause any nuisance, whether by flooding any part of Calcutta or of the country surrounding the outfall or in any other way. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 289.]

(*2*) The plans of such outfall and the method of disposing of sewage shall be subject to the sanction of the Local Government, who may from time to time direct such alterations to be made as they may consider necessary.

(*3*) If the outfall deteriorates, by the decay of existing river channels or otherwise, the Local Government may require such order to be taken, and such additions or alterations to be made to or in the outfall works, at the charge of the Municipal Fund, as they may consider necessary to ensure a safe and sufficient outfall.

Municipal Drains.

Power to Commissioner to improve, discontinue, etc., municipal drains, etc.

271. (*1*) Subject to the control of the Corporation, the Commissioner may— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 290 and 291.]

(*a*) enlarge, arch over, or otherwise improve any municipal drain, or

(*b*) discontinue, close up or destroy any municipal drain which has, in his opinion, become useless or unnecessary, or

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(*c*) carry any municipal drain—

(*i*) through, across or under any street or any place laid out as, or intended for, a street, and

(*ii*) (after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier) into, through or under any land whatsoever or under any building

in Calcutta or, for the purpose of outfall or distribution of sewage, without Calcutta, or

(*d*) construct any new municipal drain in the place of an existing drain in any land wherein any municipal drain has been already lawfully constructed, or

(*e*) repair or alter any municipal drain so constructed :

Provided that—

(*i*) if, in the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this section, it is proposed to demolish any house-drain, a written notice shall be served upon the owner of such drain ; and

(*ii*) if, by reason of anything done under this section, any person is deprived of the lawful use of any drain, the Commissioner shall, as soon as practicable, provide for his use some other drain as effectual as the one which has been discontinued, closed up or destroyed.

(*2*) In the exercise of any power conferred by this section, the Commissioner shall create the least practicable nuisance and do as little damage as may be, and shall, with the sanction of the Corporation, pay compensation to any person who sustains damage by the exercise of such power.

Railways, private streets, etc., not to be constructed over municipal drain without permission

272. (*1*) Without the written permission of the Corporation— [*cf.* 1899, s. 292.]

(*a*) no railway or private street shall be constructed, and

(*b*) no wall or other structure shall be newly erected

over any municipal drain.

(*2*) If any railway or private street be so constructed, or if any wall or other structure be so erected, without such permission, the Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Corporation, remove or otherwise deal with the same as he may think fit,

and the expenses incurred by the Commissioner in so doing shall, in the discretion of the Commissioner, be paid by the owner of such railway, private street, wall or other structure, or by the person offending.

Communication of drain under control of Local Authority beyond Calcutta with municipal drain

273. (*1*) Any Local Authority without Calcutta may cause any drain under its control to communicate with any municipal drain, on such terms and conditions as may be agreed on between such Local Authority and the Corporation. [*cf.* 1899, s. 293.]

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(2) If in any case terms and conditions cannot be agreed upon under sub-section (1), such Local Authority shall refer the matter to the Local Government, whose decision shall be final.

Communication of municipal drains with drains, lakes, etc., beyond Calcutta

274. (1) When a plan for making municipal drains to communicate with, or empty themselves into, any public drain, lake, stream, canal or water-course without Calcutta has been approved by the Local Government, the Corporation or the Commissioner, as the case may be, may, in the execution and for the purposes of the work, exercise, throughout the line of country without Calcutta, through which the said drains are to run, all the powers which they might exercise under this Act if the said drains were to run entirely in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 294.]

(2) The Magistrate of any district without Calcutta, through which the said drains are to run, may exercise, in respect of the said work, the same powers and jurisdiction as a Magistrate may, under this Act, exercise in respect of any work executed by a municipal authority entirely in Calcutta.

Drainage of Premises.

Right of owner or occupier of premises to empty his house-drain into municipal drain.

275. The owner or occupier of any premises shall be entitled to cause his house-drain to empty into a municipal drain, provided that, before doing so, he— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 295.]

(*a*) obtains the written permission of the Commissioner, and

(*b*) complies with such conditions as the Commissioner may prescribe as to the mode in which, and the superintendence under which, communications between house-drains and municipal drains are to be made.

Connections with municipal drains not to be made except in conformity with section 276.

276. (1) No person shall, without complying with the provisions of section 275, make, or cause to be made, any connection of a house-drain with a municipal drain. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 296.]

(2) The Commissioner may close, demolish, alter or re-make any such connection made in contravention of sub-section (1);

and the expenses incurred in so doing shall, in the discretion of the Commissioner, be paid by the owner or occupier of the premises for the benefit of which such connection was made, or by the person offending.

Compulsory connection of house-drains with each other.

277. When a house-drain belonging to one or more persons has been laid in any private street which is common to more than one premises, and the Commissioner considers it desirable that any other premises should be drained into such drain, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 297.]

he may, by written notice, require the owner of such premises to connect his house-drain with such first-mentioned drain;

and the owners of such first-mentioned drain shall thereupon be bound to permit such connection to be made:

Provided that no such connection shall be made—

(*a*) except upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Commissioner, and

(*b*) until any payment which may be directed by the Commissioner has been duly made.

(Part V.—Chapter XIX.—Drains, Privies and other Receptacles for Filth.—Clauses 278-280.)

Power to Commissioner to drain group or block of premises by a combined operation.

278. *(1)* If it appears to the Commissioner that any group or block of premises may be drained more economically or advantageously in combination than separately, [*cf.* 1899, s. 298.]

and a sewer of sufficient size already exists or is about to be constructed, within one hundred feet of any part of such group or block of premises,

the Commissioner may cause such group or block of premises to be drained by a combined operation.

(2) The expenses incurred in carrying out any work under sub-section *(1)* in respect of any group or block of premises shall be paid by the owners of such premises in such proportions as the Commissioner may think fit.

(3) Not less than fifteen days before any such work is commenced, the Commissioner shall give to each such owner—

(a) written notice of the nature of the proposed work, and

(b) an estimate of the expenses to be incurred in respect thereof and of the proportion of such expenses payable by him.

Power to Commissioner to enforce drainage of undrained premises situate within one hundred feet of a municipal drain.

279. When any premises are, in the opinion of the Commissioner, without sufficient means of effectual drainage, and a municipal drain or some place approved by the Commissioner for the discharge of drainage is situated at a distance not exceeding one hundred feet from any part of the said premises, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of the said premises— [*cf.* 1899, s. 299.]

(a) to make a house-drain emptying into such municipal drain or place;

(b) to provide and set up all such appliances and fittings as may appear to the Commissioner necessary for the purposes of gathering and receiving the drainage from, and conveying the same off, the said premises and of effectually flushing such house-drain and every fixture connected therewith; or

(c) to remove any existing house-drain, or other appliance or thing used or intended to be used for drainage, which is injurious to health.

Power to Commissioner to enforce drainage of undrained premises in other cases.

280. When in any case not provided for in section 279, any premises are, in the opinion of the Commissioner, without sufficient means of effectual drainage, he may, by written notice, require the owner of such premises to make a house-drain communicating with the nearest municipal drain: [*cf.* 1899, s. 300.]

Provided as follows:—

(a) the cost of constructing that portion of the house-drain so made, which is situate more than one hundred feet from the said premises, shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund; and

(b) if, in the opinion of the Commissioner, there is no municipal drain within a reasonable distance of such premises, he may, by

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written notice, require the owner of the premises to construct—

(*i*) a closed cesspool of such material, size and description, and in such position, as he may prescribe, and

(*ii*) a house-drain communicating with such closed cesspool.

Power to Commissioner to close or limit the use of house-drain in certain cases.

281. When a house-drain connecting any premises with a municipal drain is sufficient for the effectual drainage of such premises and is otherwise unobjectionable, but is not, in the opinion of the Commissioner, adapted to the general drainage system of Calcutta, the Commissioner may, by written notice addressed to the owner of the premises, direct— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 301.]

(*a*) that such house-drain be closed, discontinued or destroyed and that any work necessary for that purpose be done; or

(*b*) that such house-drain shall from such date as he prescribes in this behalf, be used for sewage, offensive matter and polluted water only or for rain-water and unpolluted sub-soil water only;

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) no house-drain may be closed, discontinued or destroyed by the Commissioner under clause (*a*) except on condition of his providing another house-drain equally effectual for the drainage of the premises and communicating with any municipal drain which he thinks fit; and

(*ii*) the expenses of the construction of any drain so provided by the Commissioner and of any work done under clause (*a*) shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Power to Commissioner to require that sewage and rain-water drains be distinct in any premises.

282. (*1*) Whenever it is provided in this Chapter that steps shall or may be taken for the effectual drainage of any premises, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner to construct— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 302.]

(*a*) one house-drain for sewage, offensive matter and polluted water, and

(*b*) another and entirely separate house-drain for rain-water or unpolluted sub-soil water or for both rain-water and unpolluted sub-soil water,

each emptying into separate municipal drains or other suitable places.

(*2*) Any requisition made by the Commissioner under sub-section (*1*) may embrace any detail specified in clause (*b*) of section 279. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 301 (*3*).]

Power to Commissioner to require paving, maintaining and raising level of court-yard, etc.

283. For the purpose of efficiently draining any land or building, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any court-yard, alley, passage or open space— [1899, s. 306.]

(*a*) to pave the same with such materials and in such manner as may be approved of by the Commissioner, and to keep such paving in proper repair, or

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(*b*) to raise the level of such court-yard, alley, passage or open space.

Surface drains for huts.

284. (*1*) The Commissioner may prescribe such surface drains for the drainage of huts as the circumstances of the locality and the position of the nearest municipal drain may render practicable. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 307.]

(*2*) If the Commissioner considers that a new surface drain should be constructed for the benefit of the occupants of any hut, he may, by written notice, require the owner of the land on which such hut stands to construct such drain ;

and such owner shall maintain and from time to time cleanse and repair the drain so constructed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner.

(*3*) The powers conferred by this section shall be deemed to be in addition to, and not in derogation of, the powers conferred by section 279 and section 280.

Rules as to drains.

285. Drains shall be constructed, maintained, repaired, altered and regulated in accordance with— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 308.]

(*a*) the rules contained in Schedule XIV, and

(*b*) requisitions made under such rules.

Privies, urinals and bathing and washing places.

Power to Commissioner to provide and maintain public privies and urinals.

286. The Commissioner shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 309.]

(*a*) provide and maintain, in proper and convenient situations, privies and urinals for the use of the public, and

(*b*) cause all privies and urinals so provided to be constructed and kept so as not to be a nuisance or injurious to health.

Power to Commissioner to license public privies and urinals.

287. (*1*) The Commissioner may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 310.]

(*a*) grant licenses, for any period not exceeding one year, for the provision and maintenance of privies and urinals for the use of the public, and

(*b*) at any time, if he thinks fit, cancel any license so granted after giving one month's notice to the licensee.

(*2*) No person shall—

(*i*) keep a privy or urinal for the use of the public without obtaining a license therefor under sub-section (*1*), or

(*ii*) keep such privy or urinal after such license has been cancelled, or

(*iii*) suffer a licensed public privy or urinal of which he is the licensee, to be in a filthy or noxious state.

Power to Commissioner to require privy and other accommodation to be provided in new buildings.

288. (*1*) In every new building— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 311 and Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 247.]

(*i*) intended for human habitation, or

(*ii*) at or in which labourers or workmen are to be employed,

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such privy and urinal accommodation, and accommodation for bathing or for the washing of clothes and domestic utensils, shall be provided as the Commissioner may prescribe.

(*2*) In prescribing any such accommodation the Commissioner may determine in each case—

(*a*) whether such building shall be provided with service or connected-privies or urinals, or partly with one and partly with the other; and

(*b*) what shall be the site or position of each privy, urinal, or bathing or washing place, and their number.

Power to Commissioner to require such provision to be made in other cases.

289. (*1*) When any premises are without privy, urinal, or bathing or washing place accommodation, or if the Commissioner is of opinion that the existing privy, urinal or bathing or washing place accommodation available for the persons occupying or employed in any premises is insufficient, inefficient, or on any sanitary grounds objectionable, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of such premises— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 312 and Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 248.]

(*a*) to provide such, or such additional, privy, urinal or bathing or washing place accommodation as he may prescribe; or

(*b*) to make such structural or other alterations in the existing privy, urinal, or bathing or washing place accommodation as he may prescribe; or

(*c*) to substitute connected-privy or connected-urinal accommodation for any service-privy or service-urinal accommodation:

Provided that where the privy, urinal, or bathing or washing place accommodation of any premises—

(*i*) has been, and is being, used in common by the persons occupying or employed in such premises and any other premises, or

(*ii*) is, in the opinion of the Commissioner, likely to be so used,

the Commissioner may, if he is of opinion that such accommodation is sufficient to admit of the same being used by all the persons occupying or employed in all the said premises, direct in writing that separate privy, urinal, or bathing or washing place accommodation need not be provided on or for such other premises:

Provided also that the Commissioner may, if he is of opinion that there is sufficient municipal latrine accommodation available for all the persons occupying or employed in any premises, direct that separate privy or urinal accommodation need not be provided for such premises.

(*2*) Any requisition under sub-section (*1*) may comprise any detail specified in section 288, sub-section (*2*).

Power to Commissioner to require provision of privies and urinals for premises used as a market, etc.

290. If it appears to the Commissioner that any premises are, or are intended to be, used as a market, railway-station, dock, wharf or other place of public resort, or as a place for the employment of persons [*Cf.* 1899, s. 313.]

exceeding twenty in number, in any manufacture, trade or business, or as workmen or labourers, he may, by written notice, require the owner of such premises to provide such service or connected-privies and urinals for the separate use of persons of each sex as he may prescribe.

Rules for construction, etc., of privies and urinals.

291. Privies and urinals, and all appurtenances thereof, shall be constructed, maintained, repaired, altered and regulated in accordance with— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 314.]

(*a*) the rules contained in Schedule XIV, and

(*b*) requisitions made under such rules.

Cost of repair of privy payable out of Municipal Fund in certain cases.

292. (*1*) If, within three years after any privy has been provided or altered with the sanction or on the requisition of any municipal authority, a requisition is made by the Commissioner for the rebuilding or alteration of such privy, the expenses of such rebuilding or alteration shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 316.]

(*2*) When any notice has been issued under section 289 or Schedule XIV in respect of any privy, urinal or group of privies or urinals erected before the first day of April, 1900, and the Corporation are satisfied that the owner of the land or building on or in which any such privy or urinal is situated is from poverty unable to pay the whole or part of the expenses of carrying out the work required by the notice, the Corporation may direct that such expenses, or such portion thereof as they think fit, be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

Inspection of drains, house-gullies, privies and urinals.

House-drains, etc., not belonging to the Corporation to be subject to inspection and examination.

293. All house-drains, ventilation-shafts and pipes, cesspools, house-gullies, privies, and urinals which do not belong to the Corporation, or which have been constructed, erected or set up at the charge of the Municipal Fund on premises not belonging to the Corporation, for the use or benefit of the owner or occupier of the said premises, shall be open to inspection and examination by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 317.]

Power to Commissioner to open ground, etc., for purposes of such inspection and examination.

294. For the purpose of any inspection and examination under section 293, the Commissioner may cause the ground or any portion of any house-drain or other work exterior to a building, or any portion of a building which he may think fit, to be opened; broken up or removed: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 318.]

Provided that in the prosecution of any such inspection and examination as little damage as may be shall be done.

Expenses of inspection and examination by whom to be paid

295. (*1*) If, upon any inspection and examination under section 293, it is found that the house-drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, house-gully, privy or urinal examined is in proper order and condition, and that none of the provisions of this Chapter or of Schedule XIV have been contravened in respect of the construction or maintenance thereof, and that no encroachment has been made thereupon, the ground or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work (if any) opened, broken up or removed, for [*Cf.* 1899, s. 319.]

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the purpose of such inspection and examination shall be filled in, re-instated and made good by the Commissioner.

(2) But if, upon any such inspection and examination, it is found that any house-drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, house-gully, privy or urinal so examined is not in good order or condition, or has been repaired, changed, altered, encroached upon or (except when the same has been constructed by or under the order of a municipal authority) constructed in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter, or of Schedule XIV, or of any enactment at the time in force,

the expenses of the inspection and examination shall be paid by the owner of the premises, and the said owner shall at his own cost fill in, re-instate and make good the ground, or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work opened, broken up or removed for the purpose of such inspection and examination:

Provided that the amount recoverable as expenses of such inspection and examination shall not in any case exceed ten rupees.

Power to Commissioner to require repairs, etc., to be made

296. *(1)* When the result of any inspection and examination under this Chapter is as described in section 295, sub-section *(2)*, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of the premises in which the house-drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, house-gully, privy or urinal referred to in the said sub-section is situate— [*Cf* 1899, s 320.]

(a) to close or remove the same or any encroachment thereupon; or

(b) to renew, repair, cover, re-cover, trap, ventilate, pave and pitch, flush, cleanse or take such other order with the same as the Commissioner may think fit to direct, and to fill in, re-instate and make good the ground or the portion of any building, house-drain or other work opened, broken up or removed for the purpose of the said inspection and examination.

(2) In any such case the Commissioner may, forthwith and without notice, stop up or demolish any house-drain by which sewage, offensive matter or polluted water is carried through, from, into or upon any premises in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter or of Schedule XIV;

and may also, forthwith and without notice, clear, cleanse or open out any house-drain which is choked, blocked or in any way obstructed;

and all expenses incurred by the Commissioner in so doing shall, in his discretion, be paid by the owner or the occupier of the premises.

Position of Cesspools and other Filth Receptacles.

Position of cesspools.

297. *(1)* No person shall construct a cesspool— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 304 and 325.]

(a) beneath any part of any building, or within fifty feet of any tank, reservoir, water-course or well; or

(*b*) upon any site or in any position in Calcutta which has not been approved in writing by the Commissioner; or

(*c*) upon any site or in any position without Calcutta, which has not been so approved and is situated within three hundred feet of any reservoir used for the storage of filtered water to be supplied to Calcutta.

(*2*) The Commissioner may at any time, by written notice, require any person within whose premises any cesspool is constructed in contravention of sub-section (*1*), to remove such cesspool or to fill it up with such material as may be approved by the Commissioner.

No filth receptacle to be situated within fifty feet of tank, well, water-course or reservoir

298. (*1*) No person shall construct any house-drain, service-privy, urinal or other receptacle for sewage or offensive matter, not being a cesspool, within fifty feet of any tank, well or water-course or any reservoir for the storage of water, unless he first satisfies the Commissioner that he will take such order therewith as will prevent any risk of sewage or offensive matter passing by percolation or otherwise into such tank, well, water-course or reservoir. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 325.]

(*2*) The Commissioner may at any time, by written notice, require any person within whose premises there is situated, within fifty feet of any tank, well, water-course or reservoir for the storage of water, any receptacle mentioned or referred to in sub-section (*1*), to remove such receptacle.

(*3*) This section shall also apply to any such receptacle, without Calcutta, which is constructed or situated within fifty feet of any reservoir used for the storage of filtered water to be supplied to Calcutta.

General Powers and Duties of the Commissioner.

Power to Commissioner to affix shafts or pipes for ventilation of drain or cesspool

299. For the purpose of ventilating any drain or cesspool, whether vested in the Corporation or not, the Commissioner, subject to the control of the Corporation, may erect upon any premises or affix to the outside of any building, or to any tree, any such shaft or pipe as may appear to him to be necessary. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 321.]

Power to Commissioner to execute work when municipal drains, etc., affected

300. When a notice has been issued under this Chapter or Schedule XIV, requiring any person to construct or alter a drain, the Commissioner may himself cause to be constructed or altered so much of the drain as runs through, over or under any municipal drain, public aqueduct or public street, and the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner of the drain. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 326.]

Power to Commissioner to provide new drains, etc., in executing works.

301. (*1*) In executing any drainage-works under this Chapter, the Commissioner, with the previous sanction of the Corporation, shall provide and make, out of the Municipal Fund, a sufficient number of convenient ways, water-courses and drains in substitution for any that may be interrupted, injured or rendered useless by reason of the execution of such works; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 324.]

and, if any difference arises between the Commissioner and the persons affected, the same shall be

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settled by the Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction in the place where such works are executed, on application to be made to it for this purpose.

(2) The decision of the said Court of Small Causes shall, subject to the provisions of section 6 of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, or section 25 of the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, as the case may be, be final. XV of 1882. IX of 1887

General power to Commissioner in respect of house-drains, cesspools, privies and urinals.

302. Subject to the provisions of this Chapter and of Schedule XIV,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 328.]

(*a*) all house-drains, as well within as without the premises to which they belong, all cesspools and all privies and urinals shall, as regards their site, construction, materials and dimensions and the arrangements for flushing the same, be under the survey and control of the Commissioner, and

(*b*) the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any premises in which any house-drain, cesspool, privy or urinal is situated, to alter, pave, repair or ventilate the same or to keep it in such a state of repair as to admit of its being sufficiently cleaned, or to supply it with water, or connect it with a sewer, or stop up or demolish it.

Power to Commissioner to require occupier to carry out work in place of owner

303. When, under the provisions of this Chapter or of Schedule XIV, the Commissioner may require the owner of any premises to carry out any work, the Commissioner may, if, for reasons to be recorded by him in writing, he considers it desirable so to do, require the occupier of the said premises to carry out such work and the occupier shall be bound to comply with the requisition: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 815.]

Provided that such occupier may deduct the amount of the expenses reasonably incurred or paid by him in respect of such work from the rent payable to the owner, or may recover the same from him in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

Power to Commissioner to execute work without giving person liable the option of executing it

304. (*1*) When, under the provisions of this Chapter or of Schedule XIV, any person may be required or is liable to execute any work, the Commissioner may, if it appears to him to be expedient and necessary so to do, himself cause such work to be executed without first giving such person the option of executing the same. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 260.]

(*2*) The expenses of any work so executed shall be payable by the said person, unless the Corporation direct the payment of such expenses out of the Municipal Fund.

General Prohibitions.

Prohibition of certain acts

305. No person shall,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 328.]

(*a*) in contravention of any of the provisions of this Chapter or of Schedule XIV, or of any notice issued or direction given thereunder, or without the written permission of the Commissioner,

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in any way alter the fixing, disposition or position of, or construct, erect, set up, renew, rebuild, remove, obstruct, stop up, destroy or change,

any drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, privy or urinal, or any trap, covering or other fitting or appliance connected therewith; or,

(*b*) without the written permission of the Commissioner, renew, rebuild or unstop any drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, privy or urinal, or any fitting or appliance, which has been, or has been ordered to be, discontinued, demolished or stopped up under any of the said provisions; or,

(*c*) without the written permission of the Commissioner, make any encroachment upon, or in any way injure or cause or permit to be injured, any drain, cesspool, house-gully, privy or urinal; or

(*d*) drop, pass or place, or cause or permit to be dropped, passed or placed, into or in any drain, any brick, stone, earth or ashes, or any substance or matter, by which or by reason of the amount of which such drain is likely to be obstructed; or

(*e*) pass, or permit or cause to be passed, into any drain provided for a particular purpose, any matter or liquid for the conveyance of which such drain was not provided; or

(*f*) cause or suffer to be discharged into any drain from any factory, bakehouse, distillery, workshop or workplace, or from any building or place in which steam, water or mechanical power is employed,

any hot water, steam or fumes, or any liquid which would prejudicially affect the drain or the disposal by sale or otherwise of the sewage conveyed along the drain, or which would, from its temperature or otherwise, be likely to create a nuisance.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

306. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from—

(*a*) any notice issued or other action taken or proposed to be taken, as the case may be, by the Commissioner under proviso (*i*) or proviso (*ii*) to section 271, clause (*b*) of section 275, section 276, sub-section (*2*), section 277, section 278, section 279, section 280, section 281, section 282, section 283, section 284, section 288, section 289, section 290, section 296, section 297, section 298, or section 302, or

(*b*) any refusal by the Commissioner to grant a written permission under clause (*a*) of section 275, or section 305, or

(*c*) any order of the Commissioner refusing to grant, or cancelling, a license under section 287.

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CHAPTER XX.

LICENSED PLUMBERS.

Power to Commissioner to license plumbers.

307. (*1*) The Commissioner may from time to time grant to any person he thinks fit a license to act as a plumber for the purposes of Chapter XVIII or Chapter XIX.. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 329.]

(*2*) Every such license shall be for a renewable period of three years.

(*3*) If the Commissioner refuses any application for a license under this section, he shall, at the request of the applicant and without any charge, furnish him with his reasons for such refusal, in writing under his signature.

Rules for guidance of plumbers.

308. The Commissioner may make rules for the guidance of licensed plumbers, and a copy of all such rules, for the time being in force, shall be written on the back of every license granted under section 307. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 330.]

Powers and duties of plumber licensed for drainage works.

309. A plumber holding a license for the purposes of Chapter XIX— [*Cf.* 1899, s 331.]

(*a*) may prepare, for the approval of the Commissioner, plans and estimates for the drainage of premises;

(*b*) may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, carry out drainage works in accordance with this Act and the rules or by-laws made thereunder;

(*c*) shall furnish the Commissioner with plans of all drainage works carried out under clause (*b*);

(*d*) may carry out any necessary repairs to municipal drainage works;

(*e*) may, when the owner or occupier of any premises has failed to comply with a notice requiring such owner or occupier to provide for the effectual drainage of such premises and if so directed by an order signed by the Commissioner, carry out such works as may be necessary for the effectual drainage of the said premises; and

(*f*) shall, when any works have been executed under clause (*e*), furnish the Commissioner with plans of the same and with a statement of the cost of such works.

Prohibition of work by other than licensed plumber.

310. (*1*) No person other than a licensed plumber shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 332.]

(*a*) execute any work in connection with the laying on of water from any mains of the Corporation to any land or building, or in connection with the extension of such mains or the supply of additional fittings after water has been so laid on, or

(*b*) make any underground drain communicating with the public sewers, or

(*c*) do any work in connection with such drain.

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(*2*) No owner or occupier of any land or building shall cause or allow any work referred to in sub-section (*1*) to be executed by any person other than a licensed plumber.

(*3*) If the owner or occupier of any land or building contravenes sub-section (*2*) in respect of any work referred to in clause (*a*), the Commissioner may, whether such owner or occupier is prosecuted under this Act or not, cut off the municipal water-supply connection with the said land or building until the said work has been dismantled or re-executed to his satisfaction.

Power to Corporation to prescribe remuneration of licensed plumbers.

311. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time prescribe the charges to be paid to licensed plumbers for any work done by them under or for any of the purposes of Chapter XVIII or Chapter XIX. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 333.]

(*2*) No licensed plumber shall, for any work referred to in sub-section (*1*), demand or receive more than the charge prescribed therefor under that sub-section.

Control over licensed plumbers and their work and charges.

312. The Commissioner shall provide for— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 334.]

(*a*) the exercise of an adequate control over all licensed plumbers ;

(*b*) the inspection of all work carried out by them ; and

(*c*) the hearing and disposal of complaints made by owners or occupiers of premises with regard to the quality of the work done by, the materials used by, or the charges made by, licensed plumbers.

Prohibitions and cancellation of license.

313. (*1*) No licensed plumber shall infringe any of the rules made under section 308, or execute carelessly or negligently any work under this Act or under any rules or by-laws made thereunder, or make use of bad materials, appliances or fittings. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 335.]

(*2*) If any licensed plumber contravenes sub-section (*1*), his license may be cancelled, whether he be prosecuted under this Act or not.

Appeal.

Appeal to General Appeals Committee.

314. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any order of the Commissioner refusing to grant or renew a license under section 307.

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CHAPTER XXI.

STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES.

Proprietary Rights of the Corporation.

Public streets and squares vested in the Corporation and power to the Corporation to name such streets and squares.

315. (*1*) All public streets and squares (not being the property and kept under the control of the Government or the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta), including the soil, and the side-drains, footways, pavements, stones and other materials of such streets and squares, and all erections, materials, implements and other things provided for such streets or squares shall vest in and belong to the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 336.]

(*2*) The Corporation may, from time to time, determine the name by which any public street or square is to be known. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 348 (*1*).]

Maintenance, Repair, Protection and Regulation of Streets and Public Places.

Maintenance and repair of public streets by Corporation.

316. The Commissioner shall, out of funds to be allotted by the Corporation, cause the public streets to be maintained and repaired, and for those purposes may do all things necessary for the public safety or convenience, including the construction and maintenance of bridges, causeways and culverts. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 337.]

Watering, etc., of public streets and squares.

317. The Commissioner shall, so far as he may consider it necessary so to do for the public convenience, cause the chief public streets and squares to be watered, oiled or otherwise treated in a suitable manner, and for that purpose may provide such animals, water-carts, materials and other apparatus as he may think necessary. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 338.]

Rules for maintaining, repairing, etc., streets and public places.

318. Streets and public places shall be maintained, repaired, protected and otherwise regulated in accordance with the rules contained in Schedule XV.

Power to Commissioner to remove or alter portions of buildings or fixtures attached to building which project, etc., over public street or land.

319. (*1*) When any portion of a building or any fixture attached to a building so as to form part of the building, whether erected before or after the commencement of this Act, causes a projection, encroachment or obstruction over or on any public street or any land vested in the Corporation, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the building to remove or alter such portion of the building or fixture. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 341.]

(*2*) If the expense of removing or altering any such portion of a building or fixture is paid by the occupier of the building, in any case in which the same was not erected by himself, he shall be entitled to deduct the expense of removal or alteration from the rent payable by him to the owner of the building.

(*3*) If the owner or occupier of the building proves that any such portion of the building or fixture was erected before the first day of June, 1863, or that it was erected on or after that day with the consent of any municipal authority duly empowered in that behalf, the Corporation shall, after such portion of the building or fixture has been removed, make reasonable compensation to every person who suffers damage by the removal or alteration thereof.

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Power to Commissioner to remove other obstructions in public street.

320. (*1*) The Commissioner may remove any wall, fence, rail, post, platform, or other obstruction, projection or encroachment (not being a portion of a building or fixture referred to in section 319) which has been erected or set up, and any materials or goods which have been deposited, in a public street or in or over any drain or aqueduct in a public street, whether the offender be prosecuted under this Act or not; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 342.]

and the offender shall be liable for the payment of the expense of such removal.

(*2*) When, under sub-section (*1*), the Commissioner removes any wall or other obstruction, projection or encroachment from land which forms part of a public street, no compensation shall be payable, but the Commissioner shall be bound to provide proper means of access to and from the street if none exists already.

Building-lines and Street Alignments for Public Streets.

Power to Corporation to prescribe building-line and street alignment.

321. (*1*) If the Corporation consider it expedient to prescribe for any public street a building-line or a street alignment, or both a building-line and a street alignment, as the case may be, they shall give public notice of their intention so to do. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 350.]

(*2*) Every such notice shall specify a period within which objections will be received.

(*3*) The Corporation shall consider all objections received within the said period, and may then make an order prescribing a building-line or a street alignment, or both a building-line and a street alignment, as the case may be, for such public street.

(*4*) A building-line shall not be prescribed so as to extend further back than the front of any building (other than a boundary wall) abutting on the street at its widest part.

(*5*) Every order made under sub-section (*3*) shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and shall take effect from the date of such publication.

Restrictions on erection of, or addition to, buildings or walls within street alignment or building-line

322. (*1*) No portion of any building or wall shall be erected or added to within a street alignment prescribed under section 321: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 351.]

Provided that the Corporation may, in their discretion, permit additions to a building to be made within a street alignment, if such additions merely add to the height of, and rest upon, an existing building or wall, upon the owner of the building executing, if required to do so by the Commissioner, an agreement binding himself and his successors in interest—

(*a*) not to claim compensation in the event of the Commissioner at any time thereafter calling upon him or such successors, by written notice, to remove any building erected or added to in pursuance of such permission, or any portion thereof, and

(*b*) to pay the expenses of such removal.

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clauses 323, 324.)

(2) If the Commissioner refuses to grant the permission applied for to erect or add to any building on the ground that the proposed site falls wholly or in part within a street alignment prescribed under section 321, and if such site, or the portion thereof which falls within such alignment, be not acquired by the Commissioner on behalf of the Corporation within one year after the date of such refusal, the Corporation shall pay reasonable compensation to the owner of the site.

(3) If any person desires to erect or add to any building between a street alignment and the building-line prescribed under section 321, he shall submit an application in writing to the Commissioner for permission so to do.

(4) If the Commissioner grants the permission applied for under sub-section (3), he may require the applicant to execute an agreement in accordance with the proviso to sub-section (1):

Provided that it shall not be necessary to obtain permission under this section to erect, between a street alignment and the building-line,—

(a) a porch or balcony, or,

(b) along not more than one-third of the frontage, an out-house not exceeding 15 feet in height.

Power to Commissioner to take possession of, and add to street, land situated within prescribed street alignment or covered by projecting buildings.

323. (1) The Commissioner may at any time, on behalf of the Corporation, take possession of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 352.]

(a) any land (abutting on a public street) upon which any building or wall projecting beyond the front of the adjoining building or wall, on either side of such first mentioned building or wall, has collapsed or been demolished or burnt down, and

(b) any land not covered by buildings (including land on which a building has collapsed or been demolished or burnt down) which is situated within a street alignment prescribed under section 321,

after making full compensation to the owner thereof for any direct damage which he may sustain thereby.

(2) Any land taken possession of under sub-section (1) shall forthwith be added to and become part of the said street, and shall vest in the Corporation.

Explanation.—The expression "direct damage," as used in sub-section (1) with reference to land, means the market-value of the land taken and the depreciation, if any, in the ordinary market-value of the rest of the land resulting from the area being reduced in size; but does not include damage due to any particular use to which the owner may allege that he intended to put the land although such use may be injuriously affected by the reduction of the site.

Power to Corporation to set buildings forward to improve line of public street.

324. The Corporation may, upon such terms as they think fit, allow any building or wall to be set forward for the purpose of improving the line of a public street. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 353.]

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clauses 325-329.)

Opening, Improvement and Closing of Public Street.

Power to Corporation to make, improve and close streets.

325. The Corporation may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 854.]

(*a*) lay out and make new streets;

(*b*) construct new bridges and sub-ways;

(*c*) turn, divert, discontinue or permanently close any public street or part thereof; and

(*d*) widen, open, enlarge, or otherwise improve any public street.

Power to Corporation to dispose of so much of a permanently-closed street as is not required.

326. (*1*) When any public street, or part thereof, is permanently closed under section 325, the Corporation may sell or lease the site of so much of the road-way and foot-path as is no longer required, making due compensation to, or providing means of access for, any person who may suffer damage by such closing. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 855.]

(*2*) In determining such compensation under section 526, the Court shall make allowance for any benefit accruing to the same premises or any adjacent premises belonging to the same owner from the construction or improvement of any other public street at or about the same time that the public street, on account of which the compensation is paid, is closed.

Projected Public Streets.

Projected public streets.

327. (*1*) The Corporation may from time to time prepare schemes and plans of projected public streets, showing the direction of such streets, the street alignment and building-line on each side of them, their intended width, and such other details as may appear desirable. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 856.]

(*2*) The width of such projected streets, inclusive of space for foot-paths, shall not be less than forty feet or, in a *bustee*, twenty feet:

Provided that—

(*a*) the sub-section shall not apply in any case in which the projected street, or any part thereof, runs along an existing street and the Corporation consider it impracticable to widen the street to the extent of forty feet or twenty feet, as the case may be; and

(*b*) if the width of the projected street be less than forty feet, the building-line for masonry buildings on each side thereof shall not be less than twenty feet from the centre line of such street.

Provisions of section 322 to apply to projected public streets.

328. The provisions of section 322 shall, with all necessary modifications, apply to public streets projected under section 327.

Acquisition of Land and Buildings.

Power to Corporation to acquire land and buildings for improvement of public streets.

329. (*1*) The Corporation may acquire— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 857.]

(*a*) any land required for the purpose of opening, widening, extending or otherwise improving any public street, or of making any new public street, and

(*b*) the buildings (if any) standing upon such land.

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clause 330.)

(*2*) The Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government, may acquire, in addition to land and buildings acquired under sub-section (*1*), any land outside any proposed street alignment, with the buildings (if any) standing thereupon, which the Corporation may, for any of the purposes mentioned in sub-section (*1*), consider it expedient to acquire.

Abandonment of Acquisition.

Abandonment of acquisition in consideration of special payment.

330. (*1*) In any case in which the Local Government have sanctioned the acquisition of land under section 329, sub-section (*2*), the owner of the land, or any person having an interest therein, may make an application to the Commissioner, requesting that the acquisition of the land may be abandoned in consideration of the payment by such person of a sum to be fixed by the Corporation in that behalf. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 357 and Ben. Act V of 1911, s. 78.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall admit every such application, if it—

(*a*) reaches him before the time fixed by the Collector under section 9 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, for making claims in reference to the land, and I of 1894.

(*b*) is made by all persons who have interests in the land greater than a lease for years having seven years to run.

(*3*) If the Commissioner admits any such application, he shall forthwith inform the said Collector, and the Collector shall thereupon stay, for a period of three months, all further proceedings for the acquisition of the land, and the Corporation shall proceed to fix the sum in consideration of which the acquisition of the land may be abandoned.

(*4*) Within the said period of three months, or, with the permission of the Corporation, at any time before the Collector has taken possession of the land under section 16 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, I of 1894. the person from whom the Corporation have arranged to accept the sum so fixed may, if the Corporation are satisfied that the security offered by him is sufficient, execute an agreement with the Corporation, either—

(*i*) to pay the said sum two years after the date of the agreement, or

(*ii*) to leave the said sum outstanding as a charge on his interest in the land, subject to the payment in perpetuity of interest at the rate of four *per cent. per annum*, and to make the first annual payment of such interest three years after the date of the agreement:

Provided that the Corporation may, at any time before the Collector has taken possession of the land under section 16 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, I of 1894. accept immediate payment of the said sum instead of an agreement as aforesaid.

(*5*) When any agreement has been executed in pursuance of sub-section (*4*), or when any payment has been accepted in pursuance of the proviso to that sub-section, in respect of any land, the proceedings for the acquisition of the land shall be deemed to be abandoned.

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clauses 331-333.)

(*6*) Every payment due from any person under any agreement executed under sub-section (*4*) shall be a charge on the interest of that person in the said land.

(*7*) If any instalment of interest payable under an agreement executed in pursuance of clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*4*) be not paid on the date on which it is due, the sum fixed by the Corporation under sub-section (*3*) shall be payable on that date, in addition to the said instalment.

(*8*) At any time after an agreement has been executed in pursuance of clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*4*), any person may pay off the charge created thereby, with interest, at the rate of four *per cent. per annum* up to the date of such payment.

(*9*) When an agreement in respect of any land has been executed by any person in pursuance of sub-section (*4*), no suit with respect to such agreement shall be brought against the Corporation or the Commissioner by any other person (except an heir, executor or administrator of the person first aforesaid) claiming to have an interest in the land.

Recovery of money payable in pursuance of section 330.

331. When an agreement has been executed by any person in pursuance of section 330, sub-section (*4*), in respect of any land, and any money payable in pursuance of that section is not duly paid, the same shall be recoverable by the Commissioner (together with interest, up to the date of realization, at the rate of four *per cent. per annum*), under the provisions of this Act;

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 357 and Ben. Act V of 1911, s. 79.]

and, if not so recovered, the Commissioner may, after giving public notice of his intention so to do, and not less than one month after the publication of such notice, sell the interest of the said person or successor in such land by public auction, and may deduct the said money and the expenses of the sale from the proceeds of the sale, and shall pay the balance (if any) to the defaulter.

Agreement or payment under section 330 not to bar acquisition under a fresh declaration.

332. If any land in respect of which an agreement has been executed, or a payment has been accepted, in pursuance of section 330, sub-section (*4*), be subsequently required for any of the purposes of this Act, the agreement or payment shall not be deemed to prevent the acquisition of the land in pursuance of a fresh declaration published under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894.

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 357 and Ben. Act V of 1911, s. 80.]

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Special Provisions as to Private Streets.

Making of new private streets.

333. (*1*) Any person intending to make or lay out a new private street shall send to the Commissioner a written notice, with plans and sections showing the following particulars of the proposed street, namely :—

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 358.]

(*a*) the level and width of the street,

(*b*) the street alignment and the building-line, and

(*c*) the arrangements to be made for levelling, paving, metalling, flagging, channelling, sewering, draining and lighting the street.

(*2*) The provisions of this Act as to the width of public streets and the height of buildings abutting

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clauses 334, 335.)

thereon, and as to projected public streets, shall respectively apply in the case of streets referred to in sub-section (*1*); and all the particulars referred to in that sub-section shall be subject to approval by the Corporation:

Provided that the Corporation may allow a private street to be made or laid out of a width less than forty feet, but not less than twenty feet, if the distance between the building-lines for masonry buildings on each side of the street be not less than forty feet:

Provided also that, at the time of sanctioning the making of a private street less than forty feet in width, the Corporation may reserve the right to call upon the person to whom such sanction is granted, or his successor in interest, at any time after a period to be fixed by the Corporation, to widen such street to the full width of forty feet, and such person or his successor in interest shall thereupon be bound to obey such requisition.

(*3*) Within sixty days after the receipt of any notice under sub-section (*1*), the Corporation shall either sanction the making of the street, or disallow it, or ask for further information with respect to such street.

(*4*) Such sanction may be refused—

(*i*) if the proposed street would conflict with any arrangements which have been made, or which are in the opinion of the Corporation likely to be made, for carrying out any general scheme of street improvement, or

(*ii*) if the proposed street does not conform to the provisions of this Act referred to in sub-section (*2*), or

(*iii*) if the proposed street is not designed so as to connect at one end with a street which is already open.

(*5*) If further information is asked for under sub-section (*3*), no steps shall be taken to make or lay out the street until orders have been passed upon receipt of such information.

Prohibition of breach of section 333.

334. No person shall make or lay out any street referred to in section 333, sub-section (*1*),— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 859.]

(*a*) until he has obtained the sanction of the Corporation under that section, or

(*b*) in contravention of any orders made thereunder.

Alteration or demolition of street made in breach of section 333.

335. (*1*) If any person makes or lays out any street referred to in section 333, sub-section (*1*), without having obtained the sanction of the Corporation under that section, or in contravention of any orders made thereunder, the Commissioner may, whether or not the offender be prosecuted under this Act, by written notice,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 860.]

(*a*) require the offender to show sufficient cause, by a written statement signed by him and sent to the Commissioner on or before such day as may be specified in the notice, why such street should not be altered to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, or, if such alteration be impracticable, why such street should not be demolished, or

(Part V.—Chapter XXI.—Streets and Public Places.—Clauses 336-338.).

(*b*) require the offender to appear before the Commissioner, either personally or by a duly authorized agent, on such day and at such time and place as may be specified in the notice, and show cause as aforesaid.

(*2*) If any person on whom such notice is served fails to show sufficient cause, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, why such street should not be so altered or demolished, the Commissioner may cause the street to be so altered or demolished, and the expenses thereof shall be paid by such person.

Levelling, etc., of private streets.

336. (*1*) If any private street or any part thereof be not levelled, paved, metalled, flagged, channelled, sewered, drained and lighted to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, he may, by written notice to the owner of such private street or the respective owners or occupiers of the land fronting, adjoining or abutting upon such street or part, as the case may be, require them to level, pave, metal, flag, channel sewer, drain and light such street or part. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 361.]

(*2*) If such notice be not complied with and the Commissioner, under section 513, sub-section (*2*), executes the works mentioned or referred to therein, the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner of such private street or the owners or occupiers in default, in such proportion as may be settled—

(*a*) by the Commissioner, or,

(*b*) in case of dispute, by the Court under section 526.

Power to Corporation to take over private streets.

337. If any private street which conforms to the provisions of this Act referred to in section 333, sub-section (*2*), be levelled, paved, metalled, flagged, channelled, sewered, drained and lighted to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, and if a majority of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 362.]

(*a*) the owners of buildings in such street, or

(*b*) the owners of the street, or

(*c*) the owners or occupiers who have paid the expenses referred to in section 336, sub-section (*2*),

signify in writing their consent thereto, the Corporation may, if they think fit, declare the same, by written notice put up in any part of such street, to be a public street, and thereupon the same shall become a public street and shall vest in the Corporation.

Appeal.

Appeal to General Appeals Committee.

338. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from—

(*a*) any written notice issued by the Commissioner under section 319, sub-section (*1*), or section 336, sub-section (*1*),

(*b*) any refusal by the Commissioner, under section 322, sub-section (*2*), to permit a building to be erected or added to between a street alignment and the building-line, and

(*c*) any action taken or proposed to be taken by the Commissioner under section 335, sub-section (*2*).

(*Part V.*)

CHAPTER XXII.

BUILDINGS.

Use of building-sites, and erection of new buildings.

339. No piece of land shall be used as a site for the erection of a new building, and no new building shall be erected, otherwise than in accordance with— [*Cf* 1899, s. 363.]

(*a*) the provisions of this Chapter and of Schedule XVI, and

(*b*) any orders, rules or by-laws made under this Act,

relating to the use of building-sites or the erection of new buildings, as the case may be.

Commissioner to determine site of proposed masonry building.

340. If any question arises as to what, for the purposes of this Act, shall be deemed to be the site of any proposed masonry building, the Commissioner shall determine the same, and his decision shall be final.

Licensed Building Surveyors.

Licensing of building surveyors.

341. (*1*) The Commissioner may from time to time grant to any person he thinks fit a license to act as a licensed building surveyor for the purposes of this Chapter. [*Cf* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 356.]

(*2*) The Corporation may prescribe the qualifications to be required in persons to whom licenses may be granted under sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) Every such license shall be for a renewable period of three years.

(*4*) If the Commissioner refuses any application for a license under this section, he shall, at the request of the applicant and without any charge, furnish him with his reasons for such refusal, in writing under his signature.

Rules for guidance of licensed building surveyors.

342. The Commissioner may make rules for the guidance of licensed building surveyors, and a copy of all such rules, for the time being in force, shall be written on the back of every license granted under section 341. [*Cf* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 356.]

Power to Commissioner to decline plans, etc., made by persons other than licensed building surveyors.

343. The Commissioner may decline to accept any plan, elevation or section, submitted with any application for permission to erect a new building, unless such plan, elevation or section has been prepared by and bears the signature of a licensed building surveyor. [*Cf* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 359.]

Buildings generally.

Power to Corporation to regulate future erection of certain classes of buildings in particular streets or localities.

344. (*1*) The Corporation may at any time give public notice of their intention to declare that, in any street, portion of a street or locality specified in the notice,— [*Cf* 1899, s. 367.]

(*a*) the elevation and construction of the frontage of all new buildings (other than huts) thereafter erected shall, in respect of their architectural features, be such as the Commissioner may consider suitable to the locality, or

(*b*) the erection of only detached buildings will be allowed, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to detached buildings, or

(Part V.—Chapter XXII.—Buildings.—Clauses 345-347.)

(*c*) the erection of shops, or of buildings of the warehouse class, will not be allowed without the special permission of the Commissioner, or

(*d*) the erection of buildings of the warehouse class will be allowed, subject to the provisions of this Act relating to such buildings, or

(*e*) the erection of huts will not be allowed without the special permission of the Commissioner, or

(*f*) the court-yard of every hut thereafter erected shall be paved with some impermeable material.

(*2*) No objections to any such declaration shall be received after a period of three months from the publication of such notice.

(*3*) The Corporation shall consider all objections received within the said period, and may prepare a declaration relating to the streets or localities referred to in the notice and submit the declaration to the Local Government, together with the said objections (if any) and their report upon them.

(*4*) The Local Government, after considering the said objections (if any), may confirm the declaration, and before doing so, may modify it, but not so as to extend its effect.

(*5*) When any such declaration has been so confirmed, it shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and shall take effect from the date of such publication.

(*6*) No person shall erect any new building in contravention of any such declaration.

Masonry building not to be erected without special permission in certain cases.

345. (*1*) Save with the special permission of the Commissioner, no new building (other than a hut) shall be erected unless—

(*a*) the site of such building abuts on a public street, or a projected public street, or a private street duly sanctioned and constructed under section 333, or

(*b*) there is access to the building from any such street by a passage or pathway, appertaining exclusively to such site, and not less than sixteen feet wide at any part.

(*2*) No building shall be erected so as to deprive any masonry building of the means of access prescribed by clause (*b*).

Power to Commissioner to require alteration of existing public building.

346. For the purpose of bringing any public building into conformity with the provisions of this Act relating to new public buildings, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of the building to make such alterations therein as may be specified in the notice.

Prohibition of change in user of a building.

347. (*1*) Save with the special permission of the Commissioner, no person shall use a building or part of a building erected for use as, and belonging to, any one class of buildings, as a building of any other class in such a manner that the building or part thereof so used will not be in conformity with the provisions

of this Act, or of any rules or by-laws made thereunder, relating to buildings of the said other class.

(*2*) The provisions of sub-section (*1*) shall not apply to the use as a shop of a building or part of a building which was not erected for such use :

Provided that if, in any street, portion of a street or locality in which the erection of shops is not allowed under clause (*c*) of section 344, any such building or part thereof is used as a shop without the special permission of the Commissioner, he may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of such shop to close the same.

Application of Act to alterations of, and additions to, buildings.

Application of Act to alterations of, and additions to, buildings

348. Unless the Commissioner, on application made to him in writing in any case, otherwise directs, the provisions of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 391.]

(*a*) this Chapter,

(*b*) Schedule XVI, and

(*c*) any orders, rules and by-laws made under this Act,

relating to the erection of new buildings, shall, subject to the rules in Part X of the said Schedule XVI, apply to every alteration of, or addition to, any building, and to any other work (except that of necessary repairs not involving any of the works specified in rule 94 of the said Schedule) made or done for any purpose in, to, or upon any building.

Explanation.—No work of re-erection or re-construction which would constitute any building a new building under sub-clause (*b*), sub-clause (*c*) or sub-clause (*d*) of clause 36 of section 3 shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be an alteration of, or addition to, or any other work made or done to or upon, such building, but in the case of such re-erection or re-construction the provisions relating to the erection of new buildings as referred to in this section shall apply to the whole of the said new building.

Exemptions.

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349. The following buildings shall be exempted from the operation of this Chapter, namely :— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 393.]

(*a*) any building erected and used, or intended to be erected and used, exclusively for the purpose of a plant-house, summer-house (not being a dwelling-house), poultry-house or aviary, if the building be wholly detached from, and situated at a distance of at least ten feet from, the nearest adjacent building, and

(*b*) any building erected or intended to be erected by, or with the sanction of, the Commissioner, for use solely as a temporary hospital for the reception and treatment of persons suffering from any dangerous disease.

(Part V.—Chapter XXII.—Buildings.—Clause 350.)

Appeal.

Appeal to the Buildings Appeals Committee.

350. An appeal shall lie to the Buildings Appeals Committee from—

(*a*) any order of the Commissioner refusing to grant or renew a license under section 341,

(*b*) any order in respect of the architectural features of any masonry building, made by the Commissioner under clause (*a*) of section 344,

(*c*) any refusal by the Commissioner to grant special permission under clause (*c*) or clause (*e*) of section 344, section 345, or section 347,

(*d*) any written notice issued by the Commissioner under section 316, and

(*e*) any order made by the Commissioner refusing to grant an application made to him under section 348.

(*Part V.*)

CHAPTER XXIII.

BUSTEES.

Preliminary.

Power to Corporation to define and alter limits of *bustees*.

351. The Corporation may define the external limits of any *bustee*, and may from time to time alter such limits. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 398.]

Restriction on application of this Chapter to certain *bustees* or to masonry buildings in *bustees*.

352. None of the powers conferred by any of the following sections of this Chapter shall be exercisable in respect of— [*Cf.* 1899 s. 399.]

(*a*) any *bustee* the total area of which, as comprised within the limits defined under section 351, is less than one *bigha*, or

(*b*) masonry buildings in a *bustee* or lands pertaining to such buildings, unless such buildings and lands be purchased or acquired by the Corporation.

Improvement of bustees.

Power to Corporation to require preparation of standard plan by owners of *bustees*.

353. (*1*) The Corporation may at any time, if it appears to them that any *bustee*, for sanitary or other reasons, requires improvement, serve a written notice upon the owners of such *bustee* requiring them to prepare and submit a joint plan of the *bustee*, to the scale of twenty-five feet to the inch, showing— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 400.]

(*a*) the manner in which the *bustee* should be laid out, with the huts standing in regular lines and with a free passage, in front of and behind each line, of such width as may be necessary for proper ventilation and for scavenging,

(*b*) the proposed drains,

(*c*) the water-supply, bathing arrangements (if any) and privy accommodation to be provided for the use of the tenants,

(*d*) the streets and passages which are to be maintained for the benefit of the tenants,

(*e*) the land (if any) which is to be kept as common land,

(*f*) the tanks, wells and low lands which are to be filled up and the tanks which are to be conserved, and

(*g*) any other proposed improvements.

(*2*) The streets referred to in clause (*d*) shall be not less than twenty feet wide and not more than two hundred feet apart, and the passages referred to in that clause shall be not less than fifteen feet wide.

(*3*) If there are any masonry buildings within the limits of the *bustee*, the said plan shall be so prepared as clearly to distinguish such buildings and the lands pertaining to them.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 354-357.)

'4) The said plan—

(*i*) shall be considered by the Corporation and modified in such manner as may be required, and

(*ii*) shall, when approved by them, be deemed to be the standard plan of the *bustee*.

Preparation of standard plan by Commissioner where owners disagree, etc.

354. (*1*) If, after the service of a notice under section 353 on the owners of any *bustee*, such owners— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 401.]

(*a*) do not agree among themselves in the preparation of a plan as required by such notice, or

(*b*) for any reason prefer to have a plan prepared for them by the Commissioner, or

(*c*) fail to comply within sixty days with such notice,

the Commissioner shall himself cause a plan to be prepared to the scale and showing the particulars prescribed in the said section.

(*2*) When a plan has been prepared under sub-section (*1*), the Corporation shall fix a day for the hearing of objections (if any) made by or on behalf of the owners of the *bustee*,

and, after hearing such objections, may, in their discretion, approve such plan either with or without modifications.

(*3*) Every plan of a *bustee* approved under sub-section (*2*) shall be deemed to be the standard plan of the *bustee*.

(*4*) When the Commissioner causes a plan to be prepared under sub-section (*1*), he may charge the said owners therefor at such rate not exceeding five rupees *per bigha* as the Corporation may fix.

Suspension of building pending preparation of standard plan.

355. When the owners of a *bustee* have been required under section 353 to prepare a plan, no new building which is a hut shall be erected and no hut shall be added to within the *bustee* until a plan has been prepared and approved under that section or under section 354. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 402.]

Prohibition of building contrary to standard plan.

356. When a standard plan has been approved for any *bustee* under section 353 or section 354, no new building which is a hut shall be erected and no hut shall be added to in such *bustee* unless the hut, or the portion to be added, as the case may be, occupies a site, or portion of a site, marked in the standard plan as the site for a hut. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 403.]

Power to Commissioner to require removal of hut not in conformity with standard plan.

357. (*1*) When a standard plan has been approved for any *bustee* under section 353 or section 354, the Commissioner may at any time, by written notice, require the owner of any hut in such *bustee*, which is not in conformity with the standard plan, to remove the whole or any portion of such hut. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 404.]

(*2*) When a hut or portion of a hut has been removed in compliance with a requisition made under sub-section (*1*), the owner shall be entitled to receive from the Municipal Fund such compensation calculated according to the estimated value of the structure removed, less the value of the materials, as the Commissioner may determine.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 358, 359.)

Power to Commissioner to require carrying out of other improvements in conformity with standard plan.

358. (*1*) The Commissioner may at any time, by written notice, require the owners of any *bustee* for which a standard plan has been prepared under section 353 or section 354— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 405.]

(*a*) to construct the drains, privies, streets and passages, provide the water-supply and bathing arrangements, and carry out the other improvements shown in such plan, so far as may be practicable having regard to the existing arrangement of the huts, and

(*b*) if any tank, well or low land is shown in such plan as to be conserved or filled up, to conserve or fill up such tank, well or low land.

(*2*) Until such notice is complied with, the Commissioner may refuse to sanction the erection of a new building which is a hut or the making of any addition to any hut in the *bustee*.

Inspection, report and preparation of standard plan by registered medical practitioner and engineer, in cases requiring expedition

359. (*1*) If it appears to the Corporation that any *bustee*,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 406.]

(*a*) by reason of the manner in which the huts are crowded together, or

(*b*) for any other reason,

is in such an unhealthy condition that the procedure provided by the foregoing sections of this Chapter would be too dilatory to meet the emergency,

they may cause the *bustee* to be inspected by two persons appointed in that behalf, one of whom shall be a registered medical practitioner and the other an engineer.

(*2*) The said persons shall forthwith—

(*a*) make, sign and submit a written report on the sanitary condition of the *bustee*, and

(*b*) annex to the report a plan approved by them as a proper standard plan of such *bustee*. and

(*c*) certify—

(*i*) which of the improvements required to bring the *bustee* into conformity with such plan should be taken in hand forthwith in consequence of the unhealthy condition of the *bustee*, and

(*ii*) which (if any) of such improvements should be deferred for action under the foregoing sections of this Chapter.

(*3*) The improvements referred to in sub-clause (*i*) and sub-clause (*ii*) of sub-section (*2*) shall be specified in two separate Schedules which shall be annexed to the report and called Schedule A and Schedule B, respectively.

(*4*) The said Schedules shall clearly indicate—

(*a*) the huts which should wholly or in part be removed,

(*b*) the streets, passages and drains which should be constructed,

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 360-362.)

(*c*) the water-supply, bathing arrangements and privy accommodation to be provided for the use of the tenants,

(*d*) the tanks, wells and low lands which should be filled up,

(*e*) any other improvements which the two persons appointed under sub-section (*1*) may consider necessary in order to remove or abate the unhealthy condition of the *bustee*, and

(*f*) any masonry building within the *bustee*, and any land pertaining to such building which it may be necessary to purchase or acquire for the purpose of making such streets or passages, or effecting any such improvement. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, rule 16A (*a*)]

(*5*) A report (together with the Schedules annexed thereto) made and signed under this section by any two persons appointed under sub-section (*1*) shall be sufficient evidence of the result of such inspection.

Approval by Corporation of standard plan and Schedules annexed to such report.

360. (*1*) The Corporation shall consider every report (together with the plan and Schedules A and B annexed thereto) made under section 359, and, after hearing the objections (if any) of the owners of the *bustee* in respect of which the report has been made, may approve such plan and Schedules after making such modifications (if any) therein as they may think fit. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 407.]

(*2*) The plan so approved shall be deemed to be the standard plan of such *bustee*.

Power to Commissioner to require owners or occupiers to carry out improvements specified in Schedule A.

361. When Schedule A, annexed to a report made under section 359, has been approved under section 360, the Commissioner may cause a written notice to be served upon— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 408.]

(*a*) the owners or occupiers of the huts referred to in such Schedule A, or

(*b*) the owners of the *bustee* in which such huts are situated, or

(*c*) both such owners and occupiers, if the circumstances so require,

requiring them to carry out all or any of the improvements specified in that Schedule or any portion of such improvements.

Payment of expenses incurred in carrying out improvements.

362. When any improvements required by a notice under section 361 are carried out by the Commissioner under section 513, all expenses incurred thereby, including such reasonable compensation as the Commissioner may think fit to pay to the owners or occupiers of huts removed, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 409.]

shall be paid by the owners of the *bustee* to the Commissioner, and shall constitute a charge upon such *bustee*:

Provided that, if it appears to the Corporation that any such owner is unable, by reason of poverty, to pay such expenses or any portion thereof, they may order the same to be paid out of the Municipal Fund.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 363-366.)

Disposal by the Commissioner of materials of huts pulled down.

363. (*1*) If, in carrying out any improvement as provided in section 361, the Commissioner causes any hut or portion of a hut to be pulled down, he shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 410.]

(*a*) cause the materials of such hut or portion of a hut to be given to the owner of the hut, or,

(*b*) if the owner be unknown or the title to the hut be disputed, cause such materials to be sold; and

(*c*) hold in deposit the proceeds of the sale, together with any sum awarded as compensation under section 362.

(*2*) Any amount held in deposit under clause (*c*), shall be so held by the Commissioner until any person obtains an order from a competent Court for the payment to him of such amount.

(*3*) A Court of Small Causes shall be deemed to be a competent Court for the purposes of this section.

Power to Corporation to purchase or acquire masonry buildings or land in *bustee*.

364. The Corporation may, at any time after the receipt of a report made under section 359, purchase or acquire— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 411.]

(*a*) any masonry building within such *bustee*, or

(*b*) any land pertaining to such building, or

(*c*) any such building, together with the land pertaining thereto,

which is mentioned in that behalf in Schedule A or Schedule B annexed to such report.

Application of sections 356 to 358 to *bustee* for which standard plan has been approved under section 360.

365. When a standard plan of a *bustee*, and any Schedule B, annexed to the report made under section 359 with respect to that *bustee*, have been approved under section 360— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 412.]

(*a*) the provisions of section 356 shall apply to such *bustee*, and

(*b*) the provisions of section 357 and section 358 shall apply to such *bustee* in respect of the improvements indicated in that Schedule as provided in section 359, sub-section (*4*).

Alternative power to Corporation to make standard plan, to purchase or acquire *bustee*, and to carry out improvements themselves or through purchaser or lessee.

366. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sections 360 to 365, the Corporation may, after receipt of a report made under section 359 with respect to any *bustee*, pass a resolution to the effect that the *bustee* is an unhealthy area and that, in their opinion, the purchase or acquisition of the *bustee*, or of any portion thereof, is necessary for the purpose of making the improvements referred to in the said report. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 413.]

(*2*) When any such resolution has been passed, the Commissioner shall make a plan for the improvement of the said *bustee* or portion thereof and shall lay such plan before the Corporation, together with such estimates as may be necessary for a due understanding of the same.

(*3*) If such plan be approved by the Corporation, they shall submit it to the Local Government, together with the said estimates and a copy of the said resolution;

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 367, 368.)

and, if the plan be approved by the Local Government, the Corporation may purchase or acquire the said *bustee* or portion thereof;

and such plan shall be deemed to be the standard plan of the *bustee*.

(*4*) When any *bustee* or portion of a *bustee* has been so purchased or acquired, the Corporation shall either—

(*a*) sell or let the same or part thereof to any person for the purpose and under the condition that he will, as respects the land so sold or leased to him, carry out the improvements shown in such standard plan, or

(*b*) themselves bring the said *bustee* or portion thereof or any part of the same which has not been sold or leased under clause (*a*), into conformity with such standard plan.

(*5*) The Corporation shall take action under sub-section (*4*) within a period of two years from the date of their purchasing or acquiring any *bustee* or portion thereof under sub-section (*3*), or within such further period (if any) as the Local Government may prescribe.

(*6*) Whenever action is taken under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*4*), the provisions of sub-section (*2*) or sub-section (*3*) of section 477, as the case may be, shall be applicable.

Proportions of area of *bustee* to be shown in standard plan as streets, passages and open lands.

367. (*1*) No standard plan approved for a *bustee* under this Chapter shall, without the consent of the owners thereof, show more than— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 414.]

(*a*) one-third of the whole area of such *bustee* as streets or passages, or

(*b*) one-half of such area as open lands not to be built upon, whether such open lands be common ground, streets, passages or spaces behind a line of huts.

(*2*) In calculating the said proportions of one-third and one-half of any such area, no tank situated therein that has not been filled up shall be taken into account.

Regulation of plots by standard plan, and compensation for adjustment of plots.

368. (*1*) When the land included in a *bustee* is owned by more owners than one, each owning one or more separate plots of such land, the standard plan approved under this Chapter for such *bustee* shall, as far as practicable, provide— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 415.]

(*a*) for one or more huts being completely contained in each such plot, and

(*b*) for such proportion of each such plot being taken for streets, passages and open land as is specified in section 367.

(*2*) If a greater proportion of any one such plot than the proportion specified in section 367 is so taken, such standard plan shall indicate—

(*i*) the compensation which shall be payable to the owner of such plot and

(*ii*) the persons who are liable to pay such compensation by reason of their benefiting by such greater proportion having been taken.

(*3*) If no person can equitably be called upon to pay such compensation, the same shall be paid by the Corporation.

(*4*) Any compensation payable under this section to the owner of any land in a *bustee* shall not be paid until such land has been brought into complete conformity with the standard plan.

Streets and passages shown in standard plan, if not public streets, to remain private.

369. (*1*) Every street or passage in a *bustee*, which is shown in the standard plan approved under this Chapter for that *bustee* and which is not already a public street, shall, unless the Corporation and the owners of the land on which such street or passage is situated otherwise consent as provided in section 337, be deemed to be a private street; and the portion thereof which falls on the land of each owner shall belong to such owner: [*Cf.* 1899, s 416.]

Provided that any portion of any such street or passage which is situated on land purchased or acquired by the Corporation under section 364 shall remain the property of the Corporation.

(*2*) Every such private street shall at all times be kept open to the use of the municipal authorities for scavenging purposes and for all other purposes of this Act in such manner as the Commissioner may require, and shall also be kept open for the use of all the tenants of the *bustee*:

Provided that, notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, no use of any such street shall, by reason of any lapse of time, be held to confer a right of way on the public so as to bring the street within the definition of a "public street." IX of 1908

Bathing arrangements and privy accommodation in *bustee*, as shown in standard plan, to be kept open for use of tenants.

370. The bathing arrangements and privy accommodation in a *bustee*, which are shown in the standard plan approved under this Chapter for such *bustee* as being common to the use of all or some of the tenants of the *bustee*, shall, at all times, be kept available for the use of such tenants:

Provided that, notwithstanding anything contained in the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, if at any time the land on which any such bathing arrangements or privy accommodation are provided ceases to form part of such *bustee*, no such use shall, by reason of any lapse of time, be held to confer any right on any person so as prejudicially to affect the rights of the owner of such land. IX of 1908

Owner of land in *bustee* to maintain certain conveniences on his land.

371. (*1*) The owner of any land in a *bustee*, for which a standard plan has been approved under this Chapter, shall maintain in proper order and repair, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, such streets, passages, drains, bathing arrangements, privy accommodation, means of water-supply and other works on such land as may be shown in the plan.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, at any time, cause a written notice to be served upon such owner requiring him so to maintain such streets, passages, drains, bathing arrangements, privy accommodation, means of water-supply and other works.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 372-374.)

Rights of land-owner and hut-owner, respectively, over streets, land and drains shown in standard plan.

372. (*1*) The owner of any land in a *bustee*, for which a standard plan has been approved under this Chapter, shall be deemed to be the occupier of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 417.]

(*a*) all the streets, passages and common ground, and

(*b*) all drains provided for the use of more than one hut,

on such land, so far as the same are constructed in accordance with the standard plan.

(*2*) The owner of any hut in such *bustee* shall be deemed to be the occupier of—

(*i*) the land on which such hut stands,

(*ii*) the open space behind such hut which appertains thereto, and

(*iii*) every drain provided for the sole use of such hut.

Bustee when to be deemed a remodelled *bustee*.

373. When a *bustee* has been brought into conformity with the standard plan approved under this Chapter for such *bustee*, it shall be deemed to be a remodelled *bustee*. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 418.]

Power to owner to take land out of the category of *bustee* in certain cases.

374. (*1*) The owner of any land included in a *bustee* and bearing a separate number in the assessment-book may, at any time, whether a standard plan for the *bustee* has been prepared under this Chapter or not, send a written notice to the Commissioner that he intends to remove all the huts standing on such land: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 419.]

Provided that the receipt of any such notice by the Commissioner shall not be a bar to the approval by the Corporation, under this Chapter, of a standard plan of such *bustee*.

(*2*) From the date of such notice no application shall be entertained for erecting on such land any new building which is a hut or adding to any hut standing thereon.

(*3*) Such owner shall, within six months after the date of such notice, remove all huts standing on such land; and, if he does not do so, the notice shall be deemed to be cancelled.

(*4*) When all such huts have been so removed, such land shall, according to its situation, either—

(*i*) be altogether excluded from the limits of the *bustee*, or

(*ii*) be shown, in a standard plan approved for the *bustee* under this Chapter, as not being a part of such *bustee*:

Provided that if, in the standard plan, any street or passage is shown on such land, the provisions of sections 358, 361, 365, 369, 371 and 372 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to such street or passages.

(*5*) If, after all the huts standing on any land have been removed under sub-section (*3*), any application is received for erecting any hut on such land, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of the land to carry out such improvements therein as he may think fit.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 375-377.)

(6) When all the huts standing on any land within a *bustee* have been removed under sub-section *(3)*, the Corporation may either—

(a) cancel the standard plan (if any) already approved, under this Chapter, for such *bustee*, or

(b) modify such plan after hearing the objections (if any) of any owner of land included in such *bustee* who, in the opinion of the Commissioner, may be injuriously affected by the modification.

Bustee Streets.

Power to Corporation to prescribe alignments for *bustee* streets.

375. *(1)* In any *bustee*, not being a remodelled *bustee*, or in any area in which it appears to the Corporation that huts are likely to be erected, the Corporation may prescribe alignments, not more than twenty feet in width, for such private streets as they may think fit. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, rule 87A.]

(2) When the land within such *bustee* or area is owned by more owners than one, each owning one or more separate plots of such land, such alignments shall, as far as practicable, be so prescribed as not to occupy, within any such plot, more than one-fourth of the area thereof.

(3) If, in any such plot, more than one-fourth of the area thereof is occupied by such alignments, the Corporation shall pay to the owner of the plot such compensation as they may deem reasonable:

Provided that no such compensation shall be paid in respect of any such plot as long as any hut or other structure is left standing within any such alignment in the plot.

(4) No hut or portion of a hut shall be erected within any alignment prescribed under sub-section *(1)*.

(5) The provisions of section 369 shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to every street the alignment for which has been prescribed under this section.

Power to Commissioner to require removal of existing huts within street or hut alignment in *bustee*.

376. In any *bustee*, at any time after the expiration of seven years from the time when any alignment has been prescribed—

(a) for a street under section 375, or

(b) for huts under rule 68 of Schedule XVI,

the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owners of the land or the owners or occupiers of existing huts to remove such huts or portions thereof as fall—

(i) within any such prescribed street alignment, or

(ii) within six feet on either side of any such prescribed hut alignment,

as the case may be.

Power to Commissioner to require space to be kept between masonry building in *bustee* and centre line of *bustee* street.

377. Any person who erects a masonry building— [*Cf* 1899, Sch. XVII, rule 16A.]

(a) in any *bustee* in respect of which a standard plan has been approved under section 353, section 354 or section 360, or

(Part V.—Chapter XXIII.—Bustees.—Clauses 378-380.)

(*b*) in any *bustee* or area in respect of which alignments for streets have been prescribed under section 375,

shall, if so required by written notice issued by the Commissioner, leave a clear space of twenty feet between the centre line of any street or passage shown in such plan, or of any street the alignment for which has been so prescribed, as the case may be, and the nearest part of such building.

Cleansing of Bustees.

Power to Corporation to employ special establishment and impose special rate for cleansing of *bustee*.

378. (*1*) The Corporation may sanction the employment of a special establishment for the cleansing of any *bustee*, and may impose on the owners of the *bustee* a rate to defray the cost of such establishment: [*Cf.* 1899, 420.]

Provided that, without the consent of the owners, no such rate shall be imposed in respect of any remodelled *bustee*.

Power to Commissioner in other cases to secure cleansing of *bustee*.

379. If it appears to the Commissioner that any *bustee* for which no establishment is maintained under section 378 is in a filthy condition, he may, by written notice, require the persons deemed to be occupiers under section 372, to cleanse the *bustee* to his satisfaction. [*Cf.* 1899, 421.]

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

380. (*1*) An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from—

(*a*) any written notice issued by the Commissioner under section 357, sub-section (*1*), section 358, sub-section (*1*), section 361, section 371, sub-section (*2*), section 374, sub-section (*5*), section 376, section 377 or section 379, and

(*b*) any order made by the Commissioner determining the amount of compensation payable for the removal of huts under section 357, sub-section (*2*), or section 362.

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XXIV.

DEMOLITION, ALTERATION AND STOPPING OF UNLAWFUL WORK.

Demolition or alteration of building work unlawfully commenced, carried on or completed.

381. If the Commissioner is satisfied— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 449.]

(*1*) that the erection of any new building—

(*a*) has been commenced without obtaining the written permission of the Commissioner, or, where an appeal has been made to the General Appeals Committee or the Buildings Appeals Committee, as the case may be, in contravention of any orders passed by the said Committee, or

(*b*) is being carried on or has been completed otherwise than in accordance with the particulars on which such permission or orders was or were based, or

(*c*) is being carried on or has been completed in breach of any provision contained in this Act or in any rules or by-laws made thereunder, or of any direction or requisition lawfully given or made under this Act or under such rules or by-laws, or

(*2*) that any alteration of, or addition to, any building or any other work made or done for any purpose in, to or upon any building, has been commenced or is being carried on or has been completed in breach of section 348, section 355 or section 356, or

(*3*) that any alterations required by any notice issued under rule 22 of Schedule XVI have not been duly made,

he may apply to a Magistrate, and such Magistrate may make an order directing that such erection, alteration, addition or other work, as the case may be, or so much thereof as has been executed unlawfully as mentioned in clause (*1*), clause (*2*) or clause (*3*),

or any structure, specified under the *Explanation* to clause (*d*) of rule 55, or the *Explanation* to clause (*iv*) of rule 83, of Schedule XVI as a structure to be demolished or altered, shall—

(*i*) be demolished by the owner thereof or altered by him to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, as the case may require, or

(*ii*) be demolished or altered by the Commissioner at the expense of the said owner:

Provided that the Magistrate—

(*a*) shall not make any order under this section without giving the owner of the building to be so demolished or altered full opportunity of adducing evidence and of being heard in his defence, and

(*b*) may make any such order notwithstanding the fact that a valuation of such building has been made by the Commissioner under Chapter XI for the assessment of the consolidated rate.

(Part V.—Chapter XXIV.—Demolition, Alteration and Stopping of Unlawful Work.—Clause 382.)

Demolition or alteration of work in other cases

382. In any of the following cases, namely,— [cf. 1899, s. 450]

(*1*) if, within the period prescribed in any notice issued under section 319, sub-section (*1*), requiring the removal or alteration of a portion of a building or a fixture, the same be not duly removed or altered, or

(*2*) if the owner of any building erected or added to between a street alignment and the building-line fails to remove such building or addition when called upon by the Commissioner to do so under section 322, sub-section (*3*), or

(*3*) if any person who makes any additions to a building in pursuance of an agreement executed under section 322, sub-section (*5*), fails to remove such additions when called upon by the Commissioner to do so, or

(*4*) if the owner of any building erected or added to under the provisions of section 328 fails to remove such building or addition when called upon to do so, or

(*5*) if the owner of any building, which is unfit for human habitation, fails to demolish such building when required to do so under section 398, sub-section (*2*), or

(*6*) if any privy or urinal be placed in contravention of rule 21 or rule 22, sub-rule (*1*), of Schedule XIV, or

(*7*) if any person, after erecting a service-privy or service-urinal authorized under the proviso to rule 22, sub-rule (*1*), of Schedule XIV, fails to pay any sum required under that proviso, or

(*8*) if, within the period prescribed in any notice issued under rule 2, sub-rule (*5*), of Schedule XV, requiring the owner or occupier of a building to comply with any condition on which the erection of any verandah or other projection was permitted, such condition is not complied with, or

(*9*) if, within the period prescribed in any notice issued under rule 2, sub-rule (*6*), of Schedule XV, requiring the owner or occupier of a building to remove a verandah or other projection, the same be not duly removed, or

(*10*) if, within the period prescribed in any notice issued under rule 7, sub-rule (*2*), of Schedule XVI, requiring the owner of a building to remove or alter an external roof or wall made of inflammable material, the same be not duly removed or altered, or

(*11*) if any owners or occupiers neglect to execute any works, or to take any measures required by any notice affixed under rule 6, sub-rule (*1*), of Schedule XVII,

the Commissioner may apply to a Magistrate, and such Magistrate may make an order directing that the projection, building, portion of the building, block of

(Part V.—Chapter XXIV.—Demolition, Alteration and Stopping of Unlawful Work.—Clause 383.)

buildings, verandah, fixture, additions, roof, wall, privy or urinal, as the case may be, shall—

(*a*) be demolished by the owner thereof or altered by him to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, or

(*b*) be demolished or altered by the Commissioner at the expense of such owner:

Provided that the Magistrate—

(*i*) shall not make any order under this section without giving the owner of the structure to be so demolished or altered full opportunity of adducing evidence and of being heard in his defence, and

(*ii*) may make any such order notwithstanding the fact that a valuation of such building has been made by the Commissioner under Chapter XI for the assessment of the consolidated rate.

Power to Commissioner to stop progress of building work unlawfully commenced or carried on.

383. (*1*) In any case in which the erection of a new building, or any other work referred to in section 381, has been commenced, or is being carried on unlawfully as mentioned in that section, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the person carrying on such erection or other unlawful work to stop the same, pending the decision of a Magistrate on an application to be made to him under that section. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 451.]

(*2*) If any notice issued under sub-section (*1*) is not duly complied with, the Commissioner may, with the assistance of the police if necessary, take such steps as he may deem needful in order to stop the continuance of the unlawful work.

(*3*) If it appears to the Commissioner that it is necessary, in order to prevent the continuation of the unlawful work, to depute any police or municipal officer to watch the premises, the cost of providing the same shall be borne by the person to whom the said notice was addressed.

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XXV.

LIGHTING AND SCAVENGING, AND REGULATION OF PUBLIC BATHING AND WASHING.

Lighting.

Provision for lighting of public streets, markets and buildings.

384. (*1*) The Commissioner shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 422.]

(*a*) take measures for lighting, in a suitable manner, the public streets and municipal markets and all buildings vested in the Corporation;

(*b*) procure, erect and maintain such number of lamps, lamp-posts and other appurtenances as may be necessary for such lighting; and

(*c*) cause such lamps to be lighted by means of oil, gas, electricity or such other light as the Corporation may from time to time determine.

(*2*) The Commissioner may place and maintain—

(*i*) electric wires or gas-pipes for the purpose of lighting such lamps, under, over, along or across any immovable property, and

(*ii*) posts, poles, standards, stays, struts, brackets, tunnels, culverts or any other suitable contrivance for carrying, suspending, or supporting such lamps, gas-pipes or electric wires in or upon any immovable property:

Provided that such pipes, wires, posts, poles, standards, stays, struts, brackets, tunnels, culverts or other contrivance shall be so placed as to occasion as little damage, detriment, inconvenience or nuisance to any person as the circumstances permit.

(*3*) The Commissioner shall not be liable to any claim for compensation for any damage, detriment, inconvenience or nuisance caused by him, or by any one employed by him, in the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this section.

Railways, streets, etc., not to be constructed over municipal gas-pipe without permission.

385. (*1*) Without the written permission of the Commissioner— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 427.]

(*a*) no railway or private street shall be constructed, and

(*b*) no building, wall or other structure shall be newly erected,

over any gas-pipe belonging to the Corporation.

(*2*) If any railway or private street be so constructed, or if any building, wall or structure be so erected, the Commissioner may cause the same to be removed or otherwise dealt with as he may think fit,

and the expenses incurred by the Commissioner in so doing shall, in the discretion of the Commissioner, be paid by the owner thereof, or by the person offending.

(Part V.—Chapter XXV.—Lighting and Scavenging, and Regulation of Public Bathing and Washing. —Clauses 386, 387.)

Scavenging.

Provision or appointment of receptacles, depôts and places for deposit or disposal of rubbish, offensive matter, sewage and carcasses

386. (*1*) The Commissioner shall provide or appoint, in proper and convenient situations, public receptacles, depôts and places for the temporary deposit or final disposal of rubbish, offensive matter, sewage and the carcasses of dead animals accumulating in Calcutta : [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 429 and 433]

Provided as follows :—

(*i*) the said things shall not be finally disposed of in any place or manner in which the same have not heretofore been so disposed of, without the sanction of the Corporation, or in any place or manner which the Local Government may disallow;

(*ii*) the powers conferred by this section shall be exercised in such manner as to create the least practicable nuisance.

(*2*) Any land that may be required in a *bustee* for the temporary deposit or final disposal of rubbish, offensive matter, sewage or carcasses taken from land or buildings in such *bustee* shall be provided by the owners of the *bustee*.

(*3*) All things deposited in receptacles, depôts or places provided or appointed under this section shall be the property of the Corporation.

Collection and temporary deposit of rubbish and offensive matter by occupiers of premises

387. (*1*) The Commissioner may, by public notice, direct that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in any premises in any street or quarter of Calcutta specified in the notice shall be collected by the occupier of such premises and deposited in a box, basket or other receptacle, of a kind prescribed by the Commissioner, to be provided by such occupier and kept near the entrance to, or, where open space is available, within, the premises. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 430]

(*2*) The Commissioner may cause public dust-bins or other convenient receptacles to be provided at suitable intervals and in proper and convenient situations in streets or quarters in respect of which no notice issued under sub-section (*1*) is for the time being in force,

and may, by public notice, direct that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in any premises, the entrance to which is situated within fifty yards of any such receptacle, shall be collected by the occupier of such premises and deposited in such receptacle.

(*3*) The Commissioner may, by public notice, direct that all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in any premises in any street or quarter in respect of which no notice issued under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) is for the time being in force, shall be collected by the occupier of such premises and deposited in lump in the street on which such premises abut or in some portion of such premises.

(*4*) In any notice issued under any of the foregoing sub-sections, the Commissioner shall prescribe the hours within which rubbish and offensive matter shall be deposited under this section.

(Part V.—Chapter XXV.—Lighting and Scavenging, and Regulation of Public Bathing and Washing. —Clauses 388-393.)

Collection and removal of rubbish and offensive matter accumulating in the course of business or building operations.

388. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 387, when building operations are being carried on in any premises, or when any premises are used for carrying on any manufacture, trade or business, the Commissioner may,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 481.]

(*a*) by written notice, direct the occupier of such premises to collect all rubbish and offensive matter accumulating on such premises in the course of such operations, manufacture, trade or business and to remove the same, at such times, in such carts or receptacles, and by such routes as may be specified in the notice, to a public receptacle, depôt or place provided or appointed under section 386; or,

(*b*) after giving such occupier written notice of his intention so to do, himself cause all such rubbish and offensive matter to be removed, and charge such occupier for such removal such periodical fee as may, with the sanction of the Corporation, be specified in such notice.

Establishment for removal of sewage, etc., and the scavenging of streets.

389. The Corporation shall maintain an establishment under the control of the Commissioner for the removal of sewage from privies and urinals which are not connected with a sewer, and of offensive matter and rubbish from receptacles, depôts and places provided or appointed under section 386, or under any by-law made under this Act, and for the daily cleansing and scavenging of streets and premises. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 485.]

Presumption as to offender.

390. If in any case it is shown that rubbish, offensive matter or sewage has been deposited in any place in contravention of any by-law made under this Act, from some land or building, it shall be presumed, unless and until the contrary is proved, that the offence has been committed by the occupier of the said land or building. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 487 and *see* cl. 481 (*25*).]

Notice to be given by *mehtars*, etc., before withdrawing from work

391. No *mehtar* or other servant of the Corporation, who is employed to remove or otherwise deal with sewage, offensive matter or rubbish, shall, without the permission of the Commissioner, withdraw from his duties without giving written notice, not less than one month previously, of his intention so to withdraw. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 488.]

Public bathing and washing.

Construction of places for public bathing, etc.

392. The Commissioner may from time to time— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 489.]

(*a*) construct suitable places for use by the public as swimming baths or for bathing, or for washing animals, or for washing or drying clothes, and

(*b*) prohibit, by public notice, the use by the public, for any of the said purposes, of any place not so constructed.

Control by the Corporation.

Control by Corporation.

393. The Commissioner shall, in the performance and exercise of the duties and powers imposed and conferred on him by this Chapter, be subject to the control of the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 428 and 180 (*3*).]

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CHAPTER XXVI.

MUNICIPAL RAILWAYS.

Power to Corporation to construct, lease and otherwise deal with railways

394. With the previous sanction of the Government of India, the Corporation may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 4.]

(*a*) upon any of the public streets in Calcutta, or upon any land in or without Calcutta which is vested in the Corporation, construct or maintain any railway which may appear to the Corporation to be useful or necessary for the removal of rubbish and offensive matter or for any of the other purposes of this Act,

(*b*) use and employ upon any such railway locomotive engines or other motive power, and carriages and wagons to be drawn or propelled thereby,

(*c*) carry and convey passengers and goods upon any such railway,

(*d*) make such reasonable charges in respect of such passengers or goods as the Corporation may from time to time determine,

(*e*) from time to time enter into any contract with any person for the construction, maintenance and working of any such railway in or without Calcutta,

(*f*) from time to time enter into any contract with any person for the passage over any such railway of locomotive engines or other motive power, carriages and wagons belonging to or controlled by such person, upon the payment of such tolls or rent, and under such conditions and restrictions, as may be mutually agreed upon, and

(*g*) lease any such railway to any person, upon such terms and under such conditions and restrictions as may be mutually agreed upon.

Certain powers to lessee of Corporation's railway.

395. Any person to whom a railway is leased under clause (*g*) of section 394 shall, subject to the terms, conditions and restrictions of his lease, have the same powers for— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 335.]

(*i*) maintaining the railway,

(*ii*) using and employing thereupon locomotive engines or other motive power and carriages and wagons to be drawn or propelled thereby, and

(*iii*) carrying and conveying thereupon passengers and goods and making charges in respect thereof,

as the Corporation would have had if the railway had not been so leased

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CHAPTER XXVII.

INSPECTION AND REGULATION OF PREMISES, AND OF FACTORIES, TRADES AND PLACES OF PUBLIC RESORT.

Premises generally.

Rules for inspection and regulation of premises.

396. Subject to the provisions of this Act, land and buildings shall respectively be inspected, cleansed, secured, repaired, drained, or otherwise regulated in accordance with the rules contained in Schedule XVII. [See 1899, Chapter XXIX.]

Procedure in case of buildings deemed unfit for human habitation

397. (*1*) If, for any reason, any building or portion of a building intended for, or used as, a dwelling-place appears to the Commissioner to be unfit for human habitation, he may apply to a Magistrate to prohibit the further use of such building or portion thereof for such purpose; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 44.]

and the Magistrate, after such inquiry as he thinks fit to make, may, by written order, prohibit the further use thereof, or may pass such other order as he may deem just and proper.

(*2*) When any such prohibition has been made, the Commissioner may—

(*i*) inspect such building by day or by night, and

(*ii*) take such order as may be necessary to preclude the further use of the same, or of the portion specified in the prohibition, as a human habitation.

(*3*) When any such prohibition has been made, no owner or occupier of such building shall use, or suffer the same, or the portion specified in the prohibition, to be used for human habitation until—

(*a*) the Commissioner certifies in writing that the causes rendering it unfit for human habitation have been removed to his satisfaction, or

(*b*) a Magistrate, by written order, withdraws the prohibition.

Power to Commissioner to require demolition of building unfit for human habitation.

398. (*1*) When a Magistrate has prohibited the use of a building for human habitation under section 397 and such prohibition has been in force for three months, the Commissioner shall take into consideration the question of the demolition of such building, [*Cf.* 9 Edw. VII, c. 44, s. 18.]

and shall give notice of the time (being some time not less than one month after the service of the notice) and place at which such question will be considered to the owner, if he be known and resident in Calcutta, or to the occupier (if any) of the building,

and the said owner or occupier, as the case may be, shall be entitled to be heard when the question is so taken into consideration.

(*2*) If, upon such consideration, the Commissioner is of opinion that the building has not been rendered fit for human habitation, and that the necessary steps

(Part V.—Chapter XXVII.—Inspection and Regulation of Premises, and of Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.—Clauses 399, 400.)

are not being taken with all due diligence to render it so fit,

he shall cause a written notice to be served on the said owner or occupier and also to be put on some conspicuous part of such building, requiring such owner or occupier to demolish the building.

(3) If such owner or occupier undertakes to execute forthwith the work necessary to render the building fit for human habitation, and the Commissioner considers that it can be so rendered fit for human habitation,

the Commisioner may postpone the operation of the said notice for such time, not exceeding six months, as he thinks sufficient for the purpose of giving the said owner or occupier an opportunity of executing the necessary work.

Power to Commissioner to call for statement of accommodation.

399. (1) The owner of any building shall, within a period of seven days after receipt of a written notice from the Commissioner requiring him so to do, submit to the Commissioner a signed statement of the following particulars with respect to such building or any part thereof, namely,— [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 879.]

(*a*) the total number of rooms in the building,

(*b*) the length, breadth and height of each room, and

(*c*) the name of the person to whom he has let the building or each part of the building occupied as a separate tenement, with the particulars specified in clause (*a*) and clause (*b*) in regard to each such part.

(2) The occupier of any building or of any part of any building occupied as a separate tenement shall, on like notice and within the like period, submit a signed statement of the following particulars with respect to the building or part thereof, as the case may be, which is in his occupation, namely,—

(*i*) the total number of persons dwelling in such building or part,

(*ii*) the manner of use of each room by day and by night, and

(*iii*) the number, sex and age of the occupants of each room used for sleeping.

Abatement of overcrowding in dwelling-house or dwelling-place.

400. (1) If it comes to the knowledge of the Commissioner, from a statement received under section 399, or after an inspection made under rule 1 of Schedule XVII, or in any other way, that a dwelling-house, or a public building or hut which is used as a dwelling-place, or any room in any such house, public building or hut, is so overcrowded as to endanger the health of the inmates thereof, he may apply to a Magistrate to abate such overcrowding; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 145.]

and the Magistrate, after such inquiry as he thinks fit to make, may, by written order, require the owner of the building or room, within a reasonable time (not exceeding four weeks) to be prescribed in the said order, to abate such overcrowding by reducing the number of lodgers, tenants or other inmates of the building or room, or may pass such other order as he may deem just and proper.

(Part V.—Chapter XXVII.—Inspection and Regulation of Premises, and of Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.—Clauses 401, 402.)

(2) The Corporation may, by written order, declare what amount of superficial and cubic space shall be deemed, for the purposes of sub-section (1), to be necessary for each occupant of a building or room.

(3) If the owner of any building or room referred to in sub-section (1) has sub-let the same, the landlord of the lodgers, tenants or other actual inmates of the same shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be the owner of the building or room.

(4) It shall be incumbent on every lodger, tenant or other inmate of a building or room to vacate the same on being required by the owner so to do in pursuance of any requisition made under sub-section (1).

Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.

Factory, etc., not to be newly established, etc., without permission of the Commissioner.

401. (1) No person shall, without the previous written permission of the Commissioner, newly establish in any premises, or materially alter, enlarge or extend, any factory, workshop or workplace, in which it is intended to employ steam, water or other mechanical power. [*Cf.* 1899, s 463.]

(2) The Commissioner may refuse to give such permission, if he is of opinion that the establishment, alteration, enlargement or extension of such factory, workshop or workplace in the proposed position would be objectionable by reason of the density of the population in the neighbourhood thereof, or would be a nuisance to the inhabitants of the neighbourhood.

Premises not to be used for certain purposes without a license.

402. (1) No person shall use or permit to be used any premises for any of the following purposes without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Commissioner in this behalf, namely,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 466(1).]

(a) any of the purposes specified in Schedule XVIII;

(b) any purpose which is, in the opinion of the Commissioner, dangerous to life, health or property, or likely to create a nuisance;

(c) keeping horses, cattle or other four-footed animals for sale or hire or for sale of the produce thereof; or

(d) storing for other than his own domestic use, or selling timber, firewood, charcoal, coal, coke, ashes, hay, grass, straw or any other combustible thing.

(2) When any premises in the occupation of a lessee are used for any of the purposes referred to in sub-section (1), the lessor shall be presumed, unless and until the contrary is proved, to have permitted their use for such purpose. [*Cf.* 1899, s 466(5).]

(3) The Corporation shall fix a scale of fees to be paid in respect of premises licensed under sub-section (1): [*Cf.* Bom. 1899, s. 467.]

Provided that no such fee shall exceed five hundred rupees.

(4) Nothing in this section shall apply to mills for spinning or weaving cotton, wool, silk or jute. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 466(4).]

(Part V.—Chapter XXVII.—Inspection and Regulation of Premises, and of Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.—Clauses 403-405.)

Power to Corporation to prevent use of premises in particular areas for purposes referred to in section 402

403. (*1*) The Corporation may give public notice of their intention to declare that in any area specified in the notice no person shall use any premises for any of the purposes referred to in section 402, sub-section (*1*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 469.]

(*2*) No objections to any such declaration shall be received after a period of one month from the publication of such notice.

(*3*) The Corporation shall consider all objections received within the said period, and may thereupon make a declaration in accordance with the notice published under sub-section (*1*), with such modifications (if any) as they may think fit, but not so as to extend its application.

(*4*) Every such declaration shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and shall take effect from the date of such publication.

(*5*) No person shall in any area specified in any such declaration use any premises for any of the said purposes.

Power to Corporation to direct discontinuance of use of premises for certain purposes near dwelling-houses.

404. (*1*) If it be shown to the satisfaction of the Corporation that the use of any premises, situated near dwelling-houses, for any of the purposes referred to in section 402, sub-section (*1*), is injurious to the health or material comfort of the occupants of such houses, or [*Cf.* 1899, s. 470.]

if any premises situated within fifty feet of a dwelling-house are used for any of the said purposes, or

if the owners of any buildings situated within one hundred feet of any premises used for any of the said purposes make an application to the Corporation in this behalf and deposit with the Corporation the sum required for purchasing or acquiring the said premises, as estimated by the Commissioner, and also undertake to pay any further expenses to which the Corporation may be put,

the Corporation may, by written notice, require the occupier of the said premises to discontinue such use within one month after the service of the notice :

Provided that no such notice shall be issued in respect of any premises so situated which are used solely as cow-houses or stables.

(*2*) When the use of any premises for any of the said purposes has been discontinued in pursuance of a notice issued under sub-section (*1*), no compensation shall be payable for loss arising from such discontinuance,

but the Corporation shall be bound to purchase both the land and the buildings from the owner ; and, if the Corporation are unable to agree with the owner as to the price to be paid, the land and buildings may be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894. I of 1894

Power to Magistrate to direct discontinuance of use of premises for particular purpose, when kept so as to be a nuisance.

405. Whenever a Magistrate imposes a fine on any person under section 492 for using or permitting the use of any premises for any purpose in contravention of section 402, sub-section (*1*), he may, if it is proved to his satisfaction that such premises are kept in such a state as to be a nuisance, also direct that they shall no longer be used for the said purpose. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 471.]

(Part V.—Chapter XXVII.—Inspection and Regulation of Premises, and of Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.—Clauses 406, 407.)

Prohibition of fouling of water in carrying on trade or manufacture.

406. (*1*) No person engaged in any trade or manufacture specified in Schedule XVIII shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s 472.]

(*a*) wilfully cause or suffer to flow or be brought into any tank, reservoir, cistern, well, duct or other place for the storage or accumulation of water belonging to the Corporation, or into any drain or pipe communicating therewith, any washing or other substance produced in the course of such trade or manufacture; or

(*b*) wilfully do any act connected with any such trade or manufacture whereby the water in any such tank, reservoir, cistern, well, duct or other place is fouled or corrupted.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, after giving not less than twenty-four hours' previous notice in writing to the owner or to the person who has the management or control of any works, pipes or conduits connected with any such manufacture or trade, lay open and examine the said works, pipes or conduits.

(*3*) If, upon such examination, it appears that sub-section (*1*) has been contravened by reason of anything contained in or proceeding from the said works, pipes or conduits, the expenses of such laying open and examination, and of any measure which the Commissioner, in his discretion, may require to be adopted for the discontinuance of the cause of such contravention, shall be paid by the owner of the said works, pipes or conduits, or by the person who has the management or control thereof, or through whose neglect or fault the said sub-section has been contravened.

(*4*) But if, upon such examination, it appears that there has been no contravention of sub-section (*1*), the said expenses and compensation for any damage occasioned by the said laying open and examination, shall be paid by the Commissioner.

Eating-houses not to be licensed without certificate from Commissioner.

407. (*1*) No license in respect of any eating-house or other place where food is sold for consumption on the premises shall be granted under the Bengal Excise Act, 1909, the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866, or the Calcutta Police Act, 1866, until the applicant for such license has produced a certificate from the Commissioner that the premises sought to be licensed (including the kitchen or other place where the food is prepared) are kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

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(*2*) The Commissioner may at any time cancel any such certificate if he is of opinion that the premises covered thereby are no longer kept in a clean and sanitary condition or in conformity with the provisions of any by-law made under section 481, relating to such premises;

and upon the cancellation of such certificate, any license referred to in sub-section (*1*) shall forthwith be deemed to be suspended until the licensee obtains a fresh certificate from the Commissioner.

(Part V.—Chapter XXVII.—Inspection and Regulation of Premises, and of Factories, Trades and Places of Public Resort.—Clauses 408, 409.)

Licensing and control of theatres and places of public amusement.

408. No person shall, without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Commissioner in this behalf, keep open any theatre or other place of public resort, recreation or amusement.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

409. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from— [*See* Ben. 1899, s. 468 (*1*).]

(*a*) any notice issued by the Commissioner under section 398, sub-section (*2*),

(*b*) any refusal by the Commissioner to postpone, under section 398, sub-section (*3*), the operation of a notice issued under sub-section (*2*) of that section,

(*c*) any refusal by the Commissioner to grant a written permission under section 401, or a license under section 402 or section 408, or a certificate under section 407, sub-section (*1*), and

(*d*) any cancellation by the Commissioner, under section 407, sub-section (*2*) of any certificate.

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CHAPTER XXVIII.

MARKETS, BAZARS AND SLAUGHTER-PLACES.

Power to Corporation to provide and maintain municipal markets, slaughter-houses and stock-yards.

410. (*1*) The Corporation may.— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 477.]

(*a*) construct, purchase or take on lease any land or building for the purpose of establishing a new municipal market or a new municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard, or of extending or improving any existing municipal market, municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard, and

(*b*) from time to time build and maintain such municipal markets, municipal slaughter-houses and municipal stock-yards and such stalls, shops, sheds, pens and other buildings or conveniences for the use of persons carrying on trade or business in, or frequenting, such markets, slaughter-houses or stock-yards, and provide and maintain in such municipal markets such buildings, places, machines, and correct weights, scales and measures for weighing and measuring goods sold therein, as they may think fit.

(*2*) Municipal slaughter-houses and municipal stock-yards may be situated in or, with the sanction of the Local Government, without Calcutta.

Power to Corporation to close municipal markets, slaughter-houses, and stock-yards.

411. The Corporation may at any time close any municipal market, municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard; and the premises occupied for any market, slaughter-house or stock-yard so closed may be disposed of as the property of the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 478.]

Power to Commissioner to license vendors in municipal markets.

412. (*1*) No person shall, without a license from the Commissioner, sell or expose for sale any animal or article in any municipal market. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 479.]

(*2*) Any person contravening sub-section (*1*) may be summarily removed from such market by the Commissioner or by any municipal officer or servant.

Power to Corporation to permit opening of new private markets.

413. (*1*) The Corporation shall from time to time determine whether the establishment of new private markets shall be permitted in Calcutta or in any specified portion thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 480.]

(*2*) No person shall establish a new private market for the sale of, or for the purpose of exposing for sale, animals intended for human food, or any other article of human food, except with the sanction of the Corporation.

(*3*) When the establishment of a new private market has been so sanctioned, the Commissioner shall cause a notice of such sanction to be affixed in the English, Bengali, Hindi and Urdu languages on some conspicuous spot on or near the building or place where such market is to be held.

Part V.—Chapter XXVIII.—Markets, Bazars and Slaughter-places.—Clauses 414, 415.)

Power to Commissioner to license private markets, slaughter-houses and stock-yards.

414. (*1*) No person shall, without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Commissioner in this behalf,— [*Cf* 1899, ss. 481 and 482]

(*a*) keep open any private market, or wilfully or negligently permit any place to be used as a private market;

(*b*) use any place in Calcutta as a slaughter-house or stock-yard, or for the slaughtering of any animal intended for human food; or

(*c*) use any place without Calcutta, whether as a slaughter-house or otherwise, for the slaughtering of any animal intended for human food to be consumed in Calcutta:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) the Commissioner shall not refuse, suspend or cancel any license for keeping open a private market—

for any cause other than the failure of the owner thereof to comply with some provision of this Act, or with some by-law made under section 481, at the time in force, or without the sanction of the Corporation;

(*ii*) nothing in the foregoing provisions of this section shall be deemed to restrict the slaughter of any animal in any place on the occasion of any festival or ceremony:

(*iii*) nothing in the foregoing provisions of this section shall be deemed to prevent the Corporation from setting apart places for the sacrifice of animals in accordance with religious custom, and for the sale of the flesh thereof.

(*2*) There shall be paid in respect of every place set apart under proviso (*iii*) to sub-section (*1*) such annual fee as may be prescribed by the Corporation.

(*3*) If any private market or any place set apart under proviso (*iii*) to sub-section (*1*) be closed for more than half of any year for which a fee has been paid, the Commissioner may refund the whole or any portion of the fee so paid for that year.

(*4*) When the Commissioner has refused, suspended or cancelled any license to keep open a private market, he shall cause a notice of his having so done to be affixed in the English, Bengali, Hindi and Urdu languages on some conspicuous spot on or near the building or place where such market has been held.

Power to Magistrate to close unauthorized private market.

415. Whenever a Magistrate imposes a fine on any person under section 492 for keeping open a private market or permitting any place to be used as a private market in contravention of section 414, sub-section (*1*), he shall, on the application of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, also direct that such market be closed and appoint persons, or take other steps, to prevent the place being used as a market. [*Cf* 1899, s. 483]

(Part V.—Chapter XXVIII.—Markets, Bazars and Slaughter-places.—Clauses 416-419.)

Prohibition of use of market so closed.

416. No person shall use as a market any place in respect of which a direction has been given by a Magistrate under section 415. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 484.]

Power to Commissioner to require paving and draining of private markets, etc.

417. The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any private market, *bazar*, private slaughter-house or place set apart under proviso (*iii*) to section 414— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 485.]

(*a*) to cause the whole or any portion of the floor of the market-building, market-place, *bazar*, slaughter-house or place set apart as aforesaid to be paved with dressed stone or other suitable material, and

(*b*) to cause such drains to be made in or from the market-building, market-place, *bazar*, slaughter-house or place set apart as aforesaid, of such material, size and description, at such level, and with such outfall as to the Commissioner may appear necessary.

Power to Corporation to define limits of market and to require provision and maintenance of market approaches, etc.

418. (*1*) The Corporation may— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 486 and 487.]

(*a*) define or determine the limits of any private market or *bazar*, or declare what portions of such market or *bazar* shall be made part of the existing approaches and roads to or in such market or *bazar*, and,

(*b*) by written notice, require the owner or occupier of such market or *bazar* to—

(*i*) lay out, construct, alter, clear, widen, pave, drain and light, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, such approaches, roads, passages and ways to or in such market or *bazar*, and

(*ii*) provide such conveniences for the use of persons resorting to such market or *bazar*,

as the Corporation may think fit.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any private market or *bazar* to maintain in proper order the approaches, roads, passages and ways to or in such market or *bazar*, and such other conveniences as are provided for the use of persons resorting thereto.

(*3*) The Commissioner shall cause a notice of the limits of any market or *bazar*, defined under sub-section (*1*), to be affixed in the English, Bengali, Hindi and Urdu languages on some conspicuous spot on or near the building or place where such market or *bazar* is held.

Power to Commissioner to levy charges, farm rents, etc., in municipal markets, etc.

419. The Commissioner may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 489.]

(*a*) charge such stallages, rents and fees—

(*i*) for the occupation or use of any stall, shop, standing, shed or pen in a municipal market, municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard,

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(*ii*) for the right to expose goods for sale in a municipal market,

(*iii*) for the use of machines, weights, scales and measures provided under clause (*b*) of section 410 for any municipal market, and

(*iv*) for the right to slaughter animals in any municipal slaughter-house and the feed of such animals before they are ready for slaughter,

as may from time to time be fixed by the Corporation in this behalf; or,

(*b*) with the sanction of the Corporation, farm the stallages, rents and fees leviable as aforesaid, or any portion thereof, for such period as he may think fit; or

(*c*) put up to public auction, or, with the sanction of the Corporation, dispose of by private sale, the privilege of occupying or using any stall, shop, standing, shed or pen in a municipal market, municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard, for such period and on such conditions as he may think fit.

Power to Commissioner to expel person contravening by-laws.

420. The Commissioner may— [1899, s. 492.]

(*a*) expel from any municipal market, municipal slaughter-house or municipal stock-yard any person who or whose servant has been convicted of contravening any by-law made under section 481, at the time in force in such market, slaughter-house or stock-yard,

(*b*) prevent such person, by himself or his servants, from further carrying on any trade or business in such market, slaughter-house or stock-yard, or occupying any stall, shop, standing, shed, pen or other place therein, and

(*c*) determine any lease or tenure which such person may have in any such stall, shop, standing, shed, pen or place.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

421. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any notice issued by the Commissioner under section 417, clause (*a*) or clause (*b*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 485 (2).]

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CHAPTER XXIX.

FOOD AND DRUGS.

Sale of Food and Drugs.

Licensing of butchers and of sale of meat, etc., outside market.

422. *(1)* No person shall, without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Commissioner in that behalf,— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 493 and 494.]

(*a*) carry on in Calcutta, or at any municipal slaughter-house without Calcutta, the trade or business of a butcher; or

(*b*) sell or expose for sale any four-footed animal, or any meat or fish intended for human consumption, in any place other than a municipal market or a private market.

(2) Nothing in clause (*b*) of sub-section *(1)* shall apply—

(*a*) to the sale of meat or fish in any hotel or eating-house for consumption on the premises, or

(*b*) to fresh fish sold from, or exposed for sale on, a vessel in which it has been brought direct to Calcutta after being caught at sea or in the river.

Licensing of dealers in milk

423. *(1)* No person shall, without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a license granted by the Commissioner in that behalf,— [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, s. 412 A.]

(*a*) carry on in Calcutta the trade or business of a dealer in, or importer or seller or hawker of, milk; or

(*b*) use any place in Calcutta for the sale of milk.

(2) Nothing in sub-section *(1)* shall apply to the sale of milk in any hotel or eating-house for consumption on the premises.

Prohibition of sale, etc., of adulterated food or drugs

424. *(1)* No person shall sell, expose for sale, or manufacture or store for sale, any food or drug which is adulterated : [*Cf.* 1899, s. 495.]

Provided that an offence shall not be deemed to be committed under this section in the following cases, namely:—

(*a*) where any matter or ingredient not injurious to health has been added to any article of food or to any drug because the same is required for the production or preparation thereof, as an article of commerce in a state fit for carriage or consumption, and not fraudently to increase the bulk, weight or measure of the article or to conceal the inferior quality thereof; or

(*b*) where any article of food or any drug is unavoidably mixed with some extraneous matter in the process of collection or preparation.

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(*2*) In any prosecution under this section it shall be no defence to allege that the vendor, manufacturer or storer was ignorant of the nature, substance or quality of the article sold, exposed for sale, or manufactured or stored for sale, by him.

(*3*) In any prosecution under this section the Court shall, unless and until the contrary is proved, presume that any article of food or any drug found in the possession of a person who is in the habit of manufacturing or storing like articles has been manufactured or stored for sale by such person.

(*4*) No proceedings shall be instituted under this section without the written order of the Commissioner.

Prohibition of sale, etc., of certain articles which are not of the prescribed standard of purity

425. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in section 424, no person shall sell, expose for sale, or manufacture or store for sale, any of the following articles, namely :— [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, ss. 416 and 417A.]

(*a*) milk (other than condensed milk in hermetically-closed receptacles),

(*b*) *ghee*,

(*c*) mustard oil, and

(*d*) any other article of food or any drug which may be notified by the Local Government in that behalf.

unless the following conditions are fulfilled, namely :—

(*i*) in the case of milk (other than condensed milk in hermetically-closed receptacles)—

the animal from which the milk is derived, shall be distinctly stated in such manner as the Commissioner may, by general or special order, require, and the article sold, exposed for sale, or stored for sale, as the case may be, shall be the natural secretion from the udder of such animal, from which no ingredient has been extracted and to which no water or other substance (including any preservative) has been added, and shall not contain a less proportion of non-fatty solids and of fat than such as the Local Government may prescribe : [*Cf.* 62 & 63 Vict., c. 51, s. 4, and the Sale of Milk Regulations, No. 657 of 1901.]

(*ii*) in the case of *ghee*—

it shall not contain any substance which is not derived exclusively from milk ;

(*iii*) in the case of mustard oil—

it shall be derived exclusively from mustard seed ; and

(*iv*) in the case of any food or drug notified by the Local Government under clause (*d*)—

it shall fulfil such conditions as may be prescribed by the Local Government in such notification.

(*2*) No person shall sell, expose for sale, or manufacture or store for sale, any thing which is similar to any of the articles specified in sub-section (*1*), or [*Cf.* 7 Edw. 7, c. 21, ss. 8 to 10.]

to any article notified by the Local Government under sub-section (*1*), under a name which in any way resembles the name of such article.

(*3*) In any prosecution under this section it shall be no defence to allege that the vendor, manufacturer or storer was ignorant of the nature, substance or quality of the article sold, exposed for sale, or manufactured or stored for sale, by him.

(*4*) In any prosecution under this section the Court shall, unless and until the contrary is proved, presume that any milk, *ghee*, mustard oil or any article notified by the Local Government under sub-section (*1*), found in the possession of a person who is in the habit of manufacturing or storing like articles, has been manufactured or stored for sale by such person.

(*5*) No proceedings shall be instituted under this section without the written order of the Commissioner.

Prohibition of adulterants in places where *ghee*, mustard oil, etc., are manufactured or stored.

426. (*1*) No person shall keep or permit to be kept in any factory in which *ghee*, mustard oil or any article notified by the Local Government under section 125, sub-section (*1*), is manufactured or stored, any substance intended to be used for the adulteration of such *ghee*, mustard oil or other article. [*Cf.* 7 Edw. 7, c. 21, s. 3.]

(*2*) If any article capable of being so used is found in any such factory, the Court shall, unless and until the contrary is proved, presume, in any prosecution under this section, that it is intended so to be used.

Prohibition of sale of diseased animals or unwholesome articles intended for human food.

427. (*1*) No person shall sell, expose for sale, or keep for sale, any animal, food or drug intended for human consumption, or manufacture any such food or drug, which is diseased, unsound, unwholesome or unfit for human food. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 496.]

(*2*) In any prosecution under this section the Court shall, unless and until the contrary is proved, presume that any animal, food or drug found in the possession of a person who is in the habit of keeping animals of that class intended to be used for human consumption, or of keeping or manufacturing such food or drug for the purpose of human consumption, has been so kept or manufactured, as the case may be, for sale by such person.

Licensing of shops and places for retail sale of drugs.

428. (*1*) No person shall keep any shop or place for the retail sale of drugs, not being also articles of ordinary domestic consumption, without a license from the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 497.]

(*2*) The person to whom such license is granted in respect of any shop or place shall display it in some conspicuous part of such shop or place.

Power to Local Government to make rules as to compounders.

429. The Local Government may make rules— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 498.]

(*a*) prescribing an educational course for candidates for compounders' certificates,

(*b*) prescribing a fee to be paid by persons seeking admission to a Government medical school for the purpose of undergoing such educational course,

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(*c*) regulating the public examination of candidates for compounders' certificates, and prescribing the fee to be paid and the conditions to be observed by persons seeking admission to any such examination,

(*d*) regulating the grant of compounders' certificates to persons passing any such examination,

(*e*) regulating the registration of certificates so granted,

(*f*) permitting any person having such qualifications as may be prescribed in this behalf in the rules to compound, mix, prepare, dispense or sell drugs without obtaining such a certificate, and

(*g*) authorizing the cancellation of any certificate granted, or the withdrawal of any permission given, under the said rules, to any person who is proved in the course of a judicial trial to have made a serious mistake, through ignorance or carelessness in the compounding, mixing, preparation, dispensing or selling of drugs.

Prohibition in respect of compounding of drugs.

430. (*1*) No person shall compound, mix, prepare, dispense or sell any drug in any shop or place licensed under section 428, unless he has a certificate or permission granted under rules made under section 429 and then in force. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 496.]

(*2*) No owner, occupier or keeper of any shop or place licensed under section 428 shall employ in such shop or place any person contravening the provisions of sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) If any person contravenes the provisions of sub-section (*2*), the Magistrate by whom he is tried may cancel the license granted to him under section 428, sub-section (*1*).

Saving as to practitioners of indigenous medicines.

431. Nothing in section 429 or section 430 shall apply to the sale of drugs used by practitioners of indigenous medicines when such drugs are not sold in a shop or place where medicines are dispensed upon prescription. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 500.]

Inspection, seizure and destruction of Food and Drugs.

Power to Commissioner to inspect place where unlawful slaughter of animals or sale of flesh is suspected

432. If the Commissioner has reason to believe that any animal intended for human consumption is being slaughtered, or that the flesh of any such animal is being sold or exposed for sale, in any place or manner not duly authorized under this Act, he may, at any time by day or by night, without notice, inspect such place for the purpose of satisfying himself as to whether any provision of this Act or of any rule or by-law made under this Act, at the time in force, is being contravened thereat. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 501.]

Commissioner to provide for inspection of animals, etc., exposed for sale

433. (*1*) The Commissioner shall make provision for the constant and vigilant inspection of all animals, food and drugs intended for human consumption which are exposed or hawked about for sale or deposited in or brought to any place for the purpose of sale or of preparation for sale, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 502.]

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and shall also make similar provision for the inspection, during the process of manufacture, of any such food or drug.

(*2*) If, as a result of such inspection as is provided for in sub-section (*1*), a prosecution is instituted under this Chapter, then the burden of proving that any such animal, food or drug was not exposed or hawked about or deposited or brought for sale or for preparation for sale, or was not intended for human consumption, shall rest with the party charged.

Power to Commissioner to seize animals, etc., which are unwholesome, etc.

434. (*1*) The Commissioner may, at any time by day or by night, inspect and examine any animal, food or drug referred to in section 433, and any utensil or vessel used for preparing, manufacturing or containing any such food or drug. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 503.]

(*2*) If any such animal appears to the Commissioner to be diseased, or if any such food or drug appears to him to be unsound, unwholesome or unfit for human food or for medicine, as the case may be, or to be adulterated, or if any such utensil or vessel is of such kind or in such state as to render any food or drug prepared, manufactured or contained therein unwholesome or unfit for human food or for medicine, as the case may be,

he may seize and carry away such animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel, in order that the same may be dealt with as hereinafter in this Chapter provided.

Explanation.—Meat subjected to the process of blowing shall be deemed to be unfit for human food.

(*3*) The Commissioner may, instead of carrying away any animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel seized under sub-section (*2*), leave the same in such safe custody as he thinks fit in order that the same may be dealt with as hereinafter in this Chapter provided; and no person shall remove such animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel from such custody or interfere or tamper with the same in any way while so detained.

Destruction of animals, etc., seized under section 434.

435. (*1*) When any animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel is seized under section 434, it may, with the consent of the owner or the person in whose possession it was found, be forthwith destroyed; or, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 504.]

if such consent be not obtained, then, if any food or drug so seized is of a perishable nature, and is, in the opinion of the Commissioner, the Health Officer, an Assistant or District Health Officer or any Councillor, diseased, unsound, unwholesome or unfit for human food or medicine, it may likewise be destroyed.

(*2*) The expenses incurred by the Commissioner in taking any action under sub-section (*1*) shall be paid by the person in whose possession such animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel was at the time of its seizure.

Taking before Magistrate animals, etc., seized under section 434.

436. (*1*) Any animal, food, drug, utensil or vessel seized under section 434, which is not destroyed in pursuance of section 435, shall, subject to the provisions of section 434, sub-section (*3*), be taken before a Magistrate as soon as may be after such seizure. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 505.]

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(*2*) If it appears to the Magistrate that any such animal is diseased, or that any such food or drug is unsound, unwholesome or unfit for human food or for medicine, as the case may be, or is adulterated, or that any such utensil or vessel is of such kind or in such state as is mentioned in section 434, sub-section (*2*), he shall cause the same—

(*a*) to be forfeited to the Corporation, or

(*b*) to be destroyed, at the expense of the person in whose possession it was at the time of its seizure.

(*3*) If it appears to the Magistrate that any such animal is not diseased or that any such food or drug is not unsound, unwholesome or unfit for human food or for medicine, as the case may be, or is not adulterated, the person from whose shop or place it was taken shall be entitled to have it restored to him, and it shall be in the discretion of the Magistrate to award him such compensation, not exceeding the actual loss which he has sustained, as the Magistrate may think proper.

Analysis of Food or Drugs.

Compulsory sale to Commissioner for purpose of analysis.

437. (*1*) If the Commissioner, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, requires the sale to him of any food or drug exposed or intended for sale, and tenders the price for a quantity not more than is reasonably requisite for division and disposal under sub-section (*4*) and sub-section (*5*), any person in possession of or exposing the same for sale shall be bound to sell such quantity. [*Cf.* 1899, s 507.]

(*2*) The Commissioner, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, may require, on tendering the price for it, the sale to him during the process of manufacture, of any quantity of—

(*i*) any food, or

(*ii*) any drug, or

(*iii*) any ingredients used in the manufacture of any food or drug.

not being more than is reasonably requisite for division and disposal under sub-section (*4*) and sub-section (*5*), and any person in possession of the said food, drug or ingredients shall be bound to sell such quantity.

(*3*) The Commissioner, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, may likewise require the surrender to himself, for the purpose of analysis, of such quantity as is reasonably requisite for such process, of any food which is in course of transit in Calcutta or stored in any place in Calcutta for sale as an article for human consumption, and any person in possession of the same shall be bound to surrender such quantity;

and in every such case the price of the food so surrendered shall be payable by the Commissioner, or by the person authorized by him in that behalf, to the owner of the same, if claimed by such owner within one month from the date of the said surrender.

(*4*) When any sale under sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) is completed, the Commissioner, or the person authorized by him in that behalf, shall forthwith notify to the seller, or his agent selling the

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article, his intention to have the same analysed, and shall divide the article into three parts, to be then and there separated, and each part to be marked and sealed or fastened up in any manner which its nature will permit.

(*5*) The Commissioner, or the person authorized by him in that behalf, shall deliver one of the said parts to the seller or his agent, shall retain another for future comparison, and may send the third to an analyst.

(*6*) When any food is surrendered under sub-section (*3*), the Commissioner, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, shall forthwith notify to the person in charge of the said food his intention to have the same analysed, and shall thereupon, so far as may be, proceed to deal with the food so surrendered in the manner provided in sub-section (*4*) and sub-section (*5*).

(*7*) A report signed by an analyst certified by the Commissioner to be employed by the Corporation for the purpose of analysing any food or drug under this Chapter shall be sufficient evidence of the result of such analysis.

Vesting of condemned Food or Drug in Corporation.

Food and drugs directed to be destroyed, etc., to be property of Corporation

438. When any authority directs, in exercise of any powers conferred by this Chapter, the destruction of any food or any drug, or the disposal of the same so as to prevent its being used as food or medicine, the same shall thereupon be deemed to be the property of the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s 503.]

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee

439. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any refusal of the Commissioner to grant a license under section 423, sub-section (*1*) or section 428, sub-section (*1*). [*Cf.* 1899, s 497 (*3*).]

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XXX.

RESTRAINT OF INFECTION.

Power to Commissioner to require medical practitioners to give information of existence of dangerous disease.

440. Every medical practitioner who treats, or becomes cognizant of the existence of, any dangerous disease in any private or public dwelling-house, other than a public hospital, shall give information of the same with the least practicable delay to the Commissioner in such form and with such details as the Commissioner may, from time to time, require. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 513.]

Power to Commissioner to inspect places and take measures to prevent spread of dangerous disease.

441. The Commissioner may, at any time by day or by night, without notice, or after giving such notice of his intention as may, in the circumstances, appear to him to be reasonable, inspect any place in which any dangerous disease is reputed or suspected to exist, and take such measures as he may think fit to prevent the spread of the said disease beyond such place. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 514.]

Prohibition of use, for drinking or for other domestic purpose, of water likely to cause dangerous disease.

442. (*1*) If it appears to the Commissioner that the water in any well, tank or other place is likely, if used for the purpose of drinking or for any other domestic purpose, to engender or cause the spread of any dangerous disease, he may, by public notice, prohibit the removal or use of the said water for such purpose. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 515.]

(*2*) No person shall remove or use for such purpose any water in respect of which any such public notice has been issued.

Power to Commissioner to remove patient to hospital in certain cases.

443. (*1*) When, in the opinion of the Health Officer, any person is suffering from a dangerous disease and is also without proper lodging or accommodation or is lodged in such a manner that he cannot be effectually isolated so as to prevent the spread of infection, and the said officer considers that such person should be removed to a hospital or place at which patients suffering from such disease are received for medical treatment, he may send a certificate to that effect to the Commissioner. [1899, s. 516.]

(*2*) On receipt of any such certificate, the Commissioner may direct or cause the removal of such person to such hospital or place :

Provided that, if any such person is a female, she shall not be removed to any such hospital or place unless the same has accommodation for females, of a suitable kind, and set apart from the portion assigned to males.

(*3*) The Commissioner shall, in the exercise of his powers under sub-section (*2*), be subject to the control of the Corporation.

(*4*) The person (if any) who has charge of a person in respect of whom an order is made under sub-section (*2*), shall obey such order.

(*5*) If any female who, according to the custom of the country, does not appear in public, be removed to any hospital or place under sub-section (*2*) :—

(*a*) the removal shall be effected in such a way as to preserve her privacy ;

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(*b*) special accommodation suited to such custom shall be provided for her in such hospital or place;

(*c*) she shall be treated therein by female agency only; and

(*d*) her female relatives shall be allowed to remain with her.

Power to Commissioner to disinfect building, tank, pool or well.

444. (*1*) If the Commissioner is of opinion that the cleansing or disinfecting of any building or any part of a building, or of any article therein which is likely to retain infection, or of any tank, pool or well adjacent to a building, would tend to prevent or check the spread of any dangerous disease, he may cleanse or disinfect such building, part, article, tank, pool or well and may, by written notice, require the occupier of such building or any part thereof to vacate the same for such time as may be prescribed in such notice. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 517.]

(*2*) The cost of such cleansing or disinfecting shall be paid by the occupier of the building:

Provided that if, in the opinion of the Commissioner, the occupier is from poverty unable to pay the said cost, the Commissioner may direct payment thereof to be made from the Municipal Fund.

Power to Commissioner to destroy huts and sheds.

445. (*1*) If the Commissioner is of opinion that the destruction of any hut or shed is necessary to prevent the spread of any dangerous disease, he may, after giving to the owner or occupier of such hut or shed such previous notice of his intention as may in the circumstances of the case appear to him reasonable, take measures for having such hut or shed and all the materials thereof destroyed. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 518.]

(*2*) Compensation shall be paid by the Commissioner to any person who sustains substantial loss by the destruction of any such hut or shed; but, except as so allowed by the Commissioner, no claim for compensation shall lie for any loss or damage caused by any exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*).

Infected building not to be let without being first disinfected.

446. No person shall let a building or any part of a building in which he knows or has reason to know that a person has been suffering from a dangerous disease,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 519.]

(*a*) unless the Commissioner has disinfected the same and has granted a certificate to that effect, and

(*b*) until a date specified in such certificate as that on which the building or part may be occupied without causing risk of infection.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section the keeper of an hotel or inn shall be deemed to let part of his building to any person accommodated therein.

Provision of places for disinfection, washing or destruction of infected articles, and power to Commissioner to disinfect or destroy such articles.

447. (*1*) The Commissioner may provide a place or places, with all necessary apparatus and establishment, for the disinfection of conveyances, clothing, bedding or other articles which have become infected; and when any articles have been brought to any such [*Cf.* 1899, s. 520.]

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place for disinfection, may cause them to be disinfected either,—

(*a*) in his discretion, on payment of such fees as he may from time to time fix in this behalf with the sanction of the Corporation ; or,

(*b*) in any case in which he is satisfied that the parties are too poor to pay, free of charge.

(*2*) The Commissioner may from time to time, by public notice, appoint a place or places at which conveyances, clothing, bedding or other articles which have been exposed to infection from any dangerous disease may be washed ; and no person shall wash any such article at any place not so appointed, without having previously disinfected the same.

(*3*) The Commissioner may disinfect or destroy, or, by written notice, direct the disinfection or destruction of, any clothing, bedding or other articles likely to retain infection.

(*4*) The Commissioner shall pay reasonable compensation for any article destroyed under sub-section (*3*).

Infected articles not to be transmitted, etc., without previous disinfection.

448. (*1*) No person shall, without previous disinfection of the same, give, lend, sell, transmit, or otherwise dispose of any article which he knows or has reason to know has been exposed to infection from any dangerous disease. [1899, s. 521.]

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall apply to a person who transmits, with proper precautions, any such article for the purpose of having the same disinfected.

Restrictions on carriage of patient in public conveyance

449. (*1*) No person who is suffering from a dangerous disease shall enter, or cause or permit himself to be carried in, a public conveyance without— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 522.]

(*a*) previously notifying to the owner, driver, or person in charge of such conveyance that he is so suffering, and

(*b*) taking proper precautions against spreading such disease.

(*2*) Notwithstanding anything contained in any enactment relating to public conveyances for the time being in force, no owner or driver or person in charge of a public conveyance shall be bound to carry any person suffering as aforesaid in such conveyance, unless payment or tender of sufficient compensation for the loss and expenses he must incur in disinfecting such conveyance is first of all made to him.

(*3*) No person shall go in company with, or take charge of, any person suffering as aforesaid who causes or permits himself to be carried in a public conveyance in contravention of sub-section (*1*).

(*4*) No owner, driver or person in charge of a public conveyance shall knowingly carry or permit to be carried in such conveyance any person suffering as aforesaid, in contravention of sub-section (*1*).

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Disinfection of public conveyance after carriage of patient.

450. (*1*) The owner, driver or person in charge of any public conveyance in which any person suffering from a dangerous disease has been carried shall immediately take the conveyance for disinfection to a place appointed under section 447, sub-section (*1*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 528.]

(*2*) The person in charge of such place shall forthwith intimate to the Commissioner the number of the conveyance and proceed to disinfect the conveyance.

(*3*) No such conveyance shall be used until the Commissioner has granted a certificate stating that it may be used without causing risk of infection.

Power to Commissioner to provide special conveyances for patients.

451. (*1*) The Commissioner, with the sanction of the Corporation, may provide and maintain suitable conveyances for the free carriage of persons suffering from any dangerous disease. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 524.]

(*2*) When such conveyances have been provided, it shall not be lawful, without the sanction of the Commissioner, to carry any such person in, or for any such person to cause himself to be carried in, any other public conveyance.

Power to Commissioner to take special measures on outbreak of dangerous disease or infectious epizootic disease.

452. In the event of Calcutta being at any time visited or threatened with an outbreak of any dangerous disease, or in the event of any infectious epizootic disease breaking out or being likely to be introduced into Calcutta, the Commissioner, if he considers that the other provisions of this Act or the provisions of any other enactment for the time being in force are insufficient for the purpose, may, with the sanction of the Corporation and of the Local Government,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 525.]

(*a*) take such special measures, and,

(*b*) by public notice, prescribe such temporary rules to be observed by the public or by any person or class of persons,

as he may deem necessary to prevent the outbreak of such disease or the spread thereof.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

453. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any order made by the Commissioner determining the amount of compensation payable for the destruction of any hut or shed under section 445, sub-section (*2*). [*Cf.* 1899, s. 518 (*2*) Proviso.]

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XXXI.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS AND DISPOSAL OF THE DEAD.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

Appointment of registrars and sub-registrars, and list of same.

454. (*1*) The Health Officer shall be chief registrar of Calcutta and shall keep, in such form as may from time to time be prescribed by the Local Government, a register of all births and deaths occurring in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 526 and 528.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall, for the purposes of this Chapter, divide Calcutta into such and so many districts as the Local Government may think fit, and shall appoint a person to be registrar of births and deaths for each such district.

(*3*) On the occurrence of any dangerous disease, the Commissioner may appoint as many additional registrars as he may think necessary.

(*4*) The Commissioner shall appoint a sub-registrar for each registered burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead, to register all corpses brought thereto for interment or cremation or for disposal otherwise:

Provided that it shall be competent to the Commissioner to appoint the same sub-registrar for more than one such burial or burning ground or other place.

(*5*) The Commissioner shall cause to be printed and published a list containing the name and address of every registrar and sub-registrar appointed under this section.

Register-books.

455. The Commissioner shall cause to be prepared and printed a sufficient number of register-books, in such form as may from time to time be prescribed by the Local Government, for making entries of all births and deaths occurring in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 529.]

Registrar to inform himself of, and register, births and deaths.

456. A registrar shall inform himself of every birth and death occurring in his district, and shall ascertain and register, as soon as conveniently may be after the event, and without fee or reward, the particulars prescribed in Schedule XIX or Schedule XX, as the case may be, in respect of every birth or death which has not been already registered. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 530.]

Information of birth by whom to be given.

457. It shall be the duty of the father or mother of every child born in Calcutta and, in default of the father or mother, of the occupier of the premises in which to his knowledge the child is born, and of each person present or in attendance at the time of the birth, and of the person having charge of the child, to give, to the best of his knowledge and belief, to the registrar of the district within eight days after such birth, information of the several particulars prescribed in Schedule XIX: [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 446.]

Provided that if any one of the persons hereinbefore referred to gives the said information, no other person shall be bound to give it:

Provided also that, in the case of an illegitimate child, no person shall, as father of such child, be required to give information under this Act concerning the birth of such child, and the registrar shall not enter in the register the name of any person as father

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of such child, unless at the joint request of the mother and of the person acknowledging himself to be the father of such child, and such person shall in such case sign the register together with the mother.

Information of death by whom to be given.

458. It shall be the duty of the nearest relatives present at the time of the death or in attendance during the last illness of any person dying in Calcutta, and in default of such relatives, of each person present or in attendance at the time of the death, and of the occupier of the premises in which, to his knowledge, the death took place, and in default of the persons hereinbefore in this section mentioned, of each inmate of such premises, and of the undertaker or other person causing the corpse of the deceased person to be disposed of, to give, to the best of his knowledge and belief, to the registrar of the district, or to the sub-registrar of the burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead where the body is buried or burnt or otherwise disposed of, information of the several particulars prescribed in Schedule XX:

[*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 449.]

Provided that if any of the persons hereinbefore referred to gives the said information, no other person shall be bound to give it:

Provided also that if the death occurs in a hospital, none of the said persons shall be bound to give such information, but it shall be the duty of the medical officer in charge of the hospital, within twelve hours after the death, to send to the Health Officer a written notice containing the several particulars prescribed in Schedule XX.

Medical practitioners to send to Health Officer notice stating cause of death.

459. Any medical practitioner in attendance during the last illness of any person dying in Calcutta shall, within three days of his becoming cognizant of the death of such person, send a written notice to the Health Officer, as nearly as may be in the form prescribed in Schedule XX, stating, to the best of his judgment, the cause of death.

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 588.]

Duties of police with regard to unclaimed corpses.

460. It shall be the duty of the police to convey every unclaimed corpse to a burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead, or to a duly appointed mortuary, and thereafter to inform the registrar of the district in which such corpse was found.

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 584.]

Sextons, etc., not to bury, etc., corpse without certificate.

461. A sexton or keeper of a burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead, whether situated in Calcutta or not, shall not bury, burn or otherwise dispose of, or allow to be buried or burnt or otherwise disposed of, the corpse of any person who has died in Calcutta unless such corpse is accompanied by a certificate, in the form prescribed by Schedule XX, signed by a registrar or sub-registrar appointed under section 454 or by a registered medical practitioner:

[*Cf.* 1899, s. 586.]

Provided that, at any burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead where there is a sub-registrar who keeps a register in the form prescribed by the said Schedule, an entry in such register relating to the deceased shall be deemed sufficient.

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Power to Local Government to make rules.

462. The Local Government may make rules— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 588.]

(*a*) prescribing the qualifications to be required in persons appointed to be registrars or sub-registrars under this Chapter;

(*b*) generally, for the guidance of the Commissioner, the Health Officer, registrars and sub-registrars in all matters connected with the carrying out of the provisions of this Chapter.

Disposal of the Dead.

Registration of places for disposal of the dead.

463. Every owner or keeper of a place used for burying, burning or otherwise disposing of the dead shall cause the same to be registered in a register which shall be kept by some municipal officer charged by the Commissioner with this duty, and shall deposit in the Municipal Office at the time of registration a plan of the said place showing the extent and boundaries thereof and bearing the signature of a surveyor in token of its having been prepared by or under the supervision of such surveyor. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 539.]

Provision and registration of new places for disposal of the dead.

464. If the existing places for the disposal of the dead appear to the Corporation at any time to be insufficient, or if any such place is closed under the provisions of section 466, they shall— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 540.]

(*a*) provide other fit and convenient places for the disposal of the dead, either in or without Calcutta,

(*b*) cause the same to be registered in the register kept under section 463, and

(*c*) cause to be kept in the Municipal Office, at the time of registration of each place so provided, a plan thereof showing the extent and boundaries of the same and bearing the signature of the Commissioner.

Permission of the Corporation required for opening or re-opening places for disposal of the dead.

465. Except with the written permission of the Corporation— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 541.]

(*a*) no place which has never previously been lawfully used as a place for the disposal of the dead and registered as such shall be opened by any person as such place, and

(*b*) no burial or burning ground or other place for the disposal of the dead which has fallen into disuse shall be again used as such.

Power to Local Government to direct the closing of any place for the disposal of the dead.

466. (*1*) If, from information furnished by competent persons and after personal inspection, the Commissioner is at any time of opinion— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 542.]

(*a*) that any place of public worship is, or is likely to become, injurious to health by reason of the state of the vaults or graves within the walls of, or underneath, such place or in any churchyard or burial ground adjacent thereto, or

(*b*) that any other place used for the disposal of the dead is in such a state as to be, or to be likely to become, injurious to health,

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he may submit his said opinion, with the reasons therefor, to the Corporation, who shall forward the same, with their opinion, for the consideration of the Local Government.

(*2*) Upon receipt of such opinion, the Local Government, after such further inquiry (if any) as they deem fit to make, may, by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in local newspapers, direct that such place of public worship, churchyard, burial ground or other place for the disposal of the dead shall no longer be used for the disposal of the dead.

(*3*) Every such notification shall be noted in the register kept under section 463.

(*4*) On the expiration of two months from the date of any such notification, the place to which the same relates shall be closed for the disposal of the dead.

(*5*) A copy of the said notification, with a translation thereof in the Bengali, Hindi and Urdu languages, shall be affixed on a conspicuous spot on or near the place to which the notification relates, unless such place be a place of public worship.

Power to Local Government to direct re-opening of place closed under section 466 or other enactment.

467. (*1*) If, after personal inspection, the Commissioner is at any time of opinion that any place formerly used for the disposal of the dead which has been closed under section 466 or under any other enactment or authority has, by lapse of time, become no longer injurious to health and may, without risk of danger, be again used for the said purpose, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 543.]

he may submit his said opinion, with the reasons therefor, to the Corporation, who shall forward the same, with their opinion, for the consideration of the Local Government.

(*2*) Upon receipt of such opinion, the Local Government, after such further inquiry (if any) as they deem fit to make, may, by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, direct that such place be re-opened for the disposal of the dead.

(*3*) Every such notification shall be noted in the register kept under section 463.

Prohibition of certain acts without the permission of the Commissioner

468. (*1*) No person shall, without the written permission of the Commissioner,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 545.]

(*a*) make any vault, grave or interment within any wall, or underneath any passage, porch, portico, plinth or verandah, of any place of worship; or

(*b*) make any interment or otherwise dispose of any corpse in any place which is closed for the disposal of the dead under section 466; or

(*c*) build, dig or cause to be built or dug any grave or vault, or in any way dispose of, or suffer or permit to be disposed of, any corpse, at any place which is not registered in the register kept under section 463; or

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(*d*) exhume any body from any place for the disposal of the dead, except under the provisions of section 176 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, or of any other relevant enactment for the time being in force. V of 1898.

(*2*) Such permission may be granted by the Commissioner in special cases only and subject to such general or special orders as the Local Government may make in this behalf.

(*3*) An offence against clause (*b*), clause (*c*) or clause (*d*) of sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to be a cognizable offence within the meaning of section 149, section 150 and section 151 of the said Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898. V of 1898.

(Part V.)

CHAPTER XXXII.

CENSUS.

Census when and how to be taken.

469. (*1*) At such time and in such manner as the Commissioner, with the sanction of the Corporation and the Local Government, may from time to time direct, an enumeration shall be made of all persons then being in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 546.]

(*2*) When any time is appointed under sub-section (*1*), the Local Government shall, at least one month before that time, publish a notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, announcing the said time and containing all other particulars of which they consider the residents should be informed.

Superintendence of enumeration.

470. The Commissioner, or any person specially appointed by the Corporation for the purpose (hereinafter called the Superintendent), shall superintend the making of every enumeration under this Chapter, and shall cause to be prepared and issued, for the purposes of such enumeration, such forms and instructions as he may consider necessary and as may be sanctioned by the Local Government. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 547.]

Expenses of enumeration.

471. The expenses incurred in making any enumeration under this Chapter shall be paid out of the Municipal Fund. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 548.]

Appointment and duties of enumerators.

472. (*1*) The Commissioner or Superintendent, as the case may be, shall appoint a sufficient number of competent persons to act as enumerators for the purposes of this Chapter. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 550.]

(*2*) Every enumerator shall obey all instructions issued to him by the Superintendent for the making of the enumeration, and shall, under the direction of the Superintendent, and on the day to be appointed by the Corporation in this behalf,—

(*a*) visit every building within the area to which he has been appointed;

(*b*) take an account in writing of the name, sex, age, caste (if any), nationality and occupation of every person abiding in such building on the night immediately preceding the said day; and

(*c*) take an account in writing of all occupied buildings, all buildings then being built and uninhabited, and all other uninhabited buildings:

Provided that no female shall be required to disclose her name or age.

Military and naval officers and certain other persons, if required, to act as enumerators.

473. (*1*) The following persons, namely,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 551.]

(*a*) any military or naval officer in command of a body of military or naval men or of a vessel of war,

(*b*) any master of a merchant vessel,

(*c*) any *sarang* or *tindal*, or any person in charge of a vessel or boat.

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(*d*) any person in charge of a lunatic asylum, hospital or prison, or of any public or private charitable or scholastic institution, and

(*e*) any keeper of an hotel or lodging-house,

shall, if required by the Superintendent, act as an enumerator for the purpose of taking an account in writing of the name, sex, age, caste (if any), nationality and occupation of every person under his command or charge, or abiding in any building in his possession, charge or control, on the night immediately preceding the day appointed under section 472, sub-section (*2*), and shall obey all instructions issued to him in writing by the Superintendent for the purposes of taking such account.

(*2*) If any person upon whom a requisition is made under sub-section (*1*) is unable to write, an enumerator appointed under section 472, sub-section (*1*), shall fill up any form supplied to such person under that sub-section.

PART VI.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

ACQUISITION, DISPOSAL AND GENERAL IMPROVEMENT OF LAND AND BUILDINGS.

Acquisition and Disposal of Land and Buildings.

Power to Corporation to acquire land and buildings for improvements.

474. The Corporation may acquire any land and buildings, whether situated in Calcutta or not,— [*Cf.* s. 394.] 1899,

(*1*) for the purpose of opening out any congested or unhealthy area or of otherwise improving any portion of Calcutta; or

(*2*) for the purpose of erecting sanitary dwellings for the poorer classes.

Scheme for carrying out such improvements

475. (*1*) When any land or building has been acquired under section 474 for the purpose of carrying out any work, the Corporation shall frame a scheme for carrying out such work either by themselves or by any other person whom the Corporation may select to carry out the same. [*Cf.* s. 396.] 1899,

(*2*) When any scheme is framed under sub-section (*1*) for the carrying out of work by any person other than the Corporation, the scheme shall embody the terms and conditions agreed upon between the Corporation and such person;

and such conditions shall be deemed to include a power to the Commissioner to superintend and control the execution of the work.

(*3*) Every scheme framed under sub-section (*1*) shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in such other manner as the Commissioner may think fit, together with a notice specifying a period within which objections will be received.

(*4*) The Corporation shall consider all objections received within the said period, and shall submit the documents to the Local Government with such recommendations as they may desire to make.

(*5*) The Local Government, after considering the said objections and recommendations (if any), may confirm the scheme, and before doing so may modify it, but not so as to extend its effect.

Power to Corporation to carry out improvements.

476. When any scheme for the carrying out of work by the Corporation themselves has been confirmed by the Local Government under section 475, sub-section (*5*), the Corporation may proceed to carry out the work in accordance with the scheme. [*Cf.* s. 396.] 1899,

Transfer of land and buildings to person for carrying out improvements.

477. (*1*) When any scheme for the carrying out of work by any person other than the Corporation has been confirmed by the Local Government under section 475, sub-section (*5*), the Corporation may sell, lease or otherwise transfer to such person the land and buildings which have been acquired under section 474, for the purpose and under the condition that he will carry out such work in accordance with the said scheme. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 397.]

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(2) Every lease granted by the Corporation under this section shall be deemed to include a covenant authorizing the Corporation to re-enter if the lessee—

(*a*) fails to carry out any work in accordance with the said scheme, or,

(*b*) after carrying out the work, uses the land or buildings leased to him, or any part thereof, or allows the same to be used, for any purpose which is inconsistent with the said scheme;

and such covenant shall be binding on all transferees from the original lessee.

(3) Before possession of any land or building is given to any person by the Corporation in pursuance of any contract (other than a lease) made under this section, the Corporation shall take security from such person for the due carrying out and maintenance of work in accordance with the said scheme.

Additional Powers for Acquisition, Disposal, etc.

Further powers to Corporation for acquiring and disposing of land or buildings

478. In addition to the powers expressly conferred by any other section of this Act for the acquisition and disposal of land or buildings, the Corporation may— [*cf.* 1899, s. 556.]

(*1*) acquire, or pay rent for, or take on lease under such conditions as they may think fit, any land and buildings, whether situated in Calcutta or not, which may, in their opinion, be needed for carrying out any of the purposes of this Act, and

(*2*) sell, lease or otherwise transfer, on such terms as they may think fit, any land or building vested in them.

General Provisions.

Application of Land Acquisition Act, 1894, with amendments.

479. Any land or buildings which any municipal authority is authorized by this Act to acquire may be acquired under the provisions of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, and for that purpose the said Act shall be subject to the following amendments, namely.— [*cf.* 1899, s. 557.] I of 1894.

(*a*) Section 17 of the said Land Acquisition Act shall apply also in the case of any area which is stated in a certificate granted by a Magistrate to be unhealthy. Before granting any such certificate the Magistrate shall cause notice to be served as promptly as may be on the persons referred to in subsection (3) of section 9 of the said Act, and shall hear without any avoidable delay any objections which may be urged by them against the application of the said section 17. When proceedings have been taken under the said section 17 for the acquisition of any land, and any person sustains damage in consequence of being suddenly dispossessed of such land, compensation shall be paid to such person for such dispossession.

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(*b*) The market-value of any land or building to be acquired shall be deemed, for the purposes of clause *first* of sub-section (*1*) of section 23 of the said Land Acquisition Act, to be the market-value according to the disposition of such land or building at the date of the publication of the declaration relating thereto under section 6 of the said Land Acquisition Act:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) if it be shown that, before such declaration was published, the owner of the land or building had taken active steps and incurred expenditure to secure a more profitable disposition of the same, further compensation, based on his actual loss, may be paid to him;

(*ii*) if the market-value is specially high in consequence of the property being put to a use which is unlawful or contrary to public policy, that use shall be disregarded and the market-value shall be deemed to be the market-value of the land or building if put to ordinary uses;

(*iii*) if the market-value has been increased by means of any improvement made by the owner or his predecessor in interest within two years before the aforesaid declaration was published, such increase shall be disregarded unless it be proved that the improvement was made *bonâ fide* and not in contemplation of proceedings for the acquisition of the land or building being taken under the said Land Acquisition Act.

(*c*) The market value of any land (other than land in a *bustee*) or any building to be acquired shall, until the contrary is shown, be presumed, for the purposes of the said clause *first* of sub-section (*1*) of section 23, to be twenty-five times the annual value of property as entered in the assessment-book

Vesting in Corporation of land and buildings acquired under the Land Acquisition Act., 1894

480. On payment by the Commissioner out of the Municipal Fund of the compensation awarded under the said Land Acquisition Act, 1894, in respect of any land or buildings and of any other charges incurred in acquiring the said land or buildings, the same shall vest in the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 558.] 1 of 1894.

PART VII.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

BY-LAWS AND RULES.

Power to Corporation to make by-laws.

481. The Corporation may make by-laws generally for carrying out the provisions and intentions of this Act; and in particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, they may make by-laws— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559.]

(*1*) for the subdivision, amalgamation and renewal of municipal debentures issued under Chapter IX;

(*2*) regulating— [*Cf.* 1899 s. 559, cl. (*3*).]

(*a*) the detention and examination of petroleum introduced into Calcutta for consumption therein;

(*b*) the collection of any tax imposed under section 199, sub-section (*3*); and

(*c*) such other matters connected with the introduction of petroleum into Calcutta for consumption therein as the Corporation may from time to time think fit to regulate:

Provided that no such by-law shall render petroleum, passing through Calcutta in transit for any place beyond Calcutta, liable to taxation or to any detention or examination whatsoever under this Act;

(*3*) prescribing the duties of owners and drivers of carts, the minimum width of the tyres thereof, and the maximum load which carts shall be permitted to carry; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*5*).]

(*4*) prescribing the procedure to be followed by owners or occupiers desiring a water-supply; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*4*).]

(*5*) prescribing a schedule of charges for water supplied for other than domestic purposes; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*5*).]

(*6*) regulating the testing of the purity of filtered water supplied under Chapter XVIII; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*6*).]

(*7*) providing for the maintenance of a map of the water-supply system and facilitating the inspection of the same by ratepayers; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*7*).]

(*8*) regulating— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*8*).]

(*i*) the construction and maintenance of water-pipes, taps and fittings, and

(*ii*) all matters and things connected with the supply and use of water, the use and control of meters, the control of the water-supply and the administration of Chapter XVIII;

(*9*) specifying the manner in which house-drains and privies are to be connected with the municipal drains: [1899, s. 559, cl. (*9*).]

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(*10*) prescribing the procedure to be followed by owners and occupiers of premises in connecting house-drains and privies with the municipal drains; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*10*).]

(*11*) regulating the construction, maintenance, control and cleansing of drains, ventilation-shafts or pipes, cess pools, house-gullies, privies, urinals, bathing and washing places and drainage works of every description, whether belonging to the Corporation or not; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*12*).]

(*12*) providing for the maintenance of a map of the sewerage system, and facilitating the inspection of the same by ratepayers; [1899, s. 559, cl (*13*).]

(*13*) prescribing the qualifications to be required from, and regulating the appointment, suspension, and dismissal of, licensed plumbers; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*14*).]

(*14*) for the alteration of doors, gates, bars and windows opening outwards on a public street; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*15*).]

(*15*) for the provision, maintenance, and lighting of hoardings or fences in public streets when building work is carried on; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*16*).]

(*16*) regulating the making of holes in a public street; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*17*).]

(*17*) prohibiting or regulating the placing of obstructions, projections or encroachments, or the depositing of materials or goods, in a public street or in or over any drain or aqueduct in a public street or on any land vested in the Corporation; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*18*).]

(*18*) regulating the posting of advertisements in or adjacent to public streets or other public places;

(*19*) for the provision and maintenance of gutters and pipes for carrying and discharging water from buildings in a public street; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*19*).]

(*20*) regulating the construction of approach roads crossing the footpath of a public street; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*20*).]

(*21*) regulating the construction of verandahs and other structures in streets;

(*22*) for altering the position of pipes and appliances laid in streets; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*21*).]

(*23*) regulating all matters relating to the fittings, width and construction of streets; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*22*).]

(*24*) regulating the use of land as sites for the erection of buildings; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*23*).]

(*25*) regulating the erection of new buildings; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl (*24*).]

(*26*) regulating the making of alterations in, and additions to, buildings; [1899, s. 559, (*25*).]

(*27*) providing for the protection of lamps, lights, gas-pipes, electric wires and all other appurtenances necessary for the lighting of public streets and municipal markets and buildings; and regulating the manner in which gas-pipes or electric wires shall be laid and existing gas-pipes or electric wires altered; [*See* 1899, ss. 423 to 426.]

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(*28*) providing for and regulating the collection, removal and disposal of all offensive matter and sewage accumulating in Calcutta, and the efficient daily cleansing and scavenging of all streets and premises; [*See* 1899, ss. 432, 434 and 486.]

(*29*) for the regulation and control of public bathing and washing places and places constructed under section 392, the management and maintenance of public swimming-baths, the imposition of fees for the use of such baths and the control of persons resorting to such washing places and baths; [*See* 1899, ss. 460 to 462, 474 and 559 (*31*).]

(*30*) for the construction, management and maintenance of public wash-houses, for the regulation and control of such public wash-houses and other places for the use of washermen in the exercise of their calling, for the imposition of fees for the use of such wash-houses or places, for the control of persons carrying on business therein or resorting thereto, and for the prohibition of the use of unauthorized places for such purposes; [*See* 1899, ss. 475 and 476.]

(*31*) prohibiting the fouling of any tank, reservoir, stream, well or ditch in Calcutta or of any source from which the public water-supply is drawn; [*See* 1899, ss. 461 and 462.]

(*32*) regulating the keeping, feeding and destruction of any animal, and the disposal of its carcass, and prescribing the fees payable to the Corporation for such disposal; [*See* 1899, ss. 453, 454 and 458.]

(*33*) specifying the manner in which stables, cattle-sheds and cow-houses are to be constructed, altered, paved, repaired, maintained and inspected, and the means whereby they are to be connected with the municipal drains; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*26*), and ss. 456 and 457.]

(*34*) providing for the inspection, keeping and removal of milch-cattle, and prescribing and regulating the ventilation, lighting, cleansing, drainage and water-supply of dairies and cattle-sheds in the occupation of persons following the trade of dairyman or milk-seller; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*27*), and s. 455.]

(*35*) for enforcing the cleanliness of milk-stores and milk-shops and milk-vessels used for containing milk; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*28*).]

(*36*) requiring notice to be given whenever any milch-animal is affected with any contagious disease, and prescribing precautions to be taken for protecting milch-cattle and milk against infection or contamination; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*29*).]

(*37*) for the regulation of lodging-houses; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*53*).]

(*38*) regulating the removal and disposal of rank or noxious vegetation; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*54*).]

(*39*) for the inspection, supervision, regulation, and control of eating-houses and places where food is prepared for human consumption.

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(*40*) for the regulation, inspection by day or by night, supervision and control of all factories, bakehouses, work-shops, work-places and premises used for any of the purposes referred to or mentioned in section 402, and of all trades and manufactures carried on therein, and for the cleanliness or ventilation of the same, or the health or safety of the persons employed therein; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*30*), and ss. 464 (*1*), 465, 466 (*2*) and 473.]

(*41*) regulating the inspection, supervision and control of theatres and other places of public resort, recreation or amusement, and prescribing the terms and conditions subject to which licenses may be granted for keeping open such places; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*52*).]

(*42*) for the licensing and control of persons in charge of cinematograph lanterns or any other apparatus (in use in theatres or other places of public resort, recreation or amusement) which, in the opinion of the Commissioner, are or is likely to be dangerous to human life;

(*43*) for securing the efficient inspection of markets, slaughter-houses, and places set apart under proviso (*iii*) to section 414; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*32*).]

(*44*) regulating the management of, and the conduct of business in, markets; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*33*).]

(*45*) regulating the use of any municipal market, municipal slaughter-house, municipal stock-yard, or any part thereof, or any place set apart under proviso (*iii*) to section 414; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*34*).]

(*46*) providing for a sufficient supply of water to or in, and for the proper cleansing, general control and regulation of the sanitary condition of, markets, slaughter-houses, stock-yards and places set apart under proviso (*iii*) to section 414, and preventing the exercise of cruelty and the occurrence of nuisances or obstruction therein; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl (*35*), and s. 488.]

(*47*) for preventing persons suffering from any loathsome disease from keeping stalls in, or being employed in preparing or selling articles of food in, any market or from entering any municipal market or touching any article brought thereto for sale, and for authorizing the expulsion of such persons from any municipal market; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*36*).]

(*48*) for preventing persons suffering from any infectious or contagious disease living in places where food or drugs is or are sold, stored or prepared, and for disinfecting the place where any such case has occurred, and generally for the restraint of infection in such places; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. 37).]

(*49*) for preventing the use in any municipal market of false or incorrect weights, scales or measures; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*38*).]

(*50*) for publishing a price-current in any market; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*39*).]

(*51*) for the control and supervision of butchers carrying on business in Calcutta or at any municipal slaughter-house without Calcutta; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*40*).]

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(*52*) for securing the efficient inspection and sanitary regulation of shops in which food or drugs is or are kept or sold; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*41*).]

(*53*) prescribing and regulating the functions and duties of registrars and sub-registrars of births and deaths and of keepers of burial and burning grounds and other places for the disposal of the dead, and for regulating and ensuring the correct and prompt registration of all births and deaths; [*See* 1899, ss. 527, 529 (*2*), 530, 535, 537 and 544.]

(*54*) regulating the speedy disposal of corpses; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*42*).]

(*55*) regulating the carrying of corpses along streets; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*43*).]

(*56*) regulating the removal of corpses or parts of corpses which have been kept or used for purposes of dissection; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*44*).]

(*57*) regulating the digging and making of graves and vaults; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*45*).]

(*58*) regulating the re-opening of graves and vaults for purposes of fresh interments; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*46*).]

(*59*) regulating cremation; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*47*).]

(*60*) generally, for regulating the disposal of the dead, the inspection of all places for the disposal of the dead, and the maintenance of all such places in good order and in a safe and sanitary condition; [1899, s. 559, cl. (*48*).]

(*61*) regulating and facilitating the taking of a census of the population of Calcutta, and securing accurate returns thereof, and prescribing the duties of the Superintendent referred to in section 470; [*Cf.* 1899, s. 559, cl. (*49*); and ss. 549, 550 (*3*), 552 and 553.]

(*62*) for securing the registration of marriages; and [1899, s. 559, cl. (*50*).]

(*63*) regulating the printing and sale of by-laws and rules made under this Act, and providing for the exhibition thereof in suitable places. [*See* 1899, ss. 571 and 572.]

Type-plans to be annexed to certain by-laws, and application of certain by-laws.

482. (*1*) There shall be annexed to by-laws made under clause (*9*), clause (*11*) or clause (*33*) of section 481, type-plans of all constructions referred to in them and the said plans shall be open to the inspection of any applicant at the Municipal Office, at all reasonable times. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 560.]

(*2*) No by-law made under clause (*40*) of section 481 shall—

(*a*) affect the Bengal Steam-boilers and Prime-movers Act, 1879, or Ben. Act III of 1879.

(*b*) apply to any factory to which the Indian Factories Act, 1911, is applicable. XII of 1911.

Penalties for breach of by-laws.

483. In making a by-law under section 481, the Corporation may provide that a breach of it shall be punishable— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 561.]

(*a*) with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and in the case of a continuing breach, with fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day during which the breach continues after conviction for the first breach, or

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(*b*) with fine which may extend to twenty rupees for every day during which the breach continues after receipt of written notice from the Commissioner to discontinue the breach.

Appeals against by-laws.

484. In making a by-law under section 481, the Corporation may provide, subject to the provisions of section 15 and section 16, that an appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee or to the Buildings Appeals Committee, as the case may be, against any order made, notice issued or other action taken or proposed to be taken by the Commissioner under the said by-law. [*See* 1899, s. 327 (*ii*).] (*1*)

Conditions precedent to the making of by-laws.

485. The power to make by-laws under this Act is subject to the condition of the by-laws being made after previous publication, and to the following further conditions, namely,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 565.]

(*a*) a draft of the by-laws shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in local newspapers;

(*b*) such draft shall not be further proceeded with until after the expiration of a period of one month from such publication or such longer period as the Corporation may appoint;

(*c*) for not less than one month during such period, a printed copy of such draft shall be kept at the Municipal Office for public inspection, and every person shall be permitted at any reasonable time to peruse the same, free of charge; and

(*d*) printed copies of such draft shall be obtainable by any person requiring the same, on payment of such fee, not exceeding two annas for each copy, as may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

By-laws to be subject to sanction of Local Government.

486. (*1*) No by-law made by the Corporation under this Act shall have any validity unless and until it is sanctioned by the Local Government. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 566.]

(*2*) Before sanctioning any such by-law, the Local Government may modify it.

Power to Local Government to make rules for the amendment of certain Schedules.

487. (*1*) The Local Government may by rules alter, add to or cancel any part of, or any rule contained in, any Schedule except Schedule I and Schedule III. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 567.]

(*2*) All references in this Act to any Schedule which may be amended under sub-section (*1*) shall be construed as references to such Schedule as for the time being so amended.

Conditions precedent to the making of rules.

488. (*1*) The power to make rules under any section (other than section 308 and section 452) of this Act is subject to the condition of the rules being made after previous publication. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 568.]

(*2*) The power of the Local Government to make rules under section 9, sub-section (*4*), section 98, sub-section (*3*), or section 487, sub-section (*1*), is also subject to the following further conditions, namely,—

(*a*) a draft of the rules shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and forwarded to the Corporation for their opinion;

(*b*) such draft shall not be further proceeded with until six weeks after such publication or until such later date as the Local Government may appoint.

Certain rules to be subject to sanction.

489. (*1*) No rule made under section 39, section 74, section 98, sub-section (*10*), section 99, sub-section (*3*), or clause (*b*) of section 535 shall have any validity unless and until it is sanctioned by the Local Government. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 569.]

(*2*) Before sanctioning any such rule, the Local Government may modify it.

Publication of by-laws, and rules in Gazette, and effect of such publication.

490. All by-laws and rules made and (where sanction is required) duly sanctioned under this Act shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and shall thereupon have effect as if enacted in this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 570.]

Power to Local Government to cancel by-laws and rules.

491. (*1*) If the Local Government are at any time of opinion that any by-law or rule made under this Act by any municipal authority should be cancelled, either wholly or in part, they shall cause the reasons for such opinion to be communicated to the Corporation, and shall prescribe a reasonable period within which the Corporation may make any representation with regard thereto which they may think fit. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 573.]

(*2*) After receipt and consideration of any such representation, or, if in the meantime no such representation is received, after the expiry of the prescribed period, the Local Government may at any time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, cancel such by-law or rule, either wholly or in part:

Provided that no by-law or rule shall be cancelled in part only if, within the period aforesaid, the Corporation have objected to a partial cancellation thereof.

(*3*) The cancellation of a by-law or rule under sub-section (*2*) shall take effect from such date as the Local Government may in the said notification direct, or, if no such date is specified, then from the date of the publication of the said notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, except as to anything done or suffered or omitted to be done before such date.

(*4*) The said notification shall also be published in local newspapers.

PART VIII.

CHAPTER XXXV.

PENALTIES.

Certain offences punishable with fine.

492. (*1*) Whoever commits any offence by— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 574 and 576.]

(*a*) contravening any provision of any of the sections, sub-sections, clauses of sections, provisoes or rules of this Act mentioned in the first column of the following table, or

(*b*) contravening any provision of any rule made under any of the said sections, sub-sections, clauses, or provisoes, or

(*c*) failing to comply with any direction lawfully given to him or any requisition lawfully made upon him under any of the said sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to the amount mentioned in that behalf in the third column of the said table.

(*2*) Whoever, after having been convicted of any offence referred to in clause (*a*), clause (*b*), or clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*), continues to commit such offence shall be punished, for each day after the first during which he continues so to offend, with fine which may extend to the amount mentioned in this behalf in the fourth column of the said table.

Explanation.—The entries in the second column of the following table, headed "Subject", are not intended as definitions of the offences described in the sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules mentioned in the first column, or even as abstracts of those sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules, but are inserted merely as references to the subject thereof :—

1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed
Section 55, sub-section (*1*).	Accepting bribe at election	One hundred rupees.	
Section 55, sub-section (*2*).	Giving bribe at election	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 141, sub-section (*2*).	Requisition by auditors to produce documents, to appear in person, or to make and sign declaration, to answer question or to submit statement.	One hundred rupees	Seventy rupees.
Section 153, sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*).	Requisition for returns of measurements and rent or annual value of land or building.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 162 ...	Obligation to give notice of transfer of title in land or building.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 172 ...	Obligation to give notice of re-occupation of unoccupied land or building.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 185, sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*).	Obligation to forward statement of carriages and animals liable to taxation.	Twenty rupees.	
Section 186 ...	Requisition on occupier to forward statement of carriages and animals liable to taxation, and names and addresses of persons owning or keeping same.	Twenty rupees.	
Section 189 ...	Requisition on livery stable-keeper to produce books and accounts for inspection.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 191, sub-sections (*3*) and (*4*).	Obligation to forward list of dogs liable to taxation.	Twenty rupees.	
Section 196 ...	Requisition on owner or occupier to forward list of persons carrying on profession, trade or calling in his premises.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 199, sub-section (*2*).	Prohibition of introduction of petroleum into Calcutta for storage.	One thousand rupees.	
Section 201, sub-section (*3*).	Keeping or possessing cart not duly registered.	Three times the amount payable for registration, exclusive of the amount so payable.	
Section 201, sub-section (*4*).	Failing to affix registration number to cart.	Five rupees.	
Section 203, sub-section (*4*).	Obligation on person driving cart to register himself and to carry registration ticket on his person.	Ten rupees ...	Five rupees
Section 238, sub-section (*2*).	Improper use of filtered water supplied for domestic purposes.	Ten rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 239, sub-section (*3*).	Use of unfiltered water for domestic purposes.	Five rupees.	
Section 246 ...	Requisition on owner to obtain adequate supply of water from nearest main for his building.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 261, sub-section (*2*).	Unauthorizedly taking water for use without Calcutta.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 265 ...	Requisition to fill up well	Twenty-five rupees	Five rupees.
Section 272, sub-section (*1*).	Constructing railway, private street, wall or other structure over municipal drain.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees
Section 276, sub-section (*1*).	Unlawfully connecting house-drain with municipal drain.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees.
Section 277 ...	Requisition on owner of premises to connect his house-drain with a drain in private street.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 279 ...	Requisition on owner of premises to make house drain and provide appliances or fittings, or to remove house-drain, et	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 280 ...	Requisition on owner of premises to make house-drain communicating with nearest municipal drain or closed cesspool.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 281 ...	Direction to owner of premises as to closing or limiting the use of house drain.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 282, sub-section (*1*)	Requisition to construct house-drain	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 283 ...	Requisition on owner of courtyard, alley or passage to pave, repair and raise level of same.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 284, sub-section (*2*).	Requisition on owner of land to construct new surface drain for benefit of occupants of hut ; and failure to maintain, etc., such surface drain.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 285 ...	Construction, maintenance and regulation of drains.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 287, sub section (*2*).	Keeping a public privy or urinal without license, or suffering a licensed public privy or urinal to be in a filthy or noxious state	One hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 288, sub-section (*1*).	Provision of privy and urinal or bathing or washing place for building.	One hundred rupees	
Section 289, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner of premises to provide or alter privy or urinal, or bathing or washing place, for or in premises.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 290 ...	Requisition on owner to provide privies and urinals for premises used by large numbers of people.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees
Section 291 ...	Construction, maintenance and regulation of privies, urinals and appurtenances thereof in accordance with rules	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees
Section 296, sub section (*1*).	Requisition on owner of premises to close, remove, renew or take other order with house drain, ventilation-shaft or pipe, cesspool, house-gully, privy or urinal.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 297, sub-section (*1*).	Position of cesspools	One hundred rupees.	
Section 297, sub section (*2*).	Requisition to remove or fill up cess pools.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 298, sub-section (*1*).	Construction of house-drain, service privy, etc., within fifty feet of tank, well, etc.	Twenty rupees.	
Section 298, sub-section (*2*).	Requisition on owner of land to remove receptacle for sewage or offensive matter.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 302, clause (*b*).	Requisition on owner of premises to alter, pave, repair, etc., house-drain, cesspool, privy or urinal.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees
Section 303 ...	Requisition on occupier of premises to carry out work which owner may be required to carry out.	The amount which may be levied as fine on the owner in each case.	The amount which may be levied as daily fine on the owner in each case.
Section 305 ...	Prohibition of certain acts in connection with drainage, etc.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 310, sub section (*1*).	Prohibition of execution of certain work by persons other than licensed plumbers.	Two hundred and fifty rupees.	

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 310, sub-section (*2*).	Prohibition of owner or occupier of premises causing or allowing certain work to be executed by persons other than licensed plumbers.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 311, sub-section (*2*).	Prohibition of licensed plumber demanding or receiving more than prescribed charge.	Twenty rupees.	
Section 313, sub-section (*1*)	Prohibition of licensed plumber infringing rules, executing work carelessly or negligently, or using bad materials, appliances or fittings.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 319, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of building to remove or alter fixture or portion of building.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 322, sub-section (*1*).	Prohibition of erection of, or addition to, building or wall within street alignment prescribed under section 321.	Five hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 322, sub-section (*3*).	Requisition to remove building erected or added to on site between street alignment and building-line prescribed under section 321.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 328 ...	(i) Prohibition of erection of, or addition to, building or wall within street alignment of a street projected under section 327.	Five hundred rupees.	Fifty rupees.
	(ii) Requisition to remove building erected or added to on site between street alignment and building-line of a street projected under section 327.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 333, sub-section (*2*), proviso second.	Requisition to widen private street to full width.	Two hundred and fifty rupees.	Fifty rupees.
Section 334 ...	Unlawfully making or laying out a private street.	Five hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 336, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner of private street or owner or occupier of adjoining land to level, etc., such street.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees.
Section 344, sub-section (*6*).	Erection of new building in contravention of declaration by the Corporation.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 345 ...	Prohibition of erection of building without permission or so as to deprive another building of proper means of access.	Two hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 346 ...	Requisition upon owner of public building to bring same into conformity with the provisions of the Act relating to new public buildings.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 347, sub-section (*1*).	Change in use of building without special permission.	Two hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and fifty rupees in the case of a hut.	Fifty rupees in the case of a masonry building, and ten rupees in the case of a hut.
Section 347, sub-section (*2*), proviso.	Requisition to close shop	Fifty rupees ...	Twenty rupees.
Section 355 ...	Erecting or adding to hut in a *bustee* before preparation of plan by owner and approval of same.	Fifty rupees.	

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 356 ...	Erecting or adding to hut in a *bustee* contrary to standard plan.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 357, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner to remove hut in *bustee* not in conformity with standard plan.	Fifty rupees ...	Twenty rupees.
Section 358, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner of *bustee* to construct drains, etc., and to fill up, etc., tanks, wells, etc., in accordance with standard plan.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 361 ...	Requisition on owners or occupiers to carry out in *bustee* improvements indicated in Schedule A annexed to report under section 359.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 369, sub-section (*2*).	Failure to keep open private street in *bustee* for scavenging and other purposes and for use of tenants.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 370 ...	Failure to keep open bathing and privy accommodation in *bustee* for use of tenants.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 371, sub-section (*2*).	Requisition on owner to maintain in proper order streets, drains, etc., in *bustee*, according to standard plan.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 374, sub-section (*5*).	Requisition on owner applying to re-erect huts to carry out improvements before re-erecting such huts.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees
Section 375, sub-section (*4*).	Erection of hut or portion of hut within alignment prescribed for private streets in *bustee* or other area.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 376 ...	Requisition on owners or occupiers to remove huts.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 377 ...	Requisition on person erecting masonry building in *bustee* to leave space of twenty feet from centre line of street.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees
Section 379 ...	Requisition on occupiers to cleanse *bustee*.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees.
Section 381, clause (*i*).	Direction to alter or demolish work or structures.	Five hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and fifty rupees in the case of a hut.	One hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and ten rupees in the case of a hut.
Section 382, clause (*a*).	Direction to alter or demolish certain structures.	One hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 383, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on person carrying on work unlawfully to stop work pending decision of Magistrate.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 385, sub-section (*1*).	Constructing railway, private street, building, wall or other structure over municipal gas-pipe.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 386, sub-section (*2*).	Provision of land in *bustee* when required for deposit or disposal of rubbish, etc.	Ten rupees ...	Three rupees.
Section 387, sub-section (*1*).	Direction to collect rubbish and offensive matter and deposit it at or near entrance to premises.	Ten rupees.	

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 387, sub-section (*3*).	Direction to collect rubbish and offensive matter and deposit it in public receptacle.	Ten rupees.	
Section 387, sub-section (*3*).	Direction to collect rubbish and offensive matter and deposit it in lump in street or premises.	Ten rupees.	
Section 388 ...	Direction to collect and remove rubbish and offensive matter accumulating on business premises or on premises in which building work is going on.	Ten rupees.	
Section 392, clause (*b*).	Prohibition of use by the public for bathing, etc., of any place not constructed therefor.	Ten rupees.	
Section 397, sub-section (*3*).	Using building declared unfit for human habitation.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 398, sub-section (*2*).	Requisition on owner or occupier to demolish building declared unfit for human habitation.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 399 ...	Requisition on owner or occupier to furnish statement of occupants, accommodation, etc., of building.	Twenty-five rupees	Five rupees.
Section 400, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on owner to abate overcrowding in building or room.	Twenty-five rupees	Five rupees.
Section 400, sub-section (*4*).	Requisition on inmate to vacate overcrowded building or room.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 401, sub-section (*1*).	Establishing, extending, etc., factory, etc., without permission.	One thousand rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 402, sub-section (*1*).	Using premises for certain trades, etc., without license or contrary to terms of license.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 403, sub-section (*5*).	Using premises in declared area for any purpose referred to or mentioned in section 402.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Section 404, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on occupier to discontinue use of premises for certain trades near dwelling-houses.	Two hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Section 405 ...	Failure to comply with direction of Magistrate in regard to use of premises proved to be a nuisance.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 406, sub-section (*1*).	Fouling water in carrying on trade or manufacture.	One thousand rupees	Two hundred rupees.
Section 408 ...	Keeping open theatre or other place of public amusement without license or contrary to terms of license.	Five hundred rupees	One hundred rupees.
Section 412, sub-section (*1*).	Sale in municipal market without license	Fifty rupees.	
Section 413, sub-section (*2*).	Establishing new private market without sanction of Corporation.	One thousand rupees.	
Section 414, sub-section (*1*).	Keeping open, etc., private market, permitting any place to be used as private market, or using place as slaughter-house or stock-yard without license, or contrary to terms of license.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty-five rupees
Section 416 ...	Using as market a place which Magistrate has directed to be closed.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 417 ...	Requisition to pave and drain private market, *bazar*, private slaughter-house or place set apart for sacrifice of animals.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 418, sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of private market or *bazar* to lay out, alter, etc., approaches, roads, passages and ways, and to provide conveniences for, and maintain, the same.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 422, sub-section (*1*).	Carrying on trade of butcher or selling animals, meat or fish outside market without license.	One hundred rupees	Ten rupees.
Section 423 ...	Sale of milk without license ...	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 424, sub-section (*1*).	Sale, etc., of adulterated food or drug ...	Two hundred rupees for a first offence and one thousand rupees for any subsequent offence.	
Section 425, sub-section (*1*).	Sale, etc., of milk, *ghee*, mustard oil or notified article, which is not of prescribed quality.	Two hundred rupees for a first offence and one thousand rupees for any subsequent offence.	
Section 425, sub-section (*2*).	Sale, etc., of articles similar to milk, *ghee*, etc.	One hundred rupees for a first offence and five hundred rupees for any subsequent offence.	
Section 426, sub-section (*1*).	Keeping or permitting to be kept substance intended to be used for adulteration of *ghee*, mustard oil, etc.	One hundred rupees for a first offence and five hundred rupees for any subsequent offence.	
Section 427, sub-section (*1*).	Sale of diseased or unwholesome animal or article intended for human food.	Two hundred rupees for a first offence and one thousand rupees for any subsequent offence.	—
Section 428, sub-section (*1*).	Keeping shop or place for retail sale of drugs without a license.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Section 428, sub-section (*3*).	Display of license in premises ...	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 430, sub-section (*1*).	Compounding, etc., drugs in licensed shop or place without certificate or permission.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 430, sub-section (*2*).	Employing unauthorized person to compound, etc., drugs in licensed shop or place.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 434, sub-section (*3*).	Removing, interfering or tampering with animal, food, drug, etc., seized and left in custody.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 437, sub-sections (*1*), (*2*) and (*3*).	Sale or surrender of articles of food or drug required for purposes of analysis.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 440 ...	Medical practitioners to give information of existence of dangerous disease.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 442, sub-section (*2*).	Removing or using, for the purpose of drinking or of washing clothes, water which is likely to engender or spread a dangerous disease.	Two hundred rupees	Twenty rupees

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 443, sub-section (*4*).	Removal to hospital of patient suffering from dangerous disease.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 444, sub-section (*1*).	Requisition on occupier to vacate building or part thereof, to admit of disinfection.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Section 446, sub-section (*1*).	Letting infected building	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 447, sub-section (*2*).	Washing infected article at unauthorized place.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 447, sub-section (*3*).	Direction to disinfect or destroy articles likely to retain infection.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 448, sub-section (*1*).	Transmitting, etc., infected article ...	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 449, sub-section (*1*).	Infected person entering or causing or permitting himself to be carried in public conveyance.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 449, sub-sections (*3*) and (*4*).	Accompanying or carrying infected person in public conveyance.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 450, sub-section (*1*).	Taking public conveyance to appointed place for disinfection.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 450, sub-section (*2*).	Intimation of number, and disinfection of infected conveyance.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 450, sub-section (*3*).	Using infected public conveyance ...	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 451, sub-section (*2*).	Carrying infected persons in other than special conveyances, without sanction of Commissioner.	Two hundred rupees.	
Section 457 ...	Information of birth	Ten rupees.	
Section 458 ...	Information of death	Ten rupees.	
Section 459 ...	Notice by medical practitioner to Health Officer, stating cause of death.	Fifty rupees.	
Section 461 ...	Burying, burning or otherwise disposing of corpse without certificate.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 463 ...	Registration of place for disposal of the dead, and depositing of plan in municipal office.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 465 ...	Opening or using place for disposal of the dead without permission.	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 466, sub-section (*2*).	Prohibition of use of place of public worship, etc., for disposal of the dead.	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 468, sub-section (*1*).	Making vault, grave or interment, or disposing of corpse, or exhuming corpse, in certain cases, without permission.	Five hundred rupees.	
Section 473, sub-section (*1*).	Certain persons to act as census enumerators, and to obey instructions of Superintendent.	One hundred rupees.	
Section 501, sub-section (*6*).	Production of license or written permission.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Section 512 ...	Obstructing Commissioner or other person in entering into or upon premises.	Two hundred rupees for a first offence and five hundred rupees for any subsequent offence.	
Section 531, sub-section (*3*).	Occupier to afford facilities to owner for complying with Act, rules, by-laws and requisitions.	Fifty rupees ...	Twenty rupees.
Section 556, clause (*a*).	Direction to owner of building to demolish the same.	Five hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and fifty rupees in the case of a hut.	One hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and ten rupees in the case of a hut.
Schedule VI, rule 6, clause (*6*).	Polling-officer to record vote of illiterate voter and maintain secrecy.	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XIII, rule 1, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition on owner to lay down separate service-pipe from main for supply of water to his premises.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Schedule XIII, rule 2, sub-rule (*1*).	Obligation on owner to provide separate stop-cocks for controlling supply of unfiltered water.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Schedule XIII, rule 3.	Requisition on owner to fix outer stop-cock so as always to be accessible from nearest street.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Schedule XIII, rule 5, sub-rule (*3*).	Executing works for supply of water otherwise than in presence of authorized municipal officer.	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XIII, rule 7, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of premises to replace or alter fittings for supply of water.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIII, rule 12.	Fraud in respect of meter	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XIII, rule 13.	Injuring meter or fittings thereof ...	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XIV, rule 14, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of premises to repair, flush, cleanse, etc., or take other order with house-drain.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIV, rule 15, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition on owner or owners of premises to repair, flush, cleanse or empty joint house-drain.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIV, rule 16, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition on person laying private underground drain to alter or add to the work.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIV, rule 17.	Unlawfully constructing drain so as to pass beneath a building.	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XIV, rule 21, sub-rule (*4*).	Attaching service-privy or service-urinal to inhabited portion of any building.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIV, rule 22, sub-rule (*1*).	Placing service-privy or service-urinal on upper floor.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees
Schedule XIV, rule 22, sub-rule (*1*), proviso.	Requisition to pay sum for removing sewage from service-privy or service-urinal situated on upper floor.	Twenty rupees.	
Schedule XIV, rule 22, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition to convert service-privy or service-urinal into a connected-privy or connected-urinal.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.

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1	2	3	4
Sections, sub-sections, clauses, provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Schedule XIV, rule 23, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition to form a passage giving access to a privy or urinal from the street.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XIV, rule 38.	Requisition to alter privy or urinal ...	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 1, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition to trim, prune or cut hedges and trees.	Twenty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 2, sub-rule (*1*).	Erection of verandah supported by pillars resting on street.	Two hundred and fifty rupees.	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 2, sub-rule (*2*).	Placing roof on certain verandahs ...	Two hundred and fifty rupees.	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 2, sub-rule (*3*).	Putting up verandahs, etc., to project over street without permission.	Two hundred and fifty rupees.	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 2, sub-rule (*5*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of building to comply with condition subject to which permission was given to put up verandahs, etc., projecting over street.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 2, sub-rule (*6*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of building to remove verandahs, etc., projecting over street.	One hundred rupees	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 3, sub-rule (*1*).	Erection or maintenance of sky-sign without permission.	Two hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XV, rule 4, sub-rule (*2*)	Unlawfully removing fence or shoring timber or removing or extinguishing light.	Fifty rupees.	
Schedule XV, rule 5, sub-rule (*3*).	Unlawfully infringing order prohibiting traffic or removing bar, chain or post in street.	Fifty rupees.	
Schedule XV, rule 7, sub-rule (*2*).	Unlawfully destroying, pulling down, etc., name of public street.	Twenty rupees.	
Schedule XV, rule 8, sub-rule (*2*).	Unlawfully destroying, pulling down, etc., number of premises.	Twenty rupees.	
Schedule XVI, rule 7, sub-rule (*1*).	Construction of external roofs or walls of buildings with inflammable materials.	Twenty-five rupees	Five rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 7, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition on owner of building to remove or alter external roof or wall.	Twenty-five rupees	Five rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 19.	Sending written notice to Commissioner before commencing to erect masonry building.	Fifty rupees.	
Schedule XVI, rule 20	Sending written notice or certificate, or sending untrue certificate, to Commissioner after completion of erection of masonry building.	One hundred rupees	
Schedule XVI, rule 22, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition on owner of building to make specified alterations.	Five hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building, and fifty rupees in the case of a hut.	Fifty rupees in the case of a masonry building, and ten rupees in the case of a hut
Schedule XVI, rule 38, sub-rule (*3*).	Using a new building as a dwelling-house before obtaining certificate from Commissioner.	One hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.

(Part VIII.—Chapter XXXV.—Penalties.—Clause 492.)

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Sections, sub-sections, clauses provisoes or rules.	Subject.	Fine which may be imposed.	Daily fine which may be imposed.
Schedule XVI, rule 53.	Requisition on owner to provide public building with external doors or to cause such doors to open outwards.	One hundred rupees.	Ten rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 57, sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rule (*4*).	Employment of licensed building surveyor or other competent person to supervise erection of masonry building.	Two hundred rupees.	Twenty rupees.
Schedule XVI, rule 64.	Erection of masonry building without written permission.	Two hundred rupees.	
Schedule XVI, rule 66, sub-rule (*1*).	Erection of masonry building without fresh permission after lapse of original permission.	Two hundred rupees.	
Schedule XVI, rule 90.	Erection of hut without written permission.	Fifty rupees.	
Schedule XVI, rule 91.	Erection of hut without fresh permission after lapse of original permission.	Fifty rupees.	
Schedule XVII, rule 2.	Requisition on owner or occupier to lime-wash or otherwise cleanse building.	Fifty rupees ...	Ten rupees.
Schedule XVII, rule 3.	Requisition on owner or person concerned to secure, enclose, cleanse or clear land or building which is untenanted, filthy or a nuisance.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.
Schedule XVII, rule 4, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition on owner or occupier to take down, repair or secure building or fixture in a ruinous state, etc.	Five hundred rupees.	One hundred rupees.
Schedule XVII, rule 4, sub-rule (*2*).	Requisition on inmate to vacate building in ruinous state, etc.	Two hundred rupees	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XVII, rule 6, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition on owners or occupiers to execute works or take measures with respect to buildings or block of buildings in order to prevent risk of disease.	Five hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building or block of masonry buildings, and one hundred rupees in the case of a hut or block of huts.	One hundred rupees in the case of a masonry building or block of masonry buildings, and twenty rupees in the case of a hut or block of huts.
Schedule XVII, rule 7, sub-rule (*1*).	Requisition to cleanse, fill up or dewater well, pool, ditch, tank, pond or marshy ground, or to drain off or remove waste or stagnant water.	Two hundred rupees.	Fifty rupees.
Schedule XVII, rule 8, sub-rule (*3*).	Making excavation or digging cesspool, tank, pond, well or pit after prohibition.	One hundred rupees.	
Schedule XVII, rule 8, sub-rule (*4*).	Requisition on owner or occupier of land to fill up excavation, cesspool, tank, pond, well or pit unlawfully made.	Fifty rupees ...	Five rupees.

(Part VIII.—Chapter XXXV.—Penalties.—Clauses 493-496.)

Punishment for contravening rule made under section 452

493. Whoever contravenes any provision of any rule made under section 452 shall be deemed to have committed an offence punishable under section 188 of the Indian Penal Code. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 576.] XLV of 1860.

Punishment for acquiring share or interest in contract, etc., with the Corporation.

494. If the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner or any municipal officer or servant knowingly acquires, directly or indirectly, by himself or a partner or employer or employé, otherwise than as such Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner, officer or servant, any share or interest in any contract or employment with, by, or on behalf of, the Corporation, not being a share or interest such as, under clause (*ii*) or clause (*iv*) of section 59, it is permissible for a Councillor to have without being thereby disqualified for being a Councillor, he shall be deemed to have committed the offence made punishable by section 168 of the Indian Penal Code. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 577.] XLV of 1860.

Fine for not taking out certain licenses.

495. (*1*) If any person—

(*a*) owns or is in charge of any carriage or animal liable to any tax imposed under Chapter XII, or [*Cf.* 1899, s. 578.]

(*b*) exercises on or after the first day of July in any year, any profession, trade or calling referred to in Chapter XIII, or

(*c*) exercises on or after the first day of June or the first day of December in any year any calling referred to in Chapter XIV,

without having the license prescribed by those Chapters, respectively, he shall be punished with fine which—

(*i*) may extend to three times the amount payable in respect of such license, and

(*ii*) shall not be less than one-and-a-half times such amount.

(*2*) Such fine, when levied, shall be taken in full satisfaction of the demand on account of the said license.

(*3*) The provisions of this section shall apply to any person who, having compounded for the payment of a certain sum under section 188, fails to pay such sum, the amount due for a license being taken as the amount so compounded for.

Fine for unlawfully commencing, carrying on or completing building work.

496. If the erection of any new building— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 579.]

(*a*) is commenced without obtaining the written permission of the Commissioner, or

(*b*) is carried on or completed otherwise than in accordance with the particulars on which such permission was based, or

(*c*) is carried on or completed in breach of any provision contained in this Act or in any rules or by-laws made thereunder, or of any direction or requisition lawfully given or made under this Act or such rules or by-laws, or

if any alteration of, or addition to, any building or any other work made or done for any purpose in, to or upon any building is commenced, carried on or completed in breach of section 348,

(Part VIII.—Chapter XXXV.—Penalties.—Clauses 497-500.)

the owner of the building shall be liable to fine which may extend in the case of masonry building to five hundred rupees and in the case of a hut to fifty rupees, and to further fine which may extend in the case of a masonry building to one hundred rupees and in the case of a hut to ten rupees for each day during which the offence is continued after the first day.

Fine for putting building to other than declared use.

497. When a new building has been erected, or when any building has been altered or added to after a statement has been made, under rule 55 or rule 83 of Schedule XVI, that it was intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the purposes specified in Schedule XVIII, or as a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, then any person putting the building or such part thereof to any use other than that so stated shall be liable,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 582.]

(*a*) in the case of a masonry building, to fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and to further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use, and,

(*b*) in the case of a hut, to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and to further fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use.

Fine for using building for carrying on offensive trade without previous declaration.

498. When a new building has been erected, or when any building has been altered or added to under this Act without any statement having been made under rule 55 or rule 83 of Schedule XVI, that it was intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the purposes specified in Schedule XVIII, or as a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, then any person using the building or any part thereof for any of those purposes shall be liable,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 583.]

(*a*) in the case of a masonry building, to fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, and to further fine which may extend to one hundred rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use, and,

(*b*) in case of a hut, to fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and to further fine which may extend to ten rupees for every day after the first during which he continues such use.

Penalty on *mehters*, etc., withdrawing from work without notice.

499. Any *mehter* or other servant of the Corporation referred to in section 391 who withdraws from his duties in contravention of that section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, or with rigorous imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months, or with both, and shall forfeit any salary which may be due to him. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 584.]

Penalty for obstructing contractor or removing mark.

500. Any person who, in contravention of section 559, obstructs or molests any person with whom the Commissioner has entered into a contract, or, in contravention of section 560, removes any mark, shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees, or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 585.]

PART IX.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

PROCEDURE.

Licenses and Written Permissions.

Duration, conditions, signature, suspension, revocation and production of licenses and written permissions.

501. (*1*) Every license and written permission granted under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder shall be granted and signed by the Commissioner and shall specify— [*cf.* 1899, s. 586.]

(*a*) the date of the grant thereof;
(*b*) the purpose and the period (if any) for which it is granted;
(*c*) the restrictions and conditions (if any) subject to which it is granted;
(*d*) the name of the person to whom it is granted; and
(*e*) the tax or fee paid for the license or written permission.

(*2*) Except when it is in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder otherwise expressly provided, for every such license or written permission a fee may be charged at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the Corporation, and such fee shall be payable by the person to whom the license is granted.

(*3*) Subject to the provisions of proviso (*i*) to section 414, any license or written permission granted under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder may at any time be suspended or revoked by the Commissioner, if any of its restrictions or conditions is infringed or evaded by the grantee, or if the grantee is convicted of a breach of any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule or by-law made thereunder in any matter to which such license or permission relates.

(*4*) Any person whose license is suspended or revoked under sub-section (*3*) may appeal to the General Appeals Committee or, in the case of a licensed building surveyor, to the Buildings Appeals Committee.

(*5*) When any such license or written permission is suspended or revoked, or when the period for which the same was granted has expired, the grantee shall for all purposes of this Act or of any rule or by-law made thereunder be deemed to be without a license or written permission until such time (whether within the said period or otherwise) as the Commissioner may see fit to cancel the order suspending or revoking the license or written permission, or until the license or written permission is renewed, as the case may be.

(*6*) Every grantee of any such license or written permission shall at all reasonable times, while such license or written permission remains in force, produce the same at the request of the Commissioner.

Public Notices and Advertisements.

Public notices how to be made known.

502. Every public notice given under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder shall be in writing under the signature of the Commissioner, [*cf.* 1899, s. 587.]

and shall be widely made known in the locality to be affected thereby, by affixing copies thereof in conspicuous public places within the said locality, or by publishing the same by beat of drum or by advertisement in local newspapers, or by any two or more of these means, and by any other means that the Commissioner may think fit.

Newspapers in which advertisements or notices to be published.

503. Whenever it is provided by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder that notice shall be given by advertisement in local newspapers, or that a notification or any information shall be published in local newspapers, such notice, notification or information shall be inserted, if practicable, in at least two English newspapers and two vernacular newspapers published in Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 588.]

Evidence.

Proof of consent, etc., of municipal authorities or municipal officer.

504. Whenever under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder the doing or the omitting to do anything or the validity of anything depends upon the approval, sanction, consent, concurrence, declaration, opinion or satisfaction of— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 589.]

(*a*) the Corporation or the Commissioner, or

(*b*) any municipal officer,

as the case may be, a written document signed in case (*a*) by the Commissioner, and in case (*b*) by the said municipal officer, purporting to convey or set forth such approval, sanction, consent, concurrence, declaration, opinion or satisfaction, shall be sufficient evidence of such approval, sanction, consent, concurrence, declaration, opinion or satisfaction.

Signature and Service of Notices, etc.

Signature on notices, etc., may be stamped.

505. (*1*) Every license, written permission, notice, bill, summons or other document which is required by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder to bear the signature of the Commissioner or of any municipal officer, shall be deemed to be properly signed if it bears a facsimile of the signature of the Commissioner or of such municipal officer, as the case may be, stamped thereupon. [*Cf* 1899, s. 590].

(*2*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to apply to a cheque drawn upon the Municipal Fund under section 107.

Notices, etc., by whom to be served or issued.

506. All notices, bills, summonses and other documents required by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder to be served upon, or issued to, any person, shall be so served or issued by municipal officers or servants or by other persons authorized by the Commissioner in that behalf. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 591.]

Service how to be effected on owner or occupier of premises.

507. When any notice, bill, summons or other document is required by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder to be served upon or issued to any person as owner or occupier of any land or building, it shall not be necessary to name the owner or occupier in the document, and the service or issue thereof shall be effected— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 592.]

(*a*) by giving or tendering such document to the owner or occupier or, if there be more than one owner or occupier, to any one of the owners or occupiers of such land or building ; or,

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 508-510.)

(*b*) if the owner or occupier is not found, by giving or tendering such document to any adult male member of the family, or to a servant in the employ, of the owner or occupier or of any one of the owners or occupiers; or,

(*c*) if none of the means mentioned in clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) be available, by causing a notice on yellow paper, in the form prescribed in Schedule XXI, or in a form to the like effect, setting forth the substance of such document, to be affixed on some conspicuous part of the land or building to which the document relates.

Service how to be effected otherwise than on owner or occupier of premises.

508. When any notice, bill, summons or other document is required by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder to be served upon or issued to any person otherwise than as owner or occupier of any land or building, such service or issue shall be effected— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 592.]

(*a*) by giving or tendering such document to such person; or,

(*b*) if such person is not found, by leaving such document at his last known place of abode in Calcutta, or by giving or tendering the same to any adult male member of his family or servant in his employ; or,

(*c*) if such person does not reside in Calcutta and his address elsewhere is known to the Commissioner, by forwarding such document to him by post under cover bearing the said address; or,

(*d*) if none of the means referred to in clause (*a*), clause (*b*) or clause (*c*) be available, by causing a notice on yellow paper in the form prescribed in Schedule XXI, or in a form to the like effect, setting forth the substance of such document, to be affixed on some conspicuous part of the land or building (if any) to which the document relates.

Sections 506 to 508 not to apply to Magistrate's summons.

509. Nothing in sections 506, 507 and 508 shall apply to any summons issued under this Act by a Magistrate. [1899, s. 594.]

Powers of entry.

Power to Commissioner to enter premises to inspect, survey, etc., and to use force in certain cases.

510. (*1*) The Commissioner may enter into or upon any premises, with or without assistants or workmen, in order to make any inspection, survey, measurement, valuation or inquiry, or execute any work which is authorized by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder, or which, in his opinion, it is necessary for any of the purposes or in pursuance of any of the provisions of this Act or of any such rule or by-law, to make or execute: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 595.]

Provided as follows:—

(*a*) except when it is in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder otherwise expressly provided, no such entry shall be made between sunset and sunrise;

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clause 511.)

(*b*) except when it is in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder otherwise expressly provided, no dwelling-house, and no public building or hut which is used as a dwelling-place, shall be so entered, unless with the consent of the occupier thereof, without giving the said occupier at least twenty-four hours' previous written notice of the intention to make such entry;

(*c*) notwithstanding any power to enter any premises conferred upon the Commissioner by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder, sufficient notice of such entry shall in every instance be given to enable the inmates of any apartment appropriated to females to withdraw to some part of the premises where their privacy need not be disturbed;

(*d*) due regard shall always be had, so far as may be compatible with the exigencies of the purpose for which the entry is made, to the social and religious usages of the occupants of the premises entered.

(*2*) The Commissioner shall not use any force for the purpose of effecting any entry under sub-section (*1*), unless— [*Cf.* 1899, s 478 (*2*), proviso.]

(*i*) such entry cannot otherwise be effected, and

(*ii*) there is reason to believe that an offence is being, or has been, committed against any provision of this Act or any by-law or rule made thereunder.

(*3*) Except when it is in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder otherwise expressly provided, no claim shall lie against any person for compensation for any damage necessarily caused by any entry made under sub-section (*1*), or by the use of any necessary force under sub-section (*2*). [*Cf.* 1899, ss 478 (*3*) and 501 (*2*).]

Power to Commissioner to enter on lands adjacent to works.

511. (*1*) The Commissioner may enter upon any land adjoining or within one hundred yards of any works authorized by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder for the purpose of depositing upon such land any soil, gravel, sand, lime, bricks, stone or other materials, or of obtaining access to such works, or for any other purpose connected with the carrying on of such works. [*Cf.* 1899, s 595.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall, before entering upon any land under sub-section (*1*), give the owner and occupier (if any) three days' previous written notice of his intention to make such entry, and of the purpose thereof, and shall, if so required by the owner or occupier, set apart by sufficient fences so much of the land as may be required for the purposes mentioned in or referred to in the said sub-section.

(*3*) The Commissioner shall not be bound to make any payment, tender or deposit before entering upon any land under sub-section (*1*), but shall do as little damage as may be, and shall pay compensation to the owner and occupier (if any) of the land for such entry and for any temporary damage that may be done in consequence thereof, and shall also pay compensation to the said owner for any permanent damage resulting therefrom.

(*4*) If such owner or occupier is dissatisfied with the amount of compensation paid to him by the Commissioner under sub-section (*3*), he may appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

Prohibition of obstructing entry under section 510 or 511.

512. No person shall, in any way, obstruct the Commissioner, or any municipal officer or other person accompanying or acting under the orders of the Commissioner, in making any entry under section 510 or section 511.

Enforcement of Orders to execute Work, etc.

Time for complying with requisition or order, and power to Commissioner to enforce requisition or order in default of person directed

513. (*1*) When any requisition or order is made under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder, by written notice issued by any municipal authority or by any municipal officer empowered under section 20 in this behalf,— [*Cf* 1899, s. 597]

(*a*) a reasonable period shall be prescribed in such notice for carrying such requisition or order into effect ;

(*b*) if an appeal against such notice is allowed by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder, the period prescribed for the presentation of such appeal by section 530 or by any other provision of this Act or by any such rule or by-law shall be stated in such notice ; and,

(*c*) if no appeal is so allowed, a reasonable period shall be prescribed in such notice within which any written objection thereto shall be received by the municipal authority or officer issuing the notice.

(*2*) If, in any case not otherwise provided for in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder, such requisition or order or any portion thereof is not complied with within the period prescribed under clause (*a*) of sub-section (*1*), the Commissioner may, subject to the provisions of sections 514, 515, and 516, take such measures, or cause such work to be executed or such things to be done, as may, in his opinion, be necessary for giving due effect to the requisition or order so made ;

and, unless it is in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder otherwise expressly provided, the expenses thereof shall be paid by the person or by any one of the persons to whom such requisition or order was addressed.

(*3*) The Commissioner may take any measure, execute any work or cause anything to be done under this section whether or not the person who has failed to comply with the requisition or order is liable to punishment, or has been prosecuted or sentenced to any punishment, under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder for such failure.

Submission of objections to complying with notice

514. (*1*) Any person who is served with a written notice in which a period for receiving objections has been prescribed under clause (*c*) of section 513 may, within the said period, deliver to the municipal authority or officer by whom it was issued a written objection setting forth any reasons which he may desire to urge for the withdrawal or modification of the notice. [*Cf* 1899, s. 598]

(*2*) If any such objection be delivered before the expiration of the said period, the execution of the

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 515-517.)

work may be postponed until the municipal authority or officer by whom the notice was issued has passed orders on the objection.

(*3*) If the objector has stated in his written objection that he wishes to be heard in person, he shall be entitled to be so heard, and the objection shall be considered in his presence, at a time to be fixed by notice issued in this behalf by the said authority or officer.

Right of person served with notice to require estimate of expenses of work.

515. (*1*) Any person on whom a written notice referred to in section 514, sub-section (*1*), has been served may— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 599.]

(*a*) instead of delivering an objection under section 514, or

(*b*) at the time of delivering such an objection,

apply, within the period prescribed in clause (*c*) of section 513, to the municipal authority or officer by whom the notice was issued for an estimate of the expenses which would be incurred if the notice were enforced under section 513, sub section (*2*); and, on receipt of such an application, the said authority or officer shall supply such estimate.

(*2*) If the said authority or officer fails to supply such estimate, not more than five rupees shall be charged to the said person for any work executed by the Commissioner by way of enforcing the said notice under section 513.

Reference of objections to General Appeals Committee.

516. (*1*) If any estimate supplied under section 515 in respect of any work referred to in any written notice exceeds three hundred rupees, no work shall be executed by the Commissioner by way of enforcing the said notice until the expiration of ten days from the date on which the estimate was so supplied. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 600.]

(*2*) Within a period of seven days from the said date, the person on whom the notice was served may apply in writing to have his objections to the execution of the work or to the estimated cost of the work determined by the General Appeals Committee;

and, if such application be made within the said period, no work shall be executed under section 513, by way of enforcing the said notice, until the said Appeals Committee have disposed of such objections.

Recovery of Expenses.

Power to Commissioner to accept agreement for payment of expenses in instalments.

517. Whenever under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder the expenses of any work executed or of any measure taken or thing done by, or under the order of, any municipal authority, any Magistrate or any municipal officer empowered under section 20 in this behalf, are payable by any person, the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, instead of recovering any such expenses in any other manner provided in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder, take an agreement from the said person to pay the same in instalments of such amounts and at such intervals as will secure the payment of the whole amount due, with interest thereon at the rate of six *per centum per annum*, within a period of not more than five years. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 602 (*1*) and 605.]

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 518-522.)

Power to Commissioner to declare certain expenses to be improvement expenses.

518. (*1*) If any expenses to be recovered have been incurred or are to be incurred in respect of any work mentioned— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 606.]

(*a*) in section 277, section 279, section 282, sub-section (*1*), section 289, section 296, section 336, section 417 or section 418, clause (*b*), or rule 5 of Schedule XIII, or rule 7 of Schedule XVII, or

(*b*) in any rule or by-law made under this Act in which this section is made applicable to such expenses,

the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, declare such expenses to be improvement expenses.

(*2*) An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any declaration made by the Commissioner under sub-section (*1*).

Improvement expenses how recoverable and by whom payable.

519. (*1*) Improvement expenses, as declared under section 518, shall be a charge on the premises in respect of which or for the benefit of which the same have been incurred, and shall be recoverable in instalments of such amounts, not being less for any premises than twelve rupees *per annum*, and at such intervals, as will suffice to discharge such expenses, together with interest thereon at the rate of six *per centum per annum*, within such period, not exceeding thirty years, as the Commissioner may in each case determine. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 607 and 612.]

(*2*) The said instalments shall be payable by the owner or occupier of the premises on which the expenses are so charged:

Provided that when the occupier pays any such instalment he shall be entitled to deduct the amount thereof from the rent payable by him to the owner or to recover the same from the owner in any Court of competent jurisdiction.

Right of owner or occupier to redeem charge for improvement expenses.

520. At any time before the expiration of the period for the payment of any improvement expenses, the owner or occupier of the premises on which the expenses are charged may redeem such charge by paying to the Commissioner such part of the said expenses as are still payable. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 608.]

Execution of work by occupier in default of owner, and deduction of expenses from rent.

521. Whenever the owner of any land or building fails to execute any work which he is required to execute under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder, the occupier (if any) of such land or building may, with the approval of the Commissioner, execute the said work, and he shall be entitled to recover from the owner the reasonable expenses incurred by him in so doing and may deduct the amount thereof from the rent payable by him to the owner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 611.]

Relief to agents and trustees.

522. (*1*) Whenever any person, by reason of his— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 613.]

(*a*) receiving the rent of immovable property as agent or trustee, or

(*b*) being as agent or trustee the person who would receive the rent if the property were let to a tenant,

would, under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder, be bound to discharge any obligation imposed thereby on the owner of the property

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 523-526.)

and for the discharge of which money is required, and such person has not in his hands funds belonging or payable to the owner sufficient for the purpose,

he shall, within a reasonable time from the service upon him of any notice from any municipal authority or any municipal officer empowered under section 20 in this behalf requiring him to discharge the said obligation, be bound to apply to a Court of competent jurisdiction for leave to raise the necessary funds or for such other directions in relation thereto as the circumstances of the case may require.

(*2*) Any agent or trustee who fails to apply to the Court under sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to be personally liable to discharge the said obligation.

Payment of Compensation.

General power to Commissioner to pay compensation.

523. In any case not otherwise expressly provided for in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder, the Commissioner may pay compensation to any person who sustains damage by reason of the exercise of any of the powers vested by this Act, or by any such rule or by-law, in any municipal authority, officer or servant: [*Cf.* 1899, s. 614.]

Provided that no compensation exceeding one thousand rupees shall be paid by the Commissioner under this section without the previous sanction of the Corporation.

Compensation to be paid by offenders for damage caused by them.

524. (*1*) Any person who has been convicted of an offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder shall, notwithstanding any punishment to which he may have been sentenced for the said offence, be liable to pay such compensation for any damage to any property of the Corporation resulting from the said offence as the Commissioner may consider reasonable. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 615.]

(*2*) In the event of dispute regarding the amount of compensation payable under sub-section (*1*), such amount shall, on application made to him, be determined by the Magistrate before whom the said person was convicted of the said offence; and, on non-payment of the amount of compensation so determined, the same shall be recovered under a warrant from the said Magistrate as if it were a fine inflicted by him on the person liable therefor.

Recovery of Expenses or Compensation in case of Dispute.

Reference by Commissioner to Small Cause Court or High Court in certain cases.

525. (*1*) If, when the Commissioner demands payment of any expenses referred to in section 517, his right to demand the same or the amount of the demand is disputed, the Commissioner shall refer the case for the determination of the Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction, or, if the amount involved exceeds two thousand rupees, to the High Court. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 616.]

(*2*) The Commissioner shall, pending the decision on any such reference, defer further proceedings for the recovery of the sum claimed by him, and shall, after the decision proceed to recover only such amount (if any) as is thereby declared to be due.

Application to Small Cause Court in other cases.

526. (*1*) Where, in any case not provided for by section 525, any person or municipal authority is required by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder to pay any expenses or any compensation, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 617.]

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 527-530.)

the amount to be so paid and, if necessary, the apportionment of the same, shall, in case of dispute, be determined by the Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction, on application being made to it for this purpose at any time within one year from the date when such expenses or compensation first became claimable.

(2) This section shall not apply to any case—

(a) in which an appeal is allowed under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder to any Appeals Committee in respect of the amount of such expenses or compensation or the apportionment thereof; or

(b) which is otherwise provided for in section 436, sub-section (3), section 524, sub-section (2), or section 540, sub-section (2), or in the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, as amended by section 479 of this Act. I of 1894.

Recovery of sums ascertained under section 526 to be due.

527. If the amount of any expenses or compensation determined by a Court of Small Causes under section 526 is not paid on demand by the person liable to pay the same, it shall be recoverable as if the same were due under a decree of the said Court. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 618.]

Power to persons claiming expenses or compensation to sue.

528. Any person claiming any expenses or compensation of which the amount due has been ascertained as hereinbefore provided may,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 619.]

(a) instead of proceeding in any manner hereinbefore prescribed for the recovery of such expenses or compensation, or,

(b) after having proceeded in the said manner unsuccessfully or with only partial success,

recover the said amount or the balance thereof, as the case may be, in any Court of competent jurisdiction from the person liable for the same.

Recovery of certain dues.

Recovery of certain dues by distress and sale.

529. In any case not expressly provided for in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder, any sum due to the Corporation on account of any charge, costs, expenses, fees, rates or rent or on any other account under this Act or under any such rule or by-law shall be recoverable by distress and sale of the movable property of the person from whom such sum is due, in the manner provided by Chapter XVII. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 620.]

Limitation of time for appeal.

Limitation of time for appeal

530. (1) In any case in which no time is expressly prescribed in this Act or in any rule or by-law made thereunder for the presentation of an appeal allowed thereunder, such appeal shall be presented within thirty days after— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 621.]

(a) the date of the order or proceedings against which the appeal is made, or,

(b) in the case of a written notice referred to in section 513, sub-section (1), the date of service of the notice.

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 531, 532.)

(2) The provisions of section 5 of the Indian Limitation Act, 1908, shall, with all necessary modifications, be deemed to apply to every such appeal. IX of 1908.

Obstruction of owner by occupier.

Application to Chief Judge by owner when occupier prevents his complying with Act, etc.

531. (1) The owner of any land or building may, if he is prevented by the occupier thereof from complying with any provision of this Act or of any rule or by-law made thereunder, or with any requisition made under any such provision in respect of such land or building, apply to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 622.]

(2) The said Chief Judge, on receipt of any such application, may make a written order requiring the occupier of the land or building to afford all reasonable facilities to the owner for complying with the said provision or requisition, and may also, if he thinks fit, direct that the costs of such application and order be paid by the occupier.

(3) After eight days from the date of any such order, the said occupier shall afford all such reasonable facilities to the owner for the purpose aforesaid as may be prescribed in the said order; and, in the event of his continued refusal so to do, the owner shall be discharged, during the continuance of such refusal, from any liability which he would otherwise incur by reason of his failure to comply with the said provision or requisition.

Proceedings before Court of Small Causes.

General powers and procedure of Small Cause Courts.

532. (1) Whenever under this Act or under any rule made thereunder, any application, appeal or reference is made to a Court of Small Causes or to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta, the said Court or Judge, as the case may be, may, for the purposes of any inquiry or proceeding in connection with such application, appeal or reference, summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses and compel them to give evidence and compel the production of documents by the same means and, as far as is possible, in the same manner as is provided by the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, or the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, as the case may be; [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 623 and 626.] XV of 1882. IX of 1887.

and in all matters relating to any such inquiry or proceeding the said Court or Chief Judge shall be guided generally by the provisions of the said Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, or of the said Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, as the case may be, so far as the same are applicable.

(2) If, in any such inquiry or proceeding, the person against whom the complaint or application has been made fails to appear, notwithstanding that he has been duly summoned for this purpose, the said Court or Chief Judge may hear and determine the case in his absence.

(3) The costs of every such inquiry or proceeding, as determined by the said Court or Chief Judge, shall be payable by such parties and in such proportions as the said Court or Chief Judge may direct, and the amount thereof shall, if necessary, be recoverable as if the same were due under a decree of the said Court or Chief Judge.

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 533-536.)

Fees in proceedings before Small Cause Courts

533. (*1*) The Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, prescribe what fee (if any) shall be paid— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 624 and 626.]

(*a*) on any application, appeal or reference made under this Act to a Court of Small Causes or to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta, as the case may be; and

(*b*) for the issue, in connection with any inquiry or proceeding of any such Court or of the said Chief Judge under this Act, of any summons or other process:

Provided that the fees (if any) prescribed under clause (*a*) shall not, in cases in which the value of the claim or subject-matter is capable of being estimated in money, exceed the fees leviable, for the time being, under the provisions of the Presidency Small Cause Courts Act, 1882, in cases in which the value of the claim or subject-matter is of like amount. XV of 1882.

(*2*) The Local Government may, by a like notification, determine by what person any fee prescribed under clause (*a*) shall be payable.

(*3*) No application, appeal or reference shall be received by any Court of Small Causes or by the said Chief Judge until the fee (if any) prescribed therefor under clause (*a*) has been paid:

Provided that the said Court or the said Chief Judge may, in any case in which it or he thinks fit so to do,—

(*i*) receive an application, appeal or reference made by or on behalf of a poor person, and

(*ii*) issue process on behalf of any such person,

without payment or on part payment of the fees prescribed under this section.

Repayment of half fees on settlement before hearing.

534. Whenever any application, appeal or reference made under this Act to a Court of Small Causes or to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta, as the case may be, is settled by agreement of the parties before the hearing, half the amount of all fees paid up to that time shall be repaid by the said Court or the said Chief Judge to the parties by whom the same have respectively been paid. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 625 and 626.]

Power to the Chief Judge to delegate certain of his powers and to make rules.

535. The Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Calcutta may— [1899, s. 627.]

(*a*) delegate, either generally or specially, to any other Judge of the said Court his power to receive applications under this Act or under any rule made thereunder and to discharge any other duty in connection with such applications except the hearing and adjudication thereof; and

(*b*) make rules providing for any matter connected with the exercise of the jurisdiction conferred upon him by this Act or by any rule made thereunder which is not therein specifically provided for.

Proceedings before Magistrates.

Municipal Magistrates.

536. (*1*) The Local Government may appoint one or more Magistrates for the trial of offences against— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 628.]

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI—Procedure.—Clauses 537-539.)

(*a*) this Act,

(*b*) the rules or by-laws made thereunder, and

(*c*) the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1891, Ben. Act II of 1891.

and may prescribe the times and places at which such Magistrate or Magistrates shall sit for the despatch of business.

(*2*) Such Magistrates shall be called Municipal Magistrates and shall be paid such salary, pension and leave-allowances by the Local Government as may from time to time be fixed by the Local Government.

(*3*) The Corporation shall, out of the Municipal Fund, pay to the Local Government the amounts of the salary, pension and leave-allowances as fixed under sub-section (*2*), together with the cost of the establishments of the said Magistrates, and all other incidental charges in connection with such establishments.

(*4*) Each such Magistrate shall have jurisdiction over the whole of Calcutta.

Cognizance of offences

537. All offences against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder, whether committed in or without Calcutta, shall be cognizable by any Magistrate having jurisdiction in Calcutta; and such Magistrate shall not be deemed to be incapable of taking cognizance of any such offence or of any offence against any enactment hereby repealed by reason only of his being— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 529.]

(*a*) liable to pay any municipal rate or other tax, or

(*b*) benefited by the Municipal Fund to the credit of which any fine imposed by him shall be payable.

Power to Magistrate to hear case in absence of accused when summoned to appear.

538. If any person summoned to appear before a Magistrate to answer a charge of an offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder fails to appear at the time and place mentioned in the summons, the Magistrate may, if— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 530.]

(*a*) service of the summons is proved to his satisfaction, and

(*b*) no sufficient cause is shown for the non-appearance of such person,

hear and determine the case in his absence.

Limitation of time for prosecution.

539. (*1*) No person shall be liable to punishment for any offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder, unless complaint of such offence is made before a Magistrate within three months, or, if the offence be against the provisions of section 153, within six months, next after— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 531.]

(*a*) the date of the commission of such offence, or,

(*b*) if such date is not known or the offence is continuous in its nature, the date on which the commission or existence of such offence was first brought to the notice of the Commissioner or of any municipal officer or servant. [*Cf.* Ben. Act III of 1884, s. 353.]

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 540-542.)

(*2*) Failure to take out a license under this Act shall be deemed, for the purposes of sub-section (*1*), to be a continuing offence until the expiration of the period for which the license is required to be taken out.

(*3*) When, before the expiration of the period of limitation prescribed by sub-section (*1*) for a prosecution for failure to comply with a requisition made by the Commissioner under section 357, section 358 or section 361, a notice under section 374, sub-section (*1*), has been sent to the Commissioner by any person to whom such requisition has been addressed, a fresh period of limitation of three months for such prosecution shall be computed from the expiration of the period of six months referred to in section 374, sub-section (*3*).

Complaints concerning nuisances, and procedure thereupon.

540. (*1*) The Commissioner, or any person who resides in Calcutta, may complain to a Magistrate of the existence of any nuisance. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 682.]

(*2*) Upon receipt of any such complaint, the Magistrate, after making such inquiry as he thinks necessary, may, if he sees fit, by written order direct the Commissioner—

(*a*) to put in force any of the provisions of this Act or of the rules or by-laws made thereunder, or to take such measures as to such Magistrate may seem practicable and reasonable for preventing, abating, diminishing or remedying such nuisance;

(*b*) to recover the expenses of so doing from any person specified in this behalf in such order; and

(*c*) to pay to the complainant such reasonable costs of and relating to the said complaint and order as the said Magistrate shall determine, inclusive of compensation for the complainant's loss of time in prosecuting such complaint.

Power to Magistrate to direct demolition and payment of fine in respect of unlawful work.

541. When under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder any person is liable, in respect of any unlawful work,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 452.]

(*a*) to pay a fine, and

(*b*) to be required to demolish the work,

a Magistrate may, in his discretion, direct the said person to pay the fine and also to demolish the work.

Legal Proceedings.

Power to Commissioner to institute, etc., legal proceedings and obtain legal advice.

542. The Commissioner may, subject to the control of the Corporation,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 633.]

(*a*) institute, defend or withdraw from legal proceedings under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder;

(*b*) compound any offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder which, under any enactment for the time being in force, may lawfully be compounded

(Part IX.—Chapter XXXVI.—Procedure.—Clauses 543, 544.)

(*c*) admit, compromise or withdraw any claim made under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder; and

(*d*) obtain such legal advice and assistance as he may from time to time think it necessary or expedient to obtain, or as he may be desired by the Corporation or any Appeals Committee to obtain, for any of the purposes referred to in the foregoing clauses of this section, or for securing the lawful exercise or discharge of any power or duty vesting in or imposed upon any municipal authority, officer or servant.

Notice, limitation and tender of amends in suit against municipal authority, etc

543. (*1*) No suit shall be instituted against any municipal authority, officer or servant, or any person acting under the direction of any municipal authority, officer or servant in respect of any act purporting to be done under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder, until the expiration of one month next after written notice has been delivered or left at the Municipal Office or the residence of such officer, servant or person, stating— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 631.]

(*a*) the cause of action,

(*b*) the name and residence of the intending plaintiff, and

(*c*) the relief which he claims. [*Cf.* Ben. Act V of 1911, s. 156.]

(*2*) Every such suit shall be commenced within three months next after the accrual of the cause of action, and the plaint therein shall contain a statement that a notice has been delivered or left as required by sub-section (*1*).

(*3*) If any authority or person to whom any notice is given under sub-section (*1*) tenders sufficient amends to the plaintiff before the suit is instituted, the suit shall be dismissed.

(*4*) If no such tender be made, such authority or person may pay into Court such sum of money as it or he thinks fit, and thereupon such proceeding shall be had as in other cases in which defendants are allowed to pay money into Court.

(*5*) Nothing in the foregoing sub-sections shall apply to any suit instituted under section 54 of the Specific Relief Act, 1877. I of 1877.

Indemnity to municipal authorities, etc.

544. No suit shall be maintainable against any municipal authority, officer or servant, or any person acting under the direction of any municipal authority, officer or servant, or of a Magistrate, in respect of anything lawfully and in good faith and with due care and attention done under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 635.]

PART X.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Alteration of limits of Calcutta.

Power to Local Government to notify intention to alter limits of Calcutta.

545. The Local Government may, by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in such other manner as the Local Government may determine, declare their intention— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 636.]

(*a*) to exclude from Calcutta any local area (not being within the ordinary original jurisdiction of the High Court at Fort William in Bengal) comprised therein and defined in the notification, or,

(*b*) at the request of the Corporation, to include in Calcutta any local area (other than Howrah) in the vicinity of the same and defined in the notification:

Provided that, where the local area to be so excluded or included is a military cantonment or part of a military cantonment, a notification shall not be published under this section in respect of it without the previous sanction of the Government of India.

Power to Local Government to alter limits after considering objections.

546. (*1*) When a notification has been published under section 545 in respect of any local area,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 637.]

(*a*) any inhabitant of Calcutta or of such local area, and,

(*b*) when such local area is part of a municipality constituted under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, and is to be included in Calcutta, the Commissioners of the said municipality, [*Cf.* Ben Act III of 1884, s. 9A.] Ben Act III of 1884

may submit his or their objection (if any) to the alteration proposed in writing to the Local Government within six weeks from the publication of the notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*; and the Local Government shall take such objection into consideration.

(*2*) When six weeks from the publication of the notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* have expired and the Local Government have considered the objections (if any) which have been submitted under sub-section (*1*), the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, exclude the said local area from Calcutta, or include it therein, as the case may be.

(*3*) When the local area to be included within Calcutta under clause (*b*) of section 545 is part of a municipality constituted under the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, nothing in section 9 or section 9A of that Act shall be deemed to debar the Local Government from including such area in Calcutta by notification under sub-section (*2*), and the local area so included shall thereupon cease to be part of the said municipality. Ben. Act III of 1884.

(Part X.—Chapter XXXVII.—Supplemental Provisions.—Clauses 547—550.)

Effect of exclusion of local area from Calcutta.

547. (*1*) When a local area is excluded from Calcutta under section 546,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 638.]

(*a*) this Act, and all rules, by-laws, orders, directions and powers made, issued or conferred thereunder, shall cease to apply thereto; and

(*b*) the Local Government shall, after consulting the Corporation, frame a scheme determining what portion of the balance of the Municipal Fund and other property vested in the Corporation shall vest in His Majesty for the benefit of such local area, and in what manner the liability of the Corporation shall be apportioned between the Corporation and the Secretary of State for India in Council; and, on the publication of the scheme in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the property and liabilities shall vest and be apportioned accordingly.

(*2*) All property vested in His Majesty under sub-section (*1*) shall be applied, under the orders of the Local Government, to discharging the liabilities imposed on the Secretary of State for India in Council under that sub-section, or for the promotion of the safety, health, welfare or convenience of the inhabitants of the said local area.

Effect of inclusion of local area in Calcutta.

548. When any local area is included in Calcutta under section 546, this Act, and, except as the Local Government may otherwise by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* direct, all rules, by-laws, orders, directions and powers made, issued or conferred thereunder, and in force throughout Calcutta at the time the local area is so included, shall apply in such area. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 639.]

Extension of Act to Howrah and to other Municipalities in the neighbourhood of Calcutta.

Power to Local Government to notify intention to extend Act to Howrah or other neighbouring municipality.

549. The Local Government may, by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in such other manner as they may determine, declare their intention to extend to the Municipality of Howrah or to any other municipality in the neighbourhood of Calcutta, or to any part thereof, subject to the modifications and restrictions (if any) specified in such notification, all or any portions of this Act which do not already apply thereto. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 640.]

Power to Local Government to extend Act after considering objections.

550. (*1*) The Commissioners of the Municipality of Howrah or of such other neighbouring municipality as may be specified in a notification published under section 549, or any inhabitants thereof, may, if they object to the declaration contained therein, submit their objection in writing to the Local Government within such period as may be specified in this behalf in the said notification; and the Local Government shall take such objections into consideration. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 641.]

(*2*) When the said period has expired, and the Local Government have considered the objections (if any) which have been submitted under sub-section (*1*), the Local Government may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend to the Municipality of Howrah or to the said neighbouring

(Part X.—Chapter XXXVII.—Supplemental Provisions.—Clauses 551, 552.)

municipality, or to the part thereof specified in the said notification, as the case may be, all or any of the portions of this Act which were specified in that notification, subject to the modifications and restrictions (if any) specified therein or subject to such other modifications or restrictions (if any) as the Local Government may think fit, or without modification or restriction of any kind.

Effect of extension of Act.

551. If all or any portions of this Act which do not already apply to the Municipality of Howrah or to any other municipality in the neighbourhood of Calcutta be extended to such municipality, or to any part thereof, under section 550, then— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 642.]

(*a*) the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or the corresponding portions of that Act, as the case may be, shall be repealed in the said municipality or part on and from the date of such extension; and, Ben. Act III of 1884.

(*b*) except as the Local Government may otherwise by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* direct, all rules, by-laws, orders, directions and powers made, issued or conferred under the portions of this Act which have been so extended and in force at the date of such extension, shall apply to the said municipality or part, in supersession of all corresponding rules, by-laws, orders, directions and powers made, issued or conferred under the said Bengal Municipal Act, 1884. Ben. Act III of 1884.

Explanation.—The extension to the Municipality of Howrah or to any other municipality in the neighbourhood of Calcutta, or to any part thereof, of any portion of this Act shall not have the effect of placing the said municipality or part under the authority of any municipal authority constituted or appointed for Calcutta.

Police.

Co-operation of the Police.

552. (*1*) The Commissioner of Police and his subordinates shall— [*Cf.* 1892, s. 643.]

(*a*) co-operate with the Commissioner for carrying into effect and enforcing the provisions of this Act and for maintaining good order in Calcutta, and,

(*b*) on the order of a Magistrate, assist the municipal authorities in carrying out any order made by a Magistrate under this Act.

(*2*) It shall be the duty of every police-officer in Calcutta—

(*i*) to communicate without delay to the proper municipal officer any information which he receives of a design to commit or of the commission of any offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder, and

(*ii*) to assist the Commissioner or any municipal officer or servant reasonably demanding his aid for the lawful exercise of any power vesting in the Commissioner or in such municipal officer or servant under this Act or under any such rule or by-law.

(Part X.—Chapter XXXVII.—Supplemental Provisions.—Clauses 553—557.)

Power to police to arrest offenders.

553. (*1*) It shall be the duty of every police-officer to arrest any person who commits, in his view, any offence against this Act or against any rule or by-law made thereunder, if the name and address of such person be unknown to him, and if such person, on demand, declines to give his name and address or gives a name or address which such officer has reason to believe to be false. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 644.]

(*2*) No person so arrested shall be detained in custody after his true name and address are ascertained or, without the order of a Magistrate, for any longer time (not exceeding at the most twenty-four hours from the arrest) than is necessary for bringing him before a Magistrate.

(*3*) On the written application of the Commissioner, the Chief Engineer, or the Health Officer, any police-officer above the rank of constable shall arrest any person who obstructs any municipal officer or servant in the exercise of any of the powers conferred by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder.

Special provisions as to land and buildings in Hastings.

Control by General Officer Commanding the Presidency District over Government land and buildings.

554. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, all land and buildings belonging to the Government in that part of Hastings which is included in Calcutta shall be subject to the control of the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District. [1899, s. 649.]

Sanction of Government of India required to erection of masonry building.

555. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 650.]

(*a*) permission to erect a masonry building in that part of Hastings which is included in Calcutta shall not be given or be deemed to have been given unless and until the sanction of the Government of India has been obtained; and

(*b*) such sanction shall not be applied for unless the plan of the building and the site-plan of the land are approved by the Commissioner of Police.

Demolition of buildings erected without such sanction.

556. (*1*) If the erection of any masonry new building in that part of Hastings which is included in Calcutta is, after the commencement of this Act, commenced, carried on or completed without obtaining the sanction of the Government of India, the Commissioner shall, if requested by the General Officer Commanding the Presidency District so to do,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 651.]

(*a*) by written notice direct the owner to demolish the building, or

(*b*) himself cause the building to be demolished at the expense of the owner.

(*2*) No person shall be entitled to any compensation on account of such demolition.

General Provisions.

Who to be deemed owner or occupier, where there are gradations of owners or occupiers.

557. (*1*) Whenever any right is conferred or duty imposed by or under this Act, or by any rule or by-law made thereunder, on the owner or occupier of any premises, and, in consequence of there being [*Cf.* 1899, s. 645.]

(Part X.—Chapter XXXVII.—Supplemental Provisions.—Clauses 558-562.)

gradations of owners or occupiers, doubt arises as to who is the owner or occupier entitled to exercise such right or bound to perform such duty, the Commissioner may, after due enquiry, determine from time to time which of such owners or occupiers shall be deemed to be so entitled or bound:

Provided that if the name of any one of such owners or occupiers has been entered in the assessment-book in pursuance of any decision given by the Commissioner under section 161, sub-section *(2)*, such owner or occupier shall be deemed to be so entitled or bound until his name is duly removed from the said assessment-book.

(2) An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from any order passed by the Commissioner under sub-section *(1)*.

Commissioner, Councillors, Municipal officers, etc., to be deemed public servants.

558. The Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner, every Councillor, every municipal officer and servant, every contractor or agent for the collection of any municipal rate or other tax or fee and every servant or other person employed by any such contractor or agent, shall be deemed to be a public servant within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 646.] XLV of 1860.

Prohibition of obstruction of municipal contractors.

559. No person shall obstruct or molest any person (not being a person referred to in section 558) with whom the Commissioner has entered into a contract on behalf of the Corporation, in the performance or execution by such person of his duty or of anything which he is empowered or required to do by virtue, or in consequence of, this Act or any rule or by-law made thereunder. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 647.]

Prohibition of removal of mark.

560. No person shall remove any mark set up for the purpose of indicating any level, measurement or direction necessary to the execution of works authorized by this Act or by any rule or by-law made thereunder. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 648.]

Construction of References and Savings.

Construction of references in other enactments.

561. *(1)* In every enactment in force at the commencement of this Act, unless a different intention appears,—

(*a*) all references to the Chairman of the Corporation of Calcutta shall be construed as references to the Commissioner,

(*b*) all references to the Commissioners of the said Corporation shall be construed as references to the Councillors referred to in section 6, and

(*c*) all references to, or to any Chapter or section of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, shall, so far as may be, respectively be construed as references to this Act or to its corresponding Chapter or section. Ben. Act II of 1899.

(2) The sections of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, mentioned in column 1 of the table in Schedule XXII shall be construed as if references therein to the General Committee were references to the municipal authorities respectively mentioned opposite thereto in column 2 of that table. Ben. Act V of 1911.

Saving of prior enactments.

562. Except as in this Act otherwise expressly provided, nothing in this Act shall be deemed to affect the provisions of any other enactment.

SCHEDULE I.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. I.]

"CALCUTTA".

[*See section 3, clause (9) and section 487.*]

"Calcutta" is the area bounded as follows:—

by a line drawn along the southern and western bank of the Circular Canal from the River Hooghly to the point where it meets the Baliaghatta Canal; thence eastward along the southern bank of the Baliaghatta Canal to the point where it meets the Pagladanga Road; thence along the northern and eastern edge of the Pagladanga Road to the point where it meets the Chingrighatta Road; thence along the southern edge of the Chingrighatta Road to the point where it meets the South Tangra Road; thence along the eastern and southern edge of the South Tangra Road to the point where it meets the Tapsia Road; thence along the eastern, southern and western edge of the Tapsia Road to the point where it meets the Tiljala Road; thence westward along the southern edge of the Tiljala Road to the Eastern Bengal State Railway, Southern Section; thence southward along the western edge of the line of that Railway, and westward along the northern edge of the Budge-Budge Branch of that Railway, to the Russa Road, South; thence southward along the eastern edge of Russa Road, South, to the point where it meets the Tollyganj Circular Road; thence along the southern edge of the Tollyganj Circular Road to the point where it meets the Shahapur Road; thence westward along the southern edge of the Shahapur Road and its continuations, the Guragacha Road and the Taratala Road, to the point where it meets the Sonai Road; thence northward along the western edge of the Taratala Road and the Nimakmahal Ghat Road to the River Hooghly; and thence along the left bank of the River Hooghly to its junction with the Circular Canal,

except that it does not include—

(*1*) Fort William,

(*2*) the Esplanade, or

(*3*) that part of Hastings which is bounded on the south by a line drawn along the southern edge of the Clyde Road from the St. George's Gate Road to the point where it meets the Strand Road, thence northward along the western and southern edge of the Strand Road to the point where it meets the River Hooghly.

SCHEDULE II.

RULES AS TO LICENSES FOR THE EXERCISE OR CARRYING ON OF PROFESSIONS, TRADES AND CALLINGS.

(*See sections 38, 193, 194, 195, and 229.*)

Classes of licenses and tax on each.

1. Every license shall be granted under one or other of the classes mentioned in the second column of the following table and there shall be paid annually for the same the fee mentioned in that behalf in the third column of that table :— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 1.]

1	2		3
Serial No.	Classes.		Fees.
	CLASS I.		
1	Company or association or body of individuals, the paid-up capital of which is equivalent to ten lakhs of rupees or upwards,	which exercises or carries on any profession, trade or calling whatsoever.	Two hundred rupees.
	CLASS II.		
2	Company or association or body of individuals,	which exercises or carries on any profession, trade or calling whatsoever and is not included in Class I.	One hundred rupees.
3	Merchant, banker, wholesale trader, commission agent, architect, civil engineer, builder, contractor, auctioneer or carrier,	whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 350 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
4	Owner or occupier of a cotton, jute, hide or other screw-house or press-house,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
5	Owner or occupier of a market, *bazar* or theatre or a place of public entertainment kept up for the purpose of profit,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
6	Printer, publisher, lithographer, engraver, die-sinker, photographer or phototyper,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
7	Proprietor of a newspaper, periodical or journal,	Ditto ...	Ditto
8	Hotel-keeper, boarding-house-keeper, lodging-house-keeper, manufacturer, retail trader or shop-keeper,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	CLASS III.		
9	Practising surgeon, physician, dentist, barrister, attorney, *vakil* of the High Court, proctor, notary public, public accountant, average adjuster, *shroff* or *banian*.	.....	Fifty rupees.
10	Bookmaker or turf accountant.	.....	Ditto.
11	Merchant, banker, wholesale trader, commission agent, architect, civil engineer, builder, contractor, auctioneer or carrier,	who is not included in Class II.	Ditto.

(Schedule II.—Rules as to Licenses for the Exercise or Carrying on of Professions, Trades and Callings.—Rule 1.)

1	2		3
Serial No.	Classes.		Fees.
	CLASS III—*concluded.*		
12	Owner or occupier of a market, *bazar*, or theatre, or a place of public entertainment kept up for the purpose of profit,	who is not included in Class II.	Fifty rupees.
13	Proprietor of a newspaper, periodical or journal,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
14	Printer, publisher, lithographer, engraver, die-sinker, photographer or phototyper,	who is not included in Class II and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 100 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
15	Owner or occupier of a cotton, jute, hide or other screw-house or press-house,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
16	Hotel-keeper, boarding-house-keeper, lodging-house-keeper, manufacturer, retail trader or shop-keeper,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
17	Plumber, electric-fitter or gas-fitter,	whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 100 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
	CLASS IV.		
18	Broker or *dalal* employed in the wholesale transfer or purchase of imports or exports, country produce, silk or other merchandise.	.....	Twenty-five rupees.
19	Insurance agent, broker or canvasser.	.....	Ditto.
20	Commercial traveller.	.....	Ditto.
21	Purchaser of goods in Calcutta for transport and sale beyond the limits of Calcutta.	.....	Ditto.
22	Broker or dealer in precious stones.	.....	Ditto.
23	Broker or dealer in houses, landed property, Government securities, shares or bills of exchange.	.....	Ditto.
24	Surveyor (including a licensed building surveyor) or professional measurer.	.....	Ditto.
25	Professional artist or sculptor.	.....	Ditto.
26	Freight-broker.	.....	Ditto.
27	Practising licentiate of medicine or surgery, practising apothecary, or practising veterinary surgeon.	.....	Ditto.
28	Keeper of a shop for the sale of any liquor or intoxicating drug or a billiard-room.	.....	Ditto.
29	Owner or occupier of a wholesale tobacco, jute or other depôt.	.....	Ditto.

(Schedule II.—Rules as to Licenses for the Exercise or Carrying on of Professions, Trades and Callings.—Rule 1.)

1	2		3
Serial No.	Classes.		Fees.
	Class IV—*concluded.*		
30	Owner of a steam ferry-boat or a cargo boat.	.....	Twenty-five rupees.
31	Pawnbroker or money-lender.	.....	Ditto.
32	Pleader,	who is not included in Class III.	Ditto.
33	Printer, publisher, lithographer, engraver, die-sinker, photographer or phototyper,	who is not included in Class II or Class III, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 25 *per mensem* or upwards	Ditto.
34	Owner or occupier of a cotton, jute, hide or other screw-house or press-house,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
35	Hotel-keeper, boarding-house-keeper, lodging-house-keeper, manufacturer, retail trader or shop-keeper,	who is not included in Class II or Class III, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 25 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
36	Plumber, electric-fitter or gas-fitter,	who is not included in Class III, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 25 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
37	Carriage-dealer or horse dealer,	whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 25 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
	Class V.		
38	Broker or *dalal*,	who is not included in Class IV.	Twelve rupees.
39	*Mukhtear* or law agent.	.....	Ditto.
40	Professional draftsman.	.....	Ditto.
41	Professional actor, singer or musician.	.....	Ditto.
42	Professional astrologer or fortune-teller.	.....	Ditto.
43	Keeper of a permanent stall in a daily market,	who is not included in any higher class.	Ditto.
44	Keeper of a shop within fifty yards of a daily market who is a seller of goods similar in kind to other goods sold in such market,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
45	*Poddar* or money-changer.	.....	Ditto.
46	Medical practitioner (whether registered or otherwise), practising *hakim*, *kabiraj*, graduate of the Bengal Veterinary College or midwife,	who is not included in any higher class.	Ditto.
47	Order-supplier, coolie-supplier, shipping agent or boat-supplier.	.....	Ditto.

(Schedule II.—Rules as to Licenses for the Exercise or Carrying on of Professions, Trades and Callings.—Rules 2, 3.)

1	2		3
Serial No.	Classes.		Fees.
	CLASS V—*concluded.*		
48	Printer, publisher, lithographer, engraver, die-sinker, photographer or phototyper,	who is not included in Class II, Class III or Class IV, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 10 *per mensem* or upwards.	Twelve rupees.
49	Hotel-keeper, boarding-house-keeper, lodging-house-keeper, manufacturer, retail trader or shop-keeper,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
50	Plumber, electric-fitter or gas-fitter,	who is not included in Class III or Class IV, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 10 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
51	Carriage-dealer or horse-dealer,	who is not included in Class IV, and whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 10 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
52	Owner of any carriage, passenger-boat, or palanquin which is let out for hire,	whose place of business is valued under Chapter XI at Rs. 10 *per mensem* or upwards.	Ditto.
53	Band-supplier or stamp-vendor,	Ditto ...	Ditto.
	CLASS VI.		
54	Keeper of a shop or other place of business,	who is not included in any other class.	Four rupees.
55	Pedler, vendor of goods in carts, hawker or *box wallah*,	who is not included in Class VII.	Ditto.
56	Professional petition, letter or bill-writer.	.....	Ditto.
	CLASS VII.		
57	Itinerant dealer hawking goods for sale in a basket or tray.	.....	One rupee.

Licenses to be either personal or local

2. (*1*) Licenses shall be either personal or local. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 2.]

(*2*) "Local license" means—

(*a*) a license the classification of which depends on the valuation of the place of business, and

(*b*) a license granted under Class IV, number 28, number 29, number 30, or number 31, Class V, number 43, or Class VI, number 54, in the table in rule 1.

Only one personal license required for each person.

3. No person shall in any case be required to take out more than one personal license; but if any person is included under different classes in the table in rule 1 he shall take out a license under the highest of such classes. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 3.]

(Schedule II.—Rules as to Licenses for the Exercise or Carrying on of Professions, Trades and Callings—Rules 4-9.)

Personal license for members of firms.

4. When two or more persons carry on business jointly, they may take out a single license as a firm : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 4.]

Provided that, if any of the partners of such firm exercises or carries on any separate profession, trade or calling on his own account or jointly with other partners, a separate license shall be taken out in respect of every such profession, trade or calling.

Local license required for each business.

5. A separate local license shall be taken out in respect of the business carried on in each separate place of business : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 5.]

Provided that—

(*a*) separate licenses shall not be required in respect of any business carried on in adjacent premises which form one place of business or in any yards, godowns or factories which are auxiliary to any place of business ; and

(*b*) the amount of the valuation of such premises, yards, godowns or factories shall be included in the computation for determining the class under which the license shall be taken out.

Valuation of places of business not separately valued under Chapter XI.

6. When a place of business occupies only a portion of one set of premises and has not been separately valued under Chapter XI, the valuation thereof for the purposes of these rules shall be the rate *per mensem* at which such place of business might, in the opinion of the Commissioner, reasonably be expected to let. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 6.]

When both personal and local license required.

7. When any person exercises or carries on a profession, trade or calling for which a personal license should under these rules be taken out, and is also the owner or occupier of a place of business for which a local license should be taken out, he shall, if the Commissioner so directs, take out both a personal license and a local license : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 7.]

Provided that, where the place of business is auxiliary to the exercise or carrying on of the profession, trade or calling, only one license shall be required, and such license shall be either personal or local as the Commissioner may direct.

Occupier ordinarily to be licensee.

8. Where the owner or occupier of any place of business is required to take out a license, the license shall be taken out by the occupier if the business is carried on by the occupier, but otherwise by the owner. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 8.]

Continuance of liability in same class.

9. Any person who has taken out a license for the next preceding year, or has been fined under section 495 for not taking out a license during that year, shall, subject to the other provisions of these rules, be deemed to be liable and entitled to take out a license for the current year under the class in which he was included for such preceding year. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 9.]

(Schedule II.—Rules as to Licenses for the Exercise or Carrying on of Professions, Trades and Callings—Rules 10-13.)

Time for presentation of applications for remissions, etc.

10. [*Cf.* 1890, Sch. II, r. 10.] (*1*) Any person who claims a remission or refund of a license fee under proviso (*a*) to section 193, in respect of any year, shall present an application to the Commissioner before the first day of September in the next following year.

(*2*) Any person who—

(*i*) has taken out a license for the next preceding year or has been fined under section 495 for not taking out a license during that year, and,

(*ii*) in consequence of any change in his profession, trade, calling or place of business, or for any other reason, claims an exemption or declaration under proviso (*b*) or proviso (*c*) to section 193,

shall present an application to the Commissioner before the first day of September in the current year.

Power to Commissioner to issue notices to take out licenses, etc.

11. [*Cf.* 1890, Sch. II, r. 11.] (*1*) If the Commissioner considers—

(*a*) that any person who has not taken out a license in the next preceding year ought to take out a license, or

(*b*) that any person who has taken out a license for such year, but has not done so for the current year, ought to take out a license under a higher class, or to take out more than one license,

he may serve such person with a notice directing him to take out a license or licenses for the next preceding year or the current year, as the case may be, under such class or classes as may to the Commissioner seem proper.

(*2*) If the Commissioner considers that any person who has taken out a license for the current year ought to have taken out a license under a higher class, he may serve such person with a notice directing him forthwith to take out a license under such higher class for that year:

Provided that, when such license under a higher class has been taken out, the amount paid in respect of the license in the lower class shall, unless such person is liable to take out both licenses, be refunded to him.

Commissioner to prove liability when service of notice not proved.

12. [*Cf.* 1890, Sch. II, r. 12.] When any person is summoned for not taking out a license, and service of notice under rule 11, sub-rule (*1*), is not proved, it shall be incumbent on the Commissioner to prove that the person so summoned is liable to take out a license, and to state the class under which he is so liable.

Appeal to General Appeals Committee, or to Court of Small Causes.

13. [*Cf.* 1890, Sch. II, r. 13.] Any person dissatisfied with an order made under rule 6 or rule 7 may appeal to the General Appeals Committee, and

any person dissatisfied with a notice served under rule 11 may appeal either—

(*a*) to the said Committee; or

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(*b*) to a Court of Small Causes having jurisdiction in the place in which the profession, trade or calling is alleged to be exercised or carried on:

Provided that no appeal shall lie under this rule unless the amount payable for the license, as assessed in accordance with the said notice, has been deposited with the Corporation.

Statement by appellant.

14. Any person who is desirous of appealing under rule 13 shall, within fifteen days of the passing of the order or the service of the notice, referred to in that rule, submit to the Secretary to the Corporation a petition setting forth the grounds of appeal, [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 14.]

and if the appeal is against a notice served under rule 11, the petition shall intimate whether he intends to appeal to the General Appeals Committee under clause (*a*), or to a Court of Small Causes under clause (*b*) of rule 13:

Provided that the Commissioner may, if he thinks fit, extend the period within which the petition may be presented:

Provided also that no appeal shall be made to a Court of Small Causes under rule 13 until the expiration of a period of one month from the submission of a petition under this rule.

Procedure of Court in appeal.

15. When an appeal is made under these rules to a Court of Small Causes, the Court may follow the procedure prescribed in section 532, and the order of the said Court shall be final. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 15.]

Finality of order of Commissioner when no appeal.

16. When no appeal is preferred under these rules, the order of the Commissioner shall be final. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. II, r. 16.]

SCHEDULE III.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. III.]

WARDS FOR PURPOSES OF THE ELECTION OF WARD COUNCILLORS AND OF VALUATION.

(See sections 43, 151 and 487.)

Serial number of Ward.	Name of Ward.	Boundaries of Ward—				Number of Councillors to be elected.
		On the north.	On the south.	On the east.	On the west.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Shampukur.	The Circular Canal.	Ultadingi Road and Grey Street.	The Circular Canal and Upper Circular Road.	Upper Chitpur Road and the Chitpur Bridge Approach.	Two.
2	Kumartuli.	Ditto.	Nimtala Ghat Street and the road leading to Nimtala Ghat.	Upper Chitpur Road and the Chitpur Bridge Approach.	The River Hooghly.	One.
3	Bartola.	Grey Street, Upper Circular Road and Ultadingi Road.	Beadon Street and Maniktala Road.	The Circular Canal.	Upper Chitpur Road.	Two.
4	Sukeas Street.	Beadon Street, Upper Circular Road and Maniktala Road.	Machua Bazar Street and Gas Street.	Ditto.	Cornwallis Street.	Two.
5	Jora Bagan.	Nimtala Ghat Street and the road leading to Nimtala Ghat.	Cotton Street, Clive Street and Mirbahar Ghat Street.	Upper Chitpur Road.	The River Hooghly.	Two.
6	Jorasanko.	Beadon Street.	Machua Bazar Street.	Cornwallis Street.	Upper Chitpur Road.	Two.
7	Bara Bazar.	Mirbahar Ghat Street, Clive Street and Cotton Street.	Lal Bazar Street, Dalhousie Square, North, Charnock Place, Fairlie Place, and a line drawn in continuation of the south side of Fairlie Place to the river bank.	Lower Chitpur Road.	The River Hooghly.	One.
8	Collootola.	Machua Bazar Street.	Bow Bazar Street.	College Street.	Lower Chitpur Road.	Two.
9	Muchipara.	Machua Bazar Street and Gas Street.	Bow Bazar Street and Baliaghatta Road.	The Circular Canal.	College Street.	Two.
10	Bow Bazar.	Bow Bazar Street.	Dharamtala Street.	Wellington Street.	Bentinck Street.	One.
11	Paddapukur.	Ditto.	Ditto.	Lower Circular Road.	Wellington Street.	One
12	Waterloo Street.	Lal Bazar Street, Dalhousie Square, North, Charnock Place, Fairlie Place, and a line drawn in continuation of the south side of Fairlie Place to the river bank.	Esplanade Row, East, Lawrence Road and Esplanade Row, West.	Bentinck Street.	The River Hooghly.	One.

(Schedule III.—Wards for purposes of the Election of Ward Councillors and of Valuation.)

Serial number of Ward.	Name of Ward.	Boundaries of Ward—				Number of Councillors to be elected.
		On the north.	On the south.	On the east.	On the west.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
13	Fenwick Bazar.	Dharamtala Street.	Kyd Street, Free School Street and Ripon Street.	Wellesley Street.	Chowringhee Road.	One.
14	Taltala.	Dharamtala Street.	Ripon Street.	Lower Circular Road.	Wellesley Street.	One.
15	Kalinga.	Ripon Street.	Theatre Road.	Ditto.	Wellesley Street and Wood Street.	One.
16	Park Street.	Kyd Street, Free School Street and Ripon Street.	Ditto.	Wood Street and Wellesley Street	Chowringee Road.	One.
17	Bamun Bustee.	Theatre Road.	Lower Circular Road.	Lower Circular Road.	Ditto.	One.
18	Hastings.	Clyde Road and Strand Road.	Tolly's Nala.	St. George's Gate Road.	The River Hooghly and Tolly's Nala.	One.
19	Entally.	Baliaghatta Road, the Circular and Baliaghatta Canals and Pagladanga Road.	Police Hospital Road, Phulbagan Road, South Road, Entally and Christopher Road.	Pagladanga Road, Chingrighatta Road, South Tangra Road and Tapsia Road.	Lower Circular Road.	Two.
20	Baniapukar.	Police Hospital Road, Phulbagan Road, South Road, Entally and Christopher Road.	Acre Road, Karaya Road, Goristhan Lane, Jhautala Road, Tiljala 1st Lane, Tiljala Road and Tapsia Road.	Tapsia Road.	Ditto.	Two.
21	Ballyganj and Tollyganj.	Lower Circular Road, Acre Road, Karaya Road, Goristhan Lane, Jhautala Road, Tiljala 1st Lane and Tiljala Road.	The Eastern Bengal Railway, Budge-Budge Branch, Russa Road, South, and Tollyganj Circular Road.	The Eastern Bengal Railway, Southern Section.	Lansdowne Road, Rowland Road, Chakrabere Road, North Chakrabere Lane, Paddapukur Road, Beltala Road, Hazra Road, Russa Road, South, Nepal Bhattacharji Street to Tolly's Nala and Tolly's Nala.	Two.
22	Bhowanipur.	Lower Circular Road.	Nepal Bhattacharji Street.	Lansdowne Road, Rowland Road, Chakrabere Road, North, Chakrabere Lane, Paddapukur Road, Beltala Road, Hazra Road and Russa Road, South.	Tolly's Nala and Zeerut Bridge Approach.	Two.

(Schedule III.—Wards for purposes of the Election of Ward Councillors and of Valuation.)

Serial number of Ward.	Name of Ward.	Boundaries of Ward—				Number of Councillors to be elected.
		On the north.	On the south.	On the east.	On the west.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
23	Alipur.	Tolly's Nala.	Tollyganj Circular Road and Shahapur Road.	Tolly's Nala.	Diamond Harbour Road and Kidderpur Bridge Approach.	One.
24	Ekbalpur.	Dent Mission Road and Circular Garden Reach Road.	Guragacha Road and Taratala Road.	Diamond Harbour Road.	Hide Road, Sonai Road and Sonai 3rd Lane.	One.
25	Watganj.	The River Hooghly and Tolly's Nala.	Dent Mission Road, Circular Garden Reach Road, Hide Road, Sonai Road, Sonai 3rd Lane and Taratala Road.	Kidderpur Bridge Approach and Diamond Harbour Road.	Nimakia bhal Ghat Road and Taratala Road.	Two.

SCHEDULE IV.

DISTRICTS FOR PURPOSES OF THE ELECTION OF MAHOMEDAN COUNCILLORS.

(See section 45.)

Number of District.	Serial numbers of Wards comprised in District.	Boundaries of District—				Number of Councillors to be elected.
		On the north.	On the south.	On the east.	On the west.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
I	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.	The Circular Canal	Mirbahar Ghat Street, Clive Street, Cotton Street, Machua Bazar Street and Gas Street.	The Circular Canal.	The River Hooghly.	One.
II	7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12.	Mirbahar Ghat Street, Clive Street, Cotton Street, Machua Bazar Street and Gas Street.	Esplanade Row, West, Lawrence Road, Esplanade Row, East, Dharamtala Street, Lower Circular Road and Baliaghatta Road.	The Circular Canal and Lower Circular Road.	Ditto.	Three.
III	13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19 and 20.	Dharamtala Street, Lower Circular Road, Baliaghatta Road, the Circular and Baliaghatta Canals, and Pagladanga Road.	Lower Circular Road, Acre Road, Karaya Road, Goristhan Lane, Jhautala Road, Tiljala 1st Lane, Tiljala Road and Tapsia Road.	Pagladanga Road, Chingrighatta Road, South Tangra Road and Tapsia Road.	Chowringhee Road.	Three.
IV	18, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25.	The River Hooghly, Strand Road, Clyde Road, St. George's Gate Road, Tolly's Nala up to the Zeerut Bridge, Lower Circular Road from the Zeerut Bridge Eastward, Acre Road, Karaya Road, Goristhan Lane, Jhautala Road, Tiljala 1st Lane, and Tiljala Road.	Taratala Road, Guragacha Road, Shahapur Road, Tollyganj Circular Road, Russa Road, South, and the Eastern Bengal Railway, Budge-Budge Branch.	The Eastern Bengal Railway, Southern Section.	Nimakmahal Ghat Road and Taratala Road.	Two.

SCHEDULE V.

RULES FOR THE PREPARATION AND PUBLICATION OF THE WARD AND MAHOMEDAN ELECTION ROLLS.

(See section 37.)

Preparation of lists of voters.

1. (*1*) On or before the first day of December immediately preceding each general election, the Commissioner shall prepare from the registers in his office— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 2.]

(*a*) a list of persons appearing to be entitled to be enrolled in the ward election roll as ward-voters, and

(*b*) a similar list of Mahomedans appearing to be entitled to be enrolled in the Mahomedan election roll as district-voters :

Provided that no company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals shall be entered in the list referred to in clause (*b*). [*See* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 9.]

(*2*) The said lists shall contain the names of all persons qualified to be enrolled as ward or district voters.

(*3*) A separate list shall be prepared by the Commissioner of the persons who appear to be entitled to make election under section 39 or section 49, specifying the wards or districts between which, and the qualifications on account of which, such persons are entitled to make such election.

Payment of municipal taxes a condition precedent to entry in list of voters.

2. No person shall be entitled to be enrolled in an election roll as qualified to vote unless he has, before the first day of December immediately preceding the election, paid all instalments of the consolidated rate and other municipal taxes due from him for each of the first two quarters of the year in which the election is held : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 3.]

Provided that when the Commissioner has, under section 174, levied the entire consolidated rate from the owner of any building, any occupier of the building who is qualified to vote in respect of the sum due from him as consolidated rate shall be entitled to be enrolled, on his satisfying the Commissioner that he has paid such sum to the owner of the building in accordance with the provisions of section 175.

Arrangement of lists of voters.

3. (*1*) The lists prepared under rule 1 shall be arranged in accordance with the alphabetical order of the names of streets and with the numbering of premises in streets, and shall be sub-divided into parts showing separately, for each ward and for each district, the names of persons entitled to be enrolled as voters for that ward or district, as the case may be, and also the names of all persons entitled, but for the provisions of section 38, sub-section (*2*) and the proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 48, to be enrolled as voters for that ward or district. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 4.]

(*2*) The names of persons required to make election under section 39 or section 49 shall be marked with an asterisk wherever they appear on the list prepared under rule 1, sub-rule (*1*).

(Schedule V.—Rules for the preparation and publication of the Ward and Mahomedan election rolls.—Rules 4-7.)

(*3*) The said lists may be further sub-divided in such manner as the Commissioner may from time to time consider convenient.

(*4*) In preparing the said lists the Commissioner shall, subject to the provisions of rule 1, sub-rule (*1*), enter therein the names of the persons who are qualified to be enrolled under Chapter IV, whether such persons be individuals or companies, bodies corporate, firms, joint-families or other associations of individuals, or receivers or trustees, as the case may be.

(*5*) If an individual member of any company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association, or any receiver or trustee so entered be qualified to be enrolled under Chapter IV on his own separate account, the Commissioner shall enter his name separately in the list relating to ward elections or to Mahomedan elections, as the case may be.

Publication of lists.

4. The Commissioner shall publish the lists prepared under rule 1 by causing a printed copy thereof to be fixed for public inspection in a conspicuous position at the Municipal Office, and at such other places as he thinks fit, on or before the first day of December referred to in rule 1, and to be kept so fixed during the remaining days of that month. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 5.]

Sale of copies of lists.

5. Printed copies of the said lists shall be obtainable by any person applying for the same, on payment of such reasonable fee for each copy as may from time to time be prescribed by the Commissioner in this behalf. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 6.]

Notice of publication and sale of lists.

6. On or before the tenth day of the said month of December, the Commissioner shall give notice, by advertisement in local newspapers, of the publication of the said lists and of the place at which and the fee for which copies of the same may be obtained. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 7.]

Notice of claim to be entered on list and objections to entries.

7. (*1*). Every person who claims to have his name inserted in a list of voters as being qualified to be enrolled under Chapter IV or who desires to make election under section 39 or section 49 shall, on or before the tenth day of January next following the said month of December, give to the Commissioner, written notice of his claim, or of his election under section 39 or section 49, as the case may be. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 8.]

(*2*) Any person whose name has been entered in the said list may object to any other person as not being entitled to have his name retained therein.

(*3*) Every person desiring to make an objection under sub-rule (*2*) shall, on or before the said tenth day of January, send to the Commissioner, and also give to the person objected to, or leave at his last-known place of abode, written notice of the objection and of the nature thereof.

(Schedule V.—Rules for the preparation and publication of the Ward and Mahomedan election rolls.—Rules 8, 9.)

Representation of associations of individuals.

8. *(1)* Every company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals which has been entered, under rule 1, in the ward-voters' list as a voter for any ward shall authorize in writing any one individual person, being a member thereof. to vote on its behalf, [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 9.]

and such person may, by written notice sent to the Commissioner on or before the fifteenth day of the said month of December, apply that his name be entered in the said list as the person qualified to vote on behalf of the company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association.

(2) The Commissioner shall thereupon enter in the said list the name of such person as being duly authorized to represent and vote in the said ward on behalf of the said company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association:

Provided that—

(a) if such person is a Mahomedan, his name shall be entered in the Mahomedan election list as being duly authorized to represent, and vote on behalf of the said association in the district in which the said ward is situated; and the entry in the ward list in respect of such association shall be cancelled; and

(b) if more persons than one, applying under sub-rule *(1)*, produce a written authority to vote on behalf of the same company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals, the Commissioner shall reject all such applications and shall not so enter the name of any person except on the subsequent written application of a *bonâ fide* representative of such association.

Revision of lists.

9. *(1)* The Commissioner shall, before the first day of the month of March next following the month of January referred to in rule 7, revise the said lists. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 10.]

(2) He shall for that purpose hear, in open office, the claims, objections, elections and applications which have been duly made under rule 7 or rule 8 and shall give three clear days' notice of the holding of the inquiry.

(3) Such notice shall be fixed on some conspicuous place in the Municipal Office, and notice of the fact that it has been so fixed and of the date or dates on which the inquiry will be held shall be given by advertisement in local newspapers.

(4) The Commissioner shall insert in the said lists the name of every person who has duly claimed to have his name inserted therein, and whose claim is proved to the Commissioner's satisfaction.

(Schedule V.—Rules for the preparation and publication of the Ward and Mahomedan election-rolls.—Rule 9.)

(*5*) The Commissioner may correct any omission or clerical error in the said lists, and shall expunge—

(*a*) the name of every person proved to his satisfaction to be dead,

(*b*) the name of every person who has made election under section 39 or section 49 from that portion of the list which relates to any ward or district other than the ward or district for which such person has made election and from all places but one in the portion of the roll relating to that ward or district.

(*6*) (*i*). The name of every person who, though entitled to make election under section 39 or section 49, has failed to give written notice of such election on or before the date specified in rule 7 in this behalf, shall be retained in respect of one ward or district only in the lists prepared under sub-rule (*1*) of rule 1.

(*ii*). Such ward or district shall be summarily determined by the Commissioner at the time of the revision under this rule, and the name of such person shall be expunged from that portion of the list, which relates to any ward or district other than the ward or district so determined and from all places but one in the portion of the roll relating to such ward or district.

(*7*) Except as hereinbefore provided, the Commissioner shall retain in the said lists the name of every person to whom objection has not been duly made.

(*8*) The Commissioner shall also retain in the said lists the name of every person objected to, unless the objector appears, by himself or by some person duly authorized by him in this behalf, in support of the objection.

(*9*) Where the objector so appears, the Commissioner shall require proof of the qualification of the person objected to; and if, within such reasonable time as the Commissioner fixes in this behalf, or on the subsequent day (if any) to which the hearing is adjourned under rule 10, such person's qualification is not proved to the Commissioner's satisfaction, he shall expunge the name of such person from the list.

(*10*) If no individual person has applied to the Commissioner under rule 8 to have his name entered in the list on behalf of a company, body corporate, firm, joint-family or other association of individuals, or if the *bonâ fide* representative of any such association has failed to apply to the Commissioner under proviso (*b*) to that rule, the Commissioner shall expunge the name of such association from the list

(Schedule V.—Rules for the preparation and publication of the Ward and Mahomedan election-rolls.—Rules 10-14.)

Adjournments.

10. The Commissioner may adjourn the hearing of any matter under the foregoing rules from time to time, but so only that no adjourned hearing be held after the last day of February immediately preceding the general election. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 11.]

Lists when revised and signed to be the election rolls.

11. When the two lists prescribed by these rules have been revised by the Commissioner, he shall sign a printed copy of each, and such copy shall be the ward election roll and the Mahomedan election roll, respectively. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 12.]

Publication of election rolls

12. The Commissioner shall publish each of the election rolls by causing printed copies thereof to be fixed for public inspection in a conspicuous position at the Municipal Office and at such other places as he thinks fit. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch IV, r. 13.]

Sale of copies of rolls.

13. Printed copies of the said election rolls shall be obtainable by any person applying for the same, on payment of such reasonable fee for each copy as may from time to time be prescribed by the Commissioner in this behalf. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 14.]

Commencement and continuance of rolls.

14. (*1*) Both election rolls shall come into operation on the first day of March immediately preceding the general election, and shall continue in operation for three years beginning on that day. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. IV, r. 15.]

(*2*) The said rolls shall be final, and, while they continue in force, shall not be altered except so as to correct such clerical errors as the Commissioner may advertise by public notice given from time to time.

(*3*) For the purposes of any election to be held after the commencement of this Act, if an election roll is not prepared in due time, the corresponding election roll in operation immediately before the time at which the new roll ought to have been prepared shall continue in operation until the new roll is prepared.

SCHEDULE VI.

RULES FOR CONDUCT OF ELECTIONS.

(See sections 37, 52 and 492.)

Notice of elections.

1. Three weeks at least before the day fixed for an election, notice of such election shall be given by the Commissioner by advertisement in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in local newspapers, and by posting placards in conspicuous places in the ward or district for which the election is to take place. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. V, r 1]

Nomination-papers.

2. Every person who is a candidate for election shall send to the Commissioner, not less than fourteen days before the day fixed for the election, a nomination-paper containing— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. V, r. 2.]

(*a*) his name and occupation and a statement of his place of abode,

(*b*) the name of the ward or district, as the case may be, for which he is enrolled,

(*c*) the signature of two voters (other than the candidate) in such ward or district who respectively propose and second his candidature, and

(*d*) the signature of eighteen voters (other than the candidate) in such ward or district who approve his nomination.

Power to declare nomination invalid.

3. If any person nominated— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. V, r. 3.]

(*a*) is not enrolled in the ward election roll or the Mahomedan election roll, as the case may be, as a voter, or

(*b*) is disqualified for being a Councillor for any of the reasons set forth in section 59, or

(*c*) has not complied with the provisions of rule 2,

the Commissioner shall declare his nomination to be invalid.

Publication of list of candidates for election.

4. Not less than three days before the day fixed for election, the Commissioner shall publish at the Municipal Office and in local newspapers a list of all candidates duly nominated for election. [*Cf.* 1899. Sch. V, r. 4.]

Poll when unnecessary.

5. In the event of the number of candidates in any ward or district being not more than the number of Councillors to be elected for such ward or district, as the case may be, such candidates shall be deemed to be elected. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. V, r. 5.]

Poll when and how to be taken

6. In the event of the number of candidates in any ward or district being more than the number of Councillors to be elected for such ward or district, as the case may be, a poll shall be held in the following manner, that is to say :— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. V, r 6]

(*1*) a polling-place shall be provided by the Commissioner for each ward or district, and the Commissioner may appoint such and so many polling-officers and other persons to assist at the poll as he may think fit, and pay them such reasonable remuneration for their services as he may determine;

(Schedule VI.—Rules for Conduct of Elections.—Rule 6.)

(*2*) the poll shall commence at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and shall close at six o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, or, with the special permission of the Commissioner, at some time on the next following day to be named by him;

(*3*) all votes shall be given in person, and no vote shall be received by proxy or in writing;

(*4*) no vote shall be received for any candidate whose name has not been published by the Commissioner under rule 4 as having been duly nominated;

(*5*) the polling-officer shall read out the list of candidates and the voters shall record their votes by ballot;

(*6*) if any voter is illiterate, the polling-officer shall record his vote, but shall be bound to maintain secrecy regarding such vote;

(*7*) no objection to a voter shall be entertained except on the ground that he is not the person under whose name, as entered in the election roll, he claims to vote;

(*8*) all objections under clause (*7*) shall be summarily decided by the polling-officer;

(*9*) the polling-officer shall then and there, as soon as may be after the closing of the poll, declare the number of candidates, corresponding to the number of Councillors to be elected for such ward or district, who have the largest number of votes to be duly elected, and shall report accordingly to the Commissioner:

Provided that, if the majority for any candidate consists only of votes to which objections have been raised and if the polling officer has been unable to decide such objections summarily as provided in clause (*8*), he shall adjourn the proceedings and report the matter to the Commissioner;

(*10*) when a report is made to the Commissioner under the proviso to clause (*9*), he shall, as soon as may be, hold such inquiry regarding the disputed votes as he may consider necessary, and his decision shall be final;

(*11*) on the termination of the said inquiry, the Commissioner shall declare the candidate who has the largest number of votes to be duly elected;

(*12*) if, after scrutiny, it is found that two or more candidates have secured an identical number of votes and if the number of candidates to be elected for the ward or district, as the case may be, does not admit of all such candidates being elected, the Commissioner shall give a casting vote, and the candidate to whom such vote is given shall be deemed to be elected.

SCHEDULE VII.

TAX ON CARRIAGES AND ANIMALS.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. VIII.]

(See section 182.)

		Per half-year. Rs. A. P.
1.	On every four-wheeled carriage propelled by mechanical power (other than electricity) having more than four cylinders or having four cylinders with a bore of 80 millimetres or more	24 0 0
2.	On every four-wheeled carriage propelled by mechanical power (other than electricity) having less than four cylinders or having four cylinders with a bore of less than 80 millimetres	18 0 0
3	On every three-wheeled or four-wheeled carriage propelled by electricity	18 0 0
4.	On every bicycle, tricycle, side-car, or similar vehicle propelled by mechanical power not included in class 1, class 2 or class 3	6 0 0
5.	On every four-wheeled carriage drawn by two horses	12 0 0
6.	Where any person owns more than one carriage included in class 5, then on every such carriage after the first	8 0 0
7.	On every four-wheeled carriage drawn by one horse, pony or mule, or a pair of ponies or mules under 13 hands	6 0 0
8.	On every two-wheeled carriage drawn by one or more animals	6 0 0
9.	On every *jinrickshaw*	2 0 0
10.	On every horse (not being a race horse) ...	6 0 0
11.	On every race horse	12 0 0
12.	On every pony or mule of or over 13 hands ...	6 0 0
13.	On every pony or mule under 13 hands ...	2 0 0

SCHEDULE VIII.

SCAVENGING-TAX.

(See section 197.)

PART I.—PERSONS BY WHOM THE TAX IS PAYABLE.

[Cf. 1899, Sch. IX.]

Hackney-carriage owner	Shepherd.
Carter.	Goatherd.
Milk-seller.	Owner or occupier of a market
Horse dealer.	

PART II.—RATES OF FEE FOR LICENSES.

	Per half-year Rs.	A.	P.
For every horse	6	0	0
,, ,, pony or mule of or over 13 hands ...	6	0	0
,, ,, pony or mule under 13 hands	3	0	0
,, ,, bull or buffalo used for drawing a cart ...	1	8	0
,, ,, cow or buffalo kept by a milk-seller ...	0	12	0
,, ,, donkey	0	12	0
,, ,, ten sheep or goats	3	0	0
For a daily average of one half-cart load of offensive matter and rubbish, or part thereof, removed from a market	30	0	0

SCHEDULE IX.

FORM OF NOTICE OF DEMAND.

[*See sections 208 (1) and 224 (1).*]

To

A. B.

residing at

[*cf.* 1899, Sch. X.]

Take notice that the Municipal Commissioner of Calcutta demands from you (*as owner or occupier) the sum of due from you on account of the consolidated rate (*or* tax, *as the case may be*) for (*here describe the premises on account of which the rate is leviable, or the carriage, animal, profession, trade or calling on account of which the tax is payable*) for the quarter (*or* half-year, *or* year) commencing (*or* ending) on the day of ; and that, if the said sum is not paid into the Municipal Office at or to an officer appointed to receive the same, or if sufficient cause for non-payment of the same is not shown to the satisfaction of the Municipal Commissioner within seven days from the service of this notice, a warrant of distress will be issued for the recovery of the same, with costs.

Dated this day of

(*Signed.*)

Municipal Commissioner of Calcutta.

* In the case of a demand on the occupier of any premises under section 217, state that notice of demand has been served upon the owner and that the sum due remains unpaid.

SCHEDULE X.

FORM OF WARRANT OF DISTRESS.

[*See sections 209 (1), 216 (1) and 228 (1).*] [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XI.]

To (*here insert the name of the officer charged with the execution of the warrant.*)

Whereas A. B., of , has not paid, or shown sufficient cause to my satisfaction for the non-payment of, the sum of due for the consolidated rate (*or* tax, *as the case may be*) for the quarter (*or* half year *or* year) commencing (*or* ending) on the day of , although the said sum has been duly demanded in writing from the said A. B., and seven days have elapsed since the service of the notice of demand;

[*or* Whereas the proceeds of the sale of the movable property of A. B., of , distrained under a warrant dated , and sold under section 215, are not sufficient to cover the sum distrained for;

And whereas the sum of is still due from the said A. B.;]

[And whereas the said sum has been increased under section 226 (*or* section 227, *as the case may be*), to .]

This is to direct you to distrain the movable property of the said A. B. (*or, as the case may be*, any movable property found on the premises in respect of which the said rate is due) to the amount of the said sum of and such further sum as may be sufficient to defray the costs of recovering the said amount; and if within seven days next after such distress the said sum shall not be paid, together with such further sum as shall be sufficient to defray the said costs, to sell the said movable property; and having paid and deducted out of the proceeds of the sale the said sum of and the costs of recovering the same, to return the surplus (if any) and if the same be demanded within three years from the date of the sale, to the person whom you shall find in possession of the said movable property.

If sufficient distress cannot be found of the movable property of the said A. B. (*or* on the said premises *as the case may be*) you are to certify the same to me together with this warrant.

Dated this day of

(*Signed*)

Municipal Commissioner of Calcutta.

SCHEDULE XI

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XIII[.

TABLE OF FEES PAYABLE ON WARRANTS OF DISTRESS.

[*See section 209 (3).*]

Sum distrained for.	Fee.
	Rs. A.
Under 5 rupees	0 4
Rupees 5 and under Rs. 10	0 8
„ 10 „ „ 15	0 12
„ 15 „ „ 20	1 0
„ 20 „ „ 25	1 4
„ 25 „ „ 30	1 8
„ 30 „ „ 35	1 12
„ 35 „ „ 40	2 0
„ 40 „ „ 45	2 4
„ 45 „ „ 50	2 8
„ 50 „ „ 60	3 0
„ 60 „ „ 80	3 12
„ 80 „ „ 100	4 8
Above 100 rupees	5 0

The above fees are to include all expenses except when peons are kept in charge of property distrained, in which case four annas shall be paid daily for each peon so employed.

SCHEDULE XII.

FORM OF NOTICE OF SALE. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch XIII.]

(*See section 212.*)

To

A. B.

residing at

Take notice that I have this day seized the movable property specified in the inventory set out below for the sum of due for the consolidated rate (*or* tax, *as the case may be*) for the quarter (*or* half-year *or* year) commencing (*or* ending) on the day of ; and that, unless you pay into the Municipal Office at the amount due, together with the costs of recovery, within seven days from the date of this notice, the said property will be sold.

Dated this day of

(*Signature of the Officer executing the Warrant of Distress.*)

Inventory.

(*Here state particulars of the movable property seized.*)

SCHEDULE XIII.

RULES AS TO PRIVATE CONNECTIONS TO PREMISES, AND METERS.

(See sections 251, 258 and 492.)

Private Connections to Premises.

Separate service-pipes for separate premises.

1. (*1*) All premises connected with the filtered water-supply shall be provided with separate service-pipes from the municipal main. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 256.]

(*2*) In any case in which a service-pipe from a main is used for supplying filtered water to two or more premises, the Commissioner shall, by written notice, require the owners of such premises to lay down separate service-pipes for separate premises; and the expense of so doing shall be borne by all such owners in such proportion as may be determined by the Corporation.

(*3*) The Commissioner shall not delegate to any municipal officer his power to make a requisition by written notice under sub-rule (*2*). [*See* 1899, s. 18 (*1*).]

Separate stop-cocks and underground hydrants or taps for supply of unfiltered water to private premises.

2. (*1*) In premises connected with the municipal water-supply, separate stop-cocks shall be provided by the owner for controlling the supply of unfiltered water for the purposes mentioned in clause (*i*) and clause (*ii*), respectively, of section 239. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 257.]

(*2*) When unfiltered water is supplied for any of the purposes mentioned in clause (*ii*) of section 239, it shall be so supplied as to be capable of being drawn only from hydrants or taps fixed below the surface of the ground.

Outer stop-cocks.

3. When any premises are about to be connected with the municipal mains, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of the premises to fix a stop-cock in some position outside the premises which is accessible at all times from the nearest street. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 258 (*1*).]

Size of ferrules.

4. (*1*) Filtered or unfiltered water supplied under Chapter XVIII to any premises shall be supplied according to the annual value of such premises, as determined under Chapter XI, through a ferrule of the size prescribed therefor in the following table :— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 259, and Sch XIV.]

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch XIV.]

Annual value of premises as determined under Chapter XI.	Size of ferrule.	
	Filtered water.	Unfiltered water.
From 1 to 599 rupees (both inclusive) ...	¾ inch	¾ inch
„ 600 to 1,199 „ „ ...	¾ „	½ „
„ 1,200 to 2,399 „ „ ...	1 „	¾ „
„ 2,400 to 3,599 „ „ ...	1½ „	1 „
3,600 rupees or more	2 „ or 1 „	1½ „ or 1 „

Provided as follows :—

(*a*) the Local Government may, on the recommendation of the Corporation, substitute any other scale for the scale of ferrules prescribed in the said table;

(Schedule XIII.—Rules as to Private Connections to Premises and Meters.—Rules 5-7.)

(*b*) if any premises be so situated that the ferrule prescribed therefor in the said table or under proviso (*a*) is too small to pass, within a period of six hours, the daily supply of water to which the occupier of the premises is entitled under section 241, the Commissioner shall permit the use of a larger ferrule for such premises.

(*2*) Where a ferrule used at the commencement of this Act for the supply of water to any premises is larger than that prescribed for such premises in sub-rule (*1*) or under proviso (*a*) to that sub-rule, as the case may be, the Commissioner may, at the expense of the Municipal Fund and after giving one month's notice in writing to the owner of the premises, substitute for such ferrule one of the size so prescribed.

Construction of service-pipes, ferrules and works

5. (*1*) The service-pipe for carrying water from the municipal mains into any premises, and the pipes, taps and works (other than ferrules) within such premises, shall be of such character, dimensions and materials as the Corporation may fix and approve, and shall be made and constructed at the expense of the person requiring the same. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 260.]

(*2*) The said ferrules shall be of such character and material as the Corporation may fix and approve, and, except as provided in rule 4, sub-rule (*2*), shall be affixed at the expense of the occupier of the premises.

(*3*) The said service-pipe, and all fittings thereon for carrying water from the municipal mains into any premises, and all ferrules, pipes, taps, works and fittings inside the premises, shall in all cases be executed subject to the inspection of the Commissioner and to his satisfaction;

and the connection of premises with the municipal mains, and the laying of supply-pipes under any public street or thoroughfare, shall be executed in the presence of a municipal officer authorized in that behalf, and in no other way.

(*4*) Such service-pipe, fittings, ferrules, pipes, taps and works may be made by the servants and workmen of the Corporation upon such terms as may be agreed upon between the Commissioner and the person requiring the water-supply, or subject to such charges as may be fixed by the Commissioner;

and, when they are to be so made, the Commissioner may require the cost thereof to be paid or deposited before the work is executed.

Power to Commissioner to inspect premises.

6. The Commissioner may inspect any premises supplied with water under Chapter XVIII in order to examine all pipes, taps, works and fittings connected with the supply of water, and to ascertain whether there is any waste or misuse of such water. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 261.]

Replacing or alteration of fittings for supplying water.

7. (*1*) If any pipes, taps, works or fittings connected with the supply of filtered or unfiltered water in any premises be found, on examination by the Commissioner, to be defective, he may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the premises— [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 262 and 263.]

(*a*) to replace such fittings, or

(*b*) to make such alterations therein as may be specified in the notice.

(Schedule XIII.—Rules as to Private Connections to Premises and Meters.—Rules 8-11.)

(2) If any notice issued under sub-rule (1) is not complied with within forty-eight hours, the Commissioner may forthwith carry out the work, and the cost thereof shall be payable by the person to whom the notice was issued.

Inspection of works, etc., by qualified officer before permitting connection with mains.

8. (1) Before a connection for the supply of water from the municipal mains to any premises is sanctioned by the Commissioner, he shall cause all the works, pipes, taps and fittings within such premises to be inspected by a duly qualified officer. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 264.]

(2) The cost of such inspection shall be payable in advance, at such rates as the Corporation may from time to time direct, by the person applying for the said connection.

(3) Until the Commissioner has certified that the said works, pipes, taps and fittings have been executed and put up in a satisfactory manner, no connection with the municipal mains shall be made.

Meters.

Testing of meter.

9. (1) If the owner or occupier of any premises to the service-pipe of which a meter is attached desires to have the meter tested, he may send a written application to the Commissioner, and such application shall be accompanied by a fee of five rupees. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 274.]

(2) Upon receipt of any such application and fee, the Commissioner shall forthwith cause such meter to be tested, at a time and place to be specified in a notice to be served upon such owner or occupier.

(3) If such meter is found, upon being so tested, to register more than four *per cent.* in excess of the correct quantity, the said fee shall be returned to the person who sent it.

Payment by occupier in case of incorrectness of meter.

10. If a meter which has been tested under rule 9 does not register more than four *per cent.* in excess of the correct quantity, the amount payable under section 256 shall be calculated according to the quantity indicated by the meter; but if the meter registers more than four *per cent.* in excess of the correct quantity, the quantity indicated shall, for the purpose of calculating the amount payable under section 256, be reduced by double the percentage of the excess registered:

Provided that—

(*a*) if such excess is more than ten *per cent.*, no charge shall be made under section 256; and

(*b*) no reduction shall be allowed, in calculating the charge for excess under section 256, on account of the incorrectness of the meter, except on the amount payable for the quarter in which the application referred to in rule 9, sub-rule (1), is received.

Replacing of meter.

11. When any meter attached to the service-pipe of any premises is out of order or under repair, the Commissioner shall forthwith replace it by another meter. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 275.]

(Schedule XIII.—Rules as to Private Connections to Premises and Meters.—Rules 12, 13.)

Prohibition of fraud in respect of meter

12. No person shall fraudulently— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 276 (*k*)]

(*a*) alter the index to any meter, or prevent any meter from duly registering the quantity of water supplied, or

(*b*) abstract or use water before it has been registered by a meter set up for the purpose of measuring the same.

Prohibition of injuring meter or fittings

13. No person shall wilfully or negligently injure or suffer to be injured any meter belonging to the Corporation, or any of the fittings of any such meter. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 277]

SCHEDULE XIV.

RULES AS TO DRAINS, PRIVIES AND URINALS.

[*See sections 285, 291, 292, 295, 296, 300, 302, 303, 304, 305, 382 (6) and (7) and 492.*]

Drains.

Plans of house-drains to be submitted to Commissioner.

1. (*1*) Every person who intends to construct a house-drain, or to make any substantial additions to, or alterations in, a house-drain, shall send to the Commissioner an application in such form (to be supplied free of charge) as may be prescribed by the Commissioner, and shall state therein the name and address of the licensed plumber who will execute the work.

(*2*) Such application shall be accompanied by a plan in triplicate, drawn to a scale of eight feet to the inch (or such smaller scale as the Commissioner may consider sufficient), and showing—

(*a*) the premises to be drained and the boundaries thereof,

(*b*) the position of the sewer into which the house-drain is to discharge,

(*c*) the position of the unfiltered water main (if any) from which the house-drain is to be flushed,

(*d*) the position of all existing filtered water pipes,

(*e*) the alignment, gradient and size of the proposed house-drain and its appurtenances,

(*f*) any existing drains and their appurtenances, and

(*g*) any other particulars which may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

Material and joints

2. Every underground house-drain constructed after the commencement of this Act shall consist of good sound pipes made of glazed stoneware or other suitable material, and shall have water-tight joints made of Portland cement or any other cement approved by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV r. 1.]

Size.

3. Every such house-drain shall be of adequate size, with an internal diameter of not less than— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 2.]

(*a*) six inches between the master-trap and the sewer, and

(*b*) four inches at all other places.

Angles

4. No such house-drain shall be so constructed as to form in any of such drains a right-angled junction, either vertical or horizontal, and every branch drain or tributary drain shall be joined to another drain obliquely, at an angle of not less than one hundred and thirty-five degrees, in the direction of the flow of such other drain. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 3.]

How to be laid

5. Every such house-drain shall be— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 4.]

(*a*) laid upon a bed of good concrete of such width as may be approved by the Commissioner, and not less than six inches thick,

(Schedule XIV.—Rules as to Drains, Privies and Urinals.—Rules 6-8.)

(*b*) covered for half its depth with concrete not less than four inches thick, and

(*c*) so constructed as to have a proper fall.

Prohibition of inlet within building.

6. Every such house-drain shall be so constructed as to prevent any inlet to the drain (other than such inlet as may be required from the apparatus of a connected-privy or urinal or a slop-sink constructed or adapted to be used for receiving sewage) being made within the premises. [*Cf.* Sch. XV, r. 6.]

Traps.

7. (*1*) In every such house-drain a suitable trap shall be provided. [*Cf.* Sch. XV, r.6.]

(*2*) Such trap shall be placed—

(*a*) within the premises, or,

(*b*) with the approval of the Commissioner and on payment of such fees as may be prescribed by the Corporation, in the footpath or (if there is no footpath) in the roadway adjacent to the premises, and

(*c*) at a point as distant as may be practicable from the premises and as near as may be practicable to the point at which the drain is connected with a municipal sewer.

(*3*) Every inlet to any such house-drain (other than an inlet provided in pursuance of rule 8 as an opening for the ventilation of the drain) shall be properly trapped.

Ventilation.

8. The ventilation of every such house-drain shall be provided for as follows:— [*Cf.* Sch. XV, r.7.]

(*1*) At least two untrapped openings shall be made as follows:—

(*a*) one opening shall be made at or near the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the opening, shall be as near as may be practicable to the trap prescribed by rule 7, sub-rule (*1*), shall be on that side of such trap which is nearer to the premises, and shall communicate with the drain by means of a suitable pipe, shaft or disconnecting chamber;

(*b*) the second opening shall be made by carrying up, from a point in the drain as far distant as may be practicable from the point at which the opening mentioned in sub-clause (*a*) is situated, a pipe or shaft fixed vertically to such height and in such manner as effectually to prevent any escape of foul air from such pipe or shaft into any premises in the vicinity thereof, and in no case to a less height than ten feet.

(*2*) In any case in which the Commissioner considers it impracticable to enforce the provisions of sub-clause (*a*) and sub-clause (*b*), the two openings prescribed by clause (*1*) shall be made as follows:—

(*i*) one opening shall be made by carrying up from a point as near as may be practicable to the trap prescribed by rule 7, sub-rule (*1*), a pipe or shaft fixed vertically to such height and in such manner as effectually to prevent any escape of foul air from

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such pipe or shaft into any premises in the vicinity thereof, and in no case to a less height than ten feet; and such opening shall be situated on that side of the said trap which is nearer to the premises :

(*ii*) the second opening shall be made at a point in the drain as far distant as may be practicable from the point at which the said pipe or shaft is carried up, shall be at or near the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the opening, and shall communicate with the drain by means of a suitable pipe or shaft.

(*3*) Every opening provided under this rule shall be furnished with a suitable grating or other suitable cover for the purpose of preventing any obstruction in, or injury to, any pipe or drain by the introduction of any substance through the opening.

(*4*) Such grating or cover shall be so constructed and fitted as to secure the free passage of air through it by means of a sufficient number of apertures, the aggregate extent of which shall be not less than the sectional area of the pipe or drain to which the grating or cover is fitted.

(*5*) Every pipe or shaft referred to in this rule shall be of a sectional area not less than that of the drain with which the pipe or shaft communicates, and not less than the sectional area of a pipe or shaft of the diameter of four inches.

(*6*) Except with the written permission of the Commissioner, no bend or angle shall be formed in any pipe or shaft referred to in this rule.

(*7*) Where the situation, height, sectional area and mode of construction of the soil-pipe of any connected-privy or connected-urinal, or the waste-pipe from any slop-sink situated within any premises, are such as are prescribed by this rule for a pipe or shaft for ventilating a drain, such soil-pipe shall, with the consent of the Commissioner, be deemed to provide the opening which, under this rule, is required to be provided by means of a pipe or shaft.

Soil-pipe of connected-privy or urinal.

9. The soil-pipe of every connected-privy or connected-urinal constructed after the commencement of this Act or provided for a new building shall— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 8]

(*a*) be at least four inches in diameter,

(*b*) be fixed outside the privy or urinal, or outside the building in which the privy or urinal is situated, and be continued upwards without any diminution of its diameter,

(*c*) be of such height and be so placed as to afford, by means of the open end of the pipe, a safe outlet for sewer air,

(*d*) whenever practicable, be so constructed as to avoid any bend or angle, and

(*e*) be so constructed as to have no trap between the pipe and the drains with which the privy or urinal communicates, and no trap (other than such trap as necessarily forms part of the apparatus of the privy or urinal) in any part of the pipe.

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Ventilation of soil-pipe of connected-privy or urinal detached from building.

10. Where any such connected-privy or connected-urinal has no internal communication with any building other than the privy or urinal, then,— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 9.]

(*a*) if the distance between the privy or urinal and the trap provided under rule 7, sub-rule (*1*), in the drain with which the privy or urinal communicates is not more than ten feet, no ventilation-pipe need be fixed in the soil-pipe ;

(*b*) if the said distance is more than ten feet but not more than thirty feet, a ventilation-pipe shall be fixed in the soil-pipe at a point as far distant as may be practicable from the trap provided under rule 7, sub-rule (*1*) ; and such pipe shall be placed vertically to such height and in such manner as effectually to prevent any escape of foul air from the pipe into any building in the vicinity thereof, and in no case to a less height than ten feet, and shall be of a sectional area not less than that of the drain with which it communicates, and not less than the sectional area of a pipe of the diameter of four inches ;

(*c*) if the said distance is more than thirty feet the soil-pipe shall be ventilated in the manner prescribed by rule 8.

Waste-pipes.

11. (*1*) The following pipes in any new building, namely :— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 10.]

(*a*) the waste-pipe from any bath-sink (not being a slop-sink constructed or adapted to be used for receiving sewage) or lavatory,

(*b*) the overflow-pipe from any cistern or from any safe under a bath or connected-privy or connected-urinal, and

(*c*) every other pipe for carrying off waste water,

shall be taken through an external wall of the building, shall be provided with a suitable trap, and shall be so constructed as to discharge into the open air over a channel leading to a trapped gully-grating at least eighteen inches distant from that end of the pipe from which the water issues.

(*2*) The waste-pipe in any such building from any slop-sink constructed or adapted to be used for receiving sewage shall be constructed so as to comply with such of the rules in this Schedule as relate to the soil-pipe of a connected-privy or connected-urinal.

Open house-drains.

12. (*1*) Every open house-drain constructed after the commencement of this Act, or provided for a new building, for the purpose of discharging surface or sullage water, shall be constructed of brick masonry or concrete covered with a plaster containing not less than twenty-five *per cent.* of Portland cement or any other cement approved by the Commissioner, or of natural or artificial stone, or of glazed half-round pipes. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XV, r. 11.]

(*2*) Every such open house-drain shall be connected with a municipal sewer through trapped inlets in the manner prescribed under this Act or under any rule or by-law made thereunder for other house-drains.

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Type-plans.

13. Type-plans for the construction of house-drains shall be prepared by the Commissioner and kept open to the inspection of any applicant at the Municipal Office at all reasonable times without charge. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. r. 12.] XV,

Maintenance of house-drains kept up for the benefit of certain premises only.

14. (*1*) Every house-drain which is situated in, alongside or under any street, and which has been or shall be constructed, whether at the charge of the Municipal Fund or not, for the sole use and benefit of, or which is continued for the sole use and benefit of, any premises adjoining or near to such street, [*Cf.* s. 305.] 1899,

shall be maintained and from time to time repaired, flushed, cleansed and emptied by the owner of such premises.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require such owner—

(*a*) to repair, flush, cleanse or empty such house-drain, or

(*b*) to take such other order with such house-drain as the Commissioner may deem necessary.

Maintenance of house-drains jointly used by two or more premises.

15. (*1*) Every house-drain, whether constructed at the charge of the Municipal Fund or not, which is jointly used for the drainage of two or more premises, shall be maintained and from time to time repaired, flushed, cleansed and emptied by the owners of such premises.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the said owners or any of them to carry out any work referred to in sub-rule (*1*), and the cost thereof, whether incurred by the said owners or by the Commissioner under section 513, sub-section (*2*), shall be paid by the said owners in such proportion as the Commissioner may think fit.

Power to Commissioner to supervise and require alteration of work of laying underground drain.

16. (*1*) When any underground drain, which is not a municipal drain, is being laid, the Commissioner may cause the work to be supervised and may from time to time, by written notice to the person carrying out the work, require the making of any reasonable alteration or addition therein or thereto, or the abandonment of any part thereof, if such alteration, addition or abandonment appears to him to be necessary for ensuring the complete and satisfactory execution of the work. [*Cf.* s. 322.] 1899,

(*2*) If any requisition under sub-rule (*1*) is not complied with, the Commissioner may stop the work and dismantle anything which has been done in contravention of such requisition, and the expenses of so doing shall be paid by the person to whom the requisition was addressed.

Restriction on construction of drain beneath building.

17. Except with the written permission of the Commissioner, and in conformity with such conditions as may be prescribed by the Corporation, either generally or specially, in this behalf, no drain, other than a municipal drain, shall be so constructed as to pass beneath any part of a building. [*Cf.* 308.] 1899,

Drains passing beneath a building.

18. The following provisions shall be observed when any drain is, with the permission of the [*Cf.* Sch. r. 18.] 1899, XV,

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Commissioner granted under rule 17, constructed so as to pass beneath a building, namely:—

(*1*) the drain-pipe shall be of iron or such other material as the Commissioner may approve;

(*2*) the drain shall be so laid as to leave, between the top of the drain at its highest point and the surface of the ground beneath the building, a distance of not less than the full diameter of the drain;

(*3*) the drain shall be laid in a direct line throughout the whole distance beneath the building;

(*4*) the drain shall be completely embedded in, and covered with, good and solid concrete at least six inches thick all round;

(*5*) adequate means for ventilating the drain shall be provided (where necessary) at each end of such portion thereof as lies beneath the building.

Privies and Urinals.

Plans of privies and urinals to be submitted to Commissioner.

19. (*1*) Every person who intends to construct any privy or urinal or to make any substantial additions to, or alterations in, any privy or urinal, shall send to the Commissioner an application in such form (to be supplied to the applicant free of charge) as may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

(*2*) Such application shall be accompanied by—

(*a*) a site-plan in triplicate drawn to a scale of not less than twenty feet to the inch and showing all surroundings to a distance of fifty feet from the privy or urinal, and,

(*b*) a detailed plan in triplicate of the privy or urinal with sections and cross-sections, drawn to a scale of four feet to the inch and showing—

(*i*) the means of ventilation,

(*ii*) (for connected-privies and connected-urinals only) the position and capacity of the reserve tank and flushing cistern,

(*iii*) (for connected-privies and connected-urinals only) the size and position of the anti-syphonage pipe, soil-pipe, ventilation-pipe, water-pipe, syphon-trap, and other appurtenances,

(*iv*) the ground-level and the floor-level,

(*v*) all pipes and other appurtenances in connection with the filtered water-supply, and

(*vi*) any other particulars which may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

Power to Commissioner to refuse to sanction service privy or service-urinal which will be a nuisance

20. The Commissioner may, for reasons to be recorded by him in writing and furnished to the applicant free of charge, refuse to grant permission to erect any service-privy or service-urinal which will, in his opinion, be a nuisance.

(Schedule XIV.—Rules as to Drains, Privies and Urinals.—Rules 21-24.)

Regulation of site of service-privies and service-urinals

21. (*1*) No service-privy or service-urinal exceeding eleven feet in height shall be placed in the space required by this Act to be left at the back of a building. [*Cf.* Beng. XVI, sec. 1.]

(*2*) No service-privy or service-urinal situated in, or adjacent to, a building shall be placed at a distance of less than six feet from—

(*i*) any public building, or

(*ii*) any building which is, or is likely to be, used as a dwelling-place, or a kitchen, or as a place in which any person is, or is intended to be, employed in any manufacture, trade or business.

(*3*) No service-privy or service-urinal shall be constructed in any premises occupied by a masonry building, or, without the special sanction of the Commissioner, in any other premises which are situated in a street which has been sewered and has an adequate unfiltered water-supply.

(*4*) Every service-privy and service-urinal shall be detached from the inhabited portion of any building.

Power to Commissioner to require substitution of connected-privies for service-privies and connected-urinals for service-urinals

22. (*1*) No service-privy or service-urinal shall be placed on any upper floor of a building : [*Cf.* Beng. XVI, Sch. r. 2.]

Provided that, if in any case the Commissioner considers it impracticable or inexpedient to provide a connected-privy or a connected-urinal, he may, by written notice, authorize the owner of the building to erect a service-privy or a service-urinal, as the case may be, and require him to pay such sum as may be specified in the notice for the purpose of meeting the expenditure likely to be incurred by the Corporation in removing sewage from the privy or urinal.

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any building to convert any service-privy into a connected-privy and any service-urinal into a connected-urinal.

Power to Commissioner to require owner to provide access to service-privy or service-urinal from street

23. (*1*) If there is no convenient access from a street to any service-privy or service-urinal, and if the Commissioner considers it inexpedient to require that the privy or urinal be converted into a connected-privy or connected-urinal, as the case may be, he may, if he thinks fit, by written notice, require the owner of the privy or urinal to form a passage giving access thereto from a street. [*Cf.* Beng. XVI, Sch. r. 3.]

(*2*) Every notice served under sub-rule (*1*) shall require that such passage be formed at ground-level, be not less than four feet wide, and be provided with a suitable door, and shall inform the said owner that the passage may, at his option, be either open to the sky or covered in.

Models and type-plans

24. Models and type-plans of privies and urinals approved by the Commissioner, with estimates of the cost of constructing privies and urinals in accordance therewith, shall be kept in the Municipal Office, and shall be open to inspection by any person at all reasonable times without charge ; but no person shall be bound to construct any privy or urinal in accordance with any such model or type-plan if such privy or urinal be constructed in accordance with the other rules contained in this Schedule. [*Cf.* Beng. XVI, Sch. r. 4.]

(Schedule XIV.—Rules as to Drains, Privies and Urinals.—Rules 25-29.)

Drains.

25. *(1)* A drain shall be provided for every service-privy and every service-urinal. [*Cf.* 1899, XVI, Sch. r. 5.]

(2) Such drain shall be constructed of some impervious material and shall connect the floor of the privy or urinal—

(a) with a drain communicating with a municipal sewer, or,

(b) if permitted by the Commissioner, with an impervious cesspool the contents of which can be removed to a municipal sewer either by hand or by flow after filtration.

Floor.

26. *(1)* The floor of every privy and every urinal shall,— [*Cf.* 1899, XVI, Sch. r. 6.]

(a) if the Commissioner in any case so directs, be made of one of the following materials, to be selected by the owner of the privy or urinal, that is to say, glazed tiles, artificial stone or cement, or

(b) if no such direction is given, be made of thoroughly well-burnt earthen tiles or bricks plastered (and not merely pointed) with cement, and

(c) be in every part at a height of not less than six inches above the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the privy or urinal.

(2) The floor of every service-privy and every service-urinal shall have a fall or inclination of at least half an inch to the foot towards the drain prescribed by rule 25.

(3) The floor of every connected-privy and connected-urinal in which the opening of the pan is placed on the level of the floor shall have a fall or inclination towards the pan of at least half an inch to the foot.

Walls and roof.

27. The walls and the roof (if any) of every privy and every urinal shall be made of such materials as may be approved by the Commissioner: [*Cf.* 1899 XVI Sch. r. 7.]

Provided that,—

(a) in the case of service-privies and service-urinals, the entire surface of the walls below the platform shall either be rendered in cement or be made as prescribed in clause *(a)* or clause *(b)* of rule 26;

(b) in the case of connected-privies and connected-urinals the walls shall, up to a height of at least twelve inches above the platform, be made as prescribed in clause *(a)* or clause *(b)* of rule 26.

Platform

28. The platform of every privy and every urinal shall either be plastered with cement or be made of some water-tight non-absorbent material. [*Cf.* 1899, XVI, Sch. r. 8.]

Ventilation of privies and urinals in, or adjacent to, buildings

29. Every privy and every urinal situated in, or adjacent to, a building shall have an opening, of not less than three square feet in area, in one of the walls of the privy or urinal, as near the top of the wall as may be practicable and communicating directly with the open air. [*Cf.* 1899, XVI, Sch. r. 9.]

(Schedule XIV.—Rules as to Drains, Privies and Urinals.—Rules 30-35.)

Service-privies and urinals to be provided with a movable receptacle for sewage.

30. (*1*) Every service-privy and service-urinal shall be provided with a movable receptacle for sewage. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 10.]

(*2*) The following provision shall have effect with regard to such privies, urinals and receptacles, namely :—

(*a*) the space beneath the platform of the privy or urinal shall be of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for sewage, of a capacity not exceeding two cubic feet, being placed and fitted beneath the platform in such manner and position as will effectually prevent the deposit, otherwise than in such receptacle, of any sewage falling or thrown through the aperture in the platform ;

(*b*) the privy or urinal shall be so constructed as to afford adequate access to the said space for the purposes of cleansing it and of placing therein, and removing therefrom, a proper receptacle for sewage ;

(*c*) the said receptacle shall be water-tight, and shall be made of metal, well-tarred earthenware or glazed stoneware, and shall be of such construction and shape as the Commissioner may consider suitable ;

(*d*) the door of the opening for the insertion and removal of the said receptacle shall be so made as completely to cover the said opening.

Connected-privies and urinals to be separated from kitchens, etc.

31. Every connected-privy and connected-urinal shall be sufficiently separated, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner, from all kitchens, habitable rooms and rooms in which any person is, or is intended to be, employed in any manufacture, trade or business. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 11.]

Flushing of connected privies and of urinals.

32. (*1*) Every connected-privy shall be provided with a suitable water-cistern, so arranged as— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 12.]

(*a*) to discharge direct into the pan of the privy not less than three gallons of water each time the cistern is used, and

(*b*) to prevent water being drawn from the cistern for any other purpose.

(*2*) All waste-pipes and overflow-pipes attached to such cisterns shall terminate in the open air and be cut off from all direct communication with any drain.

(*3*) Every urinal shall be provided with adequate flushing arrangements to the satisfaction of the Commissioner.

Pan for connected-privies and urinals.

33. Every connected-privy and connected-urinal shall be provided with a pan of such form and dimensions as may be approved by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 12A.]

Water-trap.

34. Every connected-privy and connected-urinal shall be provided with an air-tight water-trap immediately below the pan. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 13.]

Syphon-trap and anti-syphonage pipe.

35. (*1*) Every connected-privy and connected-urinal shall be provided with a syphon-trap which shall be proof against syphonage. [*Cf.* By-law 14 of Calcutta Municipal Drainage By-laws.]

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(2) Every such privy or urinal, which is more than one storey high, shall be provided with an anti-syphonage pipe having an internal diameter of not less than two inches, and such pipe shall be carried to a height of at least four feet above the roof of the privy or urinal or the roof of the building in which such privy or urinal is situated.

Prohibition of "containers" and "D traps"

36. No "container" or other similar fitting shall be placed under the pan of a connected-privy or connected-urinal; and no trap of the kind known as a "D trap" shall be used with any such privy or urinal. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 14]

Soil-pipe for connected-privies and connected-urinals

37. (1) Every connected-privy and connected-urinal shall be provided with a soil-pipe for carrying sewage to a municipal sewer. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 15]

(2) Such soil-pipe shall be provided with air-tight joints, and, if it be placed above ground, shall be made of metal approved by the Commissioner

(3) Such soil-pipe shall, in addition to the trap prescribed by rule 34, be provided with a trap placed at some point between the privy or urinal and the sewer referred to in sub-rule (1).

(4) Such soil-pipe shall be ventilated by direct communication with the open air in the manner prescribed by the rules contained in this Schedule: and, if the privy is situated in a building, the pipe shall be carried outside the building.

Enforcement of the foregoing rules in the case of future privies or urinals

38. If any new building which is a privy or urinal is so constructed as to contravene any of the provisions of this Schedule, the Commissioner may (whether or not the offender be prosecuted under this Act), by written notice, require— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVI, r. 16]

(a) the occupier of the building to which the privy or urinal belongs, or

(b) (if the privy or urinal does not belong to a building) the owner of the land on which the privy or urinal stands,

to make such alterations as may be specified in the notice with the object of bringing the privy or urinal into conformity with the said provisions.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee

39. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from— [*Cf.* s. 297] 1899.

(a) any notice issued or other action taken or proposed to be taken, as the case may be, by the Commissioner under rule 14, sub-rule (2), rule 15, sub-rule (2), rule 16, rule 22, or clause (a) of rule 26 or

(b) any refusal by the Commissioner to grant permission under rule 17 or rule 20.

SCHEDULE XV.

RULES AS TO THE REGULATION, MAINTENANCE, PROTECTION AND REPAIR OF STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES.

(See sections 318, 382 (8) and (9) and 492.)

Regulation, Maintenance and Protection of Streets and Public Places.

Cutting of hedges and trees and power to Commissioner to cause same to be cut.

1. (*1*) The Commissioner shall cause any hedges belonging to the Corporation which border on any street or square to be trimmed or pruned to a height not exceeding seven feet, and shall cause any trees belonging to the Corporation which overhang any public street so as to obstruct the same or cause damage thereto, to be cut and trimmed. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 338.]

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any land or building to trim or prune, to a height not exceeding seven feet, any hedges thereof bordering on any public street, or to cut and trim any tree appertaining to such land or building which overhangs any public street so as to obstruct the same or cause damage thereto.

(*3*) The Commissioner, if for the public safety it appears to him necessary so to do, may himself cause any hedge or tree referred to in sub-rules (*2*) to be trimmed, pruned or cut without previously giving notice to the owner or occupier of the land or building as required by that sub-rule, and the expenses thereof shall nevertheless be paid by the said owner or occupier.

Regulation of verandahs, etc., projecting over streets.

2. (*1*) No verandah supported by pillars resting on a street shall be erected, either as a new structure or otherwise,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 340.]

(*a*) in any street specified by the Corporation in that behalf,

(*b*) in any street the width of which is less than fifty feet, or

(*c*) over any footpath the width of which is less than six feet.

(*2*) No roof shall be placed on any verandah supported as aforesaid, and no roof exceeding three feet in width shall be placed on any verandah projecting over a street and not so supported.

(*3*) No person shall put up any verandah, balcony, sunshade, weather-frame or the like, to project over any street, without the written permission of the Commissioner.

(*4*) Subject to the provisions of sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rule (*2*) the Commissioner may, in his discretion, give written permission, on such conditions as he may think fit and on payment of such fees or rent as may be fixed from time to time by the Corporation, to owners or occupiers of buildings abutting on any street to put up verandahs, balconies, sunshades, weather-frames and the like, whether supported by pillars or not, to project from any building over such street.

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(5) On the breach of any such condition, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the said building to comply with such condition.

(6) At any time after permission has been given under sub-rule (4) to put up a verandah, balcony, sunshade, weather-frame or the like, to project from a building, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the building to remove such projection; and the owner or occupier shall be entitled to reasonable compensation out of the Municipal Fund on account of such removal.

Sky-signs

3. (1) No person shall erect or maintain a sky-sign without the written permission of the Commissioner, which shall not be granted unless the sign is so constructed and maintained as not to be dangerous to the public or likely to fall into any street or public place. [*Cf.* s. 311.] 1899,

(2) Every written permission granted under sub-rule (1) shall continue in force for not more than one year from the date on which it was granted, and may be revoked at any time by the Commissioner if, he considers that the sky-sign for which it was granted has become dangerous to the public or is likely to fall into a street or public place.

Execution of Works in Public Streets.

Guarding and lighting when public street opened or broken up and speedy completion of work.

4. (1) When any drain in, or the pavement or surface of, any public street is opened or broken up for the purpose of carrying on any work, or when any public street is under construction, the Commissioner shall cause the place to be fenced and guarded and to be sufficiently lighted during the night and shall take proper precautions for guarding against accident, by shoring up and protecting adjoining buildings; [*Cf.* s. 345.] 1899,

and shall, with all convenient speed, complete the said work, fill in the ground, and repair the said drain, pavement or surface, and carry away the rubbish occasioned thereby.

(2) No person shall, without lawful authority, remove any fence or shoring-timber, or remove or extinguish any light, set up under sub-rule (1).

Power to Commissioner to prevent or restrict traffic in street during progress of work

5. (1) When any work referred to in rule 4 is being executed in any public street, or when any other work which may lawfully be done is being executed in any street, the Commissioner may direct that such street shall, during the progress of such work, be either wholly or partially closed to traffic generally or to traffic of any specified description. [*Cf.* s. 346.] 1899,

(2) When any such direction has been given, the Commissioner shall set up in a conspicuous position in or near the street an order prohibiting traffic to the extent so directed, and shall fix such bars, chains or posts across or in the street as he may think proper for preventing or restricting traffic therein.

(3) No person shall, without lawful authority, infringe any such order or remove any such bar, chain or post.

Provision of facilities, and payment of compensation, when work executed by Commissioner in public street

6. (1) When any work is being executed by the Commissioner in any public street, he shall, so far as may reasonably be practicable, make adequate provision for— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 447.]

(*a*) the passage or diversion of traffic;

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(*b*) proper access to all premises approached from such street; and

(*c*) any drainage, water-supply, or means of lighting which are interrupted by reason of the execution of such work.

(*2*) The Commissioner shall pay compensation to any person who sustains special damage by reason of the execution of any such work.

Naming of Public Streets and Numbering of Premises.

Posting of street names

7. (*1*) The Commissioner shall from time to time cause to be put up or painted, in a durable manner, on a conspicuous part of some building, wall or place, at or near each end, corner or entrance of every public street, such name as the Corporation may from time to time determine under section 315, sub-section (*2*), as the name by which such street is to be known. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 348.]

(*2*) No person shall, without lawful authority, destroy, pull down, or deface any such name, or put up any name different from that put up by order of the Commissioner.

Numbering of premises

8. (*1*) The Commissioner shall from time to time cause all premises in or near each public street to be numbered separately, and shall cause their respective numbers to be affixed in conspicuous places outside such premises at or near the entrances thereto. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 349.]

(*2*) No person shall, without lawful authority, destroy, pull down or deface any such number.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

9. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from—

(*a*) any notice issued or other action taken or proposed to be taken by the Commissioner under rule 2, sub-rule (*5*), and

(*b*) any refusal by the Commissioner to grant a written permission under rule 3, sub-rule (*3*) or sub-rule (*4*).

SCHEDULE XVI.

RULES AS TO THE USE OF BUILDING-SITES AND THE EXECUTION OF BUILDING-WORK.

[*See sections 16(1), 339, 348, 381, 382 (10), 492, 497 and 498.*]

Part I.—Building-sites.

Conditions as to use of building-sites

1. No piece of land shall be used as a site for the erection of a building,— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 1.]

(*1*) if the building is to abut on a street, unless the site is of such a shape that the face of the building can be made parallel to the line of the street, or as nearly parallel to the said line as the Commissioner may consider practicable; and,

(*2*) if the site is within thirty feet of a tank, unless the owner takes, or satisfies the Commissioner that he will take, such order as will prevent any risk of the drainage of the building passing into the tank; and,

(*3*) if the site is a filled-up tank, or has been filled up with, or used for depositing, rubbish, offensive matter or sewage, unless the Commissioner has examined the site and granted a certificate to the effect that it is, from sanitary and engineering points of view, fit to be built upon; and,

(*4*) if the building to be erected is a public building, a dwelling-house or a hut intended for human habitation, unless the site is certified by the Commissioner to be dry and well-drained, or unless the Commissioner is satisfied that it is capable of being well-drained and that the owner will take the necessary steps to drain it.

Certificate as to correctness of plans of a previously existing building and fees therefor.

2. (*1*) Any person who intends to erect any building upon a site on which a building has been previously erected, whether before or after the commencement of this Act, may, before commencing to erect his intended building, cause to be prepared plans showing the extent of the previously existing building in its several parts (or, in the event of such building having been taken down before the commencement of this Act, or having been accidentally destroyed, the best plans available under all the circumstances of the case), and may cause such plans to be submitted to the Commissioner who shall (if reasonably satisfied with the evidence of their accuracy) certify the same under his hand; and such certificate shall be taken to be conclusive evidence of the correctness of the plans. [*Cf.* 1899 Sch. XVII, r. 1A.]

(*2*) The Commissioner, when granting a certificate under this rule, may charge such fees, not exceeding ten rupees for any one building, as he may think fit.

Part II.—Buildings generally.

Height.

3. (*1*) If a building is situated at the side of a street, no portion of the building, except open or balustraded parapets not more than four feet high, shall intersect any of a series of imaginary lines [*Cf.* 1899 Sch. XVII, r. 2.]

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drawn across the street at an angle of forty-five degrees with the horizontal, such lines being drawn from the side of the street which is the more remote from the building in question, from a height of two feet above the centre of the street:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) where the said street is joined at an angle by another street facing the building, the height of the building shall not exceed the height which would be permissible if the said street were not joined at an angle by another street facing the building;

(*ii*) where the street in which the building is situated terminates in front of the building, and the building faces down the street, the building shall be deemed to be situated at the side of the street;

(*iii*) nothing herein contained shall affect the erection of a building abutting upon, or situated at the side of, a street of not less than sixty feet in width, if such building does not exceed eighty feet in height; and

(*iv*) no building exceeding eighty feet in height shall be erected without the special permission of the Commissioner.

Explanation.—If a building be placed at the edge of the street, its height, measured from two feet above the centre of the street and excluding parapets as aforesaid, shall not exceed the average width of the street facing the site; but, if the building or one or more of its storeys be set back, the height of the building may be increased, subject to the condition that no portion of the building, after the height is increased, intersects any of the aforesaid lines.

(*2*) In the case of a new building erected on any portion of the site of the whole or part of a building in existence at the commencement of this Act, the angle at which the lines referred to in sub-rule (*1*) are to be drawn shall be fifty-six-and-a-half degrees instead of forty-five degrees:

Provided as follows:—

(*i*) the height allowed under this sub-rule shall in no case be more than thirty-six feet, and

(*ii*) nothing contained in this sub-rule shall authorize the erection of a new building so as to make it higher than any building which at the commencement of this Act was standing on the same portion of the site.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (*1*) or sub-rule (*2*), the Corporation may, by order published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, declare that, in any street or portion of a street, not less than sixteen feet in width, which is specified in the order, the erection of two-storeyed buildings not exceeding twenty-eight feet in height, excluding two feet for the plinth and excluding open or balustraded parapets not more than four feet high, will be permitted without complying with the requirements of those sub-rules.

(*4*) If a building is situated on a corner plot so as to abut upon more than one street, the narrower of

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such streets shall, for the purpose of regulating the height of the building, be deemed to be of the same width as the wider street to a distance of forty feet from such wider street.

(*5*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (*1*), sub-rule (*3*) or sub-rule (*4*),—

(*a*) a building of not more than one storey and not exceeding twelve feet in height (excluding two feet for the plinth) above the centre of the street, and

(*b*) if, in any street which is less than sixteen feet in width, the owner of any building-site abutting on the street makes a free gift to the Corporation of all land, comprised within such site, which falls within eight feet of the centre line of such street, then a two-storeyed building not more than twenty-eight feet high,

may be erected without complying with the requirements of the said sub-rules.

(*6*) For the purposes of clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*5*) of this rule and of clause (*b*) of sub-rule (*4*) of rule 30—

(*a*) the Commissioner may prescribe a centre line for any street which is less than sixteen feet in width, and

(*b*) when such centre line has been prescribed, the side of the street shall, for the purposes of sub-rule (*1*), be deemed to be an imaginary line drawn eight feet from such centre line.

Level of floor.

4. The floor or lowest floor of every new building erected from the ground-level shall be constructed at such level as will admit of— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 3.]

(*a*) the construction of a drain sufficient for the effectual drainage of the building and placed at such level as will admit of the drainage being led into some municipal sewer at the time existing or projected, and

(*b*) the provision of the requisite communication with some sewer into which the drainage may lawfully be discharged at a point in the upper half of such sewer, or with some other means of drainage into which the drainage may lawfully be discharged.

Provision of fire escapes in certain buildings

5. All buildings of three or more storeys, all public buildings and all buildings of the warehouse class shall be provided with adequate means of escape in case of fire, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner.

Certain buildings not to be erected within six feet of a service-privy.

6. No new public building or new building which is, or is likely to be used as a dwelling-place or a kitchen or as a place in which any person is, or is intended to be, employed in any manufacture, trade or business shall be erected within six feet of any service-privy or service-urinal. [*Cf.* Sch. XVI, rule 1 (*2*).]

Prohibition of use of inflammable materials for roofs or external walls

7. (*1*) External roofs or walls of buildings shall not, after the commencement of this Act, be made of grass, leaves, mats, canvas or other inflammable materials. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 868.]

(*2*) The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any building situated within

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a distance of thirty feet from any other building, and having at the commencement of this Act an external roof or wall made of any such inflammable material, to remove or alter such roof or wall.

(*3*) Sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rule (*2*) shall not apply to bamboo shingle or wood or to any garden hut, orchid house, fernery or other similar structure within a compound, unless in any particular case the Commissioner considers any such structure to be dangerous.

(*4*) Sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rule (*2*) shall likewise not apply to any area hereafter included in Calcutta under section 546, or to any portion of such areas, until they have been specially extended thereto by a resolution passed by the Corporation.

Part III.—Masonry buildings generally.

Foundation.

8. (*1*) Except with the sanction of the Commissioner, the foundation of a masonry building shall rest on solid ground. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 7.]

(*2*) Except with the sanction of the Commissioner, the spread of the foundation shall be such that the pressure on the soil, taking into account the load on the floors and terrace-roof (if any) referred to in rules 15 and 17, shall not be greater than one ton on the square foot.

(*3*) The levels of the foundation shall be such as the Commissioner may consider satisfactory.

Plinth.

9. The plinth of a masonry building shall be at least two feet above the level of the centre of the nearest street: [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 8.]

Provided that the plinth of stables, cow-sheds, motor garages and coach houses may be one foot above such level.

Footings for walls.

10. Every wall of a masonry building shall be constructed so as to rest upon proper footings having regular offsets and a horizontal spread on each side of the wall of not less than one-half the height of the footings, unless an adjoining wall interferes, in which case the footings may, subject to the provisions of rule 8, sub-rule (*2*), be omitted, where that wall adjoins. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 9.]

Outer walls.

11. The outer walls of a masonry building shall be constructed of brick or some similar hard and incombustible substance. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 10.]

Bonding of walls.

12. All walls of a masonry building shall be properly bonded. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 11.]

Damp-proof course

13. (*1*) Every wall of a masonry building shall have a damp-proof course at the level of the ground floor. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 12.]

(*2*) Such damp-proof course may consist of sheet-lead, asphalt, slates laid in cement, vitrified bricks or any other durable material impervious to moisture.

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Walls in building of more than one storey.

14. If a masonry building exceeds one storey in height,— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 13.]

(*a*) every wall shall be solidly put together with—

(*i*) good cement, or

(*ii*) good lime, or

(*iii*) mortar compounded with good cement and sand or other suitable material, or

(*iv*) mortar compounded with good lime and sand or other suitable material;

(*b*) the proportions of the materials forming such mortar shall be such as are approved by the Commissioner;

(*c*) no part of any wall, other than a cornice or moulding, shall overhang any part of a wall underneath it; and

(*d*) every wall shall be of such thickness as the Commissioner may consider necessary to ensure safety, regard being had to the height of the building, the materials of which it is constructed, and the purpose for which it is intended to use it.

Floors.

15. The floors of every masonry building shall be constructed to bear safely the maximum load to be carried, the allowance for live load not being less than fifty-six pounds on the square foot. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 14.]

Beams and girders.

16. (*1*) All beams and girders in a masonry building shall be supported by a breadth of brick-work, stone or other solid substance sufficient to secure their stability. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 15.]

(*2*) The bearing of a beam or girder on a wall shall not, without the sanction of the Commissioner, be less than three-fourths of the thickness of the wall.

Terrace-roofs.

17. Terrace-roofs shall be constructed to withstand such load, not less than forty pounds on the square foot, in addition to their own weight, as may be specified by an order of the Corporation. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 16.]

Power to Commissioner to regulate height of boundary wall.

18. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Schedule, a boundary wall may be erected on the boundary of a site to any height which the Commissioner may think fit and proper in the special circumstances of the case.

Notice to be sent to Commissioner before commencing work.

19. Not less than three days before any person commences to erect a new building (other than a hut) the owner of the building shall send to the Commissioner a written notice specifying the date on which it is proposed to commence the work. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 380.]

Notice after completion of work.

20. Within one month after the completion of the erection of a new building (other than a hut)— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 381.]

(*a*) the owner of the building shall send to the Commissioner a written notice of the fact of such completion; and

(*b*) the licensed building surveyor or other person (if any), employed under rule 57 to supervise the erection of the said building, shall [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 358A.]

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sign and send to the Commissioner a true certificate in the following form :—

"BUILDING COMPLETION CERTIFICATE.

(See Schedule XVI, r. 20.)

I do hereby certify that the following building work *(here insert full particulars of the work)* has been supervised by me and has been completed to my satisfaction; that the workmanship and the whole of the materials used are good; and that no provision of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1917, or the rules and by-laws made thereunder, and no requisition made, condition prescribed or order issued under the said Act, rules or by-laws has been transgressed in the course of the work." [*Cf.* Bom Act III of 1888, Schedule T.]

Inspection of masonry buildings by Commissioner.

21. The Commissioner may,—

(*a*) at any time during the erection of any new building (other than a hut), or [*Cf.* 1899, s. 382.]

(*b*) within one month after the receipt of the notice or the certificate sent under rule 20 with respect to any such building, or

(*c*) if no such notice or certificate has been received, at any time after the building has been erected,

inspect such building, without giving previous notice of his intention so to do.

Power to Commissioner to take action after making inspection

22. (*1*) If, on making any inspection under rule 21, the Commissioner finds that the building inspected is being or has been erected— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 383.]

(*a*) otherwise than in accordance with the plans thereof which he has approved, or

(*b*) in such a way as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or by-laws made thereunder,

he may, by written notice, require the owner of the building either—

(*i*) to make such alterations as may be specified in the notice with the object of bringing the work into conformity with the said plans or provisions, or

(*ii*) to appear before him and show cause why such alterations should not be made.

(*2*) If such owner does not appear and show cause under clause (*ii*), he shall be bound to make the alterations specified in such notice.

(*3*) If such owner appears and shows cause under clause (*ii*), the Commissioner shall, after hearing him, either—

(*a*) cancel the notice issued under sub-rule (*1*) or

(*b*) confirm the same, subject to such modifications (if any) as he may think fit.

Part IV.—Dwelling-houses and other domestic buildings.

Proportion of site for dwelling-house which may be built upon.

23. The total area covered by all the buildings on any site used for a dwelling-house shall not exceed two-thirds, or, in localities where the erection of only [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 17.]

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detached buildings is allowed, one-third, of the total area of the site, and the area not so covered shall form part of the site.

Dwelling-houses and out-offices, where two-thirds of site are left vacant.

24. If two-thirds of any building-site are left vacant— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 18.]

(*a*) the dwelling-house may be placed in any part of the site, but not (subject to the provisions of section 322 or section 328, as the case may be) so as to extend beyond any building-line prescribed under section 321 or section 327; and

(*b*) servants' houses, stables and other out-offices within the area of the site shall not exceed fifteen feet in height or twenty feet in depth and shall not be placed on more than two sides of the dwelling-house or within twenty-four feet of the dwelling-house.

Size and ventilation of inhabited rooms.

25. (*1*) Every room in a domestic building which is intended to be used as an inhabited room— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch XVII, r. 20.]

(*a*) shall be in every part not less than ten feet in height, measured from the floor to the under-side of the beam on which the roof or ceiling rests;

(*b*) shall have a clear superficial area of not less than one hundred square feet;

(*c*) shall have, for purposes of ventilation,

(*i*) windows opening directly into the external air, or into an open verandah, and having an opening of not less than one-fifteenth of the floor area of the room, and

(*ii*) an aggregate opening of not less than one-seventh of the floor-area of the room, to be provided by windows, or windows and doors, opening directly into the external air or into an open verandah, and

(*d*) shall, if such room has a cubical area of three thousand cubic feet or less, be provided, for every six hundred cubic feet capacity or fraction thereof, with one ventilating-opening, not less than one square foot in area, near the ceiling and opening directly into the external air or into an open verandah:

Provided that the Commissioner may, in his discretion, relax the provisions of clause (*a*) and clause (*b*) for reasons to be recorded by him in writing.

Floor of inhabited room over stable, cattle-shed or cow-house.

26. Every room in a domestic building which is intended to be used as an inhabited room, and which is constructed over a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, shall be separated from the stable, cattle-shed or cow-house by a floor of concrete or other impermeable material. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r 20A.]

Ventilation of staircases

27. In every domestic building constructed or adapted to be occupied in flats, the principal common staircase shall be adequately ventilated upon every storey. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r 20B.]

Ground floor.

28. The ground floor of every domestic building shall be covered throughout, at the height of the [*Cf.* 1899, Sch XVII, r. 20C.]

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plinth, with some impermeable material approved by the Commissioner, unless such floor be supported on beams and has a free air-space beneath it.

Court-yard of dwelling-house

29. (*1*) The minimum superficial area of every court-yard of a dwelling-house shall be one-fourth of the aggregate floor-area of the rooms and verandahs on the ground floor abutting on the court-yard : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch XVII, r 21.]

Provided that, in determining the said aggregate floor-area,—

(*i*) only one-half of the floor-area of such rooms and verandahs as abut on the open space prescribed under rule 30, and

(*ii*) no portion of the floor-area of such rooms and verandahs as abut on a street not less than twelve feet in width,

shall be taken into account.

(*2*) Any room which is separated only by an open verandah from the court-yard shall, for the purpose of this rule, be deemed to abut on such court-yard.

(*3*) The minimum width of every such court-yard shall be eight feet.

(*4*) No portion of any face of a dwelling-house abutting on such court-yard shall intersect any of a series of imaginary lines drawn across the court-yard from the opposite face of the house, at the level of the plinth, at an angle of sixty-three-and-a-half degrees with the horizontal :

Provided that the Commissioner may, in his discretion, relax the provisions of this sub-rule in the case of a dwelling-house to which rule 24 is applicable.

(*5*) For the purposes of sub-rule (*4*), "the opposite face of the house" shall be deemed to be a vertical plane drawn through the most projecting portion of such face.

(*6*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (*4*), a dwelling-house abutting on a court-yard of which the greater dimension does not exceed twice the less dimension, shall be held to comply with this rule if, by reason of its abutting on a court-yard of the same area but square in shape, the building would comply with this rule. [*Cf.* 57 & 58 Vict., c. 213, s. 45.]

Open space in rear of building, regulating the rear height.

30. (*1*) There shall be, at the back of every domestic building, an open space extending along the entire width of the building and forming part of the site thereof. [*Cf* 1899, Sch XVII, r. 22.]

(*2*) The said space shall be of such width that any of a series of imaginary lines drawn across such space at an angle of sixty-three-and-a-half degrees with the horizontal, from points on a level with the plinth of the building and situated on that side of the said space which is furthest from the building, shall not intersect any portion (other than open or balustraded parapets not more than four feet in height) of the building :

Provided as follows :—

(*i*) the minimum width of such space shall be ten feet ; and,

(*ii*) in the case of two-storeyed buildings, the angle referred to in this rule shall be increased from sixty-three-and-a-half degrees to sixty-eight degrees ;

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(*3*) If it is proposed to erect one or more buildings on the site of an existing building or if two or more buildings are proposed to be erected on any one site (whether or not such buildings are connected by means of verandahs or gangways or in any similar manner), the open space referred to in sub-rule (*1*) shall be provided at the back of each such building.

(*4*) This rule shall not apply in the case of—

(*a*) a building the back of which abuts on a public square or street not less than sixteen feet in width;

(*b*) a building the back of which abuts on a public street less than sixteen feet in width, if the owner makes a free gift to the Corporation of all land, comprised within the site of the building, which falls within eight feet of the centre line of such street as prescribed by the Commissioner under rule 3, sub-rule (*6*); and

(*c*) a building to which rule 24 applies;

Provided that, in cases (*a*) and (*b*), the height of the building shall, in accordance with the provisions of rule 3, be regulated by the width of the public square or street on which it abuts.

(*5*) For the purposes of this rule, the back of a building shall be deemed to be that face of the building which is furthest from any street at the side of which the building is situated:

Provided that, where a building is situated at the side of more than one street, the back of the building shall, unless the Commissioner otherwise directs, be deemed to be that face of the building which is furthest from the widest of such streets.

Relaxation of rule 30 in certain cases

31. If any person desires to erect a domestic building upon a site which is of such a nature that it is impracticable to provide an open space in the rear of the building of the dimensions prescribed by rule 30, the Commissioner may relax the provisions of that rule:— [*cf.* 1899, XVII, Sch. r. 23.]

Provided that—

(*a*) such open space shall be left as the Commissioner may consider practicable, having regard to all the circumstances of the case; and

(*b*) not more than two-thirds of the total area of the site shall be occupied by buildings.

Open space at sides of building

32. .(*1*) Except in the case of buildings to which rule 24 applies, if either side of a domestic building is not attached to the adjacent building, and if such side does not abut on a public square or street which is not less than six feet in width, [*cf.* 1899, XVII, Sch. r. 24.]

there shall be between the buildings an open space extending along the entire length of such side and forming part of the site of the said domestic building:

Provided that attachment of any building to the adjacent building shall not be allowed (except with the permission of the Commissioner) if either of the buildings is a dwelling-house.

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(*2*) The minimum distance across such space from every part of the said domestic building to the boundary line of the land or building immediately opposite such part shall be—

(*a*) six feet, if there is a building next to such boundary line or within two feet of it, or

(*b*) four feet, if there is an open space of two feet or more on the other side of such boundary line:

Provided that,—

(*a*) if the said domestic building has more than two storeys, such minimum distance shall be increased by two feet for every storey after the second; and

(*b*) for the purposes of this rule a staircase room shall not be deemed to be a storey.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in this rule, where a site adjacent to the site of a proposed building is not occupied by a masonry building situated within ten feet of the boundary line between the two sites and within twenty-four feet from the frontage of the street on which the two sites abut, the proposed building may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, be erected along the said boundary line up to a depth of twenty-four feet from such street frontage, unless, in the opinion of the Commissioner, there is any objection to any building which may be subsequently erected on the adjacent site being attached to the building so erected.

Court-yards and outward open spaces to be raised and kept open.

33. (*1*) Every court-yard of a building, and every open space prescribed by rule 30 or rule 32, shall be raised at least one foot above the level of the centre of the nearest street, so as to admit of easy drainage into the street. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII. r. 25.]

(*2*) Every such court-yard and open space shall form part of the site of the building, shall be open to the sky throughout its entire area, and shall be kept accessible for the purpose of cleansing; and no structure shall be erected within or above, or so as to project over, the same:

Provided that—

(*a*) a one-seated or two-seated connected-privy not exceeding forty square feet in floor-area, exclusive of walls, may be erected in the open space left under rule 30, sub-rule (*2*); and

(*b*) such privy may have as many storeys over it as there are storeys in the house to which it belongs, each of such storeys being connected with the main building by a gangway or bridge of not more than five feet outside width.

(*3*) The provisions of sub-rule (*2*) shall apply only to the minimum area prescribed under this Schedule for any court-yard or open space referred to in the said sub-rule.

Paving and draining of court-yards and open spaces.

34. All court-yards in a domestic building, and all other open spaces therein not exceeding six feet in width, shall be paved with some impermeable substance and drained to the satisfaction of the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 25A.]

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Space to be added to street not to be taken into account under rules 23, 24, 30 and 32

35. For the purpose of calculating the open space required to be left under rule 23, rule 24, rule 30 or rule 32, no space which is to be made over to, or acquired by, the Corporation for widening any public street or for inclusion in any projected public street shall be taken into account.

Open space prescribed for one site not to be taken for another site.

36. No building shall at any time be erected on any open space prescribed under this Schedule for a domestic building and forming part of the site thereof, nor shall such open space be taken into account in determining the area of any open space required, under this Schedule, for any other building.

Position of privies in a domestic building.

37. No room other than a bath-room or privy shall be placed over a privy in a domestic building, and no privy shall be placed in a domestic building under any room other than a bath-room or privy. [1899, Sch. XVII, r 26.]

New building not to be used as dwelling-house without certificate from Commissioner

38. (*1*) Before any new building (other than a hut) is used as a dwelling-house, the owner shall apply to the Commissioner for a certificate that the building is fit for human habitation.

(*2*) The Commissioner shall thereupon inspect the building and grant the said certificate or not, as he may think fit.

(*3*) No such building shall be used as a dwelling-house until the Commissioner has certified that it is fit for human habitation.

Part V.—Buildings of the warehouse class.

Height of buildings of the warehouse class.

39. (*1*) In applying rule 3, sub-rule (*1*), to any building of the warehouse class situated in a locality in which the erection of buildings of the warehouse class is allowed by declaration under clause (*d*) of section 344, the said sub-rule shall be read as if fifty-six-and-a-half degrees were substituted for forty-five degrees. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 28.]

(*2*) Rule 3, sub-rule (*2*), shall not apply to any such buildings.

Open spaces for buildings of the warehouse class.

40. The provisions of rules 29 to 36 as to domestic buildings shall have effect in the case of buildings of the warehouse class which are not situated in a locality in which the erection of buildings of the warehouse class is allowed by declaration under clause (*d*) of section 344. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29.]

Floors of certain buildings of the warehouse class.

41. The floor of every building of the warehouse class intended to be used for the manufacture or storage of articles for human consumption shall be constructed of some impermeable material approved by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29A.]

Additional open space for buildings of the warehouse class for loading or unloading carts.

42. (*1*) Every building of the warehouse class shall, in addition to any open space prescribed under rule 40, have attached thereto, for the accommodation and passage of carts used for the loading and unloading of goods, an open space, forming part of the site of the building, of such size as the Commissioner may consider sufficient, regard being had to the dimensions of the building and the nature and extent of the business to be carried on therein : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29B.]

Provided that, if the Commissioner considers that any court-yard, or any open space provided in pursuance of rule 40, is sufficient for the accommodation

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and passage of such carts, no separate space need be provided under this rule.

(2) No structure which would impede the passage of carts shall be erected within or above, or so as to project over, any open space provided under this rule.

Part VI.—Public buildings.

Application of certain provisions of Part IV to public buildings.

43. (1) The provisions of rules 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36 and 37, as to domestic buildings, shall have effect in the case of public buildings. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29C.]

(2) The provisions of rules 23, 24 and 29, as to dwelling-houses, shall have effect in the case of any public building which is constructed, used or adopted to be used wholly or principally for human habitation, or as a school, college or other place of instruction.

Use of incombustible or fire-resisting materials.

44. The floors of the lobbies, corridors, passages and landings of a public building shall be constructed of incombustible materials, the doors shall be constructed of fire-resisting materials, and the flights of stairs shall be constructed either of incombustible materials or of fire-resisting materials. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29D.]

Materials to be deemed incombustible.

45. The following materials shall, for the purposes of rule 44, be deemed to be incombustible, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29E.]

(*a*) brick-work constructed of good bricks, well-burnt, hard and sound, properly bonded and solidly put together with—

(*i*) good mortar compounded of good lime and sharp clean sand, hard clean broken brick, broken flint, grit or slag well pulverized, or

(*ii*) good cement mixed with any of the materials mentioned in sub-clause (*i*),

(*b*) granite and other stone which is suitable for building purposes by reason of its solidity and durability,

(*c*) iron, steel and copper,

(*d*) slate, tiles, bricks and terra-cotta, when used for coverings or corbels,

(*e*) flag-stones when used for floors over arches, if not exposed on the underside and if not supported at the ends only,

(*f*) concrete, composed of—

(*i*) broken brick, stone chippings or ballast and lime concrete or calcined gypsum—when the concrete is used for filling-in between joists of floors to a depth of less than five inches, or

(*ii*) properly burned coke breeze, free from dust and organic impurities, and good cement, in the following proportions, namely, five parts of coke breeze to one part of good cement mixed together with clean water—when the concrete is used for filling-in between the joists of floors to a depth of five inches or more, and

(*g*) any material, approved in that behalf from time to time by the Commissioner.

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Materials to be deemed to be fire-resisting but not incombustible.

46. The following materials shall, for the purposes of rule 44, be deemed to be fire-resisting, but not incombustible, namely :— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29A.]

(*a*) *sal*, teak and other hard timber, when used for beams or posts or in combination with iron, the timber and the iron (if any) being protected by plastering in cement or other incombustible or non-conducting external coating,

(*b*) in the case of doors, *sal*, teak or other hard timber not less than one and three-quarters of an inch thick, and

(*c*) in the case of staircases *sal*, teak or other hard timber, the treads and risers being not less than one inch and a half thick.

Walls for staircases.

47. The walls supporting or enclosing any staircase in a public building shall be of masonry and not less than ten inches thick. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29G.]

Uniformity in treads and risers in staircases.

48. The treads and risers of each flight of stairs in a public building shall be of uniform width. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29H.]

Width of staircases, internal corridors and passage-ways.

49. (*1*) No staircase, internal corridor or passage-way in a public building shall be less than six feet wide : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29J.]

Provided that, where not more than two hundred persons are to be accommodated in any public building, any staircase, internal corridor or passage-way may be of any width not less than five feet.

(*2*) Every staircase, internal corridor or passage-way in a public building, which communicates with any portion of the building intended for the accommodation of more than four hundred persons, shall be wider than six feet by six inches for every hundred persons over four hundred, subject to a maximum width of nine feet.

(*3*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-rule (*1*) and sub-rule (*2*), instead of a single staircase, corridor or passage-way of the width prescribed by sub-rule (*2*), there may be two staircases, corridors or passage-ways, each being of a width equal to at least two-thirds of the width so prescribed.

Division of wide staircase by hand-rail

50. If the width of any staircase in a public building is eight feet or more, the staircase shall be divided by a hand-rail. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29K.]

Separate means of exit from floors on different levels.

51. If some of the persons accommodated in a public building are placed on a higher floor than others, separate means of exit, of the width prescribed by rule 49, sub-rule (*1*), sub-rule (*2*) or sub-rule (*3*), as the case may be, and communicating directly with a public street or an open space, shall be provided for each floor : [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29L.]

Provided that this rule shall not apply to an hotel, or lodging-house, or to any public building which is used as a Home, Refuge or Shelter.

Doors and barriers to open outwards.

52. All doors and barriers in a public building shall be made to open outwards, and no locks or bolts for closing the same from outside shall be affixed thereto. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 29M.]

External doors of public buildings.

53. The Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner of any public building to provide the building with external doors or doorways of such [*Cf.* 1899, s. 869.]

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number, height and width as the Commissioner may consider necessary, or to cause the external doors thereof to be so constructed or altered as to open outwards.

Part VII.—Applications for permission to erect masonry new buildings.

Application to Commissioner for permission to erect a masonry new building.

54. (*1*) Every person who intends to erect a new building (other than a hut) shall send to the Commissioner an application for permission to execute the work, together with a site-plan of the land, a plan of the whole building, separate plans of each floor of the building, complete elevations and sections of the work and a specification of the work. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 370.]

(*2*) Every document referred to in sub-rule (*1*) shall contain the particulars and be prepared in the manner hereinafter in this Part prescribed in this behalf.

Particulars to be furnished in, and with, such application.

55. (*1*) Every application made under rule 54 shall be written on a printed form (to be supplied by the Commissioner free of charge), and shall state the position of the site, the number assigned to it in the assessment-book and its dimensions, the description of the building and its dimensions, and such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Commissioner. [*Cf.* 1899, s. Sch. XVII, r. 30.]

(*2*) The site-plan sent with such an application shall be drawn to a scale of not less than one-fiftieth of an inch to the foot, shall be sent in triplicate, and shall show—

(*a*) the boundaries of the site and of any contiguous land belonging to the owner thereof;

(*b*) the position of the site in relation to neighbouring streets;

(*c*) the name of the street in which the building is proposed to be situated;

(*d*) all existing buildings standing on the site;

(*e*) the position of the building, and of all other buildings (if any) which the applicant intends to erect upon his contiguous land referred to in clause (*a*), in relation to—

(*i*) the boundaries of the site,

(*ii*) all adjacent streets, buildings and premises within a distance of forty feet of the site and of the contiguous land (if any) referred to in clause (*a*), and

(*iii*) (if there is no street within a distance of forty feet of the site) some existing street or some street projected under section 327 or sanctioned under section 333;

(*f*) the means of access from the street to the building, and to all other buildings (if any) which the applicant intends to erect upon his contiguous land referred to in clause (*a*);

(*g*) the position and approximate height of all other buildings within forty feet of the site;

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(*h*) the position, form and dimensions of privies, urinals, drains, cesspools, stables, cattle-sheds, cow-houses, wells and other appurtenances of the building;

(*j*) free passage or way in front of the building;

(*k*) space to be left about the building to secure a free circulation of air, admission of light and access for scavenging purposes;

(*l*) the width of the street (if any) in front, and of the street (if any) at the side or rear, of the building; and

(*m*) such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

Explanation to clause (d).—If it is intended to demolish or alter any existing building on the site, such building shall be particularly specified, and it shall be expressly stated in the aforesaid application that the applicant undertakes to demolish or alter the same, as the case may be.

(*3*) The plans of the building and the elevations and sections accompanying such an application shall be neatly and accurately drawn to a scale of not less than one-eighth of an inch to the foot and shall be sent in triplicate; and the said plans shall show— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 31.]

(*a*) the levels and width of the foundation of the building;

(*b*) the level of the lowest floor of the building; and

(*c*) the level of all court-yards and open spaces, and the plinth-level of the building, with reference to the level at the centre of the nearest street.

(*4*) The specification accompanying such an application shall comprise full information as to the following particulars, namely :—

(*i*) the materials and method of construction to be used for external walls, party walls, foundations, roofs, floors, fire-places and chimneys;

(*ii*) the manner in which roof and house drainage and the surface drainage of land will be disposed of;

(*iii*) the manner (if any) in which it is proposed to pave the court-yards and open spaces, and the slope to which the surface is to be made in each case;

(*iv*) the means of access that will be available to scavengers to get to service-privies;

(*v*) the purpose for which it is intended to use the building;

(*vi*) if the building is intended to be used as a dwelling-house for two or more families, or as a place for carrying on any trade or business in which more than twenty people may be employed, or as a place of public resort,—the means of ingress and egress to and from such building;

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(*vii*) any previous permission to erect a building on the same holding or site, or part thereof, which is still in force; and

(*viii*) such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

Explanation to clause (*v*).—If it is intended to use the building or any part thereof for any of the purposes specified in Schedule XVIII, or as a stable, cattle-shed or cow-house, the fact shall be expressly stated.

Signature of plans, elevations and sections.

56. The plans, elevations and sections referred to in rule 54 shall be signed clearly and in a prominent place by the owner of the building and by the licensed building surveyor who has prepared the same as required by section 343. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 33.]

Necessary employment of licensed building surveyor or other competent person to supervise building.

57. (*1*) Every person who intends to erect a new building (other than a hut) which is likely, in the opinion of the Commissioner, to cost five thousand rupees or more shall employ a licensed building surveyor, or any other competent person who is approved by the Commissioner, to supervise the erection of such building. [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 344A.]

(*2*) The name of the person to be so employed shall be stated in the application made, under rule 54, in respect of such building.

(*3*) If the person to be so employed is not a licensed building surveyor, the Commissioner may, within seven days of the receipt of the said application, refuse to approve his employment, and may return the application for amendment;

and such application shall thereupon be deemed not to have been made until it has been re-submitted duly amended.

(*4*) If the person so employed dies or ceases to be so employed before the completion of the said building, the further erection of the same shall forthwith be suspended until—

(*a*) a licensed building surveyor whose name shall forthwith be reported to the Commissioner, or

(*b*) any other competent person approved by the Commissioner,

has been employed to supervise such erection.

Formulation of requirements and objections.

58. (*1*) All information and documents which it may be found necessary to require, and all objections which it may be found necessary to make before deciding whether permission to erect a new building (other than a hut) should be given, shall be respectively required and made in one requisition, and the applicant shall be apprised thereof at the earliest possible date. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 34.]

(*2*) Within thirty days after the receipt of any application under rule 54 for permission to execute any work, the Commissioner may require the applicant—

(*i*) to furnish him with any information on matters referred to in that rule which has not already been given in the documents received thereunder, or with any document prescribed by that rule which has not been sent in; or

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(*ii*) to satisfy him that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds mentioned in rule 61, to the grant of permission to execute the work.

(*3*) If any information or documents furnished under sub-rule (*2*) is or are, in the opinion of the Commissioner, incomplete or defective, he may, within thirty days after the receipt of the same, require further information or documents to be furnished.

(*4*) If any requisition made under sub-rule (*2*) or sub-rule (*3*) is not complied with within three months, the application received under rule 54 shall be deemed not to have been made.

Permission to execute work when to be given or refused by the Commissioner.

59. (*1*) Within thirty days after the receipt of any application made under rule 54 for permission to execute any work, or of any information or documents or further information or documents required under this Schedule, or within fifteen days after the Commissioner has been satisfied that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken to the grant of permission to execute the work, [*Cf.* 1899, s. 874.]

the Commissioner shall, by written order, either—

(*a*) grant permission conditionally or unconditionally to execute the work, or

(*b*) refuse, on one or more of the grounds mentioned in rule 61 or rule 65, as the case may be, to grant such permission.

(*2*) When the Commissioner grants permission conditionally under clause (*a*) of sub-rule (*1*), he may in regard thereto impose such conditions, consistent with this Act, as he may think fit.

Remedy if Commissioner delays grant or refusal of permission.

60. If, within the period prescribed by rule 59, the Commissioner has neither granted nor refused to grant permission to execute any work, such permission shall be deemed to have been granted; and the applicant may proceed to execute the work, but not so as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or by-laws made thereunder. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 876.]

Grounds on which permission to erect a masonry new building may be refused.

61. The only grounds on which permission to erect a new building (other than a hut) may be refused are the following, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 877.]

(*1*) that the work, or any of the particulars comprised in the site-plan, building-plans, elevations, sections or specification would contravene some specific provision of this Act or some specific order, rule or by-law made thereunder;

(*2*) that the application for such permission does not contain the particulars or is not prepared in the manner prescribed in this Schedule;

(*3*) that, in the case of a new building (other than a hut) falling within the street alignment or building-line of a public street projected under section 63 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, the permission of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has not been obtained; Ben. Act V of 1911

(*4*) that any of the documents referred to in rule 54 have not been signed as prescribed in rule 56;

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(5) that any information or documents required by the Commissioner under this Schedule has or have not been duly furnished ; or

(6) that the applicant has not satisfied the Commissioner that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds mentioned in this rule, to the grant of the said permission.

Commissioner to sign approved plans.

62. When the Commissioner has given permission to execute any work, he shall sign the approved plans of the work. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 35.]

Retention of plan and submission of fresh application, after refusal to permit execution of work.

63. When permission to erect a new building (other than a hut) is refused,— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 375 and Sch. XVII, s. 36.]

(*a*) the Commissioner shall retain one copy of the plans submitted and shall without charge furnish the applicant with his reasons for such refusal, in writing under his signature, and

(*b*) the applicant may at any time thereafter send to the Commissioner a fresh application and fresh or modified documents under rule 54, framed with the object of meeting the objections for which such permission was refused.

Work not to be commenced unless and until permission given.

64. Subject to the provisions of rule 60, the erection of a new building (other than a hut) shall not be commenced unless and until the Commissioner has granted written permission for the execution of the work on an application sent to him under rule 54. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 372.]

Special powers to Commissioner to suspend or grant permission to erect a masonry building or convert huts, etc., into a masonry building.

65. Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 61— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 378.]

(*a*) if any street shown in the site-plan is an intended private street, the Commissioner may, in his discretion, refuse to grant permission to erect a masonry building or to convert one or more huts or temporary structures into a masonry building until the street is commenced or completed, and

(*b*) the Commissioner may for special reasons grant permission to erect a masonry building, or to convert one or more huts or temporary structures into a masonry building, on any site without reference to its position in relation to any street.

Lapse of permission, if not acted upon within one year, or, if granted prior to 1st April, 1900, except in certain circumstances.

66. (*1*) If the erection of any new building (other than a hut) is not commenced, and a substantial portion of it is not completed, within one year after the date on which permission was given to execute the work, the work shall not be commenced or continued until a fresh application has been made and a fresh permission granted under this Schedule. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 379.]

(*2*) At any time before the expiry of one year from the date on which such permission was given, the person to whom it was granted may apply to the Commissioner for a certificate that the building has been commenced and a substantial portion of it already completed; and the Commissioner shall thereupon inspect the said building, and if he considers that a substantial portion of it has been completed, he shall grant a certificate to that effect.

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(*3*) If any masonry building, permission to erect which was granted before the first day of April, 1900, has not been wholly completed at the commencement of this Act, the said permission shall be deemed to have lapsed, and any work done thereunder, after the commencement of this Act, shall be deemed to have been done without permission.

Power to Commissioner to cancel permission on the ground of material misrepresentation by applicant.

67. If, at any time after permission to erect any masonry building has been given, the Commissioner is satisfied that such permission was granted in consequence of any material misrepresentation or inaccuracy contained in the application made under rule 54, or in the plans, elevations, sections or specifications submitted therewith in respect of such building, he may cancel such permission, and any work done thereunder shall be deemed to have been done without permission.

Part VIII.—Huts.

Continuous lines.

68. (*1*) Huts in a *bustee* shall be built in continuous lines, in accordance with an alignment to be prescribed by the Commissioner and demarcated on the ground, after hearing the objections (if any) of the owner of the *bustee*. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 37.]

(*2*) If the Commissioner is of opinion that huts in a *bustee* are likely to be erected hereafter on any vacant land he may, after hearing the objections (if any) of the owner of the land,—

(*a*) prescribe alignments for huts on such land, and

(*b*) from time to time alter such alignments.

Distance between eaves and alignment.

69. When an alignment has been prescribed under rule 68, no hut shall be erected so that the distance measured from its eave to such alignment is less than six feet. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 38.]

Use of spaces referred to in rule 69.

70. All spaces referred to in rule 69, between a hut and an alignment, shall remain private property, subject to a right in the Corporation to use them for the purposes of scavenging or for any of the other purposes of this Act. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 39.]

Erection of huts in a *bustee* in court-yard formation.

71. Notwithstanding anything contained in rule 68 or rule 69, huts in a *bustee* may, with the special sanction of the Commissioner, be erected so as to form an open courtyard comprising at least one-fourth of the whole area occupied by the huts and court-yard: [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 40.]

Provided that no portion of such huts shall be built upon a *bustee* street aligned under section 375.

Area of court-yard in huts not in a *bustee*.

72. Where huts other than huts in a *bustee* are erected so as to form an open court-yard, the area of the court-yard shall not be less than one-fourth of the area occupied by the huts and court-yard. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 40A.]

Space between huts.

73. There shall be between any two huts a space of at least three feet, measured from eave to eave. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 41.]

Distance of huts from metalled and sewered street.

74. Except with the sanction of the Commissioner, no hut shall be placed at a greater distance than one hundred feet from the nearest part of a [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 42.]

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metalled and sewered street, unless there be a municipal or *bustee* drain at a distance of not more than twenty feet from the site of such hut.

Distance between hut and masonry building.

75. No portion of a hut shall be placed within six feet of a masonry building: [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 43.]

Provided that this rule shall not preclude the erection of huts in the compound of a masonry building in any case where masonry out-offices would be permissible.

Distance between hut and cow-house, etc.

76. No hut used for human habitation shall be placed within six feet of a cow-house, cattle-shed or stable.

Prohibition of projections or dropping of water over street or passage.

77. Every hut abutting on a street or passage, whether public or private, shall be constructed so as not to project over, or admit of water from the roof falling upon, or injuring, such street or passage. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 44.]

Height.

78. No hut shall comprise more than two storeys or shall exceed twenty feet in height, measured from the top of the plinth to the junction of the walls with the roof. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r 45.]

Plinth.

79. The plinth of a hut shall be raised at least two feet above the level of the centre of the nearest street or passage, and the floor shall be of some impermeable material. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 46.]

Rooms.

80. (*1*) The whole of at least one side of every room in a hut shall either be an external wall or abut on an open court-yard or on an open verandah. [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 46A.]

(*2*) Every room in a hut, which is intended to be used as an inhabited room, shall—

(*a*) be provided with a doorway of not less than fifteen square feet in area;

(*b*) be provided with a window or windows opening directly into the external air or into an open verandah, and having an opening of not less than one-fifteenth of the floor area of the room;

(*c*) have a superficial area of not less than eighty square feet; and

(*d*) have a height of not less than eight feet measured from the top of the plinth to the junction of the walls with the roof.

Court-yards.

81. (*1*) The court-yard (if any) of a hut shall be so raised that the upper surface shall be one foot above the level of the nearest street or passage, and shall be drained into the nearest drain. [1899, Sch. XVII, r. 46B.]

(*2*) The width of such court-yard shall be not less than eight feet.

Part IX.—Applications for permission to erect new buildings which are huts.

Application to be sent, and particulars furnished, to Commissioner by person intending to erect a hut.

82. (*1*) Every person who intends to erect a new building which is a hut on any land shall send to the Commissioner— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 384.]

(*a*) an application for permission to execute the work,

(*b*) a site-plan of the land,

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(*c*) a section of the hut, and

(*d*) a specification of the work.

(*2*) Every such application shall contain the particulars and be prepared in the manner prescribed in that behalf in this Schedule,

and every such plan, section and specification shall be signed by the licensed building surveyor who has prepared the same as required by section 343. [*cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 399.]

Application for permission to erect a hut.

83. (*1*) Every application for permission to erect a new building which is a hut shall be written on a printed form to be supplied by the Commissioner free of charge. [*cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 47.]

(*2*) If it is intended to use the hut, or any part thereof, for any of the purposes specified in Schedule XVIII, or as a stable, cattle-shed, or cow-house, the fact shall be expressly stated in the said application.

(*3*) The site-plan sent with such an application shall be drawn to a scale of not less than one-eighth of an inch to the foot, shall be sent in triplicate, and shall show—

(*i*) the hut,

(*ii*) the privy provided or to be provided for the use of occupants of the hut,

(*iii*) the position and size of the doors and windows,

(*iv*) all existing buildings standing on the site,

(*v*) the means of access to the hut from the street or passage on which it abuts,

(*vi*) the position of the hut in relation to all huts, streets, passages, privies and tanks within a distance of fifty feet from the site, and

(*vii*) such other particulars as may be prescribed by the Commissioner.

Explanation to clause (iv).—If it is intended to demolish or alter any existing building on the site, such building shall be particularly specified and it shall be expressly stated in the aforesaid application referred to in sub-rule (*1*) that the applicant undertakes to demolish or alter the same, as the case may be.

Power to Commissioner to require further information or a proper site-plan.

84. (*1*) The Commissioner may, on receipt of an application under rule 82, require the applicant— [*cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r 48.]

(*a*) to furnish him with any information on matters referred to in rule 82 which has not already been given in the documents received thereunder, or with a proper site-plan as prescribed by that rule, or

(*b*) to satisfy him that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds mentioned in rule 88, to the grant of permission to execute the work.

(*2*) If any information or plan required under sub-rule (*1*) is, in the opinion of the Commissioner incomplete or defective, he may require further information or a fresh plan to be furnished.

(Schedule XVI.—Rules as to the use of Building-sites and the execution of Building-work.—Rules 85-88.)

(*3*) If any requisition made under sub-rule (*1*) or sub-rule (*2*) is not complied with within one month, the application received under rule 82 shall be deemed not to have been made.

Power to Commissioner to employ licensed building surveyor to prepare site-plan, etc., for hut

85. The Commissioner may—

(*a*) on the application of any person who intends to erect a new building which is a hut, and

(*b*) on payment, by such person, of such fees as the Corporation may prescribe in that behalf,

employ a licensed building surveyor to prepare, in respect of such hut, the plans, sections and specifications prescribed by rule 82.

Permission to execute work when to be given or refused.

86. Within fourteen days after the receipt of any application made under rule 82 for permission to erect a new building which is a hut, or of any information or plan or further information or fresh plan required under this Schedule, or within fourteen days after the Commissioner has been satisfied that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken to the execution of the work, the Commissioner shall, by written order, either grant such permission or refuse to grant the same on one or more of the grounds mentioned in rule 88. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 388.]

Remedy if Commissioner delays grant or refusal of permission.

87. If, within the period prescribed by rule 86, the Commissioner has neither granted nor refused to grant permission to erect a new building which is a hut, such permission shall be deemed to have been granted; and the applicant may proceed to execute the work, but not so as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or any rules or by-laws made thereunder. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 388.]

Grounds on which permission to erect a hut may be refused

88. The only grounds on which permission to erect a new building which is a hut may be refused are the following, namely :— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 389.]

(*1*) that the work would contravene some specific provision of this Act or some specific order, rule or by-law made thereunder;

(*2*) that the application for such permission does not contain the particulars, or is not prepared in the manner, prescribed in this Schedule;

(*3*) that, in the case of a new building which is a hut falling within the street alignment or building-line of a public street projected under section 63 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, the permission of the Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has not been obtained; Ben Act V of 1911.

(*4*) that any plan, section or specification has not been signed as prescribed by rule 82, sub-rule (*2*); [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 339]

(*5*) that any information or plan required by the Commissioner under this Schedule has not been duly furnished; or

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(*6*) that the applicant has not satisfied the Commissioner that there are no objections which may lawfully be taken, on any of the grounds mentioned in this rule, to the grant of the said permission.

Retention of plan, and submission of fresh application, after refusal of permission to erect a hut.

89. When permission to erect a new building which is a hut is refused,— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 49]

(*a*) the Commissioner shall retain one copy of the plan and shall without charge furnish the applicant with his reasons for such refusal in writing under his signature, and

(*b*) the applicant may at any time send to the Commissioner a fresh application and a fresh or modified plan under rule 82 framed with the object of meeting the objections for which such permission was refused.

Work not to be commenced unless and until permission given.

90. Subject to the provisions of rule 87, the erection of a new building which is a hut shall not be commenced unless and until the Commissioner has granted written permission for the execution of the work on an application sent to him under rule 82. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 389.]

Lapse of permission, if not acted upon within six months.

91. If the erection of any new building which is a hut is not commenced within six months after the date on which permission was given to execute the work, the work shall not be commenced until a fresh application has been made and a fresh permission granted under this Schedule. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 390]

Part X.—Application of rules in this Schedule to alterations of, and additions to, Buildings.

Relaxation of rule 8.

92. In applying rule 3 in the case of an alteration of, or addition to, any building, the angle at which the lines referred to in sub-rule (*1*) of that rule are to be drawn shall be fifty-six-and-a-half degrees instead of forty-five degrees: [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 50.]

Provided that nothing contained in this rule shall authorize any addition to a building which would make it higher than any building which, at the commencement of this Act, was standing on the same portion of the site.

Applicability of rules 30 and 32 to alterations and additions above the ground floor.

93. Rule 30 and rule 32 shall respectively apply to alterations of, or additions to, any domestic building, public building or building of the warehouse class (not situated in a locality in which the erection of buildings of the warehouse class is allowed by declaration under clause (*d*) of section 344) above the ground floor, even though the open spaces required under the said rules have not been left on the ground floor.

Restriction on application of rules 54 to 67, or 82 to 91

94. (*1*) Rules 54 to 67, or rules 82 to 91, as the case may be, shall not be applied in the case of any alteration of, or addition to, a building unless one or more of the following works is or are undertaken, namely:— [*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r. 52.]

(*a*) the construction or re-construction of a roof or an external or party wall,

(*b*) any repairs to the building which involve the re-construction of—

(*i*) a masonry wall,

(Schedule XVI.—Rules as to the use of Building-sites and the execution of Building-work.—Rules 95, 96.)

(*ii*) the floor of a room (excluding the ground floor),

(*iii*) a lift-shaft, or

(*iv*) a chimney

after the same has been entirely or in great part demolished,

(*c*) the closing of any door or window in an external wall,

(*d*) the construction of an internal wall or partition,

(*e*) any other alteration of the internal arrangements of a building which affects an alteration of its court-yard or court-yards or its drainage, ventilation or sanitary arrangements, or which affects its security,

(*f*) the addition of any building, room, out-house or other structure,

(*g*) the roofing of any space between one or more walls and buildings,

(*h*) the conversion into more than one place for human habitation of a building originally constructed as one such place,

(*j*) the conversion of two or more places of human habitation into a greater number of such places, or

(*k*) the alteration of a building for the purpose of effecting a partition amongst joint owners.

(*2*) In the case referred to in clause (*g*) of sub-rule (*1*), the said rules 54 to 67, or rules 82 to 91, as the case may be, shall apply only as regards the structure which is formed by roofing a space, and not as regards adjoining buildings.

Grant of provisional permission to proceed with work in cases of urgency

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVII, r 5a.]

95. (*1*) If, in any case of urgency arising from causes beyond his own control, any person desires to undertake without delay any of the works referred to in rule 94, he may send to the Commissioner an application for provisional permission to proceed with the work.

(*2*) Such application shall contain an explanation of the urgency and a general description of the work proposed to be undertaken.

(*3*) Within a period of three days after the receipt of any such application, the Commissioner shall, by written order, either grant or refuse to grant provisional permission to proceed with the work.

(*4*) If, within the said period of three days, the Commissioner has neither granted nor refused to grant such provisional permission, the same shall be deemed to have been granted and the applicant may proceed to execute the work, but not so as to contravene any of the provisions of this Act or of any rule or by-law made thereunder.

(*5*) Whenever such provisional permission is granted, and in any case provided for by sub-rule (*4*), the applicant shall within fifteen days, send to the Commissioner a regular application for permission to execute the work; and if he fails to do so, the provisional permission shall be deemed to be withdrawn.

Part XI.—Appeal.

Appeal to the Buildings Appeals Committee

96. An appeal shall lie to the Buildings Appeals Committee from any order made, or notice issued, by the Commissioner under this Schedule.

SCHEDULE XVII.

RULES FOR THE INSPECTION AND REGULATION OF LAND AND BUILDINGS.

[*See sections 382 (11), 396, 400 and 492.*]

Power to Commissioner to inspect premises for sanitary purposes.

1. (*1*) The Commissioner may inspect any building or other premises for the purpose of ascertaining the sanitary condition thereof. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 439.]

(*2*) If the Commissioner has reason to believe that any building (not being a students' hostel) is used as a public lodging-house or is let out in rooms to twelve or more lodgers, such inspection may be made at any time by day or by night.

Power to Commissioner to require cleansing and lime-washing of building.

2. If it appears to the Commissioner necessary for sanitary reasons so to do, he may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of any building inspected under rule 1 to cause the same or any portion thereof to be lime-washed or otherwise cleansed, either externally or internally or both externally and internally. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 440.]

Power to Commissioner to require owner to secure, enclose, cleanse, or clear land or building which is untenanted, filthy or a nuisance.

3. If any land or building,

(*a*) by reason of abandonment or disputed ownership or for any other reason, remains untenanted and thereby becomes a resort of idle and disorderly persons, or [*Cf.* 1899, s. 441.]

(*b*) is in a filthy or unwholesome state, or

(*c*) is complained of by any two or more of the persons residing in its neighbourhood as a nuisance,

the Commissioner, after due inquiry, may give written notice to the owner, if he be known and resident in Calcutta, or to any person who is known or believed to claim to be the owner, if such person be resident in Calcutta,

and shall also affix a copy of the said notice on the door of the building or on some conspicuous part of the land, as the case may be,

requiring the said owner or the persons concerned in the land or building, whoever they may be, to secure, enclose, cleanse or clear the same.

Power to Commissioner to demolish, repair or secure building or fixture in a ruinous state, &c.

4. (*1*) If any building, or anything affixed thereto, be deemed by the Commissioner to be in a ruinous state, or likely to fall, or to be in any way dangerous, he shall forthwith cause a written notice to be served on the owner, if he be known and resident in Calcutta, and also to be put on some conspicuous part of the building or served on the occupiers (if any) thereof, requiring such owner or occupier forthwith to demolish, repair or secure such building or thing as the case may require. [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 443 and 442.]

(*2*) The Commissioner may also, if it appears to him to be necessary so to do, cause a proper hoarding or fence or other means of protection to be put up at the expense of the owner of such building, for the safety of the public or the inmates thereof; and may also require the inmates of the building to vacate it.

(Schedule XVII.—Rules for the Inspection and Regulation of Land and Buildings.—Rules 5-7.)

(*3*) The provisions of this Act and of any rules or by-laws made thereunder relating to buildings shall apply to any work done in pursuance, or in consequence, of a notice issued under sub-rule (*1*).

Power to Commissioner to sell materials of buildings demolished in pursuance of notice issued under rule 4.

5. If any building, or any part of a building, be demolished by the Commissioner under section 513, in pursuance of a notice issued under rule 4, he may sell the materials thereof and apply the proceeds of such sale in payment of the expenses incurred, and shall, on demand, restore to the owner any surplus arising from such sale. [*Cf.* 1899, s. 443.]

Further powers to Commissioner with reference to overcrowded buildings.

6. (*1*) Whenever the Commissioner considers— [*Cf.* 1899, s. 448.]

(*a*) that any building is, by reason of its having no plinth or having a plinth of insufficient height, or by reason of the want of proper drainage or ventilation, or by reason of the impracticability of cleansing, attended with risk of disease to the occupiers thereof or to the inhabitants of the neighbourhood, or is for any reason likely to endanger the public health or safety, or

(*b*) that any block of buildings is, for any of the said reasons, or by reason of the manner in which the buildings are crowded together, attended with such risk as aforesaid,

he may cause a written notice to be fixed to some conspicuous part of the building or block, requiring the owners or occupiers thereof, or, at the option of the Commissioner, the owners of the land occupied by such building or block, to execute such works or take such measures as the Commissioner may deem necessary for the prevention of such risk.

(*2*) Where any building, in respect of which a notice has been issued under sub-rule (*1*), has been demolished in pursuance of an order made by a Magistrate under section 382, the Corporation shall make reasonable compensation to the owner thereof.

Power to Commissioner to direct the filling up, etc., of unwholesome wells, pools, etc.

7. (*1*) When—

(*a*) any well, pool, ditch, tank, pond, pit or marshy or undrained ground, or [*Cf.* 1899, ss. 348 and 147.]

(*b*) any cistern, reservoir or water-butt or any other receptacle or place where water is stored or accumulates, or [*Cf.* Bom. Act III of 1888, s. 381, as amended by Bom. Act VI of 1912.]

(*c*) any waste or stagnant water, whether within any private enclosure or not,

appears to the Commissioner to be injurious to health or offensive to the neighbourhood or in any other respect a nuisance, he may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of—

(*i*) the land or building to which such well pertains, or

(*ii*) such pool, ditch, tank, pond, pit, ground, cistern, reservoir, water-butt, receptacle, place or water,

to cleanse or to fill up the same with suitable material or to drain off or remove water therefrom or to take such other order therewith as the Commissioner may deem necessary.

(Schedule XVII.—Rules for the Inspection and Regulation of Land and Buildings.—Rules 8, 9.)

(*2*) If the Commissioner, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 513, executes any work referred to in a notice issued under sub-rule (*1*), and if the person liable to pay the expenses of such work fails to pay the same, the Commissioner may, until such expenses are paid,—

(*i*) lease any part of the land used in connection with the said well, pool, ditch, tank, pond, pit, cistern, reservoir, water-butt, receptacle, place or water, or any part of the said ground, as the case may be, or

(*ii*) retain possession of the same, or the site thereof, and utilize it for public purposes.

(*3*) If the said expenses be paid by an occupier of land he may deduct the same from any rent due to the owner of the land.

Power to Corporation to regulate excavations.

8. (*1*) The Corporation may, by a general order, or by an order to affect such portion of Calcutta as may be specified therein, prohibit— [*Cf* 1899, s 448.]

(*a*) the making of excavations for the purpose of taking earth therefrom, or of storing rubbish or offensive matter therein, and

(*b*) the digging of cesspools, tanks, ponds, wells or pits, without the special permission of the Commissioner.

(*2*) Every such order shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

(*3*) No person shall make any excavation referred to in clause (*a*) of sub-rule (*1*), or dig any cesspool, tank, pond, well or pit, in contravention of any such order.

(*4*) If any such excavation, cesspool, tank, pond, well or pit is made or dug after the publication of any such order and without the permission required thereby, the Commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner or occupier of the land on which the same is made or dug to fill it up with earth or other material approved of by the Commissioner.

Appeal.

Appeal to the General Appeals Committee.

9. An appeal shall lie to the General Appeals Committee from— [*Cf* Ben 1899, s. 447 (4).]

(*a*) any notice issued by the Commissioner under rule 3, rule 6, sub-rule (*1*), rule 7, sub-rule (*1*), or rule 8, sub-rule (*4*), and

(*b*) any action taken by the Commissioner under rule 7, sub-rule (*2*).

SCHEDULE XVIII.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XVIII.]

CERTAIN PURPOSES FOR WHICH PREMISES MAY NOT BE USED WITHOUT A LICENSE.

[*See sections 402, 406, 497 and 498, and Schedule XVI, rules 55 (4) and 83 (2).*]

(1) Casting metals.

(2) Manufacturing bricks, pottery or tiles.

(3) As a knacker's yard.

(4) As a hide godown or hide screw-house.

(5) As a manufactory or place of business from which offensive or unwholesome smells, fumes, or dust arise.

(6) As a depôt for hay, straw, wood, coal or rags.

(7) Packing, pressing, cleansing, preparing or manufacturing, by any process whatever, any of the following articles, namely :—

cloths in indigo or other colours,	pottery,
paper,	silk.

(8) Storing, packing, pressing, cleansing, preparing or manufacturing, by any process whatever, any of the following articles, namely :—

blasting powder,	iron,
blood,	jute,
bones,	leather,
brass,	lime,
candles,	manure,
catgut,	matches for lighting,
chemical preparations,	meat,
china grass,	nitro-glycerine,
cocoanut fibre,	offal,
cotton (other than cotton pressed into bales), or cotton refuse or seed,	oil,
	oil-cloth,
	pitch,
	rags,
dammer,	rosin,
dynamite,	saltpetre,
fat,	skins,
fins,	soap,
fireworks,	spirits,
fish,	steel,
flax,	sugar,
flour,	sulphur,
fulminate of mercury,	*surki*,
gas,	tallow,
grain,	tar,
gun-cotton,	tin,
gun-powder,	tobacco,
hair,	tow,
hemp,	turpentine,
hides,	wool.
hoofs,	
horns,	

SCHEDULE XIX.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XIX.]

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS.

(See sections 456 and 457.)

19 . Births in the district of

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Serial number.	Date of birth.	Place of birth.	Nationality or caste.	Name, if any.	Sex.	Name of father.	Profession of father.	Signature, description and residence of informant.	Date of registration.	Signature of Registrar.

SCHEDULE XX.

[*Cf.* 1899 Sch. XX.]

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS.

(See sections 456, 458, 459, and 461.)

19 . . Deaths in the district of .

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Serial number.	Date of death.	Nationality or caste.	Name.	Sex.	Age.	Profession.	Cause of death.	Name of medical attendant (if any) during last illness.	Residence at time of death.	Residence previous to last illness.	Signature, description and residence of informant.	Date of registration.	Signature of Registrar.

SCHEDULE XXI.

[*Cf.* 1899, Sch. XXI]

FORM OF NOTICE TO BE ISSUED ON YELLOW PAPER AND AFFIXED ON PREMISES WHEN OTHER MEANS OF SERVICE NOT AVAILABLE.

(*See sections 507 and 508.*)

To (*name and address*)

[*or*, to the owner or occupier of (*number of building or description of land and number of premises in assessment-book*).]

Take notice that a bill (*or, as the case may be*) has been issued against you to the following effect (*state the substance of the document*), and that you are required to (*state the requirement as mentioned in the document*).

Dated this *day of*

(*Signature of municipal authority or other person issuing the notice.*)

SCHEDULE XXII.

CONSTRUCTION OF REFERENCES IN BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 TO THE GENERAL COMMITTEE.

(See section 561.)

1	2
Sections of Bengal Act V of 1911 containing references to the General Committee.	Construction.
Section 56, sub-section (*1*) ...	The Commissioner.
,, 65, sub-section (*1*) ...	The Commissioner.
,, 65, sub-section (*2*) ...	The Corporation.
,, 65, sub-section (*3*) ...	The Corporation.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

I.—The Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Bengal Act III of 1899), has been in force since the 1st April, 1900, and though it is admitted on all hands that immense strides have been made in the improvement of the city during that period, it has been found in actual practice that the constitution provided by that Act is not altogether suited to the needs of Calcutta. The Corporation have frequently represented the difficulties which arise owing to the existence of the three independent and co-ordinate municipal authorities; and the Royal Commission upon Decentralization, after enquiring into the municipal administration generally, were strongly impressed with the necessity of relieving the Chairman of the ever-growing responsibility of presiding at all meetings of the Corporation and the General Committee, and at practically all Special and Sub-Committees. They accordingly recommended in their report the adoption of the system in force in Bombay, under which all executive authority vests in a Municipal Commissioner appointed by Government, who is not a member of the Corporation. The present Bill provides both for the abolition of the General Committee,—thus reducing the co-ordinate municipal authorities to two,—and for the appointment of a Municipal Commissioner as the chief executive authority. Besides this, it is proposed to enlarge the constitution of the Corporation, and an endeavour has been made to provide for the adequate representation of all sections of the community. The opportunity has also been taken to overcome many practical difficulties which have been experienced as the result of some fifteen years' working of the Act of 1899, and some new provisions have been introduced dealing with matters of municipal administration which are not provided for by the existing law.

II.—In accordance with the method now almost invariably followed in England in the case of legislation of a similar nature, it is proposed in the Bill to rearrange the provisions of the existing Act so as to confine the Chapters, for the most part, to substantive principles of law and to relegate those provisions which deal with subordinate matters of administration to Schedules, or, in the less important cases, to by-laws. A not inconsiderable portion of the provisions contained in the Chapters of the existing Act deal mainly with administration and relate to the purely executive functions of the Chairman or other municipal authorities and officers (*e.g.*, those provisions which relate to drain and water-main laying, building, regulation of streets, lighting, conservancy, inspection of premises, etc.), and the opportunity has been taken, wherever possible, either to insert such provisions in the respective Schedules dealing with their subject-matter or to relegate them to by-laws. Wherever it is proposed so to relegate provisions of the existing Act to by-laws, power has been taken to bring those provisions into force as by-laws. This method of rearrangement will have this advantage that provisions dealing with matters of administration, by being confined to rules in Schedules or to by-laws, can be readily altered or added to (without an amendment of the Act) by notification by the Local Government in the case of Schedules and by amendment by the Corporation in the case of by-laws. It may further be noted that in rearranging the provisions of the existing Act it has likewise been found convenient to include in one Chapter provisions now contained in separate Chapters of the Act (*e.g.*, provisions dealing with lighting, scavenging, public bathing and washing).

III.—The provisions in the Bill relating to the appointment of a Municipal Commissioner to replace the Chairman as an executive authority are modelled on those in force in Bombay. The Commissioner will have the right of attending all meetings both of the Corporation and of Committees and of taking part in the discussion, but he will not have the right to vote. In view of the position of the Commissioner as the chief executive authority of the municipality, it is proposed to abolish the post of Vice-Chairman, which will no longer be necessary. It is also proposed that the Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner shall carry on the purely administrative work and

that the Corporation shall elect a President to preside at their meetings and a Vice-President to preside at meetings in the absence of the President. The various Committees will also respectively elect their own Presidents and Vice-Presidents.

IV.—It is proposed to increase the numbers of the Corporation from fifty to seventy-five, thus reverting to the numerical strength which existed prior to the passing of the existing Act. Plural voting will be abolished in order to make the constitution of the Corporation more democratic. At the same time care has been taken to provide for the representation of all classes of the community, and in particular of the Mahomedans, who, though comprising slightly over a quarter of the population of the city, are practically unrepresented at present, except through Government nominees, owing to the disproportionate smallness of their voting power as compared with that of the other communities. In five wards the Mahomedan population is greater than that of all the other communities together, but in every ward they are in a substantial minority as regards voting power. It is, therefore, proposed to constitute an entirely separate Mahomedan electorate which will return nine Mahomedan Councillors. The large and growing Marwari community will also be given two representatives, to be appointed by the Marwari Association; and European interests will be safeguarded in the enlarged Corporation by an increase of two in the representatives of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and of one in those of the Calcutta Trades Association. This increase will involve a reduction of three in the number of Government nominees. Representation has also been granted to the Calcutta University (one representative) and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce (one representative). The existing and the proposed constitutions are indicated below for purposes of easy comparison :—

Existing.

Elected Commissioners (one for each ward)	25
Commissioners appointed by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce ...	4
,, ,, the Calcutta Trades Association ...	4
,, ,, the Port Trust	2
,, ,, the Government	15
Total ...	50

Proposed.

Elected Ward Councillors (25 *plus* 12 *extra* representatives for the 12 most populous wards)	37
Elected Mahomedan Councillors	9
Councillors appointed by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce ...	6
,, ,, the Calcutta Trades Association ...	5
,, ,, the Port Commissioners ...	2
,, ,, the Calcutta University ...	1
,, ,, the Marwari Association ...	2
,, ,, the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce	1
,, ,, the Government ...	12
Total ...	75

V.—The abolition of the General Committee as a co-ordinate municipal authority has been advocated for many years by the Corporation themselves. This Committee at present occupy a position midway between that of the Chairman, as the executive authority, and that of the Corporation, as the deliberative assembly directing the general policy of the administration. Many of their functions are executive or semi-executive, and their powers are considerably wider than those of the Standing Committee in Bombay. It is proposed to hand over those powers of the General Committee which are of a purely executive nature to the Municipal Commissioner, the other functions

being absorbed by the Corporation. The result of this distribution of authority will be that the Commissioner will have extensive powers of dealing with matters of sanitation and city-improvement which will affect the interests of householders and other private individuals. It is considered desirable that a right of appeal should be granted to persons affected by the exercise of the more important of the Commissioner's powers, and it is therefore proposed to constitute two separate Appeals Committees to hear appeals against orders of the Commissioner in two different classes of cases. These Committees will be—

(1) the General Appeals Committee which will consist of seven Councillors (of whom not more than four shall be elected Councillors) to be appointed annually by the Corporation to hear appeals in cases (other than cases arising out of the application of the building rules) in which an appeal to that Committee is expressly provided for in the Bill, or in any by-law, and

(2) the Buildings Appeals Committee which will consist of three members (who need not be Councillors) appointed annually—one by the Corporation and two by the Local Government—to hear appeals in cases in which an appeal to that Committee is provided for in the Bill in the Chapter and Schedule dealing with the erection of buildings, or in any by-law relating to the application of the building rules.

It has been thought desirable to provide a separate appellate authority (*i.e.*, the Buildings Appeals Committee) to hear appeals in cases relating to the application of the building rules which are of a technical nature, and to leave it open to the Corporation, as well as to the Local Government, to appoint experts to be members of this Committee. The two Appeals Committees above referred to will take the place of the General Committee only so far as the latter's power to hear appeals is concerned, and will constitute a kind of Court of Equity between the Commissioner and the rate-payers. Their decisions will be final, but they will be in no sense co-ordinate municipal authorities.

VI.—A redistribution of powers between the Corporation and the Municipal Commissioner is necessitated by the abolition of the General Committee. The principle upon which this redistribution has been carried out is that all powers of an executive nature, or which are of such a character as to entail prompt action, are given to the Commissioner, while powers involving general policy or control are made over to the Corporation. The result is a considerable increase in the powers of both authorities, but it is thought that the Corporation will experience no difficulty in exercising their extended powers through the agency of Standing and Special Committees, and that the existence of a right of appeal in all important matters should effectively check any undue concentration of authority in the Commissioner.

VII.—It is proposed to amplify the provisions contained in section 96 of the existing Act relating to the appointment of Special Committees. The Bill provides for the appointment of two kinds of Committees, namely, Standing Committees and Special Committees. The Corporation are authorized to delegate any of their powers, duties or functions to Standing Committees. These Committees will deal with all matters comprised in their delegation as they arise, and their proceedings, when confirmed by the Corporation, will become resolutions of that body. Special Committees are intended to be appointed to inquire into and report upon specific matters which may arise in the course of the administration and they will confine their inquiry to such matters. They will ordinarily deal with important questions in which a full inquiry is necessary, while the Standing Committees will deal with matters of ordinary administration. With regard to Standing Committees, however, certain special provisions have been introduced. The number of members of such committees is limited to ten, and no Councillor may be a member of more than two Standing Committees or the President of more than one. The object of these provisions is to induce Councillors to take a special interest in some particular branch or branches of the administration, and thus to

enhance the efficiency of the work done by these Committees. It should be remembered that the importance of the Standing Committees will be considerably increased owing to the abolition of the General Committee.

VIII.—Under the existing Act the different municipal rates are levied as one consolidated rate, but the various funds are nevertheless kept distinct. This only leads to complications in the accounts without producing any corresponding advantage. The Bill provides for the amalgamation of the four existing funds, and for only one consolidated rate which will not exceed the maximum of 23 *per cent.* on the annual valuation as at present levied under Chapter XII of the existing Act.

A special procedure will be adopted, as in Bombay, for the assessment of Government buildings and lands.

IX.—Two changes of some importance are proposed in Chapter XIII of the existing Act relating to the tax on carriages and animals. It is proposed to introduce a tax on dogs. The tax proposed is Rs. 2 per annum, and is intended to act more as a check upon the growing nuisance of ownerless dogs than as a means of revenue. An increase is also proposed (in the connected Schedule—No. VII—) in the tax on motor cars, making the amount payable on all cars of approximately 12 horse-power, or over, the same as that payable on a carriage and pair of horses.

X.—Some additional provisions have also been introduced with regard to the registration of carts. Under the present law road-trains, steam-lorries and similar vehicles pay the same tax as bullock carts, namely, Rs. 4 every half year. It is proposed to raise this tax to Rs. 24 for all vehicles (which come under the definition of " cart ") propelled by mechanical power and Rs. 12 for trailers drawn by such vehicles. Provision has also been made to prescribe by means of by-laws a *minimum* width for the tyres of carts and to increase this width proportionately to the load. It is also provided that all cart drivers must be registered and must have a number assigned to them. This is intended to check the large number of thefts from carts which have lately been complained of by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and other mercantile bodies. These thefts cannot be traced to anyone at present, and it is thought that registration will facilitate the identification of drivers of carts from which thefts occur.

XI.—The provisions of Chapter XXIII of the existing Act, relating to streets and public places, have been revised with a view to distinguishing more clearly between the " street alignment " and the " building-line."

XII.—Two points deserve mention in connection with the regulation of buildings. In accordance with the recommendation of the Corporation, provision has been made for the licensing of Building Surveyors. No plan of a proposed new building will be sanctioned unless it is prepared and signed by a Licensed Building Surveyor, and the construction of all buildings costing Rs. 5,000 or upwards must be supervised by a Licensed Building Surveyor or by a person approved by the Commissioner. It is also proposed to allow an appeal to the Buildings Appeals Committee against practically all orders of the Commissioner relating to the building rules. Under the existing law the appellate power in such cases has frequently been abused, in that there has been a tendency to relax the rules in almost every case. Having regard, however, to the constitution of the proposed Buildings Appeals Committee, which is to be a more or less expert body, it is thought desirable to enlarge the right of appeal.

XIII.—The development of building-sites which, owing to size or shape or to the want of road frontage or proper means of access, are unsuitable for building upon, is to a certain extent provided for by sections 364 to 366 of the existing Act, but there are so many practical difficulties in the way that these sections have never actually been worked. In Bombay the important question of the development of building sites is dealt with in a separate Act (see Bombay Act I of 1915) on the lines of the Housing, Town-planning, etc., Act 1909 (9 Edw. 7, c. 44), and it is thought that it will be best to deal with building-sites in Calcutta in a separate Bill drawn on somewhat the same

lines. It is proposed, therefore, to omit altogether from the present Bill the provisions of sections 364 to 366 of the existing Act.

XIV.—The question of food adulteration is dealt with in the Bill in a more comprehensive manner than has been attempted hitherto. A definition of "adulterated" has been inserted in clause 3, and it is made an offence to sell, expose for sale, manufacture or store for sale any article of human food which comes within that definition. Besides this, clause 425 makes special provision for the regulation of the sale of milk, *ghee*, mustard oil and any other article of food or any drug which may hereafter be notified in that behalf by the Local Government. A strict standard of purity is prescribed in respect of each of these articles, and it is made an offence to sell, expose for sale, manufacture or store for sale anything which falls short of this standard. Food adulteration has reached alarming proportions in Calcutta and the existing law has entirely failed to check it. In the interests of the public health it is considered necessary to have recourse to more drastic legislation, and in particular to provide for the purity of the main staple articles of food which appear to be most liable to adulteration.

XV.—Every change of any importance which it is proposed to make in the existing law is explained in detail in the subjoined Notes on Clauses, it being thought desirable, in the case of a measure of this magnitude and importance, to afford the Council the fullest possible assistance in its consideration. A Table has also been prepared and annexed to the Bill showing which provisions of the existing Act have been omitted from the Bill and giving brief reasons for such omissions. The Table also indicates where the provisions of the existing Act which have been retained are reproduced in the Bill.

S. P. SINHA,
Member in charge

CALCUTTA;
The 14th November, 1917.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal and
Secretary to the Bengal Legislative Council.

NOTES ON CLAUSES.

CHAPTER I.

Clause 1.

Sub-clause (3), Proviso, reproduces the corresponding provision in section 1 (*3*), proviso, of Bengal Act III of 1899, as originally enacted. It is necessary that a general election and appointment of Councillors should be held and made in good time before the 1st April on which the Act comes into operation, so that the new Corporation may be fully constituted by that date. The subject-matter of the proviso would not be covered by section 23 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899. Ben. Act I of 1899.

Clause 2.

Sub-clause (1) formally repeals the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, and the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, which amended that Act. Ben Act III of 1899. Ben. Act IV of 1914.

Sub-clause (2) is a saving clause which is necessitated by the fact that section 25 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, does not cover all the requirements of the present case. Ben Act I of 1899.

Clause 3.

Sub-clause (1) defines the term "adulterated" in relation to food and drugs, there being no such definition in the existing law. The new definition is inserted with reference to the new and more stringent provisions as regards the manufacturing, storing and selling of articles of food and drugs in Chapter XXIX of the Bill. (*See paragraph XIV of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Sub-clause (2) introduces a definition of "assessment book." Since the term is used frequently throughout the Bill it is desirable to have a definition in this clause.

Sub-clause (5) inserts a definition of the term "building," the absence of which in the existing law has given rise to much difficulty in interpreting the building rules and regulations. The definition is based on the definition of "building" in section 3 (*s*) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Sub-clause (6) amends sub-clause (*3*) of section 3 of the existing Act so as to cover the case of projected public streets referred to in clause 327 and following clauses.

Sub-clause (8).—The definition of "*bustee*" has been made wider than in the existing law, and the definition of "*bustee land*" has been omitted for reasons explained in the note on clause 176, *post*.

Sub-clause (12) defines the phrase "the Commissioner" which occurs very frequently throughout the Bill.

Sub-clause (14) inserts a definition of "connected-urinal" on the lines of the definition of "connected-privy" in the existing Act.

Sub-clause (18) defines the phrase "Deputy Commissioner."

Sub-clause (24) defines the term "food" for the purposes of the provisions dealing with food and drugs. Thedefinition is taken from section 26 of the English Sale of Food and Drugs Act. 62 & 63 Vict., c. 51.

Sub-clause (26) introduces a definition of "half-year." The financial year, as defined in section 3 (*16*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, is the standard of time governing the business transactions of the Corporation. Ben. Act I of 1899.

Sub-clause (29) now makes it clear that the walls of a hut are "material portions" thereof.

Sub-clause (36) inserts a definition of "new building" which is based on the definition of the same term in the London Building Act. This definition takes the place of the definition in the existing Act of the term "re-erect" which has given rise to much difficulty in interpreting the building rules and regulations. 57 & 58 Vict. c. ccxiii.

Sub-clause (38) makes an amendment in the definition of "occupier" so as to cover the case of an owner using his own building as a factory or other place of business.

Sub-clause (43) amends the definition of "private street" in the existing Act so as to meet the case of an owner who divides up his land into separate plots for building purposes. The terms "square" and "court" are omitted since they are not properly included in this definition.

Sub-clause (45).—The terms "square" and "court," which occur in the definition of "public street" in the existing Act, have been omitted for the same reasons as in the case of the definition of "private street."

Sub-clause (47) introduces a definition which is necessitated by the passing of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914. Ben. Act V of 1914.

Sub-clause (51) inserts a definition of "service-urinal" on the lines of the definition of "service-privy" in the existing Act.

Sub-clause (57) inserts a definition of "year" on the same lines as the definition of "half-year."

CHAPTER II.

Clause 5.

This clause provides for the replacement of the Chairman of the Corporation as a municipal authority by the Municipal Commissioner, for the abolition of the General Committee and for the constitution of two Appeals Committees, *viz.*, the Buildings Appeals Committee to hear all appeals from orders of the Commissioner passed under the building rules and regulations, and the General Appeals Committee to hear appeals in all other cases. (*See paragraphs I, III and V of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clauses 6 to 8.

These clauses deal with the constitution of the Corporation, which has already been explained in the Statement of Objects and Reasons. (*See paragraph IV thereof.*)

Clauses 9 and 10.

These clauses provide for the constitution of the General Appeals Committee and the Buildings Appeals Committee, respectively, and the terms of office and the filling up of casual vacancies amongst the members of the said Committees.

Clause 12.

This clause provides for the payment to the Municipal Commissioner of a consolidated salary including house-rent allowance. The provision in section 12 (*2*) of the existing Act as to providing him with an official residence is, therefore, omitted in the Bill.

Clause 14.

This clause reproduces section 14 of the existing Act, but the provisions making it obligatory on the Corporation to devote not less than certain fixed sums of money every year to the extension of drainage, the improvement of *bustees* and the development of the added area have been omitted as these matters have now received their full share of attention and it is not considered necessary to impose any further special obligations in respect of them. The objects to which the Corporation may devote their funds have, at the request of that body, been specified in greater detail.—*See* sub-clauses (*iv*), (*v*), (*vi*), (*vii*), (*viii*), (*ix*) and (*xv*) of this clause.

Clauses 15 and 16.

These clauses provide for the functions and duties of the General Appeals Committee and the Buildings Appeals Committee, respectively, and the procedure to be followed in preferring appeals to each of those bodies.

Clause 17.

Sub-clause (*c*).—The power of the Commissioner to take action in cases of emergency has been made somewhat more elastic in order to provide for emergencies in which it is essential that the Commissioner should take prompt action, but which are not covered by the provisions of section 15(*c*) of the existing Act.

Clauses 18 and 19.

These clauses reproduce sections 16 and 17 of the existing Act with such consequential amendments as are required by the abolition of the General Committee. It will be observed that clause 19 now merely provides that the Corporation shall "consider" the annual report.

Clause 20.

The power of the Commissioner to delegate his authority has been slightly extended. It has been found, in working the existing Act, that the centralisation of power beyond a certain degree does not tend to promote efficiency, as the Chairman is so overburdened with duties that he is

unable properly to scrutinise the matters which come before him for orders with the result that the restrictions imposed on his power to delegate his functions defeat their own object. Since rules in Schedules may be altered or added to by the Local Government at any time, and since certain of the sections or sub-sections included amongst the exceptions mentioned in section 18(*1*) of the existing Act have in the Bill been relegated to Schedules or to by-laws, it has also been found necessary in this clause to except by-laws or rules which expressly prohibit delegation by the Commissioner. In proviso (*e*) to this clause, which reproduces the provisions of proviso (*e*) to section 18 of the existing Act, it is thought desirable to remove the somewhat fictitious distinction between "subject to the approval of" and "with the sanction of" the Corporation and to use only the latter phrase. It is proposed to make this change in all cases where the approval or sanction, or both the approval and sanction, of the Corporation is or are required under the existing Act.

Clause 22.

The minimum cost of any project requiring Government sanction before any work can be commenced in pursuance thereof, is now fixed at 2½ lakhs, instead of 1 lakh as in the existing Act.

Clause 26.

The existing section has been modified in consequence of the amalgamation of the existing rates and the provision of one consolidated rate. (*See paragraph VIII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

CHAPTER III.

Clause 27.

This clause provides for the appointment by Government of a Deputy Municipal Commissioner, whose duties and functions will, in every way, correspond with those of the Deputy Chairman under the existing Act.

Clause 28.

This clause reproduces section 27 of the existing Act, but all references to the Vice-Chairman have been omitted since it is proposed to abolish the post of Vice-Chairman. Similarly in other provisions of the existing Act which are reproduced in the Bill, references to the Vice-Chairman are omitted. (*See paragraph III of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 30.

This clause combines sections 29 and 30 of the existing Act. Although it may be improbable, that, at the outset, the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner will be other than Government servants, it is not necessary that they should be so; and, if they are not, it is expedient to empower the Corporation to grant these officers a pension if they desire to do so.

The amount of such pensions, gratuities and compassionate allowances, and the conditions of their grant, shall, in no case, except with the special sanction of the Government of India, be more favourable than those which apply to Government servants of similar standing and status.

Clause 31.

Sub-clause (*2*) is intended to cover the case of any office which the Commissioner or the Deputy Commissioner is required or permitted to hold under the provisions of other Acts (*e.g.*, the office of a Trustee under the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911). Ben. Act V of 1911

Clause 35.

Sub-clause (*2*), *proviso*, makes it clear that when the Commissioner or Deputy Commissioner is a Government officer, the leave-allowances of such officer shall be paid by the Government and the Corporation according to the proportions fixed by the Civil Service Regulations in the case of Government officers who are on "foreign service."

Clause 36.

This clause gives the Commissioner the right to attend any meeting of the Corporation and of the municipal committees and to take part in their discussions, but not to vote. In Bombay, the Municipal Commissioner has similar powers.

CHAPTER IV.

Clause 37.

This clause provides for the preparation and publication of separate election-rolls for the election of Ward Councillors and that of Mahomedan Councillors, the two being quite distinct. (*See Notes on Clauses 38, 48 and 49.*)

Clause 38.

This clause reproduces the existing voting qualifications with one addition, *viz.*:—that the owners of huts in *bustees* valued at Rs. 200 *per annum* or upwards have been given the right to vote. The election of Ward Councillors will be quite separate from that of Mahomedan Councillors, and Mahomedans will not be entitled to vote at Ward elections. (*See paragraph IV of the Statement of Objects and Reasons*). Sub-clause (*3*) amends sub-section (*3*) of section 37 of the present Act so as to entitle an association of individuals to vote only by a representative but not to be enrolled in the election-roll. Rule 8 in Schedule V provides for the manner in which such an association may be represented on the Ward election-roll or the Mahomedan election-roll, as the case may be. The change made in sub-clause (*iii*) is consequential upon the introduction into the Bill of the definition of the word "year", which means "financial year."

This clause also abolishes plural voting and provides that notwithstanding the number of qualifications which a voter possesses his name shall be entered in the electoral roll of only one ward. It also provides that in the case of a ward where more than one Councillor is to be elected a voter may not give more than one vote to any one candidate.

Clauses 39 to 41.

These clauses provide for—

(*i*) the election by a ward voter, who is qualified to vote in more than one ward, of the ward in which he desires to be enrolled,

(*ii*) the determination by the Commissioner, in the case of an elector who fails to elect, of the ward in which the elector shall vote,

(*iii*) the prevention of transfer of the names of ward voters from one electoral roll to another, except at the time of the revision of the electoral roll.

Clause 42.

Under the existing law, the representative of a company or other association of individuals can obtain the vote or can qualify to be elected as a Councillor either by having his name inserted in the election-roll as representing such company or association of individuals, or by producing a power of attorney. It is proposed to abolish the latter alternative and merely to require such representatives to have their names inserted in the election-roll, subject to the provisions of Schedule V.

Clauses 43 and 44.

These clauses reproduce section 43 of the existing Act, but it has been thought desirable to omit the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of that section which empowers Government to alter the boundaries of Wards. An alteration of boundaries would affect not only the elections but also the assessment periods and would give rise to many difficulties.

Sub-section (*4*) of section 43 has also been omitted.

Clauses 45 to 49.

These clauses provide for the separate election of Mahomedan Councillors according to districts. It is proposed that these elections should be conducted on the same lines as the Ward elections, except that both the electors and the candidates must be Mahomedans. The elections will be held according to the four districts which are recognised for administrative purposes at present, the number of Councillors to be elected for each district being prescribed in Schedule IV according to the proportion of Mahomedans residing in the district. Clause 47 empowers the Local Government to alter Schedule IV as to boundaries of districts and the number of Councillors to be elected. This power is very necessary in view of the possibility of changes in the Mahomedan population of a district.

Clause 50.

The words "or by the Corporation" in this clause, which corresponds to section 52 of the existing Act, are new.

Clause 54.

Proviso (c).—This is a new provision, the object of which is to prevent unsuccessful candidates from going behind the election-roll and voters' list. Ample opportunity is given in the rules contained in Schedule V for the lodging of objections to any entry in the voters' list.

Clause 57.

This clause reproduces section 59 (*1*) of the existing Act, but the wording has been altered in view of the proposed changes in the prescribed number of Councillors to be elected for each ward or district.

Clause 58.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 59 (*2*) of the existing Act with an addition made for the purpose of applying those provisions to appointments made by associations and other bodies. There is nothing in the present law to prescribe the time when such appointments shall be made and the date from which they shall take effect.

Clause 59.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 39 of the existing Act, but the disqualifications have been extended in that they will now include minors under twenty-one years of age and licensed building surveyors.

Clause 60.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 40 of the existing Act, but introduces a new sub-clause (*c*) providing that no Councillor shall be retained in any professional capacity as advocate, attorney, pleader or *mukhtear* in any case to which the Corporation is a party. This embodies a principle which was adopted in a resolution of the Corporation several years ago, but has since become a dead letter.

Clause 62.

Sub-clause (*1*) reproduces section 60(*2*) of the existing Act, with an alteration of the wording which is intended to make it quite clear that every Councillor appointed or elected under the new Act (except for the purpose of filling a casual vacancy) will hold office for a term of 3 years.

CHAPTER V.

Clause 65.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 63 and 64 of the existing Act but removes the restriction by which certain appointments and the limits of certain salaries were subject to the approval of the Local Government.

Clause 66.

Sub-clause (*4*) introduces a new provision empowering the Commissioner to make temporary appointments of officers and servants, subject to certain conditions. Such appointments are, in practice, sanctioned by the Chairman at present, and they will of course be subject to the condition that the budget-grant must not be exceeded.

Clause 71.

This clause reproduces section 70 of the existing Act, with the wording altered so as to give Government a wider power of control in the matter of the dismissal of the Chief Engineer and the Health Officer, and to limit the right of appeal against dismissal to officers drawing a salary of more than Rs. 300 per month. This last provision is based on section 83(*a*) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 74.

The existing law has been amplified by providing the Corporation with power to make rules for the grant of compassionate allowances and gratuities to the families of deceased municipal officers and servants, and of deputation allowances to municipal officers and servants on the establishment.

The amount of pensions, gratuities and compassionate allowances, will in no case except with the special sanction of the Government of India be more favourable than those given to Government servants of similar standing and status.

Clause 77.

This clause adds to the provisions of section 76 of the existing Act by providing for contributions to a Provident Fund. The term 'family' has also been defined for the purposes of this Chapter, the definition followed being that in force in the Civil Service Regulations (Article 740).

CHAPTER VI.

Clause 78.

At all meetings of the Corporation, according to the proposed changes in the constitution, the President is to replace the Chairman, and this clause provides that all meetings of the Corporation save those referred to in clause 79, are to be convened by him.

Clause 79.

This clause is taken from section 36 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. It is necessary that the first meeting of a new Corporation, before the President has been elected, should be convened by the Commissioner. Bom Act III of 1888.

Clause 80.

This clause provides for the election of a President and Vice-President of the Corporation, and for the filling of vacancies. It follows the Bombay precedent.

Clause 83.

The same powers are given to the President and the Vice-President, when presiding at the meetings of the Corporation, as are now enjoyed by the Chairman under the existing section 81.

Clause 84.

In view of the increase in the numbers of the Corporation, the quorum for meetings has been raised to the number prescribed under the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act, 1888, when the Corporation consisted of 75 members, as is now again proposed in the present Bill. Ben. Act II of 1888

Clauses 88 and 90.

The abolition of the General Committee has necessitated a re-distribution of the powers given in sections 86 and 88 of the existing Act. It is proposed that the Commissioner should deal with all contracts and tenders up to five thousand rupees, and the Corporation with those above that amount. Sub-clause (*5*) of clause 90 empowers the Corporation to dispense with calling for tenders in special cases on the lines of section 72 (*3*) of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. The want of such a power has often been felt by the Corporation. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clauses 92 to 96 and 97.

These clauses provide for meetings of the General Appeals Committee and the Buildings Appeals Committee, respectively, the quorum at such meetings, the appointment of a Chairman of each Committee, the transaction of business by voting and the making of rules to regulate the conduct of business at meetings. Clause 97 provides for the fees to be paid to members of the latter Committee. These clauses are on the lines of sections 90 to 94 of the existing Act which relate to the General Committee and which, in view of the proposed abolition of that body, will no longer be needed.

Clauses 98 and 99.

These clauses take the place of sections 95 and 96 of the existing Act and provide for the constitution of Standing and Special Committees, as explained in paragraph VII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

CHAPTER VII.

Clause 104.

It is proposed to amalgamate the different Municipal Funds prescribed by section 103 of the existing Act and to have only one consolidated rate instead of the several rates which are now levied as one consolidated rate. (*See paragraph VIII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 106.

This clause provides that all moneys payable to the credit of the Municipal Fund shall be paid into the Bank of Bengal.

Clause 107.

Sub-clause (*1*) increases the number of persons authorized to sign cheques on behalf of the Corporation.

Sub-clause (*3*) reproduces section 112(*3*) of the existing Act with this modification, that the limit of Rs. 1,000 as regards the drawing of cheques is omitted. The placing of such a limit has been found to cause unnecessary trouble in making payments.

Clause 108.

Sub-clause (*2*) places beyond the possibility of doubt the legality of the payment of the Calcutta Improvement Trust contribution, which has been doubted in some quarters.

Clause 109.

Sub-clause (*g*).—This new sub-clause is added to cover sums payable by the Commissioner as compensation under any rule or by-law made under this Act.

Clause 113.

The wording of section 119 of the existing Act has been modified. The investment and deposit of surplus cash will be left in the hands of the Commissioner.

CHAPTER VIII.

Clause 115.

This clause corresponds to section 121 of the existing Act, but the drafting has been altered owing to the proposed abolition of the General Committee and other constitutional changes. The provisions of this clause have also been made more comprehensive in view of the omission of the provisions of sections 122, 123, 124 and 125 of the existing Act, which are no longer required since the General Committee are to be abolished. It is also proposed to increase the minimum closing balance to six lakhs as that sum has been found necessary to meet ordinary liabilities, and this has accordingly been provided for in clause 116.

CHAPTER IX.

Clauses 118 to 139.

Ben. Act IV of 1914.

This Chapter reproduces Chapter X of the existing Act as substituted by the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914, with the necessary modifications resulting from the changes in the municipal constitution or in other points of detail which are proposed in this Bill. In accordance with the policy adopted throughout the Bill, all provisions in the existing Act requiring that certain matters shall be referred to "special meetings" of the Corporation have been omitted.

CHAPTER X.

Clauses 140 to 144.

These clauses reproduce sections 142 to 146 of the existing Act with such modifications as are necessary owing to the abolition of the General Committee and other constitutional changes. No provision need now be made for the payment of auditors (*see* section 143 (*3*) of the existing Act), as the audit of the municipal accounts is now conducted by the Accountant-General free of charge.

CHAPTER XI.

Clauses 145 and 146.

The changes made in the provisions of sections 147 and 148 of the existing Act and the omission of the provisions of section 149 of that Act are due to the amalgamation of the separate funds. The reduction of the water-rate under the proviso to section 147 of the existing Act is negligible, being estimated at only ·01 per cent. The proposed changes have been explained in detail in paragraph VIII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.

Clause 147.

Power has been taken by the Local Government in sub-clause (*2*) to direct the exemption of open spaces and parade grounds, being the property of Government, from the consolidated rate.

Sub-clause (*4*) reproduces section 150 (*3*) of the existing Act, but it is proposed to dispense with the control of the Local Government in the matter of exempting certain buildings and land from the consolidated rate.

Clause 148.

Proviso (*ii*) reproduces section 151 (*ii*) of the existing Act with modifications which are intended to meet the contention that lifts or electric fittings are machinery and should therefore be excluded from the valuation of a building.

Clause 149.

The opportunity has been taken to modify the provisions of section 152 of the existing Act considerably. Sub-section (*1*) of that section has been recast so as to save and continue valuations made under the existing Act, and the word "districts" has been replaced by the word "wards" in this clause. This last change merely follows the existing practice, as the "districts" for assessment purposes have always been the wards. As a result of the changes made in this clause, Schedule VII of the existing Act will no longer be necessary. Sub-clause (*2*) has been inserted to provide for the valuation of the new areas which it is proposed to include in Calcutta. Again in sub-clause (*4*) (*a*) it is proposed to omit the reference to "lands that are waste or are used for agricultural purposes." There is no reason why such lands should be revalued within the six-yearly period, and in practice such intermediate valuations are never made. Sub-clause (*4*) (*d*) has been introduced with a view to providing for the valuation of any new building erected during the currency of the assessment period. The provision for such valuation is not very clear in the existing Act.

Clause 151.

As mentioned in the note on clause 149, the "districts" prescribed by section 154 of the existing Act have, in practice, always been the wards. This clause therefore provides that the valuations shall be carried out by wards. For the same reason, 'ward' has replaced 'district' in clause 154.

Clause 153.

The corresponding section 156 of the existing Act does not provide for all the details which are necessary in order to arrive at a correct valuation to be entered in the return. This deficiency has been made good.

Clause 155.

There is very little advantage in differentiating between the case of *trustees* and other lands and buildings so far as the question of the notice to be given when the assessment is increased is concerned, and *trustees* have therefore been included in clause 155. The removal of this distinction has also necessitated a consequential change in the provisions of section 160 (*2*) of the existing Act, which are reproduced in clause 156 (*2*).

Clause 160.

Sub-clause (*1*) (*c*).—Under the existing law the names and places of abode of persons primarily liable to pay the consolidated rate have to be entered in the municipal assessment-book. The proposed sub-clause renders

the underlying intention quite definite by specifically requiring the entry in the assessment-book of the names and places of abode of owners and of the names only of occupiers.

Sub-clause (*2*) prescribes the municipal assessment-book. A definition of "assessment-book" has been inserted in the Bill. [*See note on clause 3 (2).*]

Clause 162.

This clause is based upon section 149 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. In order to prepare a correct election-roll, and also for many other reasons, it is necessary that the assessment-book should be kept correct up to date, and it is considered that little hardship will be entailed in requiring that all transfers of title in immovable property should be reported to the Commissioner. Bom. Act III of 1888

Clause 164.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 169 of the existing Act, but the wording has been modified with a view to make the intention clearer.

Clauses 168 and 169.

The wording of sections 173 and 174 of the existing Act, has been simplified, but without any substantial change in their purport.

Clause 171.

This clause reproduces section 176 of the existing Act, but it is thought desirable to calculate the period of limitation from the date of payment instead of from the date on which notice is given. The present procedure has proved unworkable, and is also unfair in some cases.

Clause 172.

This clause is taken from section 152 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Under the existing law remission of rates is granted for the period during which a holding is unoccupied, and it is very difficult for the Corporation to know when it is re-occupied unless the owner is required to give notice of the fact. A clause to this effect is considered to be very necessary to prevent loss of rates. Bom. Act III of 1888

Clause 173.

The language of the existing section has been considerably simplified without however altering its provisions.

Clause 174.

This clause, which corresponds to section 178 of the existing Act, has been made to apply to "land" as well as to buildings.

Clause 176.

This clause reproduces section 180 and part of section 182 of the existing Act, with modifications. It is proposed to abandon the practice of assessing masonry buildings in a *bustee* as *bustee* holdings, and to value them under the ordinary provisions relating to the valuation of buildings. Under the existing law "*bustee land*", as defined in section 3 (*6*), excludes any portion of a *bustee* in which the owner of the land is also the owner of a hut. This gives rise to difficulty when the huts of the tenants fall, as they occasionally do, into the hands of the landlord. In the Bill, the above definition is not included, and it is therefore necessary to provide in this clause that the deduction of one-eighth from the rate should not be allowed in case of huts owned by the landlord of the *bustee* as that deduction is intended to be allowed for the expense and possible loss involved in collecting the hut-owner's share of the rates. Sub-clause (*2*) is taken from section 182 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to omit from the Bill.

Clause 179.

This clause reproduces section 185 of the existing Act, but the portion relating to provisional registration is omitted as it has been found that such registration is never resorted to in practice.

Clause 181.

This clause corresponds to section 187 of the existing Act and, with the exception of the provisos, the changes made are purely verbal and have been inserted merely with a view to render the intention clearer. The provisos are new and are intended to cover the case of a holding which is sub-divided or amalgamated on re-valuation. Such cases were apparently not contemplated when section 187 of the existing Act was originally enacted, but it is most necessary that they should be provided for. The course proposed is that the rate should be paid on the new valuation pending the determination of the objection, and, if it is reduced on the objection being decided, a refund of the excess should be made.

Sub-clause (*3*) contains provisions similar to those obtaining in Bombay determining the manner in which the amount of money due to the Corporation in lieu of the consolidated rate on account of Government buildings and lands shall be ascertained.

CHAPTER XII.

Clause 182.

This clause reproduces section 188 of the existing Act with one amendment. The exemption, by clause (*a*) of section 188, of carriages, none of the wheels of which exceed 24 inches in diameter, from the payment of the tax on carriages has operated to exclude motor-cars and other similar vehicles having wheels which do not exceed 24 inches in diameter. As, however, there are no grounds for the exemption of such cars, it is desirable that the provisions of the above-mentioned clause should be repealed.

Clause 185.

Sub-clause (2); proviso.—This proviso has been added with the object of making it clear that the tax leviable in respect of carriages and animals is not to be levied over again in any one half-year should such carriages or animals change hands during that period.

Clause 190.

This clause reproduces section 196 of the existing Act, with some verbal alterations made with a view to make the intention clearer.

Clauses 191 and 192.

These clauses introduce new provisions for imposing a yearly tax on dogs. These provisions are much the same as those relating to the tax on carriages and animals, except that the license will be an annual one and all licensed dogs will be required to carry a number-ticket, (*See paragraph IX of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

CHAPTER XIII.

Clause 193.

This clause reproduces section 198 of the existing Act, the wording of which has been altered so as to get rid of the separate references to "persons" and "associations" in view of the definition of "person" in section 3(*32*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, which includes companies and associations. A similar change has been made in other clauses where the word "person" occurs. The first proviso is new and is designed to meet the contention that the grant of a license under section 198 is some sort of guarantee that the licensee will not be required to secure any other license which he may be required, under other sections of the existing Act, to take out in order to enable him to carry on his business in the manner in which he desires. The tax on trades and professions is merely a means of raising revenue, and the Commissioner is bound, under section 198 of the existing Act, to grant the necessary license; but it was never intended that the grant of such license should exempt the holder from taking out any other license under the law. As, however, the point is sometimes disputed, it is considered advisable to insert in the Bill a provision which will make the position quite clear.

Ben Act I of 1899

Clause 194.

This clause is the same as section 199 of the existing Act, with the exception that some of the particulars required to be stated in every license under the existing law now form part of the general requirements governing the issue of licenses which are contained in clause 501.

Clause 196.

This clause reproduces section 201 of the existing Act, but it is proposed to make its provisions applicable to owners as well as to occupiers of premises.

CHAPTER XIV.

Clauses 197 and 198.

These clauses reproduce sections 203 and 204 of the existing Act, respectively, but introduce provisions for the levy of the scavenging-tax on account of markets. A very large quantity of refuse accumulates on premises which are used as markets, and the intention of section 203 of the existing Act (read with Schedule IX) evidently was that this scavenging-tax should also be payable in the case of markets; but the reference to the number of animals kept has given rise to the interpretation that such a tax can only be levied in the case of cattle markets. The new provision in these clauses meets this difficulty. In clause 197 it is considered unnecessary to provide for the fixing of any rates other than those prescribed in Schedule VIII, which have been carefully calculated according to the cost of removing the refuse. It is not proposed to retain in the Bill the power to make by-laws for prescribing rates for license-fees which is given by section 203 of the existing Act, or the provisions *re* preparation of half-yearly lists of licensees which are incorporated in section 205 of that Act.

CHAPTER XV.

This Chapter corresponds to Chapter XVI of the existing Act and is almost identical with it. The changes made are purely verbal.

CHAPTER XVI.

Clause 201.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 208 and 210 of the existing Act.

Clause 202.

Sub-clause (*1*) corresponds to section 209(*1*) of the existing Act, but it is proposed to provide for an enhanced fee in the case of carts propelled by mechanical power and of trailers drawn by such carts. This is intended to meet the case of motor-lorries and road-trains, which do a great deal of damage to the roads and which at present pay the same fee as bullock carts. A provision has also been introduced for making a charge of one rupee for the number-plates to be affixed to carts, such fee being returnable if the number-plate is given back in serviceable condition. At present cheap locally-made number-plates are affixed which are frequently imitated. It is proposed, therefore, to use enamelled number-plates in future, which will be more expensive, but which it will be difficult to imitate.

Clause 203.

This clause provides for the registration of cart-drivers and for the assignment of a number-ticket to each driver. The necessity for this has been explained in the Statement of Objects and Reasons. (*See paragraph X thereof.*)

Clause 204.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 209(*4*) of the existing Act which it is thought desirable to insert as a separate clause in the Bill.

CHAPTER XVII.

Clause 216.

This clause introduces provisions for the issue of a fresh warrant for the recovery of the balance of the sum due, if the sale proceeds of the property distrained under the original warrant are not sufficient to cover the whole of such sum.

Clause 218.

The provisions of section 223 of the existing Act do not cover the case of a purchaser of a share of any land or building. It is proposed to remedy this defect by extending the provisions of this clause to such purchasers.

Clause 224.

It is proposed to authorize the Commissioner to realize the carriage and horse tax from hackney-carriage owners in the same way as from other owners of horses and carriages. The exception made in section 229(*1*) of the existing Act with regard to hackney-carriage owners is apparently based upon section 190 of that Act, which provides that hackney-carriages shall not be registered under the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1891, until the carriage and horse tax has been paid; but hackney-carriage owners ordinarily keep a certain number of spare horses the tax on which cannot be realized under the provisions of section 190. The provisions of this clause will facilitate the levying of the tax on all horses owned and used by hackney-carriage owners.

Ben. Act II of 1891.

Clause 228.

This clause corresponds to section 233 of the existing Act, but it has been considered desirable to apply the provisions of certain other sections, besides those already mentioned in sub-section (*2*) of that section, to the case of a warrant of distress issued for the recovery of certain taxes other than the consolidated rate.

Clause 229.

This clause provides for the seizure of the goods of hawkers who have not taken out a license. This is the only available method of realizing the tax in such cases, as it is impossible to trace these hawkers and to apply to them the ordinary provisions for the recovery of taxes. A similar power is given by section 214 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, with regard to vehicles which have not paid toll.

Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 231.

In addition to reproducing the provisions of section 235 of the existing Act this clause provides specifically for striking off the books irrecoverable demands, other than demands on account of the consolidated rate or any other tax. At present the Chairman, in the exercise of his ordinary executive authority, orders such sums as he considers to be irrecoverable to be written off, but it is considered desirable to make specific provision for this in the Bill.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Clause 233.

This clause provides for the continuation of the supply of unfiltered water wherever it is already being supplied, and leaves it to the discretion of the Corporation to extend the supply to any part of Calcutta in which it does not exist.

Clause 234.

This clause combines the provisions of sections 238 and 239 of the existing Act; but the power of the Corporation under the latter section to supply unfiltered water to bathing platforms is done away with, as unfiltered water is considered insanitary for bathing purposes and as filtered water can now easily be supplied to all bathing platforms.

Clause 235.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 240 of the present Act, but gives the Corporation power to provide hydrants in the filtered as well as in the unfiltered water systems.

Clause 236.

This clause makes it clear that a pressure of not less than 40 feet must be kept up in the municipal mains for the supply of filtered water throughout the 24 hours, though power is given to the Corporation to authorize a lower pressure, if necessary.

Clause 238.

This clause combines the provisions of sections 244 and 245 of the existing Act, but provides for the use of filtered water to extinguish fire in case of emergency.

Clause 240.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 247 (*2*) of the existing Act, but the last part of that sub-section is not included as it is considered unnecessary.

Clause 241.

It is proposed to increase the free allowance of filtered water from 4,000 to 5,000 gallons for every rupee of water-rate; but as no separate water-rate is now imposed, the allowance has been calculated on the consolidated rate on the assumption that the water-rate would be six *per cent.* out of a total consolidated rate of twenty *per cent.* This calculation would give a free allowance of fifteen hundred gallons for every rupee paid as the consolidated rate. It is also provided that the free allowance shall in no case be less than twenty, or more than fifty, gallons per head per day, calculated upon the ordinary number of persons residing on the premises. In the case of the poor, a free allowance, based solely on the amount of rates paid, sometimes causes hardship, and it is thought that every person ought to be entitled to at least twenty gallons of filtered water a day irrespective of the rates which he pays. On the other hand, it is considered that fifty gallons per head per day is more than sufficient for anybody, and it is proposed to limit the free allowance to this quantity, even though the valuation of the premises would entitle the occupier to a much larger supply. In the possible contingency of the Corporation hereafter deciding to discontinue the unfiltered water-supply, power is given to the Local Government to increase the free allowance of filtered water.

Clause 242.

This clause permits the occupier of any premises to bring into the premises a supply of filtered water and also of unfiltered water. Under section 249 of the existing Act it is only the occupier of a masonry building who is permitted to have water connection. It is proposed to allow such connections to any premises whether consisting of buildings or open lands or both, with the reservation, as provided in clause 247, that huts shall not be directly connected with the water-supply except for the purpose of flushing privies attached to them.

Clause 245.

This clause corresponds to section 282 of the existing Act which has thus been transposed to a more appropriate position.

Clause 246.

This clause corresponds to section 253 of the existing Act, but the word "premises", as including buildings as well as land, has been substituted for the word "building." In proviso (*a*) power is given to the Commissioner to pay the cost of connecting any premises with the water-supply under this clause out of the Municipal Fund if the owner is too poor to bear the same.

Clause 247.

This clause introduces provisions to prohibit the direct connection of a hut to the water-supply except for the purpose of flushing a connected-privy attached to the hut. [*See note on clause 242.*]

Clause 248.

Sub-clause (*1*), *proviso*, reproduces the proviso to section 254 of the existing Act with the additional requirement that only filtered water is to be supplied in cases where the Commissioner thinks that the supply of unfiltered water may lead to contamination.

Clause 250.

This clause provides for the contingency of the Corporation desiring to discontinue the unfiltered water-supply. No such proposal is actually in contemplation now, but it is undesirable that the Corporation should be legally bound to maintain an unfiltered water-supply, even though it might be more satisfactory to substitute filtered water for it.

Clause 253.

This clause introduces provisions based on section 273 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. It is certainly desirable that the Corporation should own and maintain all service water-pipes and fittings in streets, but the expenses and responsibility of maintaining them are considerable. It is desirable, however, that the Corporation should have the power of taking over such pipes and fittings, if they are willing to undertake the expense of maintaining them. Bom. Act III of 1888

Clause 255.

It is proposed to give the Commissioner a free hand in the matter of fixing water-meters. In some cases such meters are fixed in whole districts. The provisions of sub-sections (*2*), (*4*) and (*5*) of section 270 of the existing Act have not been included in the Bill. They were inserted in the Act for the purposes of the then proposed block-meter system, which was subsequently abandoned. No occupier ever applies to have a meter attached to his premises, and there is no reason why he should do so.

Clause 256.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 271 of the existing Act, but introduces new provisions to deal with matters which have given rise to difficulties under the existing law. If there are several separate occupiers in a building it is impossible to ascertain which of them has used more than the allowable quantity of water, and the only method of realizing the excess charge is to make the owner pay it and recover from his tenants. This is provided for in sub-clause (*2*). Sub-clauses (*3*) and (*4*) deal with cases in which there is a change of occupier during a quarter. They make the last occupier liable for the whole excess unless he has had the meter read at the time when he came into occupation.

Clause 258.

This clause is necessary in view of the fact that the rules regulating the use, maintenance and testing, etc., of meters have been transferred to Schedule XIII. (*See paragraph II of Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 259.

Sub-clause (*1*) is taken from section 286 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. When a meter, for instance, is tampered with in private premises, it is almost impossible to discover the offenders. It is therefore proposed to provide that the occupier shall be presumed to be liable, until the contrary is proved. • Bom. Act III of 1888

Sub-clause (*2*) merely reproduces the provisions of section 276 (*2*) of the existing Act, which, it is thought, fall more appropriately into this place.

Clause 260.

This clause reproduces the existing section except that two other municipalities have been added, namely, Panihati and Tollyganj.

Clause 264.

Three new sub-clauses (*h*), (*i*) and (*j*) have been added to the provisions of section 283 (*1*) of the existing Act. The first explains itself. The second is intended to enable the supply of water to be cut off without 24 hours' notice in cases in which a tap is found missing and the water is running continuously to waste. Such cases are by no means uncommon. The third additional sub-clause enables the Commissioner to cut off the water at once in order to prevent damage to the public street. Provision has also been made in sub-clause (*2*) of this clause for realizing the cost of restoring the connection as well as that of cutting it off, but it is proposed to exclude from the application of this provision cases in which the connection is cut off in unoccupied premises and in premises declared unfit for human habitation.

CHAPTER XIX.

Clause 271.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 290 and 291 of the existing Act. Power has expressly been given to the Commissioner to carry municipal drains under buildings, as it has been held that "land" in section 290 (*1*) and (*2*) of the existing Act means vacant land not occupied by buildings.

Clause 272.

This clause corresponds to section 292 of the existing Act. It is proposed in sub-clause (*2*) to include the owner of a railway, private street, wall or other structure in the liability for the expenses of removing or otherwise dealing with the same under this clause. This is expedient as the "person offending" may be a contractor or a servant of the owner.

Clauses 281 and 282.

These clauses reproduce the existing sections 301 and 302, but it has not been thought necessary to retain in clause 281 any provisions dealing with the construction of new house-drains seeing that clause 282(*1*) adequately provides for such constructions. Section 301(*3*) now appears as clause 282(*2*). It is to be noted that the owner alone is made liable under these clauses.

Clause 284.

Sub-clause (*2*) corresponds to section 307 (*2*) of the existing Act, but further provides that the owner of the land on which a hut stands shall be liable for the cleansing, repair and maintenance of a surface drain constructed to serve such hut.

Sub-clause (*3*) is intended to meet the contention sometimes put forward that section 307 of the existing Act is the only section which empowers the municipal authorities to deal with the drainage of *bustees* or huts.

Clause 287.

The provisions of section 310 relating to the fees to be levied under the section and the manner of the recovery of such fees have not been included in this clause as they are covered by the general provisions of clauses 501(*2*) and 529.

Clause 288.

This clause corresponds to section 311 of the existing Act, but it has been amplified on the lines of section 247 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, which relates to bathing and washing place accommodation as well as to privy and urinal accommodation for new buildings. Bom. Act III of 1888

Clause 289.

This clause corresponds to section 312 of the existing Act, but has been amplified on the lines of section 248 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 290.

This clause lays down that the requisition referred to therein is to be made on the owner of the premises. The occupier is not to be called upon except in the circumstances mentioned in clause 303. (*See note on clause 303.*)

Clause 291.

This clause reproduces, with a few verbal alterations, the provisions of section 314 of the existing Act. It is proposed in the Bill to amalgamate the provisions of Schedules XV and XVI to the existing Act and include them in one Schedule.

Clause 296.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 320 of the existing Act, but empowers the Commissioner to cleanse or open out any house-drain which is obstructed and to direct that the owner or the occupier shall pay the expenses of the work.

Clause 297.

This clause relates to the position of cesspools and corresponds to section 304 of the existing Act and also to section 325, in so far as that section relates to cesspools. This clause also introduces provisions prohibiting the construction of a cesspool under any building or within a certain distance of a filtered water reservoir outside Calcutta, and empowers the Commissioner to approve the site of cesspools and to require a cesspool which has been illegally constructed to be removed or filled up.

Clause 298.

This clause corresponds to section 325 of the existing Act in so far as that section relates to receptacles for sewage or offensive matter other than cesspools. This clause, like clause 297, applies also to receptacles situated outside Calcutta.

Clause 302.

This clause corresponds to section 328 (*1*) and (*2*) of the existing Act, the Commissioner taking the place of the General Committee which it is proposed to abolish. The owner of the premises is made liable in all cases.

Clause 303.

This clause amplifies the provisions of section 315 of the existing Act, but is based on the same principle. The use of the words "owner or occupier" throughout Chapter XXI of the existing Act has given rise to difficulties. The work to be carried out is practically in every case work which should be carried out and paid for by the owner. It is, however, frequently very difficult to serve a requisition on, or enforce it against, the owner, and notices are therefore often served on the occupier who has to bear the cost of the work. This is inequitable. The proviso enables the occupier to recover from the owner expenses reasonably incurred by him on behalf of the owner.

Clause 304.

This clause introduces new provisions, based on section 260 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, and is intended to strengthen the hands of the Commissioner in an emergency. Sub-clause (*2*) empowers the Corporation to bear the expenses, in any suitable case, of work undertaken in these circumstances. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 306.

This clause corresponds to section 327 of the existing Act, but allows an appeal in certain cases not provided for under that section.

CHAPTER XX.

Clause 307.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 329 of the existing Act, but the condition as to publication within two months has not been included as it is spent.

Clause 309.

This clause corresponds to section 331 of the existing Act, but the Commissioner has been substituted for the Engineer as it is proposed to vest all executive powers and duties in the Commissioner.

Clause 310.

Sub-clause (*1*) corresponds to section 332 (*1*) of the existing Act with a new provision introduced to cover every kind of work done in connection with underground drains.

Clause 311.

This clause corresponds to section 333 of the existing Act. The special provisions in sub-section (*2*) of that section have not been included in the Bill as they are unnecessary, the Corporation being given a general power to prescribe fees for licensed plumbers for work done.

Clause 314.

This clause allows an appeal against an order of the Commissioner refusing to grant or to renew a license to a plumber.

CHAPTER XXI.

Clause 315.

Sub-clause (*2*) introduces provisions expressly empowering the Corporation to name public streets, as the provisions of section 348 of the existing Act have been relegated to a Schedule.

Clause 317.

This clause corresponds to section 338 of the existing Act, but provision has been made for oiling streets; and the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of that section have not been included as it has never been found necessary to resort to them in practice and as it is proposed to abolish the General Committee.

Clause 318.

This clause merely provides the authority necessary to give effect to the provisions of Schedule XV, to which several sections of this Chapter have been transferred. (*See para. II of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 319.

It has been held that platforms, verandahs and other projections are not "fixtures" within the meaning of section 341 of the existing Act, but "portions of the building" itself. The proposed amendments are intended to meet this difficulty.

Clause 320.

This clause reproduces section 342 of the existing Act, but makes the offender specifically liable, notwithstanding his liability to be prosecuted, to pay such expenses as may be incurred by the Commissioner in the removal of the obstructions in a public street.

Clause 321.

This clause corresponds to section 350 of the existing Act, but gives the Corporation power to prescribe both a "building-line" and a "street alignment" for any public street.

Clause 322.

This clause, which corresponds to section 351 of the existing Act, has been modified on the lines of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, as amended by the amending Act of 1915.

Ben. Act V of 1911.

Clause 323.

This clause corresponds to section 352 of the existing Act, but gives power to the Commissioner to take possession of any land not covered by buildings which is situated within a prescribed street alignment.

Clause 326.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 355 of the existing Act, but permits the alternative course of providing proper means of access for persons affected by the closing of a street.

Clause 327.

This clause corresponds to section 356 of the existing Act. Proviso (*b*) introduces provisions the effect of which will be to keep the lines of masonry buildings on both sides of a projected street forty feet apart, though the street itself may be less than forty feet wide, thus facilitating the future widening of streets.

Clause 328.

By this clause the provisions of clause 322 are made applicable, so far as may be, to public streets projected under clause 327.

Clause 329.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 357 (*1*) and (*2*) of the existing Act. The provisions of that section relating to abandonment of acquisition have not been included since new provisions dealing with the same subject have been introduced in clauses 330, 331 and 332.

Clauses 330, 331 and 332.

These clauses, which are on exactly the same lines as sections 78, 79 and 80, respectively, of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, correspond to the provisions of sub-section (*2*), proviso, and sub-sections (*3*) to (*6*) of section 357 of the existing Act. They follow the same principle as the existing law, but definitely lay down the procedure for the abandonment of acquisition of any land in consideration of special payment, for the recovery of money so payable and for the acquisition of the same land by a fresh declaration. Ben. Act V of 1911.

Clause 333.

This clause corresponds to section 358 of the existing Act. It is intended to help owners who wish to lay out private streets, but it is thought desirable that the Corporation should have power to compel owners to widen a street to the full width of forty feet.

Clause 336.

This clause reproduces section 361 of the present Act. The owner of a private street which is to be treated as provided in this clause is now among the persons who may be required to deal with the street in accordance with the requisition to be served hereunder.

Clause 337.

This clause corresponds to section 362 of the existing Act, but amalgamates the provisions of sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of that section. It requires the consent of a bare majority (instead of three-fourths) of the owners of buildings situated in a private street, or of the owners of the street or the owners or occupiers who have paid for the levelling, etc., of the street, before the Corporation may declare the same to be a private street.

Clause 338.

This clause provides for an appeal against any action taken by the Commissioner with the object of altering or demolishing a private street made or laid out in contravention of clause 333, and also against a notice issued under clause 319 (*1*) or 335 (*1*). An appeal is also provided for in the event of the Commissioner refusing to grant permission to the erection of, or addition to, a building on a site between a street alignment and the building line. [*Clause 322 (2).*]

CHAPTER XXII.

Clause 339.

This clause reproduces the provisions of section 363 of the existing Act, with such changes in the wording as are necessitated by the definition of "new building" in the Bill which will take the place of the definition of "re-erection" in the existing Act. A similar change in the wording has been made throughout the Bill.

Clause 340.

This clause empowers the Commissioner to settle all questions that may arise as to what is a site. Such questions have often given rise to much difficulty in applying the building rules.

Clauses 341 and 342.

These clauses introduce provisions for the licensing of building surveyors having certain qualifications to be prescribed by the Corporation, and for the making of rules for the guidance of such surveyors. (*See para. XII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 343.

This clause introduces provisions which require that the plans, elevations and sections, which are to be submitted with an application for sanction to erect a building, must be prepared by a licensed building surveyor.

Clause 344.

This clause corresponds to section 367 of the existing Act, but the distinction between "streets" and "localities" has been done away with and the clause does not now include any provision as to continuous buildings, this class of buildings having been dealt with in Schedule XVI to the Bill. The provisions of sub-clause (*f*) are intended for the purpose of improving the condition of huts in certain areas.

Clause 345.

This clause introduces provisions which will have the effect of restricting the erection of masonry buildings which do not abut on a street or to which there is no access by a pathway at least sixteen feet in width. Sub-clause (*2*) provides that such a pathway shall not at any future time be encroached upon by any other building. The object of these provisions is to prevent buildings being erected without any proper means of access to them.

Clause 346.

This clause enables the Commissioner to require existing public buildings to be brought into conformity with the building rules applicable under the Bill to new public buildings.

Clause 347.

This clause introduces provisions which will have the effect of prohibiting the change in user of a building, an exception being made in favour of buildings which are used as shops in areas in which shops are not prohibited. This exception is a concession to the common practice of letting out or using portions of dwelling-houses as shops and to the need for certain kinds of shops (*e.g.*, small grocery shops) in residential areas.

Clause 348.

This clause corresponds to section 391 of the existing Act, but sub-section (*1*) of that section is now no longer necessary. Power is given to

the Commissioner to direct, on application made to him, that in any particular case the building rules need not apply to alterations of, or additions to, a building; but provision is made at the same time in clause 350 for an appeal against a refusal by the Commissioner to grant such an application. An *Explanation* has also been added to make it quite clear that, for the purposes of clause 348, alterations of, and additions to, a building shall not include any work of re-erection or re-construction which would be covered by the definition in clause 3(*36*). The provisoes to section 391(*2*) of the existing Act, as also sub-section (*3*) to that section, have not been included as they are unnecessary in view of the form now taken by this clause.

Clause 350.

This clause provides for appeals to the Buildings Appeals Committee against certain orders of, or notices issued by, the Commissioner under this Chapter.

CHAPTER XXIII.

Clause 352.

The definition in section 3(*5*) of the existing Act limits a "*bustee*" to plots of land exceeding 10 *cottahs* in area or (in the case of contiguous plots) exceeding one *bigha* in area. In view of the altered definition of "*bustee*" in clause 3 of the Bill it is thought desirable to restrict the powers of the Corporation to improve a *bustee* to plots exceeding one *bigha* in area.

Clause 353.

This clause reproduces section 400 of the existing Act, but the opening words have been modified so as to make the object of the clause quite clear. A reference to "wells and low lands" has also been introduced in sub-clause (*f*) as being much needed. The change in the provisions of section 400 (*3*) of the existing Act is necessitated by the omission from the Bill of the definition of "*bustee* land".

Clause 354.

The provision in section 401 of the existing Act, requiring the Commissioner to prepare a plan within a further period of sixty days, has not been included in the clause, as this is considered too short a period in the case of large *bustees*. The charge of three rupees per *bigha*, as prescribed by section 401 (*4*) of the present Act, is inadequate to cover the actual cost of preparing a plan, and it is accordingly proposed in sub-clause (*4*) to increase it to five rupees.

Clause 357.

This clause corresponds to section 404 of the existing Act, which has been recast. It is thought unnecessary to enforce the re-erection of huts which have been taken down. All that is required is that huts which do not conform to the standard plan should be removed. It is also thought desirable to have a more specific provision as to the payment of compensation for huts removed.

Clause 358.

The main difference between this clause and section 405 of the existing Act is that it is now proposed herein to give the Commissioner the additional power of making requisitions in respect of the water-supply and bathing arrangements for huts.

Clause 359.

Sub-clause (*1*).—The use of the term "medical officer" in section 406 (*1*) and the term "officers" in section 406 (*2*) of the existing Act has led to the contention that the persons employed to make the inspection must be officers of the Corporation. To meet this contention it is proposed to substitute the phrase "persons appointed in that behalf" for the word "officers" and the phrase "medical practitioner" for "medical officer". It is also proposed to insert "registered" before "medical practitioner", this alteration being desirable in view of the provisions of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914.

Ben. Act VI of 1914

Sub-clauses (*2*) *and* (*3*).—It is proposed to make it quite clear by these two sub-clauses that urgent and deferred improvements, respectively, are to be specified in separate Schedules annexed to the report.

Sub-clause (*5*) is introduced so as to enable the report to be used in evidence without calling as witnesses the persons who submitted it.

Clause 360.

The wording of section 407 of the existing Act has been recast. It is thought undesirable to prescribe a period of six months or any other period within which the plan must be considered and approved.

Clause 361.

This clause reproduces section 408 of the existing Act, but notices may now be served separately on owners and occupiers of huts and owners of the land in the *bustee*. In practice, it is often found necessary to require hut owners to demolish portions of their huts and the owners of the land to carry out other improvements.

Clause 362.

It is proposed that the expenses incurred by the Commissioner when carrying out improvements in a *bustee*, in default of the owners or occupiers, should be a charge on the *bustee*.

Clause 364.

This clause is the same as section 411 of the existing Act except that it now specifies the different steps which the Corporation may take on receipt of a report, under clause 359, relating to the sanitary condition of a *bustee*.

Clause 365.

The wording of section 412 of the existing Act has been recast with a view to differentiating quite clearly between the carrying out of improvements to be taken in hand forthwith and those to be deferred for action under the previous clauses. [*See note on clause 359 (2).*]

Clause 369.

This clause reproduces section 416 of the existing Act. Having regard, however, to the provisions of clause 353(*2*) of the Bill, it is proposed in sub-clause (*1*) to refer to "passages" as well as to "streets", and in sub-clause (*2*) to provide for the free access of municipal scavenging carts inside *bustees*.

Clause 370.

This clause introduces new provisions which are intended to render the bathing and privy accommodation in a *bustee* available to all the tenants. It is sometimes contended that the owner is entitled to restrict the use of such accommodation.

Clause 371.

This clause provides for the proper maintenance, by the owner, of all *bustee* improvements for which there is no provision under the existing law.

Clause 374.

The wording of section 419 of the existing Act (to which this clause corresponds) has been considerably altered so as to facilitate the application of its provisions. These, as at present framed, have almost brought the working of Chapter XXVI of the existing Act to a standstill. Under the existing law a *bustee* owner on whom a notice has been served to demolish a hut or to carry out improvements in the *bustee* is able to defeat the law by serving a notice on the Chairman under section 419 (*1*) and thereby gaining six months' time under section 419(*3*), during which the period of limitation for prosecutions prescribed by section 631 runs out. It is proposed to limit the application of this clause to plots of land bearing a separate number in the assessment-book, and to provide in clause 539 that a fresh period of limitation for prosecutions shall be computed from the expiration of the six months allowed by clause 374 (*3*). [*See note on clause 539.*] Sub-clause (*5*) is inserted with a view to meet the case in which an owner first gets his land excluded from a *bustee* and then proceeds to re-build huts without making improvements as required by the standard plan of the *bustee*. Sub-clause (*6*) introduces a necessary provision which will enable the Corporation to cancel or modify the standard plan when huts in a *bustee* are removed under sub-clause (*3*).

Clause 375.

This clause is based on rule 37A of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, the provisions of which it is thought desirable to incorporate in the Bill in this place. It is proposed to make the clause applicable to areas in which huts are likely to be erected, as well as to existing *bustees*. It is in respect of such areas that its provisions will, it is thought, prove most useful.

Clause 376.

This clause gives further effect to clause 375. It is considered that seven years is a sufficiently long period to allow for the life of a hut, and it will be to the interest of hut owners, when repairing or rebuilding during that period, to conform to the prescribed alignments; for, after seven years, they may be required to remove huts which do not so conform.

Clause 377.

This clause reproduces rule 16A of Schedule XVII to the existing Act (which also it is proposed to include in this Chapter), with some modifications of drafting. The provisions of clause (*b*) of rule 16A have not been included as they would militate against clauses 369 (*1*) and 375 (*5*), under which streets and passages in *bustees* remain private streets.

Clause 380.

This clause introduces provisions allowing appeals to the General Appeals Committee from orders and notices by the Commissioner under certain clauses of this Chapter.

CHAPTER XXIV.

Clause 381.

This clause reproduces section 449 of the existing Act, which, however, applies only to "work done". It is proposed to extend the application of this clause to existing structures which the owner undertakes to demolish when applying for sanction to erect a new building but which he subsequently leaves standing. The reference to 'occupiers' in proviso (*a*) has been omitted as, in practice, it has been found that section 449 has never been applied to occupiers. A similar omission has been made in clause 382. Proviso (*b*) is new and is intended to meet the contention, put forward in some cases, that section 449 of the existing Act cannot apply to a building which has been already valued for purposes of assessment.

Clause 382.

This clause reproduces section 450 of the existing Act with alterations in the wording and in the order of the sub-clauses made to correspond to the rearranged provisions of the existing Act as reproduced in the Bill. It is thought desirable that this clause should apply in the case of a building required to be demolished as unfit for human habitation, and this is provided for in sub-clause (*5*). Cases in which buildings erected between a street alignment and the building-line of streets or projected streets may be required to be removed have also been included. A new proviso (*ii*), similar to proviso (*b*) in clause 381, has also been introduced. [*See note on clause 381.*]

Clause 383.

This clause reproduces section 451 of the existing Act, with the introduction of new provisions intended to strengthen the hands of the Commissioner in stopping the erection of buildings unlawfully commenced or carried on. It is thought very desirable that unlawful construction should be effectively stopped in its early stages.

CHAPTER XXV.

Clause 384.

This clause reproduces section 422 of the existing Act, but makes it clear that gas and oil lamps may be fixed, and gas-pipes laid under, across or over, any immovable property. Sub-clause (*3*) amplifies the provision in section 422(*2*) of the existing Act which exempts the Chairman from all liability to claims for compensation.

Clause 385.

This clause reproduces section 427 of the existing Act, but gives the Commissioner discretion to make the owner of the unlawful structures, or the actual person offending, liable for the expenses incurred in removing the same.

Clause 386.

This clause is made up of sections 429 and 433 of the existing Act, but no material alterations have been made.

Clause 387.

This clause reproduces section 430 of the existing Act except sub-section (*5*), the provisions of which are embodied in a separate clause. [*See* note on clause *393*.]

Clause 388.

This clause corresponds to section 431 of the existing Act, but its provisions have been made applicable to premises in which building operations are being carried on.

Clause 389.

This clause corresponds to section 435 of the existing Act. It is thought desirable that express provision should be made for maintaining an establishment for the scavenging of streets and premises as well as for the removal of sewage.

Clause 392.

This clause amplifies the provisions of section 459 of the existing Act by empowering the Commissioner to construct places as swimming baths and for washing clothes.

Clause 393.

The provisions of sections 428 and 430 (*5*) of the existing Act have been combined in this clause.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Clauses 394 and 395.

It is considered unnecessary that this Chapter should be placed in a separate Part, as in the existing Act. It has accordingly, in the Bill, been included in Part V. The clauses of the Chapter reproduce sections 554 and 555 (Chapter XLI) of the existing Act.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Clause 396.

In rearranging the provisions of the existing Act it is proposed to relegate all the sections of Chapter XXIX, except sections 444 and 445, to a new Schedule. (*See paragraph II of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 397.

This clause reproduces section 444 of the existing Act, but extends its application to a portion of a building, and makes provision for inspection by the Commissioner and for the prevention of the further use of condemned buildings or portions thereof.

Clause 398.

This clause is based on section 18 of the Housing of the Working Classes Act (9 Edw. 7, c. 44) and is intended to compel owners of uninhabitable houses either to render them habitable or to demolish such houses.

Clause 399.

This clause is based on the provisions of section 379 of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Those provisions have been found to be most useful in Bombay in preventing overcrowding in buildings, and it is believed that they will prove equally efficacious in Calcutta. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 401.

Under the existing law the Chairman has no power to prevent any objectionable enlargement or extension of an existing factory or workshop. This clause reproduces section 463 of the existing Act, but gives the Commissioner the required power.

Clause 402.

Sub-clause (*3*) reproduces section 467 of the existing Act, but omits, as unnecessary, the reference in the proviso to that section to licenses under Schedule II, which are trade or professional licenses and quite distinct from licenses granted in respect of premises.

Clause 407.

This clause introduces provisions which require the production of a certificate from the Commissioner before a license in respect of eating-houses and hotels is granted under the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866, or the Calcutta Police Act, 1866, or the Bengal Excise Act, 1909. It is considered essential that the Corporation should have some control over the sanitary condition of eating-houses and hotels. The provisions of the existing law relevant to this matter are sections 18 to 24 of the Calcutta Suburban Police Act, 1866, sections 35 to 41 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866, and sections 20 to 23 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909. Ben. Act II of 1866. Ben. Act IV of 1866. Ben. Act V of 1909.

Clause 408.

This clause introduces provisions for the licensing and control of theatres and other places of public amusement. Under the existing law there are no such provisions, and the want of them has long been felt by the Corporation.

Clause 409.

This clause allows an appeal to the General Appeals Committee from the action or orders of the Commissioner under certain sections of this Chapter.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

Clause 410.

This clause is practically identical with section 477 of the existing Act, but the opportunity has been taken to provide in it for the construction and maintenance, etc., of municipal stock-yards which, at present, the Corporation cannot undertake.

Clause 413.

Owing to the very large number of Hindi-speaking people in Calcutta, it is thought desirable to require both here, and in other clauses in the Bill where the posting of notices in various languages is provided for, that such notices should be printed in Hindi as well as in Bengali, English and Urdu.

Clause 414.

Sub-clause (1) (a) reproduces the provisions of sections 481 (*a*) and 482 of the existing Act, but it is thought desirable to do away with the exception in favour of markets registered under the Calcutta Markets Act, 1871, because that Act has long been repealed and because there is no special reason why these markets should not be placed on the same footing as other markets. Proviso (*iv*) to section 481 has not been included for the same reason. Ben. Act VIII of 1871

Sub-clause (2) corresponds to section 481 (*2*) of the existing Act, but the provisions of that section requiring the payment of fees for licenses have been omitted as they are covered by clause 501 (*2*).

Clause 418.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 486 and 487 of the existing Act.

Clause 419.

Sub-clause (a) reproduces section 489 (*a*) of the existing Act with a provision which will enable the levying of a charge for the feeding of animals kept in a municipal slaughter-house or stock-yard before they are ready for slaughter.

CHAPTER XXIX.

Clause 422.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 493 and 494 of the existing Act which, to a certain extent, overlap one another.

Clause 423.

This clause provides for the licensing of milk dealers and sellers and is based on section 412A of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888 (as amended by Bom. Act VI of 1913). Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 424.

Sub-clause (*1*) corresponds to sub-section (*1*) of section 495 of the existing Act. It is proposed to prohibit absolutely the sale, or the making or storing for sale, of any "adulterated" food or drug, and, to give effect to this object, the qualifying words "to the prejudice of the purchaser," occurring in that sub-section, have been omitted. (*See definition of "adulterated" in clause 3, and also paragraph XIV of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 425.

This clause, which is based upon sections 415 and 417A of the city of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, prohibits the sale of certain articles of food which are not of the prescribed standard or quality. This goes further than the prohibition of the sale of "adulterated" articles, but the evils resulting from the widespread adulteration of articles of food which are in everyday use, and especially of milk, *ghee* and mustard oil, require that stringent measures should be taken to stop the adulteration of these articles altogether. Sub-clause (*2*) is designed to prevent persons from defeating the law by selling similar articles under similar names. The provisions of sub-clause (*5*) are intended as a safeguard against the institution of proceedings without proper justification. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Clause 426.

This clause is based on section 3 of the Butter and Margarine Act, and is designed to be a further check on the adulteration of certain articles mentioned in the last preceding paragraph. 7 Edw. 7, c 21.

Clause 427.

Sub-clause (*1*) reproduces section 496 of the existing Act with the wording modified in consequence of the new definition of "food" in the Bill, and prohibits manufacturing and keeping as well as selling and exposing for sale.

Sub-clause (*2*) is on the same lines as section 495(*3*) of the existing Act.

Clause 428.

This clause corresponds to section 497 of the existing Act, but it now provides for the licensing of drug shops instead of mere registration.

Clause 431.

This clause corresponds to section 500 of the existing Act, under which places where indigenous drugs or medicines are sold are exempted from registration under section 497. At present the Corporation can exercise no control over such places and there have been complaints that in these places poisons are not kept separate from non-poisonous drugs. It is proposed, therefore, to give the Corporation some control over such places by requiring them to be licensed under clause 428 in common with other drug shops.

Clause 432.

This clause corresponds to section 501 of the existing Act, but the provisions of sub-section (*2*) of that section have not been included as they are covered by clause 510 (*3*).

Clause 433.

Sub-clause (*1*).—It is considered very necessary that the Commissioner should be empowered to make provision for the inspection of articles of food during manufacture. It is proposed by this sub-clause to give him the necessary power.

Clause 434.

Sub-clause (*3*) introduces new provisions which are intended to enable the Commissioner to retain in custody suspected food or drugs until samples are taken and analysed, the object being to avoid the difficulties and expense of removing such articles before it is ascertained whether they should be condemned or not. These provisions will also prevent the disposal of the same before they are actually seized and removed by the municipal authorities.

Clause 435.

This clause reproduces section 504 of the existing Act, the provisions of which, however, apply only to food. There is no reason why the provisions relating to the destruction of food, and the expenses thereof, should not apply to all the articles included in section 503, and the provisions of this clause are, therefore, made applicable to all those articles. Reference to section 505 of the existing Act will show that this, apparently, was the intention of that Act, but that the drafting of section 504 was defective.

Clause 437.

Sub-clause (*1*) reproduces section 507(*1*) of the existing Act, but enables the Commissioner to authorize persons, other than municipal officers or servants, to take action under this provision. The reason for this amendment is that the Municipal Food Inspectors (to whom the Chairman usually delegates his powers by virtue of section 18) are well known to all vendors, who make it a practice not to sell to these Inspectors whenever they can find a pretext for not doing so.

Sub-clause (*2*).—It is here proposed to give to the Commissioner power, similar to that conferred by sub-clause (*1*), to compel the sale to him, during manufacture, of any food or drug the soundness of which he may desire to test. This is considered to be a very necessary provision in view of the frequent practice of adulteration of food while in process of manufacture.

Sub-clause (*3*).—By this sub-clause it is proposed to enable the Commissioner to take samples, for the purpose of analysis, of any food which is in transit in Calcutta or stored in any place in Calcutta. The price of any sample taken will be payable to the owner on demand within one month from the date of surrender of the same.

Sub-clause (*4*).—This sub-clause reproduces the existing sub-section (*2*) of section 507, but its provisions have been made applicable to samples taken under the proposed sub-clause (*2*). Division into three parts has been made compulsory following the English precedent.

Sub-clause (*6*).—This sub-clause is complementary to the proposed sub-clause (*3*), and provides the procedure to be followed upon action taken under that sub-clause.

Sub-clause (*7*) is intended to give probative value to the report of the analyst employed by the Corporation, so that it will not be necessary to call him as a witness in every case.

Clause 439.

This clause is based on section 497(*3*) of the existing Act and allows an appeal to the General Appeals Committee against a refusal by the Commissioner to grant licenses in certain cases.

CHAPTER XXX.

Clause 440.

This clause reproduces section 513 of the existing Act, but provides that information of dangerous diseases shall be given to the Commissioner instead of to the Health Officer. This change, it is thought, will prove to be more convenient for purposes of administration since the Commissioner will be able to delegate his authority in this matter to such officers as he thinks fit. A similar change has been made throughout this Chapter for the same reason.

Clause 442.

It is proposed in this clause to extend the application of the provisions of section 515 of the existing Act by a general reference to "domestic purposes."

Clause 443.

Sub-clause (*1*) reproduces section 516(*1*) of the existing Act with an alteration in the wording intended to exclude cases where the patient can be effectually segregated without being sent to hospital.

Clause 444.

Sub-clause (*1*).—This sub-clause reproduces sub-section (*1*) of section 517 of the present Act, but the application of its provisions has been extended to tanks, pools or wells adjacent to a building as, for obvious reasons, it may sometimes be desirable to disinfect them.

Clause 446.

The *Explanation* reproduces the provisions of section 519(*2*) of the existing Act, which are, strictly speaking, in the nature of an explanation.

Clause 447.

Sub-clause (*3*).—Under section 520(*3*) of the existing Act the Chairman may require the disinfection or destruction of infected articles, but this provision has not proved very effective in practice as the requisition is frequently not complied with. It is therefore proposed in this clause to give power to the Commissioner to disinfect or destroy such articles in the first instance.

Clause 449.

Sub-clause (*1*).—In this sub-clause the provisions of sub-sections (*1*) and (*3*) of section 522 of the existing Act have been amalgamated.

Clause 453.

This clause is based on the proviso to section 518(*2*) of the existing Act, and allows an appeal to the General Appeals Committee in similar circumstances.

CHAPTER XXXI.

Clause 454.

Sub-clause (*4*) reproduces section 526(*4*) of the existing Act, with an alteration in the wording which is intended to include places for the disposal of the dead other than burial or burning grounds (*e.g.*, towers of silence). A similar change has been made in this Chapter wherever burial or burning ground is mentioned. The proviso is introduced to allow of the same Sub-Registrar being appointed for more than one such place, if necessary.

Sub-clause (*5*) merely reproduces section 528 of the existing Act.

Clauses 457 and 458.

These clauses correspond to sections 531 and 532 of the existing Act but are based on sections 446 and 449 of the Bombay Act (Bom. Act III of 1888.)

Clause 460.

This clause corresponds to section 536 of the existing Act, but it is considered desirable to provide for the production of a certificate by a medical practitioner registered under the Bengal Medical Act, 1914. Ben. Act V of 1914.

CHAPTER XXXII.

This Chapter corresponds to Chapter XL of the existing Act, but sections 549, 550 (*3*), 552, 553 of that Chapter have been omitted, as they are, in the Bill, adequately covered by the relevant provisions of clause 481. Apart from the above omissions, the few changes made in this Chapter are purely verbal.

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Clauses 474 to 477.

These clauses reproduce the provisions of sections 394 to 397 (*i.e.*, Chapter XXV) of the existing Act, which, it is thought, may conveniently be grouped in the same Chapter with the clauses which reproduce sections 556 to 558 (*i.e.*, Chapter XLII) of that Act, the subject-matter being analogous.

Clause 479.

Sub-clause (*c*) reproduces section 557(*d*) of the existing Act with alterations in the wording made to exclude land in a *bustee*. Under the existing law *bustee* land is valued differently from other land, and the same method of valuation is provided for in the Bill. It is considered, therefore, that the presumptive value of *bustee* land cannot satisfactorily be fixed in the same way as that of other land under the provisions of this sub-clause. The proviso to section 557(*d*) of the existing Act has not been included in the Bill as its provisions are spent and are therefore no longer required.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

Clause 481.

Sub-clause (1) introduces provisions dealing with municipal debentures which are much needed.

Sub-clause (3) takes the place of section 559 (*51*) of the existing Act, but empowers the Corporation to prescribe the maximum loads and the minimum width of tyres for carts. In this and other instances, the position of the sub-clause in the clause has been made to conform with the revised arrangement of Chapters and clauses in the Bill. (*Vide* foot-note to Chapter XLIII of the Reprint of Ben. Act III of 1899.)

Sub-clause (18) introduces provisions which are required owing to the great increase in the number of advertisements posted on boundary walls and in, or adjacent to, streets and other public places.

Sub-clause (21) provides for the making of by-laws to regulate the construction of verandahs, etc., in streets. This power is considered to be necessary so as to permit of supplementation of the provisions of section 340 of the existing Act, which deal with the construction of verandahs, etc., and which have now been relegated to Schedule XV.

Sub-clause (27) empowers the Corporation to make by-laws to take the place of the provisions of sections 423 to 426 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to omit from the Bill.

Sub-clause (28) similarly provides for the making of by-laws to cover the provisions of sections 432, 434 and 436 of the existing Act.

Sub-clause (29) provides for the making of by-laws in substitution for the provisions of sections 460, 461, 462 and 474 of the existing Act, and also reproduces the provisions of section 559 (*31*) of that Act.

Sub-clause (30) empowers the Corporation to make by-laws to deal with the subject-matter of sections 475 and 476 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to relegate to by-laws.

Sub-clause (31) similarly provides for the making of by-laws covering the provisions of sections 461 and 462 of the existing Act.

Sub-clauses (32), (33) and *(34)*, in which are included the provisions of clauses *(26)* and *(27)* of section 559, provide for the making of by-laws to take the place of the provisions of Chapter XXXI of the existing Act, which it is proposed to omit altogether from the Bill.

Sub-clause (39) introduces provisions for the making of by-laws regarding eating-houses and other similar places.

Sub-clause (40) reproduces the provisions of section 559 (*30*) of the existing Act, but also provides for the making of by-laws to cover the provisions of sections 464 (*1*), 465, 466 (*2*) and 473 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to relegate to by-laws.

Sub-clauses (41) and *(42)* introduce provisions for the making of by-laws which are much needed to ensure the public safety in places of public resort.

Sub-clauses (45) and *(46)* reproduce the provisions of section 559 (*34*) and (*35*), and also provide for the making of by-laws dealing with the subject-matter of the provisions of section 488 (*a*) and (*d*) of the existing Act, which it is proposed to relegate to by-laws.

Sub-clause (49).—In view of the fact that it is proposed to omit Chapter XXXVI of the existing Act, this sub-clause has been revised to bring it into line with clause 410 of the Bill, which provides for the use of correct weights in the municipal markets.

Sub-clause (53) provides for the making of by-laws to take the place of the provisions of sections 527, 529 (*2*), 530, 535, 537 and 544 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to relegate to by-laws.

Sub-clause (61) reproduces section 559 (*49*), and also provides for the making of by-laws to take the place of sections 549, 550 (*3*), 552 and 553 of the existing Act, which it is proposed to relegate to by-laws.

Sub-clause (63) in like manner provides for the making of by-laws to cover the provisions of sections 571 and 572 of the existing Act.

Clause 482.

Sub-clause (2) reproduces the provisions of section 464 (*2*) of the existing Act, it being proposed to relegate section 464 (*1*) to by-laws. [*See note on clause 481 (40).*]

Clause 483.

As it is considered that the maximum penalties imposable under by-laws should be enhanced, the necessary provision has been made here. This clause represents in the main section 561 of the existing Act.

Clause 484.

This clause introduces provisions empowering the Corporation, when making a by-law, to provide an appeal to the General Appeals Committee or to the Buildings Appeals Committee, as the case may be, against any order of the Commissioner made under such by-law. This is necessitated by the proposed relegation to by-laws of several of the provisions of the existing Act.

Clause 487.

This clause modifies section 567 of the existing Act by empowering the Local Government to amend all Schedules to the Bill except Schedules I and III. Schedule I fixes the boundaries of Calcutta for municipal purposes and Schedule III defines the boundaries of wards. Any alteration of those boundaries is considered undesirable as it would affect not only the elections but also the assessment periods for the wards, and would give rise to many other difficulties. The provisions of section 43(*2*) of the existing Act have for the same reasons not been included in the Bill.

Clause 490.

This clause corresponds to section 570 of the existing Act, but the wording has been altered so as to make it clear that by-laws, after they have been duly sanctioned and published, shall have the same force as law.

CHAPTER XXXV.

Clause 492.

This clause amalgamates the provisions of sections 574 and 575 of the existing Act for the sake of brevity and convenience. It seems to be unnecessary to have two separate sections containing a table, one dealing with maximum fines and the other with daily fines. Numerous alterations have also been made in the table consequential upon the re-arrangement of Chapters and the relegation of certain provisions to Schedules and by-laws; and several additions have been made to the table to cover certain existing as well as new provisions for which it has been thought necessary to provide a penalty. In regard to several entries in the table, it has also been thought desirable to make the punishment more severe by increasing the maximum amount of fine to be imposed.

Clause 495.

Sub-clause (*1*) reproduces section 578(*1*) of the existing Act, but the reference to "company, association or body of individuals" is omitted in view of the definition of "person" in section 3 (*32*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899. Ben Act of 1899.

Clause 496.

This clause reproduces section 579 of the existing Act, but clause 496(*a*) requires that the permission of the Commissioner mentioned therein must be in writing (*cf.* Schedule XVI rules 64 and 90). For the sake of convenience it is also proposed to include in the table, in clause 492 of the Bill, the penalties for offences against certain provisions which are at present included in section 579. The same remark also applies to sections 580 and 581 of the existing Act, which are not retained as separate clauses in the Bill, but have been provided for in clause 492.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

Clause 501.

Sub-clause (1) corresponds to section 586 (*1*) of the existing Act, but its provisions have been amplified so as to prescribe certain particulars which, it is proposed, should be specified in all licenses and written permissions.

Sub-clause (2) reproduces the provisions of section 586 (*2*) of the existing Act, with certain qualifications necessitated by the fact that the Bill in some cases provides for the charging of a fee while in others no such fee is chargeable.

The change in *sub-clause (4)* is consequential on the proposed establishment of a Buildings Appeals Committee.

Sub-clause (5) reproduces section 586 (*5*) of the existing Act with an alteration in the wording made in order to meet the suggestion that an order suspending or revoking a license can remain in force only for the period for which the license was granted, and that, on the expiration of that period, the licensee is entitled to renew his license, as a matter of right, in the ordinary course.

Clause 510.

Sub-clauses (2) and (3) introduce new provisions based on section 473 (*2*), section 501 (*2*) and other sections of the existing Act, which empower the Chairman to use necessary force in making an entry and provide that no claim for damages, caused by such entry, shall lie against him or any person acting under his orders. It has been considered more convenient to collect all these provisions in one place so as to make them apply generally to all entries which the Commissioner is empowered to make, except in such cases as are otherwise expressly provided for in the Bill.

Clause 512.

In the existing Act no penalty is provided for obstructing the Chairman in making an entry under the Act. This clause is intended to supply this omission, a penalty being provided in the table in clause 492.

Clauses 513 to 516.

These clauses correspond to sections 597 to 600 of the existing Act, but clause 514 introduces provisions requiring persons on whom a written notice has been served by any municipal authority to submit objections, if any, to the notice within a time now to be specified in the notice (under clause 513) itself.

Clauses 517, 518 and 519.

These clauses respectively correspond to sections 605, 606 and 607 of the existing Act, but do away with the approval by the General Committee or the Corporation which is at present required. It is proposed to allow the Commissioner to exercise the powers under these clauses without reference to the Corporation, and to provide for an appeal, in clause 518 (*2*), against a declaration by the Commissioner. The provisions of clause 518 have been made applicable also to rules and by-laws in view of the fact that several of the provisions of the existing Act have in the Bill been relegated to by-laws and Schedules. Clause 519 (*2*) makes the owner or occupier liable, but provides for the recovery by the occupier of any sum paid by him as improvement expenses. (*Cf. sections 315 and 612 of the existing Act.*)

Clause 522.

This clause corresponds to section 613 of the existing Act, but it is thought desirable, with a view to simplifying matters, that Receivers and other agents or trustees should obtain orders from the Court when in want of funds to fulfil any obligation under the municipal law.

Clause 523.

It is proposed in this clause to do away with the approval of the General Committee which is required by section 614 of the existing Act, but a proviso has been introduced requiring the previous sanction of the Corporation to payment by the Commissioner of any compensation exceeding one thousand rupees.

Clause 526.

This clause corresponds to section 617 of the present Act, but the exceptions mentioned in that section have, so far as they are necessary under the provisions of the Bill, been provided for in sub-clause (*2*).

Clause 529.

This clause corresponds to section 620 of the existing Act, but the wording has been altered so as to make it quite general in its application. It is on the lines of section 360 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, and is intended to prescribe a general method of recovery of all moneys due to the Corporation except such as are otherwise expressly provided for in the Bill. Ben. Act III of 1884

Clause 530.

In reproducing the provisions of section 621 of the existing Act, it is thought desirable to prescribe a definite period of limitation in respect of requisitions or orders made by written notice, since most of the proceedings under the existing Act are commenced by such notices.

Clauses 532, 533 and 534.

These clauses reproduce sections 623, 624 and 625 of the present Act, respectively. It is proposed, however, to include in these clauses a reference to the Chief Judge of the Court of Small Causes as well, and so render unnecessary the separate provisions contained in section 626 of the existing Act.

Clause 536.

Sub-clause (*1*).—It is desirable, in the interests both of the Hackney-Carriage Department and the owners of hackney-carriages, that offences against the Calcutta Hackney-Carriage Act, 1891, shall be triable by the Municipal Magistrate; and, in view of section 55(*1*) of that Act, it is considered necessary to have an express provision to this effect in the Bill. Ben. Act II of 1891

Sub-clauses (*2*) *and* (*3*).—The payment of the salaries, etc., of Municipal Magistrates by the Corporation direct has sometimes been considered objectionable. It is proposed therefore to make provision, by these sub-clauses, for the payment of the Municipal Magistrates' salary and allowances by the Local Government, the Corporation contributing the required amounts to Government. Provision has also been made for the payment of the Municipal Magistrates' establishment.

Clause 539.

Sub-clause 1 (*b*) is new and is inserted for the purpose of fixing a date from which the prescribed period of limitation is to run in those cases in which it is not easy to determine exactly when an offence was committed, *e.g.*, offences committed within private premises. This provision is taken from section 353 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884. Ben Act III of 1884

Sub-clause (*3*).—Under the existing law an offending *bustee* owner frequently escapes prosecution under section 404, 405 or 408 by sending to the Chairman a written notice under section 419, which gives the owner a fresh period of six months, so that the ordinary period of limitation for prosecutions [*i.e.*, three months from the offence as provided by section 631(*1*)] expires in the meanwhile. This new sub-clause is intended to meet such cases, for it prescribes a fresh period of limitation of three months from the expiration of the six months allowed by section 419(*3*) of the present Act, which is reproduced in clause 374 (*3*) of the Bill.

Clause 541.

This clause merely reproduces the provisions of section 152 of the existing Act which, it is thought, finds a more suitable place here.

Clause 543.

Sub-clause (1) (c) is new and is taken from section 156 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911. Ben. Act V of 1911.

Sub-clause (2).—It has sometimes been contended that the "right to sue," as referred to in section 634 (*2*) of the existing Act, does not accrue until after the service of the notice under section 634 (*1*), with the result that limitation is extended. The substitution of the phrase "cause of action" is designed to meet this contention.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Clause 546.

This clause corresponds to section 637 of the existing Act, but introduces provisions empowering the Local Government to include in Calcutta areas forming part of other municipalities, notwithstanding the provisions of sections 9 and 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884. At present these two sections control the provisions of sections 636 and 637 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899, with respect to the question of any such inclusion, and without the recommendation of the Commissioners of a municipality under section 9 of the former Act it is doubtful if any part of such municipality can legally be included within the Calcutta Municipality under section 637 of the latter Act. Sub-clause (*3*) of clause 546 of the Bill accordingly expressly excludes the application of sections 9 and 9A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884.

Ben. Act II of 1884.

Ben. Act II of 1899.

Ben. Act II of 1884.

Clauses 549 and 550.

Under sections 640 and 641 of the existing Act, the Local Government have the power to extend the Act, or any portion of it, to Howrah. It is proposed under the Bill to confer on the Government the same powers in respect of other neighbouring municipalities as well.

Clause 551.

Sub-clause (*2*).—As the Commissioner takes the place of the General Committee in exercising the power conferred by section 645 of the existing Act, it is thought desirable to provide for an appeal from orders issued by him in exercise of that power.

Clauses 554 to 556.

The position of these clauses in the Chapter has been changed in the general revision of the existing Act given effect to in the present Bill, but their substance remains unaltered.

Clause 561.

Sub-clause (*1*).—There are many references in other enactments (*e.g.*, in the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911), to the Chairman of the Corporation, and it is necessary that those references should be construed as references to the Commissioner who will take his place. Similarly references to the Municipal Commissioners should be construed as references to the Councillors, and references to the existing Act or to any portion of that Act as references to the proposed new Act or its corresponding portions.

Ben. Act V of 1911.

Sub-clause (*2*) introduces provisions which are necessitated by the proposed abolition of the General Committee, whose powers and functions it is proposed to re-distribute between the Corporation and the Commissioner. (*See paras. V and VI of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*)

Clause 562.

This clause is designed to save the application of prior enactments which are not intended to be affected by the Bill and are not specifically referred to therein. In the absence of such a saving clause it might be contended that the provisions of any prior enactment (*e.g.*, sections 57 and 88 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, or portions of the Indian Factories Act, 1911,) which are inconsistent with, or repugnant to, any of the clauses of the Bill, are repealed or otherwise affected by implication.

Ben. Act V of 1911.

Act XII of 1911.

SCHEDULE I.

The changes in this Schedule have been made at the instance of the Corporation.

SCHEDULE II.

Rule 1.

It is considered necessary that the table in Schedule II to the existing Act should be made more comprehensive, and with that object in view several new items have been added so as to enable the Corporation to tax trades and professions which under the existing law go free.

Rule 5.

This rule corresponds to rule 5 of existing Schedule II, but a modification has been made in the wording to make it clear that the license mentioned in the rule is to be taken out in respect of the business carried on in any place of business and not for the place of business itself.

Rule 8.

This rule corresponds to rule 8 of the existing Schedule II, but it now provides that where the business is carried on by the occupier of any place of business he, and not the owner of such place, shall take out the license.

Rule 11.

Sub-rule (*2*).—This sub-rule makes an alteration in the existing sub-rule (*2*) as it proposes to require the person who is directed to take out a license under a higher class (as provided therein) to take out such license not for the next following year but for the current year. It further provides for the refund of any sum paid by the person for any lower class license in substitution for which he is required to take out a license under a higher class.

Rule 13.

This rule corresponds to rule 13 of the existing Schedule, but two changes are made. In the first place, an appeal to the General Appeals Committee is provided in place of an appeal to a special Bench. Secondly, the right to appeal against an order made under proviso (*b*) to section 198 of the existing Act is taken away as it is considered that the making of such an order is of itself a matter of favour.

Rule 14.

This rule reproduces rule 14 of the existing Schedule II, with the addition of a proviso which will give the Corporation a month's time in which to deal with the petition from the date on which a notice of appeal to a Court of Small Causes is given under this rule.

SCHEDULES III AND IV.

Schedule III corresponds to Schedule III of the existing Act, but the ward boundaries have been considerably modified. Schedule IV is new and is necessitated by the proposed separate electorates for Mahomedan Councillors. *(See clause 48.)*

SCHEDULE V.

Rule 1.

This rule provides for the preparation of separate lists of ward-voters and Mahomedan voters, respectively. The proviso to this rule prohibits the inclusion of companies or other associations in the latter list in the first instance, but provision is made in rule 8 for the representation of any association on the Mahomedan list. (*See notes on clause 38.*)

Rule 8.

This rule requires that every association which has been included in the ward-voters' list shall authorize in writing one of its members to represent and vote for it, the name of such person being substituted for that of the association. Proviso (*a*) to sub-rule (*2*) will enable an association to be represented on the Mahomedan voters' list by choosing a Mahomedan as its representative, and proviso (*b*) sets out the procedure to be followed by the Commissioner in cases where more persons than one produce a written authority to vote for the same association.

Rule 9.

Sub-rule (*9*) empowers the Commissioner to expunge the name of any association from the ward-voters' list when no individual applies to be enrolled as the representative of such association.

SCHEDULE VI.

Rule 6.

Clause (6).—It is thought desirable that illiterate voters should be assisted by the polling-officer, but that officer should be required to maintain secrecy in regard to all votes polled in such circumstances. A provision to this effect has been inserted, and a sanction for breach of confidence has been inserted in clause 492.

SCHEDULE VII.

This Schedule corresponds to Schedule VIII of the existing Act, but separate provision has now been made in it for carriages propelled by mechanical power and electricity.

SCHEDULE VIII.

This Schedule corresponds to Schedule IX of the existing Act and is identical therewith save for the provision of a new fee, in the case of the owner or occupier of a market, for a license for the removal of offensive matter and rubbish from such market.

SCHEDULE IX.

This Schedule corresponds to Schedule X of the existing Act, and the changes made in it are trifling and purely consequential.

SCHEDULE X.

The form of warrant of distress provided by this Schedule reproduces the form contained in Schedule XI to the existing Act with such modifications as are necessitated by the proposed new provisions of clause 216.

SCHEDULE XI.

This Schedule is identical with Schedule XII of the existing Act and calls for no remarks.

SCHEDULE XII.

This Schedule is, save for two minor verbal alterations, identical with Schedule XIII of the existing Act.

SCHEDULE XIII.

Rules 1 to 6.

These rules reproduce the provisions of sections 256, 257, 258 (*1*) and 259 to 261, respectively, with such modifications as it seemed desirable to make the intention clearer. The table prescribing the size of ferrules set out in rule 4 reproduces the table in Schedule XIV to the existing Act, with an additional column prescribing a separate scale of ferrules for unfiltered water.

Rule 7.

This rule amalgamates the provisions of sections 262 and 263 of the existing Act and provides for prompt action by the Commissioner if a notice to repair defective fittings is not complied with within 48 hours.

Rule 8.

This rule corresponds to section 264 of the existing Act, but the Commissioner takes the place of the Engineer to the Corporation as it is proposed to transfer all purely executive functions to the Commissioner.

Rule 9.

This rule corresponds to section 274 of the existing Act, but as an error of two *per cent.* is rather a small margin to allow for meters in India, it is proposed to raise the permissible error to four *per cent.* This is provided for in sub-rule (*3*).

Rule 10.

This rule provides that, in calculating the amount to be paid under clause 256, double the rateable reduction should be allowed if a meter indicates more than four *per cent.* in excess of the correct quantity, and likewise prohibits any charge for excess consumption if the meter indicates more than ten *per cent.* in excess. It is also laid down in this rule that any reductions for incorrectness of the meter shall relate only to the quarter in which the occupier applies to have the meter tested under rule 9.

Rules 11, 12 and 13.

These rules reproduce the provisions of sections 275, 276(*1*) and 277 of the existing Act.

SCHEDULE XIV.

Rule 1.

This rule introduces provisions requiring every person who intends to construct or alter a house-drain to submit an application, with plans and specifications, to the Commissioner.

Rule 3.

This rule prescribes new measurements for the internal diameter of house-drains.

Rule 6.

This rule reproduces rule 5 of Schedule XV to the existing Act, but allows inlets to a house-drain to be made within the premises from the apparatus of connected-urinals or slop-sinks as well as from that of connected-privies. The reference to "water-closet" has been omitted as the proposed definition of connected-privy will include a water-closet.

Rule 7.

This rule corresponds to rule 6 of Schedule XV to the existing Act, but empowers the Corporation to impose fees for traps fixed in the foot-path or roadway.

Rule 8.

Sub-clause (*7*).—Here, as in rule 5 and for the same reasons, the reference to "water-closet" has been omitted and references to "connected-urinal" and "slop-sink" have been inserted.

Rules 9 and 10.

These rules reproduce the provisions of rules 8 and 9, respectively, of Schedule XV to the existing Act, but are made applicable to connected-urinals as well as to connected-privies.

Rule 11.

This rule introduces provisions for the suitable trapping of pipes for carrying off waste water in a new building.

Rule 12.

Government are advised that there is no valid reason for requiring, as rule 11 of Schedule XV to the existing Act does, that only Portland cement should be used in jointing house-drains. The proposed modification will permit the use of any other cement, provided it is of the proper standard.

Rule 14.

This rule reproduces section 305 of the existing Act, the provisions of which may now be more suitably included in this Schedule.

Rule 15.

This rule introduces provisions which make the owners of two or more premises liable for the maintenance, repair, cleansing, etc., of a house-drain which serves such premises jointly, and empowers the Commissioner to serve a requisition on the owners to carry out the work.

Rule 16.

This rule corresponds to section 322 (*1*) of the existing Act, but its application is limited to underground drains which are not municipal drains as it is not considered necessary to include in the Bill similar provisions for municipal drains. The provisions of sub-rule (*2*) are intended to strengthen the hands of the Commissioner.

Rule 17.

This rule reproduces the provisions of section 303 of the existing Act, but the rule now makes it clear that its application is limited to those drains only which are not municipal drains. The Commissioner may, under clause 271, carry any municipal drain under a building.

Rule 18.

This rule reproduces rule 13 of Schedule XV to the existing Act with the additional requirement that drain-pipes passing underneath a building must be made of iron or of some other similar material.

Rule 19.

This rule introduces provisions requiring persons who intend to construct or alter privies or urinals to submit an application to the Commissioner with the necessary plans and specifications.

Rule 20.

This rule empowers the Commissioner to refuse to grant permission for the erection of service-privies or urinals which he considers likely to be a nuisance.

Rule 21.

This rule reproduces rule 1 of Schedule XVI to the existing Act, but has been made applicable to service-urinals as well as to service-privies. Sub-rule (*3*) prohibits as a general rule the construction of such privies or urinals in the class of premises mentioned therein.

Rules 22 to 34 and 36 to 38.

These rules reproduce the provisions of rules 2 to 13, and rules 14 to 16, respectively, of Schedule XVI to the existing Act; but in the reproduced rules, whenever it has been considered necessary, provisions which apply to service-privies have been made applicable to service-urinals, and provisions which apply to connected-privies have been made applicable to connected-urinals.

Rule 35.

This rule is based on by-law No. 14 of the existing Municipal Drainage By-laws and provides for a syphon-trap and anti-syphonage pipe for every connected-privy and connected-urinal.

Rule 39.

This rule provides for an appeal against the orders of the Commissioner in the cases mentioned therein.

SCHEDULE XV.

This Schedule reproduces (with a few minor modifications) the provisions of sections 339, 340 and 344 to 349 of Chapter XXIII of the existing Act, which it is thought, may more suitably be transferred to a separate Schedule. It is proposed to vest the executive functions of the General Committee under these sections in the Commissioner. Provision for appeal from certain orders of the Commissioner under the Schedule as revised has been made in Rule 9.

SCHEDULE XVI.

Rule 1.

Clause (*4*) reproduces rule 1 (*4*) of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, with a new provision the effect of which will be that the owner will have to satisfy the Commissioner that he will drain the site, when such a course is considered necessary, before the erection of a building.

Rule 2.

Sub-rule (*2*) empowers the Commissioner to charge a maximum fee of 10 rupees for a certificate granted by him as to the correctness of the plans of a previously existing building on the site of which a new building is to be erected. It is necessary to make a careful survey before such a certificate can be granted, and it is only right that a fee should be levied.

Rule 3.

Proviso (*i*) modifies the provisions of proviso (*i*) to rule 2 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act. This modification has been recommended by a Committee of experts (to whom the revised draft of the Schedule was submitted) who were of opinion that the fact that two streets meet should not affect the height of buildings situated in either of them.

Proviso (*ii*) provides for a case which is not dealt with anywhere in the existing Act. It is obviously undesirable that a building at the end of a street should be allowed to be erected to any height irrespective of the width of the street. The effect of this proviso will be to place such a building in the same category as buildings situated at the side of a street.

Sub-rule (*4*) limits the "return-front" of a building to 40 feet which was the former limit. It also makes the very necessary provision that the height on the narrower street shall not exceed the height permissible on the wider street.

Sub-rules (*5*) *and* (*6*), read with rule 3(*3*), make the width of streets in which two-storeyed buildings are permissible 16 feet instead of 12 feet, as under the existing rules. A width of 12 feet is considered inadequate for a two-storeyed building. It is also intended to provide for the setting back of buildings with reference to a centre line in narrow streets. The existing rules permit the zig-zag widening of a street which is of very little value and also allow the owner of a site abutting on a street which has not been built upon to benefit at the expense of the owner of the opposite site who builds first.

Rule 5.

This rule introduces the very necessary and desirable provision that for public safety all buildings of three or more storeys, all public buildings and all buildings of the warehouse class should be provided with sufficient and proper means of escape for use in the event of fire breaking out in such buildings.

Rule 6.

This rule, which prohibits the erection of certain buildings within six feet of a service-privy or service-urinal, is in effect a sanitary regulation and should be read together with the provisions of rule 21(*2*) of Schedule XIV of which it is the converse.

Rule 7.

This rule reproduces the provisions of section 368 of the existing Act. The reference to the area added by the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act in sub-section (*4*) of that section has been omitted as being no longer necessary. Ben. Act of 1888.

Rule 18.

The new definition of "building" includes boundary walls more than eight feet in height. In some cases, however, it is necessary, in order to secure the privacy of a building, to allow boundary walls to be built to a greater height than eight feet. This rule is intended to provide for such a case.

Rule 19.

This rule reproduces the provisions of section 380 of the existing Act.

Rule 20.

This rule corresponds to section 381 of the existing Act, but introduces a new provision based upon the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888, which requires that the licensed building surveyor or other competent person employed to supervise the erection of a building shall send a "building completion certificate", in the prescribed form to the Commissioner. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Rules 21 and 22.

These rules correspond to sections 382 and 383 of the existing Act, with certain minor modifications.

Rule 23.

This rule corresponds to rule 17 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, with an alteration in the wording intended to have the effect of preventing the open space within the site of a dwelling-house from being taken as part of the site of another building at any future time.

Rule 25.

This rule corresponds to rule 20 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, with modifications intended to provide better ventilation for rooms in domestic buildings by means of doors and windows. Provision is also made for ventilating openings near the ceiling and power is given to the Commissioner to relax the rules as to the height and superficial area of such rooms in particular cases.

Rule 29.

This rule corresponds to rule 21 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, but a new principle is introduced for determining the minimum area of court-yards of dwelling-houses. The proviso to sub-rule (*4*) empowers the Commissioner to relax the provisions of the sub-rule in cases in which two-thirds of the site are left vacant, and the phrase "opposite face of the house" has been explained in sub-rule (*5*). Sub-rule (*6*) is taken from the London Building Act and allows some relaxation of the court-yard angle in certain circumstances. 57 & 58 Vict. c. cexiii, s. 45.

Rule 30.

The wording of rule 22 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act has been recast and the rule has been modified so that when there are two or more buildings on one site, back space must be left at the rear of each building. This is obviously necessary, particularly as it frequently happens that such buildings are ultimately separately occupied. The principle adopted in rule 3 (*5*) and (*6*) in respect of the street angle has also been incorporated in rule 30 (*4*).

Rule 32.

Sub-rule (2) corresponds to rule 24(*2*) of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, but a new provision is introduced which requires that the minimum width of the open space at the side of a building shall be increased for every storey after the second. It is also provided that the distance between two adjacent buildings must in every case be at least six feet.

Rules 35 and 36.

These rules introduce provisions intended to ensure that an open space prescribed for a building under the building rules shall permanently remain as such and form part of the site of the building, and shall not include land which is to be acquired by, or made over to, the Corporation or which at any future time is to be taken as part of the site of another building.

Rule 38.

The effect of this new rule will be to prevent the use of a newly-erected building (other than a hut) as a dwelling-house until it is certified to be fit for human habitation.

Rule 42.

This rule reproduces the provisions of rule 29B of Schedule XVII of the existing Act, with an alteration in the wording which makes it clear that the open space required by this rule must be an additional open space.

Rule 53.

This rule corresponds to section 369 of the existing Act.

Rule 54.

This rule corresponds to section 370 of the existing Act, with the provisions so modified as to require only one application (coupled with a site-plan) to be sent to the Commissioner for the erection of a building, and not, as under the existing law, a separate application for approval of the site.

Rule 55.

This rule amalgamates the provisions of rules 30 and 31 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act in view of the changes in rule 54, as a result of which only one application will henceforward be necessary.

Rule 56.

This rule reproduces the provisions of rule 33 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, but makes the additional requirement that all plans, etc., submitted under rule 54, should also be signed by the licensed building surveyor who prepares them.

Rule 57.

This rule (which explains itself) introduces new provisions based on section 344A of the City of Bombay Municipal Act, 1888. Bom. Act III of 1888.

Rule 58.

This rule corresponds to rule 34 of Schedule XVII of the existing Act, but the provisions of sub-rule (*2*) of that rule have not been included as it is not proposed to require, under the Bill, an application for approval of a site.

Rules 59 to 61.

These rules correspond to sections 374, 376 and 377 of the existing Act, respectively, with certain modifications. Rule 59 provides for conditional sanctions to meet cases in which the owner undertakes to carry out some work required by the rules, but cannot do so until such work is actually commenced or completed. By clause (*3*) of rule 61 it is proposed to empower the Chairman to refuse permission for the erection of a new building in cases in which such building falls within the street alignment or building-line of a street projected under the Calcutta Improvement Act and the permission of the Chairman of the Improvement Trust for the erection of the building has not been obtained [*See also rule 88 (3)*.] Ben. Act V of 1911.

Rule 63.

This rule reproduces the provisions of section 375 of, and of rule 36 of Schedule XVII to, the existing Act, with certain modifications.

Rules 64 and 65.

These rules reproduce the provisions of sections 372 and 378 of the existing Act, respectively.

Rule 66.

Sub-rule (*1*) corresponds to section 379 of the existing Act, but it is thought desirable to provide that a permission to erect a building is to

be considered to have lapsed unless a substantial portion of the building has been completed within one year from the date on which its erection was sanctioned. Under the existing law an owner sometimes lays the foundation of a building, or part of it, within one year and then abandons the work indefinitely. It is then contended,—perhaps several years later when the conditions have possibly changed materially,—that the sanction has not lapsed; and it is then difficult to ascertain whether the building was actually commenced within a year from the date of sanction or not.

Sub-rule (2) enables an owner within one year from the date on which permission to erect a building was given to obtain a certificate to the effect that a substantial portion of the building has been constructed.

Sub-rule (3) introduces provisions which will cause the permission to erect a masonry building granted before the commencement of the existing Act to lapse if the building has not been completed when the present Bill becomes law. Such a provision seems eminently reasonable seeing that ample time has elapsed since the 1st April, 1900, to allow of the erection of all buildings sanctioned before that date, and the building rules have, moreover, changed materially since then.

Rule 67.

This rule introduces provisions which are much needed, especially in such cases as when an owner misrepresents the boundaries of his land and includes in the site of his proposed building land which belongs to another person.

Rule 68.

This rule corresponds to rule 37 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, but a new sub-rule has been added empowering the Commissioner to prescribe alignments for huts on any vacant land if he is of opinion that huts are likely to be erected on such land. The object of this rule would, to a great extent, be frustrated if alignments could not be prescribed until after the huts are erected.

Rule 76.

This rule introduces provisions which prohibit the placing of a hut used for human habitation within six feet of a cow-house, cattle-shed or stable, and is intended to prevent occupiers of a hut from using a part of it as a cow-house, cattle-shed or stable.

Rule 79.

This rule corresponds to rule 46 of Schedule XVII to the existing Act, but prescribes that the floor of a hut must be of some impermeable material. It is thought highly desirable on sanitary grounds to improve the structure of huts in Calcutta.

Rule 80.

This rule reproduces the provisions of rule 46A of the existing Schedule XVII, but further prescribes the minimum opening to be provided by windows in every room in a hut.

Rules 82, 86 87 and 88.

These rules correspond to sections 384, 386, 388 and 389, respectively, of the existing Act, with certain modifications. The provisions of those sections deal with applications for permission to erect huts, as well as the granting or refusal of such applications, and may conveniently be incorporated in this Schedule.

Rule 85.

This rule empowers the Commissioner to employ a licensed building surveyor to prepare plans for a hut on behalf of any person who applies to him. This rule, it is hoped, may result in the protection of ignorant and illiterate persons from incompetent or unprincipled plan-makers.

Rules 90 and 91.

These rules respectively reproduce the provisions of sections 385 and 390 of the existing Act which relate to the erection of huts without written permission and the lapse of such permissions.

Rule 93.

This rule is intended to provide against a serious evil which the existing law cannot prevent. Additional storeys may, under the law as it stands at present, be added to existing structures which infringe the building rules, thereby making them more insanitary than before.

Rule 96.

This rule provides for an appeal to the Buildings Appeals Committee against any notice issued or order made by the Commissioner under this Schedule. It is thought desirable that, if a special Buildings Appeals Committee is constituted on the lines laid down in clauses 10 and 16 of the Bill, an appeal should lie to it against all orders of the Commissioner under this Schedule.

SCHEDULE XVII.

Rules 1 to 6.

These rules reproduce the provisions of sections 439 to 443, and section 446, of the existing Act, respectively, with certain minor alterations.

Rule 7.

Sub-rule (1).—The provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 447 of the existing Act have been somewhat amplified by the inclusion therein of pools, ditches, etc., which the Commissioner may require to be treated in the same way as wells, tanks, etc., which have hitherto been dealt with under section 447 (*1*). The Commissioner is further empowered to take steps to prevent any such place from becoming a nuisance or a menace to public health. A similar provision (having direct reference to the destruction of breeding-places for mosquitoes) is to be found in section 381 of the City of Bombay Municipality Act, 1888, as amended by Bombay Act VI of 1913.

Rule 8.

Bom Act III of 1888, s. 381, as amended by Bom. Act VI of 1913.

This rule reproduces the provisions of section 448 of the existing Act with certain minor modifications.

Rule 9.

By this rule it is proposed to allow an appeal to the General Appeals Committee from certain notices issued, and action taken, by the Commissioner under this Schedule.

SCHEDULE XVIII.

This Schedule is similar in almost all respects to the corresponding Schedule of the existing Act. It will be observed, however, that it is proposed to allow cotton which has been pressed into bales to be stored in unlicensed premises and that two or three additions (*e. g.*, grain, steel and tobacco) have been made to the list in clause (*8*) of the Schedule.

SCHEDULE XIX.

This Schedule corresponds almost exactly to Schedule XIX of the existing Act. The changes made in the column headings are purely verbal.

SCHEDULE XX.

This Schedule is identical with the corresponding Schedule XX of the existing Act, except that some verbal changes have been made in the column headings.

SCHEDULE XXI.

This Schedule almost exactly represents the corresponding Schedule XXI of the existing Act, the changes made being purely formal.

SCHEDULE XXII.

As it is proposed in the Bill to abolish the General Committee, it becomes necessary to prescribe how the references to that body in the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911, are to be construed. This Schedule will provide the simplest method of effecting the end in view. Ben. Ac of 1911

THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL BILL, 1917.

Table showing the mode in which the provisions of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899 (Ben. Act III of 1899), as modified up to date, are dealt with by the Bill, together with notes explaining omissions, transfers of sections, etc.

1	2	3
Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	Remarks.
Section 1 ...	Clause 1.	
,, 2 ...	,, 2 ...	Section 2 (*1*).—Omitted as being spent.
,, 3 ...	,, 3 ...	Section 3 (*5*), (*a*) and (*b*).—Omitted so as to make the definition of *bustee* include any plot, whatever its area may be. Section 3 (*6*)—"*bustee land*".—Some confusion has arisen from this definition in assessing the rate in the case of huts which are owned by the owner of the land in a *bustee*, and it is therefore proposed to omit it. [*See note on clause 176 in the "Notes on Clauses"*.] Section 3 (*39*)—"*re-erect*".—The definition of "new building" in clause 3 (*36*) will take the place of this definition.
,, 4 ...	,, 4.	
,, 5 ...	,, 5.	
,, 6 ...	,, 6.	
,, 7 ...	,, 7.	
,, 8 ...	,, 8.	
,, 9 ...	.....	Omitted. It is proposed to abolish the General Committee.
,, 10 ...	.....	
,, 11 ...	Clause 11.	
,, 12 ...	,, 12 ...	Section 12 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 12 which provides for a consolidated salary being paid to the Commissioner.
,, 13 ...	,, 13.	
,, 14 ...	,, 14 ...	Section 14 (*1*).—Omitted as being no longer required in view of the fact that the works mentioned therein have now received their full share of attention, and it is not considered necessary any longer to make it obligatory on the Corporation to devote certain fixed sums of money every year for carrying out the same.
,, 15 ...	,, 17.	
,, 16 ...	,, 18.	
,, 17 ...	,, 19 ...	Section 17 (*2*) and (*3*).—Omitted as, in view of the proposed abolition of the General Committee, the procedure has been simplified. [*See clause 19 (2), (3) and (4).*]
,, 18 ...	,, 20.	
,, 19 ...	,, 21.	
,, 20 ...	,, 22.	
,, 21 ...	,, 23.	
,, 22 ...	,, 24.	
,, 23 ...	,, 25	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	Remarks.
Section 24 ...	Clause 26.	
,, 25 ...	.....	Omitted as it is proposed to abolish the post of Vice-Chairman.
,, 26 ...	Clause 27.	
,, 27 ...	,, 28.	
,, 28 ...	,, 29.	
,, 29 ...	,, 30 (*1*).	
,, 30 ...	,, 30 (*2*).	
,, 31 ...	,, 31.	
,, 32 ...	,, 32.	
,, 33 ...	,, 33.	
,, 34 ...	,, 34.	
,, 35 ...	,, 35 ...	Section 35 (*5*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 25.*]
,, 36 ...	,, 37.	
,, 37 ...	,, 38.	
,, 38 ...	,, 42.	
,, 39 ...	,, 59.	
,, 40 ...	,, 60.	
,, 41 ...	,, 61.	
,, 42 ...	.....	Omitted as provision is made in the proviso to clause 1 (*3*) for the holding of first elections.
,, 43 ...	Clause 40 ...	Section 43 (*2*).—Omitted. An alteration of the boundaries of wards is undesirable, as it would affect not only the elections but also the assessment periods for the wards and would, it is thought, give rise to many difficulties. Section 43 (*4*).—Omitted. It is proposed to abolish plural voting.
,, 44 ...	,, 39 ...	Section 44 (*3*).—Omitted as its provisions are included in the proposed second proviso to clause 39. Section 44 (*4*).—Omitted as unnecessary in that clause 39 provides that the persons mentioned shall vote either in the ward in which they reside or in the ward in which they pay the tax.
,, 45 ...	.....	Omitted.
,, 46 ...	.....	Omitted, as it is proposed to abolish plural voting.
,, 47 ...	.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
,, 48 ...	.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
,, 49 ...	.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
,, 50 ...	.....	Ditto ditto ditto.
,, 51 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the definition of "person" in section 3 (*32*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).
,, 52 ...	Clause 50.	
,, 53 ...	,, 51 ...	Section 53 (*1*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of clause 51 (*1*).

1	2	3
Ben. Act III of 1899	Bill.	REMARKS.
otion 54 ...	Clause 52.	
,, 55 ...	,, 53.	
,, 56 ...	,, 54.	
,, 57 ...	,, 55.	
,, 58 ...	,, 56.	
,, 59 (*1*) ...	,, 57.	
,, 59 (*2*) ...	,, 58.	
,, 60 ...	,, 62.	
,, 61 ...	,, 63.	
,, 62 ...	,, 64.	
,, 63 ...	,, 65 ...	Section 63 (*3*) —Omitted. [*See remarks against section 9.*]
,, 64 ...	.....	Omitted as being included in the proposed clause 65.
,, 65 ...	Clause 66 ...	Section 65 (*2*) proviso.—Omitted as the proposed clause 66 (*2*) renders it unnecessary.
,, 66 ...	,, 67.	
,, 67 ...	,, 68.	
,, 68 ...	,, 69.	
,, 69 ...	,, 70.	
,, 70 ...	,, 71.	
,, 71 ...	,, 72.	
,, 72 ...	,, 73.	
,, 73 ...	,, 74.	
,, 74 ...	,, 75 ...	Section 74 proviso (*b*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 66 (*1*).
,, 75 ...	,, 76.	
,, 76 ...	,, 77.	
,, 77 ...	,, 78.	
,, 78 ...	,, 81 ...	Section 78 (*1*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 81.
,, 79 ...	,, 82.	
,, 80 ...	.....	Omitted. The proposed clause 36 entitles the Commissioner to attend at meetings of the Corporation.
,, 81 ...	Clause 83.	
,, 82 ...	,, 84.	
,, 83 ...	,, 85.	
,, 84 ...	,, 86.	
,, 85 ...	,, 87.	
,, 86	,, 88 ...	Section 86 (*2*) (*c*).—Omitted It is proposed that the Commissioner should deal with all contracts and tenders up to Rs. 5,000. The proposed clause 88 (*2*) (*c*) provides that contracts above Rs. 5,000 shall be sanctioned by the Corporation.

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	Remarks.
Section 87 ...	Clause 89.	
„ 88 ...	„ 90.	
„ 89 ...	„ 91.	
„ 90 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 9.*]
„ 91 ...	.....	
„ 92 ...	.....	
„ 93 ...	.....	
„ 94 ...	.....	
„ 95 ...	Clause 98 ...	Section 95 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in that clause 15 provides for a General Appeals Committee to have appeals from proceedings of the Commissioner. Section 95 (*3*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of clauses 100, 101 and 102. Section 95 (*5*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed abolition of the General Committee.
„ 96 ...	„ 99 ...	Section 96 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 99 (*1*). Section 96 (*4*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 98 (*3*).
„ 97 ...	„ 100 ...	Section 97 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 100.
„ 98 ...	„ 101.	
„ 99 ...	„ 102.	
„ 100 ...	.....	Omitted as it is proposed to abolish the payment of fees to Councillors for attendance at Special or Standing Committee meetings.
„ 101 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed abolition of the General Committee.
„ 102 ...	Clause 103.	
„ 103 ...	Clauses 104 and 105.	Section 103 (*1*).—Omitted as it is proposed to amalgamate the different Municipal Funds so as to have only one Municipal Fund.
„ 104 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 103.*]
„ 105 ...	.....	
„ 106 ...	.....	
„ 107 ...	.....	
„ 108 ...	.....	
„ 109 ...	.....	
„ 110 ...	.....	
„ 111 ...	Clause 106.	
„ 112 ...	„ 107.	
„ 113 ...	.....	Omitted as it is proposed to restrict the payment of monies into the Bank of Bengal.
„ 114 ...	Clause 108 ...	Section 114 (*1*) (*b*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 100.*]

1	2	3
Ben. Act III of 1899.	(Bill.	Remarks.
Section 115 ...	Clause 109.	
,, 116 ...	,, 110.	
,, 117 ...	,, 111.	
,, 118 ...	,, 112.	
,, 119 ...	,, 113 ...	Section 119 (*2*).—Omitted as the proposed clause 113 (*1*) provides that all surplus moneys may be deposited in the Bank of Bengal or invested in certain securities or debentures.
,, 120 ...	,, 114.	
,, 121 ...	,, 115 ...	Section 121 (*2*) (*d*).—Reproduced in clause 115 (*1*) (*b*).
,, 122 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed abolition of the General Committee and in view of the provisions of the proposed clauses 114 and 115 which prescribe the procedure for the preparation, consideration and adoption of the Budget Estimate.
,, 123 ...	.....	
,, 124 ...	.....	
,, 125 ...	.....	
,, 126 ...	Clause 116.	
,, 127 ...	,, 117.	
,, 128 ...	,, 118.	
,, 129 ...	,, 119.	
,, 130 ...	,, 120.	
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,, 132 ...	,, 122.	
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,, 141 ...	,, 131.	
,, 141A ...	,, 132.	
,, 141B ...	,, 133.	
,, 141C ...	,, 134.	
,, 141D ...	,, 135.	
,, 141E ...	,, 136.	
,, 141F ...	,, 137.	
,, 141G ...	,, 138.	
,, 141H ...	,, 139.	

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Section 142 ...	Clause 140.	
,, 143 ...	,, 141 ...	Section 143 (3).—Omitted as it has for some time been the practice for the auditors under the Accountant-General, Bengal, to audit the municipal accounts free of charge.
,, 144 ...	,, 142.	
,, 145 ...	,, 143.	
,, 146 ...	,, 144.	
,, 147 ...	,, 145 ...	Section 147 (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) and proviso.—Omitted as it is proposed to abolish the different rates and to levy a consolidated rate as is now done in actual practice under section 149 of the existing Act. The proposed clause 145 provides for the levy of such a rate.
,, 148 ...	,, 146.	
,, 149 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 147.*]
,, 150 ...	Clause 147.	
,, 151 ...	,, 148.	
,, 152 ...	,, 149 ...	Section 152 (2) (*a*).—Omitted as it is proposed to do away with the Chairman's power under section 154 of the existing Act to divide Calcutta into districts for purposes of valuation. In practice, valuations are always made by wards.
,, 153 ...	,, 150.	
,, 154 ...	,, 151.	
,, 155 ...	,, 152.	
,, 156 ...	,, 153.	
,, 157 ...	,, 154.	
,, 158 ...	,, 155.	
,, 159 ...	.....	Omitted as it is proposed to abolish the Chairman's power to make annual valuations of *bustee* land or waste or agricultural land
,, 160 ...	Clause 156 ...	Section 160 (2) (*b*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 159.*]
,, 161 ...	,, 157.	
,, 162 ...	,, 158.	
,, 163 ...	,, 159.	
,, 164 ...	,, 160.	
,, 165 ...	,, 161.	
,, 166 ...	.....	Omitted. Provisional registration is never resorted to and these sections have proved a dead letter.
,, 167 ...	.....	
,, 168 ...	Clause 163.	
,, 169 ...	,, 164.	
,, 170 ...	,, 165	
,, 171 ...	,, 166.	
,, 172 ...	,, 167.	
,, 173 ...	,, 168.	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 174 ...	Clause 169.	
,, 175 ...	,, 170.	
,, 176 ...	,, 171.	
,, 177 ...	,, 173.	
,, 178 ...	,, 174.	
,, 179 ...	,, 175.	
,, 180 ...	,, 176.	
,, 181 ...	,, 177.	
,, 182 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 176.
,, 183 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 184 ...	Clause 178	
,, 185 ...	,, 179.	
,, 186 ...	,, 180.	
,, 187 ...	,, 181.	
,, 188 ...	,, 182 ...	Section 188 (*1*) (*a*).—Omitted as in some cases the diameter of the wheels of motor-cars do not exceed 24 inches.
,, 189 ...	,, 183.	
,, 190 ...	,, 184.	
,, 191 ...	,, 185	
,, 192 ...	,, 186.	
,, 193 ...	,, 187.	
,, 194 ...	,, 188.	
,, 195 ...	,, 189.	
,, 196 ...	,, 190.	
,, 197 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary. All the information required is contained in the Demand Registers kept in the Municipal Office.
,, 198 ...	Clause 193.	
,, 199 ...	,, 194 ...	Section 199 (*1*) (*a*), (*b*) and (*d*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the general provisions of the proposed clause 501 (*1*) read with section 3 (*52*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).
.....	.....	Section 199 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the general provisions of the proposed clause 501 (*1*).
Section 200 ...	Clause 195.	
,, 201 ...	,, 196.	
,, 202 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 197.*]
,, 203 ...	Clause 197.	
,, 204 ...	,, 198 ...	Section 204(*1*) (*a*), (*b*) and (*e*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the general provisions of the proposed clause 501 (*1*).
,, 205 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 197.*]
,, 206 ...	Clause 199.	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 207 ...	Clause 200.	
,, 208 ...	,, 201.	
,, 209 ...	,, 202 ...	Section 209 (*4*).—Reproduced in clause 204.
,, 210 ...	.....	Reproduced in clause 201 (*3*) and (*4*).
,, 211 ...	Clause 205.	
,, 212 ...	,, 206.	
,, 213 ...	,, 207.	
,, 214 ...	,, 208.	
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,, 234 ...	,, 230	
,, 235 ...	,, 231.	
,, 236 ...	,, 232.	
,, 237 ...	,, 233.	
,, 238 ...	,, 234.	
,, 239 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 234 which embodies the provisions relating to bathing platforms ; but the provisions as to the supply of unfiltered water are omitted as it is proposed to supply only filtered water for bathing purposes.
,, 240 ...	Clause 235.	
,, 241 ...	.....	Omitted as no longer necessary in view of the fact that the former intermittent system of water-supply has now been made constant, though the pressure at night is low.

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 242 ...	Clause 236.	
,, 243 ...	,, 237.	
,, 244 ...	,, 238.	
,, 245 ...	.....	Reproduced in the proposed clause 238 (*2*).
,, 246 ...	Clause 239.	
,, 247 ...	,, 240 ...	Section 247 (*1*).—Omitted as the substitution of unfiltered water in privies and urinals for flushing purposes is now complete.
,, 248 ...	,, 241.	
,, 249 ...	,, 242.	
,, 250 ...	,, 243.	
,, 251 ...	,, 244.	
,, 252 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 253 ...	Clause 246.	
,, 254 ...	,, 248.	
,, 255 ...	,, 249.	
,, 256 ...	Schedule XIII, rule 1.	
,, 257 ...	,, ,, ,, 2.	
,, 258 ...	,, ,, ,, 3	Section 258 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 259 ...	,, ,, ,, 4.	
,, 260 ...	,, ,, ,, 5.	The provision as to the recovery of costs in section 260 (*4*) is omitted in view of the general provisions of the proposed clause 529.
,, 261 ...	,, ,, ,, 6.	
,, 262 ...	,, ,, ,, 7.	
,, 263 ...		
,, 264 ...	,, ,, ,, 8.	
,, 265 ...	Clause 252.	
,, 266 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by clause 481 (*3*).
,, 267 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 241.*] The block-meter system has long been abandoned.
,, 268 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 266.*]
,, 269 ...	Clause 254 ...	Section 269. *Explanation.*—Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 270 ...	,, 255 ...	Section 270 (*2*), (*4*) and (*5*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 267.*]
,, 271 ...	,, 256.	
,, 272 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 260.*]
,, 273 ...	Clause 257.	
,, 274 ...	Schedule XIII, rule 9.	
,, 275 ...	,, ,, ,, 11.	
,, 276 (*1*) ...	,, ,, ,, 12.	
,, 276 (*2*) ...	Clause 259 (*2*).	
,, 277 ...	Schedule XIII, rule 13.	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	Remarks.
Section 278 ...	Clause 260.	
,, 279 ...	,, 261.	
,, 280 ...	,, 262.	
,, 281 ...	,, 263.	
,, 282 ...	,, 245.	
,, 283 ...	,, 264 ...	Section 283 (*1*) (*f*)—Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 7 (*2*) of Schedule XIII to the Bill.
,, 284 ...	,, 265.	
,, 285 ...	,, 266.	
,, 286 ...	,, 267.	
,, 287 ...	,, 268.	
,, 288 ...	,, 269.	
,, 289 ...	,, 270.	
,, 290 ...	,, 271 ...	Section 290 (*2*).—The power of entry given to the Chairman by this sub-section is omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of clause 510.
,, 291 ..	... ..	Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 271.
,, 292	Clause 272.	
,, 293 ...	,, 273.	
,, 294 ...	,, 274.	
,, 295 ...	,, 275.	
,, 296 ...	,, 276.	
,, 297 ...	,, 277.	
,, 298 ...	,, 278.	
,, 299 ...	,, 279.	
,, 300 ...	,, 280	
,, 301 ...	,, 281 ...	Section 301 (*3*).—Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 282 (*2*).
,, 302 ...	,, 282 (*1*).	
,, 303 ...	Schedule XIV, rule 17.	
,, 304 ...	.....	Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 297.
,, 305 ...	Schedule XIV, rule 14.	
,, 306 ...	Clause 283.	
,, 307 ...	,, 284 ...	Section 307 (*3*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the general provisions of clauses 304 and 513.
,, 308 ...	,, 285.	
,, 309 ...	,, 286	
,, 310 ...	,, 287 ...	Section 310 (*1*).—The provision for fees for licenses has been omitted as being covered by the general provisions of clause 501 (*2*). Section 310 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the general provisions of the proposed clause 529.
,, 311 ...	,, 288.	
,, 312 ...	,, 289.	
,, 313 ...	,, 290.	

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Ben. Act III of 1869.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 314 ...	Clause 291.	
„ 315 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 303.
„ 316 ...	Clause 292.	
„ 317 ...	„ 293.	
„ 318 ...	„ 294.	
„ 319 ...	„ 295.	
„ 320 ...	„ 296.	
„ 321 ...	„ 299.	
„ 322 ...	Schedule XIV, rule 16 (*1*).	
„ 323 ...	Clause 300.	
„ 324 ...	„ 301.	
„ 325 ...	.....	Omitted as its provisions are covered by the proposed clauses 297 and 298.
„ 326 ...	Clause 305.	
„ 327 ...	„ 306 ...	Section 327 (*1*) (*ii*).—Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 484. Section 327 (*1*) (*iii*).—Omitted as being covered by the proposed rule 39 of Schedule XIV. Section 327 (*2*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 9.*]
„ 328 ...	.....	Section 328 (*1*) and (*2*).—Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 302. Section 328 (*3*).—Omitted as being covered by the general provisions of clause 513 (*2*).
„ 329 ...	Clause 307.	
„ 330 ...	„ 308.	
„ 331 ...	„ 309.	
„ 332 ...	„ 310.	
„ 333 ...	„ 311 ...	Section 333 (*2*).—Omitted as being superfluous.
„ 334 ...	„ 312.	
„ 335 ...	„ 313.	
„ 336 ...	„ 315 (*1*).	
„ 337 ...	„ 316.	
„ 338 ...	„ 317 ...	Section 338 (*2*).—Omitted in view of the fact that in practice it has never been found necessary to resort to these provisions. It is, moreover, proposed to abolish the General Committee.
„ 339 ...	Schedule XV, rule 1.	
„ 340 ...	„ „ „ 2.	
„ 341 ...	Clause 319.	
„ 342 ...	„ 320.	
„ 343 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed rules 4 and 7 of Schedule XVII to the Bill.
„ 344 ...	Schedule XV, rule 3.	
„ 345 ...	„ „ „ 4.	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 346 ...	Schedule XV, rule 5.	
,, 347 ...	,, ,, ,, 6.	
,, 348 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 315 (*2*) and the proposed rule 7 of Schedule XV to the Bill.
,, 349 ...	Schedule XV, rule 8	Section 349 (*3*).—Omitted as it is now the practice for the Corporation to maintain and replace numbers affixed to premises.
,, 350 ...	Clause 321.	
,, 351 ...	,, 322.	
,, 352 ...	,, 323.	
,, 353 ...	,, 324.	
,, 354 ...	,, 325.	
,, 355 ...	,, 326.	
,, 356 ...	,, 327 ...	Section 356 (*3*).—Omitted as now unnecessary in view of the establishment of the Calcutta Improvement Trust. Section 356 (*4*).—Omitted as, in the case of projected public streets, it is proposed that the Corporation should acquire in the ordinary way and not take possession, as provided in this sub-section, of all land which they may find it necessary to take.
,, 357 ...	,, 329 ...	Section 357 (*2*), provisoes (*3*), (*4*), (*5*), and (*6*).—Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clauses 330, 331 and 332.
,, 358 ...	,, 333.	
,, 359 ...	,, 334.	
,, 360 ...	,, 335.	
,, 361 ...	,, 336.	
,, 362 ...	,, 337.	
,, 363 ...	,, 339.	
,, 364 ...	.....	Omitted as these sections have never been worked. It is proposed to deal with the question of the development of building-sites in a separate Bill. [*See para. XIII of the Statement of Objects and Reasons.*]
,, 365 ...	.....	
,, 366 ...	.....	
,, 367 ...	Clause 344 ...	Section 367 (*1*) (*i*).—Omitted as the erection of continuous buildings is dealt with in the rules in Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 368 ...	Schedule XVI, rule 7.	
,, 369 ...	,, XVI, rule 53.	
,, 370 ...	,, XVI, rule 54.	
,, 371 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 54 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 372 ...	Schedule XVI, rule 64.	
,, 373 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rules 54 and 59 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 374 ...	Schedule XVI, rule 59.	Section 374, provisoes.—Omitted as unnecessary.

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Section 375 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 63 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 376 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 60 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 377 ...	Schedule XVI, rule 61.	
,, 378 ...	,, XVI, rule 65.	
,, 379 ...	,, XVI, rule 66 (*1*).	
,, 380 ...	,, XVI, rule 19.	
,, 381 ...	,, XVI, rule 20.	
,, 382 ...	,, XVI, rule 21.	
,, 383 ...	,, XVI, rule 22.	Section 383 (*4*).—Omitted as being covered by the proposed rule 96 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 384 ...	,, XVI, rule 82.	
,, 385 ...	,, XVI, rule 90.	
,, 386 ...	,, XVI, rule 86.	Section 386 proviso.—Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 387 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 89 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 388 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 87 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, 389 ...	Schedule XVI, rule 88.	
,, 390 ...	,, XVI, rule 91.	
,, 391 ...	Clause 348 ...	Section 391 (*1*).—Omitted as unnecessary. Section 391 (*2*), provisoes (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 348. Section 391 (*3*).—Omitted. [*See remarks above.*]
,, 392 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clauses 322 and 328.
,, 393 ...	Clause 349.	
,, 394 ...	,, 474.	
,, 395 ...	,, 475.	
,, 396 ...	,, 476.	
,, 397 ...	,, 477.	
,, 398 ...	,, 351.	
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,, 403 ...	,, 356.	

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Ben. Act III of 1899.	Bill.	REMARKS.
Section 404 ...	Clause 357.	
,, 405 ...	,, 358.	
,, 406 ...	,, 359.	
,, 407 ...	,, 360.	
,, 408 ...	,, 361.	
,, 409 ...	,, 362 ...	Section 409 (*1*).—Omitted, as, in view of the proposed abolition of the General Committee, all requisitions by notice will, in default, be carried out by the Commissioner as provided in clause 513.
,, 410 ...	,, 363.	
,, 411 ...	,, 364.	
,, 412 ...	,, 365.	
,, 413 ...	,, 366.	
,, 414 ...	,, 367.	
,, 415 ...	,, 368.	
,, 416 ...	,, 369.	
,, 417 ...	,, 372.	
,, 418 ...	,, 373.	
,, 419 ...	,, 374.	
,, 420 ...	,, 378 ...	Section 420 (*2*).—Omitted as being covered by the general provisions of clause 529.
,, 421 ...	,, 379.	
,, 422 ...	,, 384.	
,, 423 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of these sections to by-laws. [*See clause 481* (*27*).]
,, 424 ...	.....	
,, 425 ...	.....	
,, 426 ...	.....	
,, 427 ...	Clause 385.	
,, 428 ...	,, 393.	
,, 429 ...	,, 386 (*1*) and (*2*).	
,, 430 ...	,, 387 ...	Section 430 (*5*).—Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 393.
,, 431 ...	,, 388	
,, 432 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of this section to by-laws. [*See clause 481* (*28*).]
,, 433 ...	Clause 386 (*3*).	
,, 434 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 432.*]
,, 435 ...	Clause 389.	
,, 436 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 432.*]
,, 437 ...	Clause 390.	
,, 438 ...	,, 391.	

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Section 439 ...	Schedule XVII, rule 1.	
,, 440 ...	,, ,, ,, 2.	
,, 441 ...	,, ,, ,, 3.	
,, 442 ...	,, ,, ,, 4.	
,, 443 ...	,, ,, ,, 5	Section 443 (*2*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 529.
,, 444 ...	Clause 397 (*1*) and (*3*).	
,, 445 ...	,, 400.	
,, 446 ...	Schedule XVII, rule 6.	
,, 447 ...	,, ,, ,, 7	Section 447 (*4*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 9 of Schedule XVII to the Bill.
,, 448 ...	,, ,, ,, 8	Section 448 (*5*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of the proposed rule 7 of Schedule XVII to the Bill.
,, 449 ...	Clause 381.	
,, 450 ...	,, 382.	
,, 451 ...	,, 383.	
,, 452 ...	,, 541.	
,, 453 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of these sections to by-laws. [*See clause 481 (32), (33) and (34).*]
,, 454 ...	.....	
,, 455 ...	.....	
,, 456 ...	.....	
,, 457 ...	.....	
,, 458 ...	.....	
,, 459 ...	Clause 392.	
,, 460 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of these sections to by-laws. [*See clause 481 (29) and (31).*]
,, 461 ...	.....	
,, 462 ...	.....	
,, 463 ...	Clause 401.	
,, 464 ...	.....	Section 464 (*1*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 481 (*40*). Section 464 (*2*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of clause 482 (*2*).
,, 465 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of its provisions to by-laws. [*See clause 481 (40).*]
,, 466 ...	Clause 402 (*1*), (*2*) and (*4*).	Section 466 (*3*).—Omitted in view of the provisions of clause 481 (*40*).
,, 467 ...	402 (*3*).	
,, 468 ...	.....	Omitted as, in view of the abolition of the General Committee, a similar appeal to the proposed General Appeals Committee is provided for in clause 409.
,, 469 ...	Clause 403.	
,, 470 ...	,, 404.	
,, 471 ...	,, 405.	

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Section 472 ...	Clause 406.	
,, 473 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of these sections to by-laws. [*See clause 481 (29), (30) and (40).*] Section 473 (*2*).—Omitted, as being covered by the general provisions of the proposed clause 510 (*3*).
,, 474 ...	.....	
,, 475 ...	.....	
,, 476 ...	.....	
,, 477 ...	Clause 410.	
,, 478 ...	,, 411.	
,, 479 ...	,, 412.	
,, 480 ...	,, 413	
,, 481 ...	,, 414 ...	Section 481 (*1*), proviso (*iv*).—Omitted as it is proposed to do away with this exception in favour of markets registered under the Calcutta Markets Act, 1871, which was repealed so long ago as 1876 by Ben. Act IV of 1876.
,, 482 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in that it is covered by the proposed clause 414 (*1*) (*a*)
,, 483 ...	Clause 415.	
,, 484 ...	,, 416.	
,, 485 ...	,, 417 ...	Section 485 (*2*).—Omitted as, in view of the abolition of the General Committee, a similar appeal to the General Appeals Committee is provided in clause 421.
,, 486 ...	Clause 418.	
,, 487 ...	.....	Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 418
,, 488 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 481 (*43*) to (*51*).
,, 489 ...	Clause 419.	
,, 490 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 529.
,, 491 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the proposed provisions of clause 481 (*44*).
,, 492 ...	Clause 420	
,, 493 ...	,, 422.	—
,, 494 ...	.....	Omitted as being reproduced in the proposed clause 422(*1*).
,, 495 ...	Clause 424.	
,, 496 ...	,, 427.	
,, 497 ...	,, 428 ...	Section 497 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary. Section 497 (*3*).—Omitted as clause 439 now allows a similar appeal to the proposed General Appeals Committee.
,, 498 ...	,, 429.	
,, 499 ...	,, 430	
,, 500 ...	,, 431.	
,, 501 ...	,, 432 ...	Section 501 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in that it is covered by the general provisions of the proposed clause 510 (*3*)
,, 502 ...	,, 433.	
,, 503 ...	,, 434.	
,, 504 ...	,, 435	
,, 505 ...	,, 436.	

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Section 506 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary and as tending to militate against the operation of the clauses 434, 435 and 436.
,, 507 ...	Clause 437	
,, 508 ...	,, 438	
,, 509 ...	.....	Omitted as it is proposed to do away with Chapter XXXVI, comprising sections 509 to 512, altogether. Its provisions are considered unsuitable and have proved to be a dead letter. Section 55 of the Calcutta Police Act, 1866 (Ben. Act IV of 1866), provides for the keeping of standard weights and measures. Clause 410(*l*) (*b*) of the Bill empowers the Corporation to provide and maintain correct weights, etc., in Municipal markets, and clause 481(*49*) authorizes the Corporation to make by-laws preventing the use of false or defective weights, etc., in such markets.
,, 510 ...	.....	
,, 511 ...	.....	
,, 512 ...	.....	
,, 513 ...	Clause 440 ...	Section 513(*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary in that the proposed clause 440 provides that information as to a dangerous disease shall be given to the Commissioner in the manner prescribed by him.
,, 514 ...	,, 441.	
,, 515 ...	,, 442.	
,, 516 ...	,, 443.	
,, 517 ...	,, 444.	
,, 518 ...	,, 445 ...	Section 518(*2*) proviso.—Omitted as an appeal to the General Appeals Committee is provided by the proposed clause 453.
,, 519 ...	,, 446	
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,, 521 ...	,, 448.	
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,, 523 ...	,, 450.	
,, 524 ...	,, 451	
,, 525 ...	,, 452	
,, 526 ...	,, 454.	
,, 527 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the relegation of its provisions to by-laws [*See clause 481(53).*]
,, 528 ...	Clause 454(*5*)	
,, 529 ...	,, 455 ...	Section 529(*2*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 527.*]
,, 530 ...	,, 456 ...	Section 530(*2*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against section 527.*]
,, 531 ...	,, 457	
,, 532 ...	,, 458	
,, 533 ...	,, 459	
,, 534 ...	460.	
,, 535 ...	.....	Omitted [*See remarks against section 527.*]
,, 536 ...	Clause 461.	
,, 537 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 527.*]

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Section 538 ...	Clause 462.	
,, 539 ...	,, 463.	
,, 540 ...	,, 464.	
,, 541 ...	,, 465 ...	Section 541 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary.
,, 542 ...	,, 466.	
,, 543 ...	,, 467.	
,, 544 ...	.....	Omitted [*See remarks against section 527.*]
,, 545 ...	Clause 468.	
,, 546 ...	,, 469.	
,, 547 ...	,, 470.	
,, 548 ...	,, 471.	
,, 549 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the provisions of the proposed clause 481 (*61*).
,, 550 ...	Clause 472 ...	Section 550(*3*). Omitted. [*See remarks against section 549.*]
,, 551 ...	,, 473.	
,, 552 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against section 549.*]
,, 553 ...	.....	
,, 554 ...	Clause 394.	
,, 555 ...	,, 395.	
,, 556 ...	,, 478.	
,, 557 ...	,, 479 ...	Section 557(*a*).—Omitted as it is proposed, in order to avoid all possible suggestion of prejudice, to relieve the Commissioner of the duties of a "Collector" under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894. Section 557 (*d*) proviso.—This proviso is spent and no longer required. Section 557(*e*).—Omitted as it is proposed to allow owners of tanneries, *surki* mills and other offensive trades to have in future the benefit of clauses *fourthly* and *fifthly* of section 23(*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894 (Act I of 1894).
,, 558 ...	Clause 480.	—
,, 559 ...	,, 481 ...	Section 559(*1*).—Omitted as unnecessary in that clause 98(*10*) empowers the Corporation to make rules for regulating the conduct of business at meetings of Standing Committees which, it is proposed, shall take the place of Sub-Committees. Section 559(*2*).—Omitted as it is considered unnecessary to provide for the fixing of any rates of fees other than those prescribed in Schedule VIII, Part II. [*See note on Clause 197 in the "Notes on Clauses."*]
,, 560 ...	,, 482.	
,, 561 ...	,, 483.	
,, 562 ...	.....	Omitted as being spent and no longer required.
,, 563 ...	.....	Omitted as clause 481 empowers the Corporation to make by-laws in the place of the General Committee, which it is proposed to abolish.
,, 564 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provision of section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).
,, 565 ...	Clause 485.	
,, 566 ...	,, 486.	
,, 567 ...	,, 487.	

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Section 568 ...	Clause 488	
,, 569 ...	,, 489	
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,, 571 ...	.....	Omitted in view of the proposed relegation of the provisions of these sections to by-laws. [*See clause 481 (63).*]
,, 572 ...	.....	
,, 573 ...	Clause 491	
,, 574 ...	,, 492.	
,, 575 ...	.....	Omitted as it is covered by clause 492, which amalgamates the provisions of sections 574 and 575.
,, 576 ...	Clause 493.	
,, 577 ...	,, 494.	
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,, 580 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 492 (Table)
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,, 601 ...	.....	Omitted as these sections are seldom, if ever, resorted to in practice.
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,, 605 ...	Clause 517.	

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Section 606 ...	Clause 518.	
,, 607 ...	,, 519	
,, 608 ...	.....	Omitted. [*See remarks against sections 601 to 604.*]
,, 609 ...	Clause 520	
,, 610 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the general provisions of the proposed clause 529
,, 611 ...	Clause 521.	
,, 612 ...	.....	Omitted as unnecessary. Its provisions are difficult to apply and are never resorted to in practice.
,, 613 ...	Clause 522.	Section 613 (*2*)—Omitted as unnecessary as the "Agent" or "Trustee" has now to obtain the permission of the Court to raise funds, etc.
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,, 626 ...	.....	Omitted as the provisions of this section have been incorporated in clauses 532 to 534.
,, 627 ...	Clause 535.	
,, 628 ...	,, 536.	
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,, 631 ...	,, 539.	
,, 632 ...	,, 540 ...	Section 632 (*3*).—Omitted as unnecessary. Section 632(*4*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of section 27 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).
,, 633 ...	Clause 542	
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„ 648 ...	„ 560.	
„ 649 ...	„ 554	
„ 650 ...	„ 555.	
„ 651 ...	„ 556.	
„ 652 ...	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed clause 492 (Table).
Schedule I ...	Schedule I.	
„ II, rule 1 ...	„ II, rule 1.	
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„ „ „ 3 ...	„ „ „ 3.	
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„ „ „ 15 ...	„ „ „ 15.	
„ „ „ 16 ...	„ „ „ 16.	
„ III ...	„ III.	
„ IV, rule 1	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the definition of "person" in section 3(*32*) of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Ben. Act I of 1899).
„ „ „ 2	Schedule V, rule 1.	
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Schedule IV, rule 9	Schedule V, rule 8.	
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,, ,, ,, 6	,, ,, ,, 6	Schedule V, rule 6 (*5*).—Omitted as unnecessary in view of rule 9 of Schedule V to the Bill, which provides that every association entered in the ward election list shall authorize an individual to vote on its behalf, and that such person shall be entered in the ward election-roll or the Muhammadan election-roll, as the case may be, as representing the association.
,, ,, ,, 7 ...	.....	Omitted as a candidate will not be allowed to stand for more than one ward.
,, VI* ...		
,, VII ...	.....	Omitted as no similar Schedule is required in the Bill, since clause 149 (*1*) provides that valuations made under Ben. Act III of 1899 shall continue in force for the remainder of the period for which such valuations were made.
,, VIII ...	Schedule VII ...	Schedule VIII, sixth and seventh items.—Omitted as it is proposed to abolish the tax on bicycles and tricycles in view of the proposed tax to be imposed on motor-cycles in Schedule VII to the Bill.
,, IX ...	,, VIII.	
,, X ...	,, IX.	
,, XI ...	,, X.	
,, XII ...	,, XI.	
,, XIII ...	,, XII.	
,, XIV ...	,, XIII, rule 4.	
,, XV, rule 1	,, XIV, ,, 2.	
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* Schedule VI to Bengal Act III of 1899 was repealed by the Calcutta Municipal (Loans) Act, 1914 (Ben. Act IV of 1914), section 3.

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,, ,, ,, 17	.....	Omitted as considered unnecessary in view of the extended powers proposed to be given under Chapter XIX of, and Schedule XIV to, the Bill.
,, XVII, ,, 1	Schedule XVI, rule 1.	
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,, ,, ,, 4	.....	Omitted as being covered by the general provisions of the proposed clause 272 (*1*) (*b*).
,, ,, ,, 5	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the proposed clause 345 (*1*) (*b*).
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,, ,, ,, 7	Schedule XVI, rule 8.	
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,, ,, ,, 13	,, ,, ,, 14	Schedule XVII, rule 13 (*2*).—Omitted as it is considered desirable that old, insanitary one-storeyed buildings should be demolished and should not be allowed to be converted into two-storeyed buildings.
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* Schedule XVII, rule 6, was cancelled by Notification No. 543 M., dated the 6th March, 1916.

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Schedule XVII, rule 15	Schedule XVI, rule 16.	
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,, ,, ,, 17	Schedule XVI, rule 23.	
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,, ,, ,, 31	.....	Omitted as being covered by the provisions of the proposed rule 55 of Schedule XVI to the Bill.
,, ,, ,, 32	.....	Omitted as unnecessary in view of the provisions of rule 54 (*1*) of Schedule XVI to the Bill, under which only one application is necessary.
,, ,, ,, 33	Schedule XVI, rule 56	Schedule XVII, rule 33 (*2*).—Omitted as unnecessary.
,, ,, ,, 34	,, ,, ,, 58	Schedule XVII, rule 34 (*2*).—Omitted. [*See remarks against Schedule XVII, rule 32.*]

* Schedule XVII, rule 19, was cancelled by Notification No. 643 M., dated the 5th March, 1910.
† Schedule XVII, rule 27, was cancelled by Notification No. 164 T.—M., dated the 30th April, 1910.

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Schedule XVII, rule 35	Schedule XVI, rule 62.	
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* Schedule XVII, rule 51, was cancelled by Notification No. 184 T.—M., dated the 30th April 1910.

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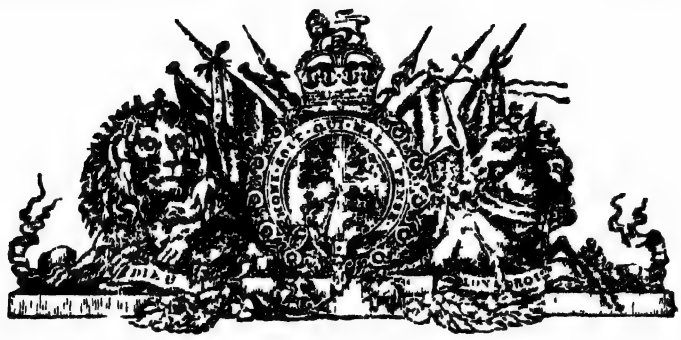

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6250A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6170A —The 26th November 1917.*—Rai Anath Bandhu De Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ulubaria, Howrah, is appointed to have charge of the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Howrah.
Mymensingh.

No. 6173A.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Tarak Chandra Ray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampurhat, Birbhum, is appointed to have charge of the Ulubaria subdivision of the Howrah district

Birbhum.
Howrah.

No. 6175A.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Rampurhat subdivision of the Birbhum district, on being relieved of his appointment as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

Chinsura. Birbhum.

No. 6179A.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Gyanada Prasad Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division.

Burdwan. Chinsura.

No. 6234A.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Rangpur district.

Rangpur.

PROMOTIONS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6192A.—The 27th November 1917.*—The officers, named below, acted in the first and second grades of Magistrates and Collectors for the periods mentioned opposite their names :—

Acted in the first grade.

Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, I.C.S., from the 28th August 1917, *vice* Mr. J. T. Rankin, I.C.S., who went on deputation, up to the 25th October 1917.

„ J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. Jnanendra Nath Gupta, I.C.S., who went on leave, up to the 18th October 1917.

Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. Satis Chandra Mukerjee, I.C.S., who went on leave, up to the 17th October 1917.

Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, on leave, up to the 22nd September 1917, and again from the 24th September 1917, *vice* Mr. Jnanendra Nath Gupta, I.C.S., who went on deputation, up to the 1st October 1917.

„ M C. McAlpin, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. S. G. Hart, I.C.S., who went on leave, up to the 16th September 1917.

Acted in the second grade.

Mr. D. H. Wares, I.C.S., from the 28th August 1917, *vice* Mr. F. B. Bradley-Birt, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, up to the 25th October 1917.

„ P. H. Waddell, I.C.S., from the 30th August 1917, *vice* Rai Ganga Charan Chatarji Bahadur, who went on leave, up to the 18th October 1917.

„ J. H. Lindsay, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. J. G. Dunlop, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, up to the 18th October 1917.

„ A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, up to the 18th October 1917.

„ J. C. French, I.C.S., from the 7th September 1917, *vice* Mr. M. C. McAlpin, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, up to the 18th October 1917.

„ E. M. Mannooch, I.C.S., from the 10th September 1917, *vice* Mr. J. H. Lindsay, I.C.S., who went on leave, up to the 16th September 1917, and again from the 24th September 1917, *vice* Mr. G. E. Lambourn, I.C.S., appointed to act in the first grade, up to the 18th October 1917.

„ F. D. Ascoli, I.C.S., from the 5th October 1917, *vice* Mr. W. D. R. Prentice, I.C.S., who went on leave, up to the 17th October 1917.

No. 6205A.—The 27th November 1917.—Mr. W. S. Adie, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, in the first grade of Magistrates and Collectors with effect from the 18th October 1917.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6120A.—The 22nd November 1917.*—The Hon'ble Mr. F. J. Monahan, I.C.S., Commissioner of the Presidency Division, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th October to the 30th October 1917, inclusive, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 14th September 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 6122A.—The 22nd November 1917.—The late Mr. A. C. Todd, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, was on leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th October to the 2nd November 1917, inclusive, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 26th September 1917.

No. 6182A.—The 26th November 1917.—Mr. W. A. Seaton, I.C.S., Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th November 1917.

Mymensingh.

No. 6221A.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Kunja Bihari Gosain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed furlough for three months, under article 338 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 25th September 1917.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6162A.—The 24th November 1917.—The following rules regarding the institution of a new colloquial examination in the vernaculars for European ladies are published for general information. These rules will come into force from the date of this notification. The object of this examination is to encourage European ladies to acquire a better knowledge of the vernaculars of this Province.

1. The examination will be held in the Hindustani and in the Bengali languages.

2. The examination will be open to European ladies married to or nearly related to and residing with gazetted officers of Government, but ladies of European parentage who have spent the whole of their lives in India will not be eligible.

3. Successful candidates will be furnished with diplomas from the Examiners Their names will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette.*

4. Examinations will be held half-yearly on the first Monday of March at Calcutta and on the last Monday in September at Darjeeling. The exact time and place of the examination will be notified to intending candidates in due course.

5. Candidates for examination should apply to the Under-Secretary, Appointment Department, Government of Bengal. The applications must be accompanied by a fee of Rs. 10, and all applications should be received at least a month before the date of examination. Candidates who fail to pass may present themselves for re-examination on payment of the full fee of Rs 10, but on each such occasion the whole examination must be undergone, previous failure in any one subject being regarded as failure in all.

6. The following are the subjects for the examination :—

(1) A written translation into the vernacular of a short passage of easy English. The Roman script may be used.

(2) Translating orally into the vernacular at sight a paper of short sentences in English.

(3) Translating orally into English a set of sentences in the vernacular to be dictated to the candidate.

(4) Conversing in the Examiner's presence with fair fluency and with such correctness of pronunciation, grammar and idom as to be at once intelligible.

Fifty per cent. of the marks in each subject are required to pass. Candidates who obtain 80 per cent. in each subject will be declared to have passed with distinction.

No text-books are prescribed for this examination. The following works are recommended for the guidance of candidates in their studies. These can be obtained from Messrs. Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta:—

Hindustani—

Romanised Urdu Rozmarra, Part I.

The Bride's Mirror or Mir âtul 'Arûs of Maulvi Nazir Ahmad, edited by G. E. Ward, Oxford University Press.

Holroyd's Hindustani for Every Day.

Bengali—

Arrangements are being made for the transliteration and translation of suitable selections which will be available in due course on application to the Board of Examiners, 1 Council House Street, Calcutta.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 7954L R.—The 26th November 1917.—In modification of notification No. 1239T.R., dated the 19th September 1917, Babu Satyesh Chandra Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed on cess revaluation work, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and thirteen days, with effect from the 10th November 1917.

Midnapore.

No. 7968L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Nagendra Nath Sen, Subdivisional Officer of Ghatal, in the district of Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Midnapore.

No. 7970L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Hedayat Ali, Deputy Collector, Pabna, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Pabna.

No. 7972L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Maulvi Mahmood Ali Chaudhuri, Deputy Collector, Malda, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that district.

Malda.

No. 8000L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Kali Mohan Sen, Subdivisional Officer of Patuakhali, in the district of Bakarganj, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, in that subdivision.

Bakarganj.

No. 8004L.R.—The 27th November 1917.—Under the provision of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), Babu Satish Chandra Singh, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Bankura, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Bankura.

Tippera. Noakhali.

No. 8005L.R.—The 27th November 1917.—Under the provision of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Makhan Lal Banarji, Settlement Kanungo, is appointed to discharge, in the districts of Tippera and Noakhali, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 7959L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of the 24-Parganas for a public purpose, viz., for the bridge approaches on the 5th mile of the Sikra-Haroa Road, in the villages of Jagatpur and Gopalpur, parganas Balia and Balanda, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 11 bighas and 7 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. 1.

North and East—By the lands of Nilmony Sardar,
South and West—By the Sikra-Haroa Road,

PLOT NO. 2.

North—By the Sikra-Haroa Road and the lands of Nilmony Sardar, Roghu Mondal, Jogendra Sardar, Janaki Mondal, Doyal Mondal and Dorbar Mondal,
East—By the lands of Nilmony Sardar and Jogendra Sardar,
South—By the lands of Nilmony Sardar, Jogendra Sardar, and Dorbar Mondal and by the Sikra-Haroa Road,
West—By the lands of Dorbar Mondal, Nilmony Sardar, Roghu Mondal and Doyal Mondal and the Sikra-Haroa Road,

PLOT NO. 3.

North—By the lands of Chandi Charan Laha and by the Sikra-Haroa Road,
East—By the Sikra-Haroa Road and the lands of Dwijendra Nath oy Chowdhury.
South—By the lands of Dwijendra Nath Roy Chowdhury and by the Gopalpur khal,
West—By the lands of Chandi Charan Laha and the Gopalpur khal,

PLOT NO. 4.

North—By the lands of Nripendra Nath Shau, Devendra Nath Ballav and the Gopalpur khal,
East—By the Gopalpur khal and the lands of Nripendra Nath Shau and Devendra Nath Ballav and the Sikra Haroa Road,
South—By the lands of Nripendra Nath Shau and Devendra Nath Ballav and the Sikra-Haroa Road,
West—By the lands of Nripendra Nath Shau and Devendra Nath Ballav,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Jagatpur and Gopalpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the District Engineer, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7962L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a new police office at Comilla, in the village of Chhotara, pargana Meharkul, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 18 cottahs and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Tippera.

North—By the khas land of His Highness the Raja of Hill Tippera,
East—By the drain of a road to the Court,
South—By Raja's road,
West—By the drain of the Municipal road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chhotara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7965L.A.—The 26th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a ditch behind the Head Constable's quarters in the police-station at Satkania, in the village of Rupkania, thana Satkania, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·11 of an acre, bounded on the—

Chittagong.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 46,
East and South—By cadastral survey plot No. 141,
West—By cadastral survey plot No. 54,

is required within the aforesaid village of Rupkania.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 7984L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for assisted siding for the Nalbona Coal Company's Khairabad Colliery (Ondal Loop), in the village of Khairabad, pargana Pandra, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 8 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·47 of an acre, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company,
East—By the land of Madhu Dhangar,
South—By the land of Madhu Dhangar and Lakoo Dhangar,
West—By the land of Lakoo Dhangar,

is required within the aforesaid village of Khairabad.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig or carry away, or use in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dinajpur.

No. 7997L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the proposed High School at Dinajpur, in the village of Futaniganj *alias* Balubari, pargana Bijanagar, zilla Dinajpur it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 19 cottahs and 5 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North, East and West—By the road,
South—By the khas land of Maharaja Bahadur, and the lands of Abinash Chandra Rai and Ramjan Ali Mia,

is required within the aforesaid village of Futaniganj *alias* Balubari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dinajpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Hooghly.

No. 7988L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—In lines 5-6 and 56-57 of declaration No. 3440L.A., dated the 23rd April 1917, published at pages 593-94, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the zone of safety at the Bandel Junction station, in the district of Hooghly, *for* "villages of Manaspur, Kewta, Saluadanga, Naldanga and Naranpur" *read* "villages of Naranpur *alias* Naldanga, Kodalia in Naranpur, Kanagarichak, Naranpur, Naldanga, Baidyapur *alias* Naldanga, Kewta, Saluadanga and Manaspur."

Khulna.

No. 7994L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—In lines 10-42 of Declaration No. 1602L.A., dated the 17th February 1917, published at pages 258-259, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for the construction of the Khulna-Bagerhat Light Railway in miles 0 to 19 in the district of Khulna, *for* the names of villages and parganas published therein *substitute* the following :—

Name of village.	Name of pargana.
Ramnagar	Hogla.
Talimpur *alias* Khanabari Talimpur.	Talabpur.
Bagmara	Ditto.
Kismat Khulna ...	Niklapur.
Khulna	Jaypur.
Naihati	Hogla.
Elaipur	Naidabpur.
Samantasena ...	Hogla.
Taltala	Do.
Goalbathan	Do.
Gilatala	Do.
Mansa	Do.
Bahirdia	Do.
Attaka	Do.
Attaki	Rangdia.
Barasia	Ditto.
Irahmanrakdia ...	Ditto.
Khalsi Panchali ...	Rangdia.
Fajooa	Ditto.
Kaitpara	Ditto.
Afra	Ditto.
Jatrapur	Ditto.
Champatala	Ditto.
Laupala	Ditto.
Rahimabad	Ditto.
Palghat	Haveli.
Sabekdanga	Haveli Fatehabad.
Kuliadair	Ditto.
Nonadanga	Haveli.
Harikhali	Haveli Fatehabad.
Harinkhola	Ditto.
Sarui	Ditto.

No. 7991L.A.—The 27th November 1917.—In declaration No. 5955L.A., dated the 13th August 1917, published at page 1220, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for Nullah diversion at mile 15 of the Ahmadpur-Katwa Railway in the district of Birbhum, (1) in lines 5 and 13, *for* "village of Jubutia" *read* "villages of Kowardanga and Jakatta Kismut *alias* Jubutia," and (2) in line 5, *for* "pargana Sha Islampur" *read* "parganas Barbeksingh and Khargaon."

Birbhum.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 7930Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—Maulvi Diwan Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 14th September 1917 to the 14th November 1917, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 1114T.R., dated the 14th September 1917.

No. 7932Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—Maulvi Abdur Rahim, Sub-Registrar of Adhunagar in the district of Chittagong, is granted privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 7948Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Banarji, clerk of the Sub-Registry office at Mollahat, in the district of Khulna, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mollahat, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st October 1917, till relieved by Babu Bankim Chandra Gupta.

Khulna.

No. 7950Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Tripura Kanta Das, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Teota, in the district of Dacca, is confirmed in that appointment.

Dacca.

No. 7952Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Prafulla Kumar Basu, officiating as Sub-Registrar at Teota, in the district of Dacca, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Nagarpur, in the district of Mymensingh.

Dacca, Mymensingh.

No 8002Regn.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Chaudhuri Barhan-uddin Ahmad Siddiq, Sub-Registrar of Sabhar, in the district of Dacca, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month and seven days, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Dacca.

No. 8010Regn.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Bimalapada Mukharji, Probationer of Burdwan, is granted leave, on medical certificate, under note (1) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from 31st October 1917 to 13th November 1917.

Burdwan.

No. 8017Regn.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Halim, Officiating District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Bakarganj.

No. 8019Regn.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Qadir, Joint Sub-Registrar, Barisal, Sadar, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Bakarganj, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Halim, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 8021Regn.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Jogendra Nath Guha, Sub-Registrar of Jhalakati, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed temporarily to act as a Joint Sub-Registrar, Barisal, Sadar, *vice* Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Qadir appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar, Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Noakhali.

No. 7934Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Hanif to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar at Mutiganj, having jurisdiction over certain mauzas in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in the list enclosed.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2728J., dated the 27th October 1912, previously granting a license to Maulvi Muhammad Hanif.

Mauzas situated in the police-station of Feni which will form the jurisdiction of the Muhammadan Registry Office at Mutiganj.

Serial number in geographical sequence or jurisdiction list.	Local names of mauzas.	Survey number in revenue survey volumes.
207	Char Majlishpur ...	205
217	Durgapur ...	138
218	Mandari ...	156
219	Badarpur ...	157
220	Paikpara ...	154
221	Majlishpur ...	206
222	Katakhali ...	207
223	Alampur ...	152
224	Arbarkhil ...	151
225	Bagadana ...	150
226	Mandari Salpa ..	148
227	Siberkhil ...	147
228	Bagishpur ...	149
229	Shahabhikari ...	101
230	Char Darbesh ...	100
231	Char Chandia ...	94
232	Char Ramnarayan	96
233	Char Khoazer Namchi	95
234	Char Khoaz ...	93
235	Char Ganash ...	92
236	Satberia ...	32
237	Talatali ...	91
238	Satberia ...	89
239	Char Mahi ...	102
240	Palgiri ...	103
241	Pania Malanga ...	104
242	Bhayag ...	87
243	Sujapur ...	88
244	Saidpur ...	86
245	Khichua ...	105
246	Akhilpur ...	106
247	Daspanja ...	146
248	Mangalkandi ...	145
249	Barmuni Bazar ...	144
250	Naydona ...	153
251	Ichapur ...	155
252	Arkaim ...	143
253	Alaja Bara ...	140
254	Baduria ...	139
255	Gunak ...	112
256	Khodainagar ...	141
257	Gajaria ...	142
258	Gunak Baopur ...	111
259	Alipur ...	113
260	Anandipur ...	110
261	Sambhupur ...	109
262	Rajapur ...	108
263	Ramchandrapur ...	107
264	Daulatpur ...	85
265	Ismailpur ...	82
266	Mirjapur ...	81
267	Lakshmipur ...	80
273	Masimpur ...	116
276	Dhankunia ...	74
277	Daulatpur ...	73
278	Mahadia ...	75
279	Nazirpur ...	76
280	Goalia ...	77
281	Jalalpur ...	281
282	Garamara ...	282
283	Sirajpur ...	83
284	Pakhia ...	84
285	Bhadadia ...	35
286	Ahmadpur ...	36
287	Jitpur ...	34
288	Salberia ...	32
289	Sujapur ...	31
290	Shahapur ...	30
291	Char Shahapur ...	29
292	Sonapur ...	28
294	Char Dhoba ...	27
293	Char Ilahi ...	33
295	Namchi Doba ...	26
296	Char Krishnajay ...	25
297	Hajipur ...	37
298	Safrabad ...	38
299	Gobindapur ...	39
300	Sultanpur ...	42
301	Mirganj ...	44
302	Nimuanabi ...	45
303	Narayanpur ...	18
304	Dharmapur ...	19
305	Narayanpur ...	20
306	Ramchandrapur ...	43
307	Nababpur ...	41
308	Fatehpur ...	40
309	Jagatjibanpur ...	23
310	Sonaberia ...	24
311	Char Kalidas ...	22
312	Faradnagar ...	21
313	Subalpur ...	6
314	Rajnagar ...	5
315	Jagatganj ...	4
316	Mobarak Ghona ...	*
317	Char Mal ...	3
318	Maheshpur ..	2

* The Revenue Survey number is not given in the original records.

Noakhali.

No. 7935Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Muhammad Hanif to be Kazi at Mutiganj, having jurisdiction over

certain mauzas in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in Government Notification No. 7934Regn., dated the 26th November 1917.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2729J., dated the 27th October 1912, previously granting a license to Maulvi Muhammad Hanif.

Noakhali.

No. 7938Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Majid to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar at Daganbhuiya, having jurisdiction over certain mauzas in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in the list enclosed.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2125J., dated the 20th May 1913, previously granting a license to Maulvi Abdul Majid.

Mauzas situated in the police-station of Feni which will form the jurisdiction of the Muhammadan Registry Office at Daganbhuiya.

Serial number in geographical sequence or jurisdiction list.	Local names of mauzas.	Survey number in revenue survey volumes.
1	Raghunathpur ...	323
2	Lakshmipur Piyal...	324
3	Koralpur ...	326
4	Masimpur ...	327
5	Noada ...	325
6	Baruikandi ...	321
7	Rausulla ...	322
8	Chandrapur ...	310
9	Sindurpur ...	311
10	Sikandarpur ...	309
12	Narayanpur ...	312
13	Ditpur ...	314
14	Satyapur ...	318
15	Nasratpur ...	319
16	Alatali ...	320
17	Lakshmipur ...	328
18	Chundarpur ...	317
19	Jadabpur ...	329
20	Abdulnabi ...	330
21	Samashpur ...	332
22	Jangalia ...	353
23	Bhabanipur ...	354
24	Ramchandrapur ...	331
25	Natibpur ...	316
26	Ganipur ...	315
27	Jaynarayanpur ...	285
28	Rajapur ...	287
30	Sarippur ...	313
42	Yarpur ...	283
136	Govindapur Barahi	197
138	Hirapur ...	198
139	Alampur ...	199
140	Alipur ...	201
141	Narayanpur ...	203
142	Mamrejpur ...	202
143	Ramanandapur ...	251
144	Krishnarampur ...	261
145	Ashrafpur ...	265
146	Dharmapur ...	266
147	Masimpur ...	267
148	Lalpur ...	268
149	Dharmapur ...	277
150	Chandpur ...	278
151	Umarpur ...	279
152	Enayetpur ...	281
153	Ramchandrapur ...	284
154	Sibpur ...	286
155	Chandrapur Purba	274
156	Khusipur ...	275
157	Mahmudpur ...	280
178	Sonapur ...	276
159	Neajpur ...	269
160	Lalpur ...	270
161	Maheshpur ...	271
162	Ganipur Hosein ...	273
163	Chandpur ...	272
164	Hirapur ...	263
165	Lakshmanpur ...	264
166	Badarpur ...	262
167	Ganipur ...	260
168	Udayrajpur ...	259
169	Abhirampur ...	252
170	Amanullapur ...	253
171	Jayarpur ...	254
172	Sridharpur ...	258
173	Aliarpur ...	257
174	Mahmudpur ...	256
175	Sikandarpur ...	356
176	Nayanpur ...	355
177	Pratappur ...	352
178	Darapur ...	359
179	Jagatpur ...	358
180	Gobindapur ...	357
181	Ramnagar ...	388
182	Ajaypur ...	255
183	Karimpur ...	244
184	Fatehullapur ...	252
185	Sridharpur ...	253
186	Karamullapur ...	391
187	Baraia ...	390
188	Enayetnagar ...	309
189	Chandipur ...	394
190	Pijpur ...	395
191	Chandpur ...	393
192	Enayetpur ...	235
193	Sarippur ...	392
194	Yakubpur ...	236
195	Debrampur ...	234
196	Rasidpur ...	237
197	Dharmapur ...	239
198	Fatehpur ...	238
199	Haiatpur ...	240
200	Basudebpur ...	241
201	Alairpur ...	245
202	Nalupur ...	246
203	Malipur ...	247
204	Alipur ...	248
205	Karimpur ...	249
206	Jagatpur ...	250
208	Char Lakshmiganj	158
209	Goalgaon ...	204
212	Char Goalgaon ...	160

Noakhali.

No. 7939Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Majid to be Kazi at Daganbhuiya, having jurisdiction over certain mauzas in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in Government Notification No. 7938Regn., dated the 26th November 1917.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2126J., dated the 20th May 1913, previously granting a license to Maulvi Abdul Majid.

Noakhali.

No. 7942Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar at Feni having jurisdiction over certain mauzas, in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in the list enclosed.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2121J., dated the 20th May 1913 previously granting a license to Maulvi Abdul Hakim.

Mauzas situated in the police-station of Feni which will form the jurisdiction of the Muhammadan Registry Office at Feni.

Serial number in geographical sequence or jurisdiction list.	Local names of mauzas.	Survey number in revenue survey volumes.
11	Kaikhali ...	308
29	Dumria ...	288
31	Abupur Dakshin...	307
32	Abupur ...	304
33	Khanabati Uttar...	303
34	Khanabati Dakshin	302
35	Sindua ...	298
36	Kumaria ...	305
37	Jagirgaon ...	306
38	Dhalia ...	289
39	Gautamkhali ...	290
40	Birli ...	291
41	Lakshmipur ...	292
43	Kasimpur ...	193
44	Lakshmiora ...	293
45	Bagair ...	189
47	Ujania ...	294
46	Bhaskar ...	295
48	Khanabati ...	297
49	Darkhi ...	296
50	Daripata ...	299
51	Shaishadi Dakshin	300
52	Gajrajkandi ...	301
53	Safiabad ...	182
54	Ghagra ...	183
55	Chachna ...	181
56	Kachhar Jar ...	178
57	Kachhar Madhya	179
58	Sundarpur ...	180
59	Tapasyabani ...	184
60	Rashtirkhil ...	185
61	Rampur ...	186
62	Fatehpur ...	187
63	Jahanpur ...	188
64	Debipur ...	190
65	Laithania ...	191
66	Hashpur ...	192
67	Panchgachia ...	194
68	Nagarkandi ...	196
69	Bijoy Singh ...	169
70	Bijoy Singh ...	170
71	Charipur ...	171
72	Sibpur ...	172
73	Matua ...	173
74	Kachhar Kismat ...	174
75	Padua ...	175
76	Kachhar Purba ...	176
77	Saran Pahartali ...	177
78	Kachhar ...	59
79	Baria ...	58
80	Dharmapur ...	57
81	Majlishpur ...	60
82	Sultanpur ...	61
83	Pila Pa-hari ...	62
84	Gilaberia ...	56
85	Kazirbag ...	55
86	Malipur ...	54
87	Ruhila ...	52
88	Asadia ...	53
89	Sonapur ...	64
90	Phaleshwar ...	63
91	Birinji ...	127
92	Barhanipur ...	128
93	Rampur ...	129
94	Daudpur ...	126
95	Sahadebpur ...	125
96	Alakdia ...	65
97	Goharua ...	67
98	Bhalukia ...	66
99	Sripur ...	51
100	Lakshmipur ...	48
101	Silua ...	50
102	Shahapur ...	49
103	Satsali ...	12
104	Baghaia ...	13
105	Faizatpur ...	11
106	Kachua ...	10
107	Ganganagar ...	9
108	Maulavi Kismat ...	14
109	Damdama ...	15
110	Tetanja ...	16
111	Sibpur ...	8
112	Fazilpur ...	7
113	Chalua ...	17
114	Chilania ...	46
115	Tengirpar ...	70
116	Kalidhar ...	47
117	Majberia ...	69
118	Maheshpur ...	68
119	Cheuria ...	124
120	Tulaberia Dakshin	123
121	Chilania Paschim	122
122	Jatrasiddhi ...	121
123	Gobindapur ...	120

Serial number in geographical sequence or jurisdiction list.	Local names of mauzas.		Survey number in revenue survey volumes.
124	Madhupur	...	130
125	Katalia	...	131
126	Char Marua	...	132
127	Dumria	...	133
128	Sundarpur	...	134
129	Baligaon	...	163
130	Akrampur	...	164
131	Madhuai	...	166
132	Kuruchia	...	165
133	Hakdi	...	162
134	Dhan Sadi	...	168
135	Matiar	...	195
137	Jalas Karea	...	197
210	Char Hakdi	...	282
211	Char Hazuri	...	159
213	Chandla	...	161
214	Betagaon	...	135
215	Raghabpur	...	136
216	Bishnupur	...	137
268	Dhalia	...	114
269	Mahmudpur	...	115
270	Baishgharia	...	117
271	Rajnagar	...	118
272	Sarasia	...	119
274	Chandpur	...	71
275	Nimua Puran	...	72

No. 7943Regn.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim to be Kazi at Feni, having jurisdiction over certain mauzas, in police-station Feni, in the district of Noakhali, named in Government Notification No. 7942Regn., dated the 26th November 1917.

Noakhali.

This cancels Government Notification No. 2122J., dated the 20th May 1913, previously granting a license to Maulvi Abdul Hakim.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1373Edn.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Purna Chandra Bhattacharji, Professor, Hooghly College, in class V of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as Principal of the college, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. M. Bottomley, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 1376Edn.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Rakhal Das Ghosh, Professor, Dacca College, in class III of the Provincial Educational Service, is allowed leave on medical certificate for four months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Dacca.

No. 208Eccle.—The 19th November 1917.—The following notification by the Administration of Assam is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 8287E., dated Shillong, the 6th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Administration of Assam, Education Department, Miscellaneous Branch.

THE services of the Revd. W. H. Drawbridge, Chaplain of Shillong, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 18th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8656F.—The 22nd November 1917.—In pursuance of clause (*b*) of Notification No. 5883F., dated the 17th July 1917, His Excellency the Governor is pleased to nominate the Hon'ble Mr. William Christopher Wordsworth, a member of the Bengal Legislative Council, to be a member of the Finance Committee of that Council, *vice* Mr. William Woodward Hornell.

No. 2562S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the twelfth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1915-16, will be held at the Government Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Charnock Place, on Tuesday, the 4th December 1917, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 587 chests of uncertified opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

2nd.—The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as were published in the notification dated the 22nd December 1916, and published in the Government and *Exchange Gazettes*, except that the upset price of uncertified opium is raised from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 3,200 per chest from 1st April 1917 until further notice (*vide* Notification No. 187S.R., dated the 23rd January 1917).

3rd.—The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th December 1917, respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale Room will be received after 3-30 P.M. of Monday, the 10th December 1917, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 3-30 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th December 1917.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Beng al.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 19th November 1917.*

No. 2632S.R.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Ramapati Chatterji, Deputy Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Dacca, on probation, is confirmed in the appointment.

Dacca.

No. 2633S.R.—The 26th November 1917.—Mr. K. Shempa, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Excise and Salt, on the time scale of pay, is confirmed in the appointment.

No. 2647S.R.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Radharaman Mitra, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, is allowed leave for one and half months, on medical certificate, under Article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 19th August 1916, 30th January 1917, and 28th July 1917.

No. 2656S.R.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, B.Sc., (Khulna) is appointed to be a Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt.

No. 2657S.R.—The 27th November 1917.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Probationary Inspectors of Excise and Salt :—

Babu Kshitish Chandra Mukharji, M.Sc. (Dacca.)
„ Siddheswar Chaudhuri, M.A. (Burdwan.)
Maulvi Abul Hussain Khondkar, B.Sc. (Rangpur.)
„ A. K. M. Abdul Latif, B.A. (Noakhali.)
Babu Bimal Krishna Bose, B.A. (Calcutta.)
Maulvi Jelaluddin Khan, B.A. (Pabna.)

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6251A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6165A.—The 24th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Mohit Krishna Kundū the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Basirhat Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6219A.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Guru Pada Haldar the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Alipore Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6225A.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Ibu Ahmed the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Hooghly, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Hooghly.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Serampore Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6227A.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Suresh Chandra Lahiri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Rangpur, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, sitting at Domar, by the Subdivisional Officer of Nilphamari, and

Rangpur.

(*b*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

Babu Suresh Chandra Lahiri is also empowered to take cognizance, under section 190 (*a*) (*b*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of all cases under section 34, Act V of 1861, arising within that part of Domar to which the provisions of the said section have been extended.

POWERS.

No. 6123A.—The 22nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Abdul Majid (No II), a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Noakhali, to order, at the time of passing sentence of

Noakhali.

imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Maulvi Abdul Majid (No. II) is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the said Code.

Burdwan.

No. 6125A.—The 22nd November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Rai Sahib Shyama Charan Ray, an Honorary Magistrate of the Sadar Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Burdwan, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district.

Jessore.

No. 6163A.—The 24th November 1917.—Babu Indu Shekhar Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

Birbhum.

No. 6175A.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Rampurhat subdivision of the Birbhum district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. He is also vested with powers under section 110 of the Code.

Birbhum.

No. 6177A.—The 26th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Jatindra Mohan Chatarji, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Rampurhat subdivision of the Birbhum district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Murshidabad.

No. 6185A.—The 27th November 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to invest the Azimganj Bench, in the district of Murshidabad, with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 261 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Malda.

No. 6187A.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Mahmood Ali Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate, Malda, is vested with powers under section 110 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Hooghly.

No. 6223A.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to confer upon Mr. Dina Nath Basu, an Honorary Magistrate of the Serampore Bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Hooghly, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said Bench—

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said Bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said Bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Serampore subdivision of the said district.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3631J.—The 22nd November 1917.—Babu Manmatha Kumar Ray B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Murshidabad, to be ordinarily stationed at Jangipur, *vice* Babu Narendra Nath Neogi, deceased.

Murshidabad.

No. 3643J.—The 23rd November 1917.—Babu Subodh Chandra Sarkar B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif in the district of Birbhum, to be ordinarily stationed at Rampur Hât, *vice* Babu Satish Ranjan Chatarji, deceased.

Birbhum.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14946P.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 25 of the Indian Arms Act, 1878 (XI of 1878), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in Notification No. 10673P., dated the 12th November 1914 (published at pages 2070-2071 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th *idem*), namely :—

At the end of paragraph 2 of the said Notification, *insert* the following :—

"or the Deputy Conservators of Forests, Jalpaiguri and Buxa Divisions, in the Jalpaiguri district."

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 10615A.—The 27th November 1917.—The following promotions and confirmations in the rank of Inspector are ordered :—

Serial No.	With effect from—	In consequence of—	Name.	From—	To—	Remarks.
1	14th September 1917.	Confirmation of 1st grade Inspector Khan Sahib Ghulam Rabbani as Deputy Superintendent of Police.	(1) Substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent S. W. Lawen La of Darjeeling.	Substantive *pro tempore* 1st grade Inspector.	1st grade Inspector	Will continue as substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Superintendent.
			(2) Inspector Lalit Mohan Datta of Hooghly.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	2nd grade Inspector	.....
2	1st November 1917.	Creation of a temporary appointment of 2nd grade Inspector for the Criminal Investigation Department (*vide* Government order No. 7092P., dated the 20th April 1917).	(1 Inspector Bhuban Mohan Sen of Midnapore.	Third grade Inspector.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	.....

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th November 1917.

No. 109.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Army Department, is republished for information :—

No. 1977, dated Delhi, the 16th November 1917.

The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

SECOND LIEUTENANTS TO BE LIEUTENANTS.

Infantry Branch.

Charles Henry Trusler	...	... 28th October 1917

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6252A.

No. 6216A.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Dacca District.

Dacca.

No. 6229A.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Kshiti Nath Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Howrah.

No. 6231A.—The 27th November 1917.—Babu Bankim Bihari Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, is allowed leave for forty-eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 5th November 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 15211, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Dhirendra Nath Mitra did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals from the 19th to the 23rd October 1917 and at the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, on the 24th idem.

No. 15213, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Dhirendra Nath Mitra is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, with effect from the 25th October 1917, *vice* Temporary Assistant Surgeon Pramathes Kumar Bhattacharji, transferred.

No. 15215, dated Calcutta, the 21st November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Roy did supernumerary duty at His Excellency the Governor's Staff Dispensary from the 5th to the 10th November 1917, both days inclusive.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THE 19TH SEPTEMBER 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1917 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the Town of Calcutta on Monday, the Third day of December next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said Sessions be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

HARIRAM GOENKA,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস, সন ১৯১৭ সাল, তারিখ ১৯শে সেপ্টেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী সন ১৯১৭ সালের ৩রা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয়, প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৯১৭ সালের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী বিহিত কারবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

হরিরাম গোয়েন্‌কা,
সরিফ।

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4334J.—Babu Anadi Nath Sarkar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Gaibandah, is posted to the Nilphamari subdivision of the Rangpur District.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR 'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 12th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5025G.—On relief by Babu Sarat Kumar Guha, Moulvi Elamuddin Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is transferred to Feni in the district of Noakhali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SATKARI LAL DE, Sub-Deputy Collector, Birbhum, Sadar, is transferred temporarily to the Rampur Hât subdivision of that district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 15th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SASHI BHUSAN MUSTAPHI, B.L., Pleader, Judge's Court, Suri, is appointed, under rule 2 of the Rules for the Managing Committee of Government High Schools, as a non-official member-representative of the parents and guardians of the school pupils of the Birbhum Zilla School, in place of Babu Arunendra Nath Chakraverty, deceased.

G. S. DUTT, *District Magistrate.*

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, BIRBHUM, SURI, *the 17th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4975J.—Maulvi Abdul Ghafur, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Mymensingh district, on being relieved of his present appointment as acting Chaukidari Circle Officer of the Manikganj subdivision of Dacca district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVISION, DACCA, *the 21st November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4454J.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be non-official visitors of the Bogra Jail for a period of two years, with effect from 22nd November 1917 :—

1. Khan Bahadur Hafizar Rahaman Chaudhuri.
2. Babu Purna Chandra Ray.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on the 13th October 1917 in Ward No. X of the Howrah Municipality, in the district of Howrah, Babu Mahit Chandra Bhattacharjee was duly elected a Commissioner in the place of Rai Mahendra Nath Bhattacharjee Bahadur, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 16th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 25th March 1918 has been fixed for holding a general election for the election of Commissioners of the Vishnupur Municipality in the district of Bankura.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 19th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that as the term of office of the members of the District and Local Boards of Nadia district will shortly expire, the following dates for the election of members of Local Boards concerned are fixed under Rule 32 of the Election Rules framed under the Local-Self Government Act and published in the *Calcutta Gazette* :—

Sadar Subdivision.

Krishnagar thana	...	18th March 1918,	Monday.
Kissengunge „	...	19th „ „	Tuesday.
Nakashipara „	...	20th „ „	Wednesday.
Kaliganj „ ...	...	21st „ „	Thursday.

Ranaghat Subdivision.

Ranaghat thana ...	...	18th March 1918,	Monday.
Chakdah „ ...	...	19th „ „	Tuesday.
Santipur „ ...	...	20th „ „	Wednesday.

Kushtia Subdivision.

Kushtia thana ...	...	18th March 1918,	Monday.
Kumarkhali „ ...	...	19th „ „	Tuesday.
Mirpur „ ...	...	20th „ „	Wednesday.
Daulatpur „ ...	...	21st „ „	Thursday.

Meherpur Subdivision.

Meherpur	thana ...	...	18th March 1918,	Monday.
Tehatta	„ ...	...	19th „ „	Tuesday.
Karimpur	„ ...	...	20th „ „	Wednesday.
Gangni	„ ..	...	21st „ „	Thursday.

Chuadanga Subdivision.

Chuadanga	thana ...	...	18th March 1918,	Monday.
Alamdanga	„ ...	..	19th „ „	Tuesday.
Damurhuda	„ ...	...	20th „ „	Wednesday.
Jibannagar	„ ...	...	21st „ „	Thursday.

R. C. HAMILTON, *Magistrate.*

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, NADIA, KRISHNAGAR, *the 13th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4953J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 43 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (III of 1885), Babu Debesh Chandra Sen has been duly elected to be a member of the Union Committee at Manikganj in the district of Dacca, *vice* Babu Birendra Kumar Sarcar, resigned.

2. Under section 40 of the said Act, Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabartti, B.L., is appointed to be a member of the said Union Committee, *vice* Babu Sripaty Mohan Sen, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 3077M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 112 of the Bengal Cess Act, IX of 1880, as amended by Act IV (B.C) of 1910, I appoint Mr. James Fraser to be a member of the District Road Committee, Darjeeling, *vice* Mr. F. A. B. Cowley, who has ceased to be a member under section 115 of the Cess Act.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3080M.—In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 112 read with section 159 of the Bengal Cess Act, IX of 1880, as amended by Act IV (B.C.) of 1910, I appoint Mr. J. Fraser and Babu Kunja Behari Kar, as members of the Terai Branch Road Committee, Siliguri, in the district of Darjeeling.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVISION, JALPAIGURI, *the 22nd November 1917*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under Rule 23 of the Manual of Rules for the management of Charitable Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Birbhum, is appointed to be an *ex-officio* member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Suri, in the district of Birbhum, in the place of Babu Amrita Lal Chatterjee, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 21st November 1917*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 52L S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under Rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, the following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Harinakundu in the Jhenida subdivision of the district of Jessore :—

1. The Subdivisional Officer, Jhenida ... ... } *Ex-Officio.*
2. The Sub-Inspector of Police, Harinakundu police-station ... ... } *Ex-Officio.*
3. The Sub-Registrar, Harinakundu ... ... } *Ex-Officio.*
4. Babu Manmatha Nath Roy, B.L.
5. Babu Satish Chandra Bose.
6. Babu Jatindra Nath Bhattacharji.
7. Babu Sourindra Mohan Chaudhuri.
8. Babu Jogendra Nath Roy.
9. M. Khorsed Ali Joardar.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA, *the 10th November 1917.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911, AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the plan of a Proposed Public Street No. VII (Inner Strand Road) (Sobha Bazar Street to Nimtollah Ghat Street) which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 5th April 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 12Exc.—The 26th November 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Das Gupta, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapur, is transferred to the Special Preventive Staff attached to the E. I. B., *vice* Babu Santasil Barua.

2. Babu Santasil Barua, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Special Preventive Staff under the E. I. B., is transferred to Midnapur, *vice* Babu Satish Chandra Das Gupta, transferred.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 1st day of November 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th November 1917.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST NOVEMBER TO THE 15TH NOVEMBER 1917 INCLUSIVE			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	188,923	...	188,923	16,000	42,995	...	13,365
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	...	...	...	400	...	...	9,050
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	1,760	...	1,760	18,000	...	...	16,290
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	157,021	70,248	227.269	137.914	184,619	...	179,824
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	34,230	110,367	144,597	80,800	130,667	...	53,040
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Madras salt ...	....	...	...	...	..	...	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	381,934	180,615	562,549	252,614	358,281	...	271,569

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	2,143
Abandoned and destroyed	6
In transit—Aden salt	88,947
Massawah salt	20,300
Liverpool salt	2 286

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,

Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 21st November 1917.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Finance Department, published in the Supplement of the *Gazette of India* of the 10th November 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1175-F.E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PAY, ALLOWANCES AND FINANCE OFFICERS.
Compensation.

RESOLUTION.

Simla, the 30th October 1917.

IN 1893 the serious fall in the sterling value of the rupee made it necessary to give some compensation to European officers employed in India who have ordinarily to remit money to England for the maintenance of their families, and sanction was given to the grant to such officers of an allowance, designated Exchange Compensation Allowance, sufficient to enable them to remit one-half of their salary to Europe at a privileged rate, subject to a maximum limit of £1,000 a year. The allowance took the form of a percentage on salary calculated on the difference between the sterling value of half salary at the market rate of exchange and its value at the privileged rate of 1*s.* 6*d.* per rupee, and was subject to the condition that it should in no case exceed in any quarter of the year the amount of rupees by which £250 converted at the privileged rate fell short of the equivalent of £250 converted at the market rate. The percentage on salary was, under rule VII of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's Resolution No. 2422-Ex., dated the 31st May 1897, calculated by the Comptroller-General each quarter and notified by him about the 15th day of the final month in the preceding quarter; and, subject to the prescribed limit, it was until 1901 based on the amount by which the average demand rate of exchange during

the quarter ending on the day named fell short of the privileged rate. In 1901, the exchange value of the rupee had become practically stable at 1*s.* 4*d.*, and it was decided in the Finance and Commerce Department's Resolution No. 911-Ex., dated the 18th February 1901, that, in order to avoid the quarterly calculations, instead of the average quarterly rate, the market rate of exchange should, until further orders, be taken at 1*s.* 4*d.* per rupee. This decision has been in force up to the present time, and the percentage on salary admissible under it as Exchange Compensation Allowance has accordingly been Rs. 6-4 since 1901.

2. As the result of special conditions due to the war the exchange value of the rupee has in recent months risen above 1*s.* 4*d.*, and the rate fixed by the Secretary of State for the sale of Council Bills at the present time is 1*s.* 4$\frac{3}{32}$*d.* In view of this rise, the maintenance of Exchange Compensation Allowance (which is given solely for remittance purposes) at a rate calculated on an exchange value of 1*s.* 4*d.* cannot be justified, and the Governor-General in Council therefore directs that the method of calculating the allowance prescribed in rule VII of the rules published with the Finance and Commerce Department's Resolution No. 2422-Ex., dated the 31st May 1897, shall be restored. The Finance and Commerce Department's Resolution No. 911-Ex., dated the 18th February 1901, is accordingly cancelled with effect from the 1st of December 1917, and the percentage to be given as Exchange Compensation Allowance on all salaries drawn on and after that date will be calculated by the Controller of Currency each quarter with reference to the market rate of exchange, and notified by him about the 15th day of the final month in the preceding quarter.

H. F. HOWARD,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 24th November 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 24th November 1917.

No. 690-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July 1917, as subsequently amended, *viz.*:—

ADDITIONS.

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

All persons or bodies of persons whose names appear in the Statutory List under any one or more of these three countries are included in the Statutory List for each and all of these three countries.

Alonso Freire, Raphael, Calle 25 De Agosto 378, Montevideo Uruguay.
Alonso, Raphael, Calle 25 De Agosto 378, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Bauer, H., & Company, Calle Piedras 132-154 and Calle Chili 1175, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Boiso, Manuel, Calle Sarmiento 643, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Boston, Exposicion, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Compania Pastoril y Commercial Harteneck, Limitada (in liquidation), Calle Peru 375, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Cramer and Weyer, Indepencia Nacional 112, Asuncion, Paraguay,

Darmstädter, L., & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 373, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Exposicion Boston, Buenos Aires Argentina.
Fremery, H., & Company, Calle Piedras 756, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Giberti, Juan, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Gonzalez Vega, Federico, Calle Piedras 369, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Harteneck Limitada, Compania Pastoril y Comercial (in liquidation), Calle Peru 375, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Kaufman, Rodolfo, Casilla 936 and Balcarce 444-454, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Lanza and Denis, Montevideo, Uruguay. (No connection with Lanza & Company, Calle Andes 1470-72, Montevideo, Uruguay.)
Löhr & Company, Calle Bartolome Mitre 1164, Buenos Aires, Argentina; & Ciudadela 1414, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Müller, A. H., Calle Alsina 430-434, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ott, Luis, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Ruiz, Alejo, Calle Alsina 430, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Schroeder, J. and A., Montevideo. Uruguay.
Seifart, Armin, Libertad, entre Caballero and Escaleda, Asuncion, Paraguay.
Soler Hill, Juan, & Company, Pasaje Guemes, Buenos Aires and Calle Santa Fé 941, Rosario, Argentina.
Soler, I, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Thyssen, Compania Comercial Alemana Transatlantica de las Fabricas, Avenida de Mayo 651, and Rivadavia 654 Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Weitbrecht, Adolfo, Calle Sarmiento 385, and Calle Moreno 655, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Wertheim Exporting Society (Wertheim Sociedad Importadora y Exportadora Limitada), Calle Alsina 1644, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Vega, Federico Gonzalez (see Gonzalez Vega, Federico.)

BOLIVIA.

Demmer (or Demner) Guillermo, Riberalta.
Majluff Hermanos, La Paz.
Mattis, Juan, Calle Bolivar 101, Potosi.
Thiel, Francisco, Villazon.

BRAZIL.

Aguiar, Francisco, & Company, Avenida Maranhense 11, S. Luiz, Maranhao.
Argos Industrial, Jundiahy.
Baross, Monteiro De, & Company, Santos.
Bortholdo, Silva & Company, Rua Florencio de Abreu 59, Sao Paulo.
Carvalho, Onofre, & Company, Roncador.
Drogaria Martel (see Schroeder & Company).
Gourley, T. P. & Company, Rua da Candelaria 76, Rio de Janeiro.
Lisboa, Pedro Christ, Caixa 18, Santos.
Pegas, Fructuoso, Rua Marechal Floriano 282, Rio Grande, Rio Grande do Sul.
Rebechi, R., & Company, Santos.
Schmidt and Andréas, Cuyabá.
Schott, Adolf, Rua Sao Pedro 38, Rio de Janeiro.
Weber and Schweizer, Bahia.
Witte, Paulo, Edificio do Jornal do Brazil, Avenida Rio Branco 110, Rio de Janeiro.
Woermko and Linau, Rua Voluntarios da Patria 113, Porto Alegre.

CHILE.

Bohlen, Max von, & Company, San Donso 45, Valparaiso.
Brockhaus, Carlos, Casilla 3605, Valparaiso; Casilla 619, Santiago; and Valdivia.
Cantolla, Jose Isaac, Antofagasta.
Casa Importadora (see Kruger, Maximo and Piza).
Emanuel, Victor, & Company, Huerfanos 917, Santiago.

Fabricas Unidas de Catres, Sociedad Anonima, Santiago.
Kruger, Maximo, & Piza (casa Importadora), Blanco 466, Valparaiso.
Luer & Paye, San Antonia 164, Santiago ; and Brazil 37, Valparaiso.
Meier, Rodolfo, Calle San Martin 126, Antofagasta.
Max & Schauenberg, Bandera, 569, Santiago ; and Avenida Brasil 419, Valparaiso.
Meyer, Johann, Punta, Arenas.
Schuyler, Eduardo, Talcahuano.
Schwager, Carlos (of Victor Emanuel & Company), Santiago.
Wagner, Adolfo & Company (late Wagner, Klein & Company), Valparaiso & Santiago.
Wenz, A., & Company (Grajales Foundry), Casilla 2661, Santiago.
Wiegand & Company, Valparaiso and Huasco.

COLOMBIA..

Droescher, Wilhelm & Company, Bogota Germania, Bogota.
Hollmann Carlos (see Hollmann & Company).
Lindemeyer, Wiese & Company, Barranquilla.
Transocean, Bogota.

CENTRAL AMERICA.

Davidson Hermanos, Ahuschapan, Sonsonate, Santa Ana, and San Salvador, Salvador.
Dieseldorff & Company, Coban, Guatemala.
Goldtree, Liebes & Company, Sansonate, Santa Ana, and San Salvador, Salvador.
Koper & Bornholt, Quezaltenango and Guatemala City, Guatemala.
Koper, Frederico, & Company, Guatemala.
Laeisz & Company, Quezaltenango and Guatemala City, Guatemala.
Luders, Juan, San Salvador.
Mugdan & Company, San Salvador.
Munkel, Muller & Company, Managua, Leon-Granada and Jinotega ; Nicargua.
Nottebohm Hermanos, Guatemala City, Guatemala.
Sapper, R. Successor, Coban, Guatemala.
Schlubach, Dauch & Company, Guatemala City, Guatemala.
Tefel, J. R. E , & Company, Managua, Nicaragua.
Wolff, Simon, & Company, Granada, Nicaragua.

ECUADOR.

Buchwald, Juan Otto von, Quito.
Nevarez, Roberto, Casilla, 112, Guayaquil.

GREECE.

Angelides, John Pantazis, Volo.
Scialone, Albert & Company, Salonika.

MOROCCO.

Deleiro, Abdelkerim, Tetuan.

NETHERLANDS.

Alboid-Britannia Metal Warenfabrik (see Kurz, C., & Company).
Eschauzier, K. W., Vondelstraat 19, Amsterdam.
Hendrix, Sickel & Company, Rokin 6, Amsterdam.
Hille & Chida, Mercurius Building, Prinz Hendrikkade 20, Amsterdam.
Internationale Import and Export Handels Gesellschaft, Oude Ebbingestraat 38, Groningen.
Jongh, I. B. de (see Wicke's, Dr. Gustav, Drukinktfabrieken).
Kurz, C., & Company, Alboid Britannia Metal Warenfabrik, Tiel.
Liebert & Meyerhoff, Amsterdam.
"Lucullus" Cacao & Vischconservenfabriek, 2E Kostverlorenkade 23/25 and Post Box 131, Amsterdam.

Naessens, W., & Company, Stadhouderskade 19-20, Amsterdam; & Kneuterdijk 18, The Hague.
Priboean Cultuur Syndicaat N. V., Keizersgr. 326, Amsterdam.
Schmidt, Edmund, Keizersgracht 373, Amsterdam.
Stoessler, Eugen, Amsterdam.
Takken, G., Gildstraat 2, Utrecht.
Wicke's, Dr. Gustav, Drukinktfabrieken Directeur I. B. de Jongh) Jan Hanzenstraat 133-141, Amsterdam.

NETHERLANDS EAST INDIES.

Asiatic Estates Supply, Medan.
Autenried, C. Von, Sumatra.
"Djatti Baroe" Lederwaren Fabrik, Weltevreden, Batavia.
Djoe Bie & Company, Medan.
Dolok Malela, (see Bangoen Landbould Maatschappy).
East Coast Estates Suppliers, Medan.
Eastern Trading Company, The, Balikpapan.
General American Trading Company. "New Jersey," Batavia.
Goldenberg, E., Medan.
Hazenberg, C. F., Sourabaya.
Hibbeler, E. D., Sourabaya.
Hock Ham Tjiang, Handel Maatschappy, Batavia.
Hundeshagen, G. Pajacombo, Sumatra.
Industrielle Ondernemingen c-o Java, Maatschappy Voor.
Jo Beng Tin, Medan.
Lederwaren Fabrik "Djatti Baroe," Batavia.
Lieb, C., Batavia.
Molenkamp, G., Pajacombo, Sumatra.
Nam Huat Estates, Medan.
"New Jersey," General American Trading Company, Batavia.
Oey Teng Tjhioe, Balikpapan.
Sarpardan, R., Batavia.
Scipio, A. A., Kampoeng Djaksa, Karang Bidara, Samarang.
Seelig, C, Sourabaya.
Seelig, J. H., and Zoon, Samarang and Bandoeng.
Swee Eng, Medan.

NORWAY.

Bye, Alf, Parkveien 21 and Kongensgt 2, Christiana.
Holmens Company A-S, Sandnaes.
Husvaer Canning Company, Husvaer i Alstadhaug, Sondre Helgeland and Stavanger.
Kofler, Felix, Hafslund, near Sarpsborg.
Lix, A-S., Sarpsborg.
Midnatsol Preserving Company, Harstad.
Milberg, Daniel, Kongensgate 2, Christiania.
Naco A-S., Stavanger.
Pelz, Conrad, Incognitogade 15B, Christiania.
Skudesnaes, Sildekompani A-S., Skudenaes, Stavanger Amt.
Victoria Tobaksfabriken, Limited, Solheimsviken and Bergen.

PERU.

Dalman, Juan, Salavery.
Esmerelda, La (see Murgia Manuel).
Garcia Hermanos, Caballo Cocha.
Gonzalez Larranaga Hermanos, Salaverry.
Murgia, Manuel (La Esmeralda), Postal de Botoneros, Lima.
Orezzoli, Juan E., Casilla 451, Lima.
Stierlen, Carlos, Carlos, Calle Espadaros 233 and Union Mercaderes 521, Lima.
Vidaurrazaga, E., & Company, Trujillo.
Villagas, Manuel Valdivia, Arequipa.

SPAIN.

Abad Abalo, Pedro, Villagarcia.
Abalo, Pedro Abad (see Abad Abalo, Pedro).
Aguiniga Montemayor, Isidoro, Calle Sepulveda 186, Barcelona.
Baixas, Viuda de Joaquin, Rambla Santa Monica 6, Barcelona.
Banco de Castilla, Madrid.
Barcelo, Antonio, Torrijos 31, Malaga.
Bergol, Abdon, Tolosa.
Bergol, Viuda de Pedro, Tolosa.
Bermejo, Ricardo, Villagarcia and Santiago de Compostella.
Bethencourt Diaz, José Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Cabiro, Federico, Port Mahon, Minorca.
Calafell, Joaquin, Rambla Santa Monica 6, Barcelona.
Canas Hermanos, Malaga.
Continental Hotel, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Corredor, Ricardo, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.
Corregon, Sociedad Anonima, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.
Diario de Vizcaya, Bilbao.
Diaz, José Bethencourt (see Bethencourt Diaz, José).
Domenech, Vincente Tejedo (see Tejedo Domenech, Vincent).
Fahndrich Y Cia., S. en C., Calle Barquillo 4-6, Madrid.
"Garangana, La" (see Herrerin, Viuda de).
Garriga, J. Pedret (see Pedret Garriga, J.).
Georgi, Curt, Valencia.
Glozas, Agusto Lopez (see Lopez Glozas, Agusto).
Herrerin, Viuda de (La Garangana), Garcia Olloqui 4, Vigo.
Isla, Luis Garcia Roboredo (see Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia).
Lengo Guillermo Linhoff (see Linhoff Lengo, Guillermo).
Lewin, Leopoldo, San Sebastian.
Lillo, Victor, Ronda de la Universidad 22 and Aragon 285, Barcelona.
Linhoff Lengo, Guillermo, Trinidad Grund 19, Malaga.
Linartz (or Linnartz) Luis, Lagasca 19, Madrid.
Linnartz, Luis (see Linartz, Luis).
Lohrengel, Federico Ernesto, Diagonal 420, Barcelona.
Lopez Glozas, Agusto, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.
Martinez, Eleuterio and Alejandro, Calle de la Luna 11, Madrid.
Medina Rodriguez, Salvador, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Metalurgica Espanola, Sociedad Anonima, Calle Diputacion 112-116, Barcelona.
Miele and Company, Calle Fernando 2, Barcelona: and Carrera de San Jeronimo 2, Madrid.
Miro, José, Calle Colon, Palma, Majorca.
Montemayor, Isidoro Aguiniga (see Aguiniga Montemayor, Isidoro).
Nino Rodriguez, Jose Maria, Pelayo 5, Barcelona.
Noticiero, El, Barcelona.
Orell, Augustin, Malaga.
Pedret Garriga, J., Cortes 702, Barcelona.
Pena, Aristides, Barcelona.
Reina Rodrigues, Luis, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.
Rementeria, Tomas, Calle de la Amistad 8, Bilbao.
Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia, Garcia Olloqui 2, Vigo; and Villagarcia.
Rodriguez, Salvador Medina (see Medina Rodriguez, Salvador).
Rodriguez, José Maria Nino (see Nino Rodriguez, José Maria).
Rodriguez, Luis Reina (see Reina Rodriguez, Luis).
Romero, Andres Cabrera (see Cabrera Romero, Andres).
Rueda, Manuel, Malaga.
Sahaguny Beardro, Federico, Isaac Peral 16, Cadiz.
Schmieder, Pablo, Rambla Santa Monica 6, and Plaza Santa Ana 17, Barcelona.
Senorans y Rodriguez, Plaza de Mina 1, Corunna.
Stach, Adam, Paseo del Reding 11, Malaga.
Tejedo Domenech, Vincente, Apartado de Correo 62, Valencia.
Uhagon, Gonzalo de, Calle de San Roque 8, and Valenzuela 4, Madrid.
Uhagon, Pedro de, Calle de San Roque 8, and Valenzuela 4, Madrid.
Vega, Antonio T., Calle Trinidad 23/25, Gijon; and Musel.
Weissberger, Joseph Arnold, Calle Almagro 25, Madrid.

Wessinger, Robert, Rambla Cataluna 75, Barcelona.
Wolff, Alberto, Calle de San Roque 8, Madrid.

SWEDEN.

Benedy, John, and Company, Skeppsbron 5, Malmö.
Brun, J., A/B., Kalmar, Västervik, Oskarshamn, Mörbylanga, etc.
Dresdner Expeditionen A/B, Tegnersgatan 15 (formerly of Stora Badstugatan 13), Stockholm.
Extractor A/B., Gothenburg.
Glenne, Olof, and Company, V. Hamngatan 5, Gothenburg; and Hamngatan 24, Stockholm.
Malmö Tryckeri and Pappersbolag, Tegelgardsg, 10, Malmö.
"Nonpareil" Konservfabrik, Lund.
Norström and Wirth, Vasagatan 52, Stockholm.
Pelz, Conrad, Stockholm.
Sanchez Martinez, Enrique, Stockholm.
Sandberg, O. A., and Sons, O. Hamng, 15 and Kronhusg, 16, Gothenburg.
Schlesinger, Ernest, Norrmalmstorg 2 and Birger Jarlsgt., 37-39, Stockholm.
Skanberg, Viktor, Verkstadsg. 1, Gothenburg.
Steinbach, Julius, Wahrendorffsgatan 1, Stockholm.
Simon, Falk, Vasapl. 6, Gothenburg.
Sverker Rederi A/B., Skeppsbron 1, Gothenburg.
Thomsen's Fabrikers Aktiebolaget, Södra Hamng ,43 Gothenburg.

VENEZUELA.

Kummerow, Friedrich, Velencia.

REMOVALS.

Argentina, Paraguay and Uruguay.
Behr and Ott, Calle Defensa 435, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
L'Industrielle Belge (Tannerie Villa Crespo), Calle Cangallo 166, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Luaces, Leandro, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sassoli, Juan, Calle Rincon 453, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Tannerie Villa Crespo (See L'Industrielle Belge).

BRAZIL.

Campos, Alexandre, & Company, Uberaba near Sao Paulo.
Cunha Coimbra, Raoul de, Para.
Da Motta, A. Alves (Partner of Fonseca and Company), Para and Rio de Janeiro.
Moll, Francisco, Rio Grande do Sul.
Simoes, Angelino, and Company, Rio de Janeiro.

CHILE.

Compania de Minas and Beneficiadora de Taltal, Taltal.
Greene, Ignacio Anguita, Punta Arenas.
Minas and Beneficiadora de Taltal, Compania de, Taltal.

GREECE.

Brazza foli, Domenico, Syra.
Hassurakis, A., Syra.
Muller, Carl Ferdinand, Rue Apollo 37, Athens.

ICELAND AND FAROE ISLANDS.

Arnason, Jon, Vesturgola, Reykjavik.

MOROCCO.

Bakkali, Si Abdellah El. Tetuan.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Diet, Kantoor, Batavia.
Forsyth, Douglas, Batavia.
Gulik, J. F. Van, Medan.

NORWAY.

Forenede Feldspatbrud A.-S., Sarpsborg; and Strandgade 24, Christiansand S.
Pelz & Hauge, Incognitogade 15B, Christiania.
Smedsvik, Harald (Manager, Hordaland Sardine Company A.-S.), Haugesund.

PERSIA.

Bozorg (*see* Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi).
Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi (or Teheranji) (*alias* Meshid Agha Bozorg Tabrizi), Tehran. (Telegraphic Address: "Bozorg.")
Meshidi Agha Bozorg Tabrizi (*see* Haji Mirza Bagher Tabrizi).

PERU.

Sociedad Industrial Infantas Limited, Lima.
Gonzalez Larranaga Hermanos, Salaverry.
Mojovich, Jorje, J., Plateros de San Pedro 146, Lima.

PORTUGAL.

Bayer, F., and Company, Rua das Flores 139, Oporto.
Brucher, Ch., & Commandita, Rua de Cedofeita 245, Oporto.
Burmeister, J., Rua do Arco Bandeira (Rua dos Sapateiros) 39, Lisbon.
Burmester, Herman, & Company. Rua Infante D. Henrique 87, Oporto.
Cast, H. F., Rua da Alfandega 160, Lisbon.
Edelheim, Emilio, & Company. Successor, Travessa dos Congregados 80, Oporto.
Gottschalk, Arthuro, Rua de S. Bento 178, (formerly of Rua das PraÇas 30), Lisbon.
Hahnefelde & Gellweiler, Praca do Duque da Terceira 4, Lisbon.
Heise, George, Escadinhas da Saude 2 and Rua do Commercio 35, Lisbon.
Jacobi, N., & Company, Rua da Nova Alfandega 76, Oporto.
Jeremias, E., Largo do Campo Santo 13, Lisbon.
Katzenstein, Ed., Succrs., Rua de Bellomonte 39, Oporto.
Katzenstein, Hermann, Rua dos Fanqueiros 65, Lisbon.
Marum, Wm., Funchal, Madeira.
Mellert, José Antoine, Lisbon.
Reinhardt, Ricardo, Rua da Alfandega 118, Lisbon.
Rothes, Carlos, Rua de Bellomonte 89, Oporto.
Schmieder, Oswald, Rua Nova do Almada 11, Lisbon.
Siemens Schuckert Werke Limitada, Rua Augusta 27, Lisbon.
Timm, Charles, Rua da Prata 8, Lisbon.
Wald, G., Rua de S. Francisco 4, Oporto.
Wegehenkel, Arthur, Rua das condominhas, Oporto.
Wiedemann, Max, & Company, Rua da Prata 108, Lisbon.
Wischmann, Otto, Rua do Largo do Corpo Santo 6, Lisbon.

SPAIN.

Arozena, Fernando, Santa Cruz, Tenerife.
Arozena, José, Santa Cruz. Tenerife.
Atlas (El.) Insurance Company, Madrid; & Paseo Colon 7, Barcelona.
Baget, José Plaza Hurinera, Reus; & Tarragona.
Baget y Jornet, José, Plaza Hurinera, Reus; & Tarragona.
Baget y Laitotas, José, Plaza Hurinera, Reus; & Tarragona.

Ballestro, Antonio, H., S. C., Malaga.
Casa Peele (Dr. Lehman), Alcalá 73, Madrid.
Exportadora Frutera Tarracon ense, Tarragona.
Garnero, Viuda de Solvador, Calle Santa Florentina 15-17 and Calle del Carmen 18, 20 & 22, Carthagena
Lehman, Dr. (Casa Peele), Alcalá 73, Madrid.
Lopez Más, José, Calle Diputacion 112-118, Bruch 49 and Calle de Rosellon 255, Barcelona.
Marsden, Albert, Madrid; & Paseo Colon 7, Barcelona.
Oliver, Viriato E., Calle Ciscar 6, Valencia.
Pemartin, José, y cia., Huerta Pintada, Jerez de la Frontera.
Perez Viuda è Hijos de Luis, Redondela Muros and Villanueva de Arosa.

VENEZUELA.

Guevara, Luis Felipe, Hijo, Ciudad Bolivar.

VARIATIONS.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been included in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 7762, dated the 7th July, 1917, as subsequently amended, as under :—

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY.

Fuhrmann, H., & Company, Calle Peru 1182, Calle Brandzen 1872, Calle Herrera 2262-2278 and Calle Cochabamba 102, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Hansa Steamship Line (Deutsche Dampschiff Gesellschaft), Calle Sarmiento 320, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Lanza, Eustaquio, Montevidee, Uruguay. (No connection with Lanza & Company, Calle Andes 1470-72, Montevideo, Uruguay).
Siemens Schückert Companies, Calle Bernardo de Irigoyen 330 and Calle Sarmiento 1401, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Sociedad Anonima Argentina, Hidraulico-Agricola, Calle Moreno 411, Buenos Aires, Argentina should read Compania Argentina Hidraulico-Agricola, Calle Moreno 411, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BRAZIL.

Baross, Monteiro de & Company, Santos should read Barross, J. A. Monterio de Santos.
Schroeder & Company (Drogaria Martel) Rua dos Andradas 208 and 405, Rua Sete de Setembro 108, Rua Marechal Floriano 91, and Caixa do Correio 41, Porto Alegre.
Silva, J. Domingos da, & Company, Rua Sao Bento 28A, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

Girardi & Company, Tocopilla (no connection with Girardi and Company, Santiago).
Krüger, Maximo, & Piza, Blanco 166, Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Hollmann & Company (Carlos Hollmann), Bogota.
Wolf, Pablo, Cali. should read Wolff, Paul.

ECUADOR.

Hana & Cattan, Malecon 1407 and Casilla 399, Guayaquil.
Weber, Carlos, " Libraire Allemand." Quito.

HAYTI AND SANTO DOMINGO.

Bauch (or Bauck), William, Les Cayes, Hayti.

MOROCCO.

Marakko, Mannesmann & Company, Tangier, should read Mannesmann Marokko Company, Tangier.

NETHERLANDS.

Holland and America Import and Export Company (Gustav Cohn), Het Witte Huis, Rotterdam; and Zwarteweg 20, The Hague.

Onnes, P., & Zoon, Singel 250, Amsterdam; and Wijnhaven 103, Rotterdam.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Ang Tian Taij, Batavia, should read Ang Tian Laij, Batavia.

Boer, A. de, Belawan & Medan, Sumatra; and Batavia.

Dorssen, A. M. S. van (Miss), Raden Saleh 28, Weltevreden Batavia.

Cabrera Romero, Andres (of Bernardo Navarro), Las Palmas, Grand Canary.

Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia, etc., should read Reboredo Isla, Luis Garcia, etc.

Isla, Luis Garcia Roboredo (see Roboredo Isla, Luis Garcia), should read Isla, Luis Garcia Reboredo (see Reboredo Isla, Luis Garcia.)

Gaona, José Marco, Barroso 8 and 10, Madrid; and Calle Mateos Gago 6 al 12-2'1, Seville.

Noticiero Universal, El, Barcelona.

Vilacaca, Sociedad Anonima, etc., should read Vilaseca, Sociedad Anonima, etc.

Murillo, Maria, Cortes 684, Barcelona.

Saavedra, Viuda de Antonio, Las Palmas, Grand Canary.

No. 794-D.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), as amended by Act XII of 1914, the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing, by sea or by land, into British India of any copy of a booklet entitled "An open letter to the Right Hon'ble David Lloyd George, Prime Minister of Great Britain", by Lajpat Rai, published by B. W. Huebsch of New York.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 24th November 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 23rd November 1917.

No. 601-T.—17.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is of opinion that coal is a product which can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11 A. A. of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor General in Council is pleased, in supersession of the notification in the Railway Department (Railway Board), No. 395-T.—17, dated the 20th September 1917, to authorise the Coal Controller, Railway Board, Calcutta, to exercise in respect of the said product while in transit over a railway the powers conferred on the Governor-General by sub-rules (1) and (3) of the said rule.

F. A. HADOW,
Secretary, Railway Board.

The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, published in the Supplement of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 24th November 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 393-C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Delhi, the 20th November 1917.

RESOLUTION ANNOUNCING ALLOTMENT TO PROVINCES OF GENTLEMEN RECENTLY APPOINTED IN ENGLAND TO THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

RESOLUTION.

THE undermentioned gentlemen, recently appointed in England to the Indian Civil Service, are, under the orders of the Governor General in Council, allotted to the provinces shown against their names :—

Mr. Bertie Munro Staig. „ Donald MacPherson. „ Jnanankur De.	Bengal.

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2. The Governor General in Council is further pleased to direct that the gentlemen posted to Bengal shall, on arrival at Calcutta, report themselves to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

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S. R. HIGNELL,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following Resolution, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the Supplement of the *Gazette of India*, dated the 24th November 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 757-D.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

RESOLUTION AMENDING THE RULES FOR REGULATING THE GRANT OF PROSPECTING LICENSES AND MINING LEASES IN BRITISH INDIA.

RESOLUTION.

Delhi, the 22nd November 1917.

THE Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in the rules for regulating the grant by Local Governments of licenses to prospect for minerals and the grant of mining leases in

British India, published with the Resolution of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 7552-7581—121, dated the 15th September 1913, as subsequently amended.

The following shall be inserted as rule 4(*a*):—

"Any order passed by the Collector or District Forest Officer shall be subject to appeal and to revision in such manner and by such authority as the Local Government may prescribe by notification in the Local Government Gazette."

Delete the second sentence in rules 21 and 30 (*vii*).

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations for information, and that a copy be forwarded to the Foreign and Political Department and the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, to Chambers of Commerce and to the Director, Geological Survey of India, for information.

Ordered also, that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

[Fourth publication.]

24-Parganas.

No. 764T.-M.—The 29th October 1917.—The following proposed plan for lighting portions of the Maniktala Municipality with gas, which has been submitted by the Commissioners of that Municipality to the Government of Bengal for sanction under section 308 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

II. The proposed plan will be taken into consideration on the 15th December 1917, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be considered.

Proposed Plan.

1. The portions of the Municipality which it is proposed to light with gas is defined below:—

PLOT A—ARIFF ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 12-13, Jahor Lal Dutt Lane, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 17-27, Ultadanga Main Road.

West—The municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

PLOT B—BAGMARI ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 132-A, Bagmari Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Bagmari Road, and from No. 8, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, and from the municipal holding No. 2-4, Bagmari Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 103, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 57, Maniktala Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding Nos. 132-A and 132-B, Bagmari Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 8, Maniktala Main Road.

PLOT C—CANAL EAST ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards west up to the Circular Canal.

South—From the Circular Canal towards east up to the south-west corner of the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 4, Canal Circular Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 13, Ariff Road.

West—Circular Canal.

PLOT D—SASTITOLA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, and from the municipal holding No. 16, Mutty Lal Sen Lane, towards south-west up to the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, and from the municipal holding No. 37-1, Sastitola Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, and from the said No. 5, Gouri Sankar Ghosal Lane, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, and from the said No. 138-6, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 42, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 9-9, Joynarayan Tarkapanchanan Lane.

West—From the municipal holding No. 59, Narkeldanga North Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 63-7, Narkeldanga North Road.

PLOT E—NARKELDANGA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 1, Bahir Surah Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 102, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 45, Narkeldanga Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 104, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 1, Eahir Surah Road.

PLOT F—BELLIAGHATTA MAIN ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghatta Main Road.

East—From the municipal holding No. 65, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 106, Belliaghatta Main Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 33, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 121, Belliaghata Main Road.

PLOT G—CHARAKDANGA ROAD.

North—From the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road, towards west up to the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road.

South—From the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road, towards east up to the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road,

East—From the municipal holding No. 2, Belliaghatta Main Road, towards north up to the municipal holding No. 70, Charakdanga Road, and from No. 70, Charakdanga Road up to the municipal holding No. 6, Charakdanga Lane, and from No. 6, Charakdanga Lane towards north up to the municipal holding No. 53, Charakdanga Road and from No. 53, Charakdanga Road towards north up to the municipal holding No. 44, Talpuker Road.

West—From the municipal holding No. 12, Narkeldanga Main Road, towards south up to the municipal holding No. 66, Canal East Road.

2. Sixty-four gas lamps will be installed within these portions of the Maniktala Municipality, viz., eight gas lamps in Ariff Road, ten in Bagmari Road, seven in Canal East Road, three in Narkeldanga Main Road, seven in Sastitola Road, sixteen in Belliaghatta Main Road and thirteen in Charakdanga Road. It is estimated that the total cost for the installation will be Rs. 4,960. The Commissioners have decided to enter into an agreement with the Oriental Gas Company, Limited, on account of the maintenance of these lamps at the rate of Rs. 50 for each lamp a year or at a total annual cost of Rs. 3,200 *per annum*.

3. The Municipal Commissioners propose to meet the charge to be incurred on account of lighting the aforesaid areas by imposing an annual lighting rate of 3 *per cent.* on the annual value of holdings situated within the areas to be lighted as defined in paragraph 1 of this notification. The income to be derived from the lighting-tax of the aforesaid areas is estimated to be Rs. 3,840 a year.

No. 832San.—The 27th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Bengal Vaccination (Amendment) Act, 1911 (Bengal Act II of 1911) the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the said Act to the area included within the subdivision of Asansol, in the district of Burdwan, and constituted a Mining Settlement by Notification No. 194T.—Com., dated the 16th June 1915.

Burdwan.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

Notice.

THE Test Examination of private candidates will be held on Monday, the 17th December 1917, and the following days, instead of on the 3rd December 1917 and the following days, as already announced.

W. E. GRIFFITH,
Inspector of Schools, Burdwan Division.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Jubilee Research Prize in Arts subject for the year 1917 has been awarded to the undermentioned candidate. The subject of the thesis submitted by him and approved by the Board of Examiners is stated against his name.

Name of candidate	Subject of thesis.
Babu Sunitikumar Chatterjee, M.A.	Comparative Philology, with special reference to Bengali dialects.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 22nd November 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Matriculation Examination held in August, 1917 :—

FIRST DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

Biswas, Praphullaratan	...	18-1	Itachona Srinarayan Institution.
Ghosh, Anathnath	...	17-11	Ditto.
Goswami, Rajendrachandra	...	16-8	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.

SECOND DIVISION.

(In alphabetical order.)

Bhuiyan, Radhikamohan	....	17-5	Sonargaon G. R. Institution.

P. BRÜHL. *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 21st November, 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GIRLS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded Special Junior Scholarships for girls on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years :

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

Serial No.	Name of candidate.		Name of the school from which the candidate matriculated.
	One of Rs. 20 a month.		
1.	Sudha Dutta	...	Maharani High School, Darjeeling.
	Six of Rs. 15 a month each.		
1.	Subodhbala Ray	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
2.	Nikhilbala Gupta	...	Eden Girls' High School, Dacca.
3.	Pritilata Guha Maulik	...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Indubala Das Gupta	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
5.	Lilabati Nag	...	Ditto ditto.
6.	Sudha Chatterjee	..	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Ten of Rs. 10 a month each.		
1.	Amiyaprabha Biswas	...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.
2.	Lila Bose	...	Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3.	Malotimala Sircar	...	United Missionary Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Snehaprabha Sarkar	...	Vidyamoyee Girls' School, Mymensingh.
5.	Phulabala Gupta	...	Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	Sudhirabala Guha	...	Ditto ditto.
7.	Sumatibala Das	...	Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
8.	Monica Chatterji	...	Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
9.	Chapala Devi	...	Dr. Khastigir's Girls' School, Chittagong.
10.	Sunitibala Ray	...	Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.

F. C. TURNER,

Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded special junior scholarships for Muhammadans on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917 The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years:

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

Twenty-five scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

IN THE TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Anwarul Hasan	...	Calcutta Madrasa.
2.	S. Mozaffaruddin	...	Ditto.
3.	Aboo Sayeed	...	Ditto.
4.	Hamid Hasan	...	Ditto
5.	Hemayet Husan	...	Ditto.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

1.	Ainul Hoque Khan	...	P. N. High School, Satkhira.
2.	Muhammad Abdul Hannan	...	Sadarpur High School, Amla.
3.	Anwaral Haque	...	Baraset Government High School.
4.	Muhammad Hossain	...	Edward High School, Salar.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1.	Muhammad Serajul Islam	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
2.	Abdul Azim Mollah	...	R. M. Basu High School, Maju.
3.	Islam Ali Tarafder	...	Higher Class English School, Sibpur.

DACCA DIVISION.

1.	Momtazuddin	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
2.	Muhammad Ismael	...	Gafargaon Islamia High School.
3.	Muhammad Husen Ali	...	Ditto.
4.	Syed Abdul Ahad	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya.
5.	Abul Kasem	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1.	Abdul Aziz	...	Uma Lochan High School, Bangora.
2.	Mamtazul Huq Mallick	...	Feni High School.
3.	Shahed Ali	...	Comilla Zilla School.
4.	Karim Baksha	...	Chittagong Collegiate School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1.	Moyen Uddin Mian	...	Bogra Zilla School.
2.	Mohammed Ishaque	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
3.	Nafizuddin Ahmad	...	Ditto.
4.	Md. Abdus Sobhan	...	Shazadpur High School.

EVAN E. BISS,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Land No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1421	Kismat Bibi Chini, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	2,655 2 10	.....	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another.	995 10 10	.....	160 4 7
1448	Darlhat Rajbarganj pargana Bosorgomedpur	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakrabarty	.....	270 0 0	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Barajja pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,151 8 1	... ..	Residuary share containing 6as. 4gds 1c. 2kt 1dt. will be sold the remaining 9as. 15gds 3c 2dt. will be excluded from sale.	Jasoda Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,304 8 1	.....	805 12 5
3866	Tappa Abdullapur, Zamindari 10as. 13¼ gds	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7as. 9gd. 2c. 1kt 1¾dt. will be sold, the remaining 2as. 10gds. 1c. 1kt. 1¼dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others	1,106 15 11	....	310 15 3

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 13th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
149*	Kismat Durgapur, pargana Tappey Ishafnagore.	5,570 0 0	.....	* Residuary share :—5 as. share of Durgapur, Darmagaon, Madhupur, Gandharbapur, Chak Peerpur, Gangarampur, Jalkar Ghoradaha, Tajoorpara, mauza Bilkula, Shimoli Chora Sonapur, Chak Raghunathpur, Chak Durgapur, Padmabila, Sharupai *alias* Jola Bil Sharupai ; 1 a. 13 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sarotia ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sakharipara *alias* Madargachhi ; 10 as. share of Chak Golakpur, Chak Hapania, mauza Saruppur, Lakshmikola, Hapania, Faradpur ; 16 as. share of Bilkula, Bhojendrapur ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils 14[illegible] ghoon, share of Atalkula ; 16 annas, tils share of Madhpur with jote Daria Khan ; 15 as. 18 gds. 3 krs. share of Raghunathpur with Majpara, Putigachha ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Shordia, Sakharipara ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils and 11 [illegible] ghoon, share of Chandi Chhatok and Jote Tajoo ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Durgapur *alias* Kacharpur ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 2 kgs. 11½ tils 1 kt. share of Bongram ; 1 a. 18 gds. 1 kr. 3 kgs. 4½ tils 1 krt. share of Chak Joyhari ; 1 a. 10 gds. 1 kg. 13½ tils 1 krt. share of Ugmowgaon ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 2 kgs. 11½ tils 1 krt. share of Kakinakhali *alias* Halndbaria and Hashonpur.	Juananda Govinda Choudhuri and others.	1,705 6 0	.....	30 9 6
68	Kismat Jat Shakhini, pargana Sinduri.	642 7 0	.....	*Residuary share :—13 as. 10 gds. share of Bandaranigaon ; 16 as. share of Baneshwarkandi Boloarampur *alias* Benishwarkandi, Jat Hulkhali, K. *alias* Hulkhali Chak, Bharara ; 12 as. 5 gds. share of Baneshwarkandi, Mudafat Hariabandha Baneshwarkandi *alias* Baneshwarkandi ; 16 as. share of Bhulgram, Bishnupur, Ekrampur, Hatbazar, Sanyshibadha, Peagua Jote K. ; 3 as. 15 gds. share of Hulkhali Chola *alias* Lakshmipur *alias* Hulkhali Chak ; 14 as. 3 gds. 1 kr. 14½ tils share of Jatshakhini K. ; 14 as. 15 gds. share of Aminpur Khas K., Ekrampur, Sindurirbag ; 16 as. share of Jatshakhini K. Jote Kali Nath Sarkar, Jatshakhini K. Jote Mohendra Narayan Das ; 11 as. 16 gds. 2 krs. 1 kg. 8 tils share of Naikola K. ; 16 as. share of Rater Kalidaha Jalkar.	Hriday Nath Sarkar and others.	862 3 0	.....	32 7 0
104	Parganah Islampur.	24,329 3 0	.....	* Separate account No. 2— 3as. 18gds. 1kr. and 1krt. share of the estate—mauza Biswanathpur, Ramchandrapur, etc.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,034 12 [illegible]	.....	1,208 4 9
115	Taluk Bhanara, pargana Bajurash, Nasirpur.	916 15 9	.....	* Residuary share :—16 as. share of Jamna, Bharara, Mohadebpur and Jote Kaisha.	Jaridonnesa Bibi *alias* Rupjanessa Bibi, wife of Jobedah Khan, and others.	862 7 0	.....	101 15 3

* All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale

Pabna Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

G. C. CHATTERJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 8 6	No	2 as. residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury	646 7 1	.....	66 12 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, and section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st of December 1917, at 1 P.M., for the said arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estate.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 7, 1661.	Elahabad, His. 8 annas, pargana Elahabad.	1,705 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Golapraj Choudhurani and others.	...	296 12 9 1,086 2 3 1,382 15 0	...
				Khas Mehal tenure.				
Lot No. 13, 1662.	Char Maghdhara, Madhyasatta No. 1.	844 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Hobilal Laha	...	Rent ... 184 14 0 Cess ... 19 12 3 204 10 3	...
Lot No. 15, 1663.	Ditto, No. 18	649 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Kumudini Kanta Mukhupadhya and others.	...	Rent ... 142 0 0 Cess ... 26 0 0 168 0 0	...
Lot No. 19, 1688.	Char Alexander, Madhyasatta, No. 1.	761 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Serajal Haque Mian and others.	...	166 8 0 20 0 0 186 8 0	...
Lot No. 25, 1686.	Mauza Char Gazi, Madhyasatta, No. 2.	554 2 0	Do. ...	.....	Serazal Haque Mia and others.	...	116 13 0 10 2 9 126 15 9	...

Noakhali Collectorate, the 19th November 1917. J. N. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No	4 as. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury, Khitish Chandra Rai Chaudhury, Harendra Narayan Rai Chaudhury, Niresh Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	1,189 4 8	.....	52 13 10

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917. A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 3rd January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62 3	Baksipur, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	4as. 2gds. 1c. 2½kts. 1kg. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Nath Biswas, son of late Kali Prasanna Biswas, and others.	5,446 2 3	.....	737 14 5
488 2	Sankar Chandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	,, ...	1 anna ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukherjee ...	685 5 2	.....	172 3 6
871	Char Naodapara, pargana Shahanzial.	976 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Siva Sundari Dasya ...	.....	282 0 0	.....
2450	Char Kodalkati, pargana Rajpur.	715 0 0	,, ...	.. ...	Siva Sundari Dasi ...	.....	208 0 0	.....
3521	Rani Jote Ashai, pargana Naskarpur.	820 0 0	,, ...	.....	Kumar Naresh Narayan Ray.	.....	207 14 7	.....

Krishnagar Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

D. K. MITTER, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,642 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	.....	121 1 3	
5500	Jalkar Koralipara, pargana Kotalipara.	2,050 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Chakravarty and others.	.....	925 0 0	
6449	Dotala Lafta Char Bhaga, pargana Kartikpur, Sujabad.	776 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Sherajaddin Ahmed Choudhuri and others.	.....	260 0 0	
6498	Digor Mohiakhali, pargana Nasti.	1,791 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Madan Mohan Banerjee.	.....	543 13 6	

Faridpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands of September 1917 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
136	Kismat Gouripur, pargana Chhoti-pur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share—12 as. 19 gds. 2 crs. $2\frac{182432}{234117}$ ds. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nebu Gopal Singha and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
34	Dogachia etc., pargana Kubajpur.	811 4 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Mrityunjoy Ray Choudhuri and others.	.....	165 6 7	.....
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,260 9 11	Ditto ...	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	230 13 6	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

ABDUL GOFFAR, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 2 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,319 4 9	.....	26/32, Hissa 11 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhuks.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
2703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhai, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sundar Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya and town, kismat Baleram Sarkar, Babuita taraf Sanaulla Khan.	1,043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,45b 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 13⅓ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-8.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 8	.....	248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Babaita, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan and town, taraf Inoch Alop.	2,265 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	189 8 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imamboz.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas, Patiya town, Raozan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Raozan, taraf Kooja Hoa Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto ...	.....	Sarada Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Raozan, taraf Monoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 2 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts paying annual jama of Rs. 621-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 3⅓ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 989-3-8.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Raozan, taraf Manoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 621-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 10 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-2.	Barada Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	578 11 3	.....	96 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Rastum Ali.	3,443 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 970-13-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 2
1749	Ditto ...	3,443 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612-6-8.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

Taluk No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mhd. Ohhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kalkobad Ahmed, mortgagee Misrijan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 10	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Ranzan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2554	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Ranzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Sm. Rahimunnesa herself and on b half of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6. 6	.....	202 3 9
3054	Thanas Ranzan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 3, Nityanands Ray to the extent of interest 2 as. 0 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as. 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
33141	Thana Chakaria, Kaimi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1,055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Decruz and Shaik Waizuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 20th November 1917.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 1,44,66,846 12 5			
Ditto ditto at Branches ...	„ 1,21,80,794 10 2	2,66,47,641	6	7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		30,67,57,322	0	7
Bank Post Bills, etc.		11,92,490	6	6
Sundries		14,19,540	4	3
		37,77,66,994	1	11

ASSETS.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		9,27,65,943	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,32,16,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities		5,20,04,558	8	10
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		4,78,96,259	5	5
Bills discounted and purchased		2,69,61,465	2	5
Balances with other Banks		53,97,819	11	1
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		28,97,662	10	7
Stamps		10,917	12	2
Sundries		3,73,413	4	5
		21,14,04,679	6	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 10,72,10,896 7 5			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 5,91,51,418 3 7	16,63,62,314	11	0
		37,77,66,994	1	11

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,78,217 8 0

† Do. do. do. „ 6,20,490 0 0

Rs. 9,98,707 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent.

Percentage 49·51

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 22nd November 1917.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

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STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th November 1917.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					Total.
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	
Balance of 31st October 1917	27,99,700	93,82,700	4,14,16,800	1,45,80,700	64,40,800	19,98,800	7,38,17,500
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to Stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 17th October 1917 ...	3,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th September 1917...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th November 1917.	.....	41,600	5,900	3,000	700	1,700	53,900
Total ...	28,03,600	94,24,300	4,14,22,700	1,45,83,700	64,41,500	19,98,500	7,38,70,400
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	11,600	29,900	11,400	....	.....	52,900
Balance on 15th November 1917	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,72,300	64,41,500	19,98,500	7,38,17,500

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.			Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1918-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	
Balance of 31st October 1917	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	.....	2,300	7,71,19,000
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Madras up to 17th October 1917 ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,900
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to 15th September 1917 ...	.....	.....	.....	1,800	.....	1,800
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 1st and 15th November 1917.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53,900
Total ...	2,500	47,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,77,600
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	54,900
Balance on 15th November 1917	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,22,700

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th September 1917—Enfaced from India, 12,410 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,990 lakhs.

" 16th September 1917 to 30th " " " " " — " " " 3

" 1st October " to 15th October " " " " 2 " " " 1 lakh.

" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 5 " " " —

" 1st November " to 15th November " " " 1 lakh " " " 1 lakh.

12,413 lakhs. 12,995 lakhs.

P. A. SELFE,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 21st November 1917.

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 8th day of December 1917, pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in suit No. 690 of 1916 (Sreemutty Sarat Kumari Dassi *versus* Sreemutty Kamini Debi and others) and dated, respectively, the 31st day of July 1916 and the 22nd day of June 1917, the undermentioned property described in the mortgage in suit as follows :—

All that two-storied brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by estimation 9 cottahs be the same a little more or less known as No. 22, Chasadhobapara Street, in Sutanutty in the North Division of the town of Calcutta, bounded on the north partly by No. 18-2 and partly by No. 21, Chasadhobapara Street, on the east partly by Chasadhobapara Street and partly by No. 23, Chasadhobapara Street, on the south by the Jorapukur Square Lane, and on the west partly by No. 33, partly by No. 34, Jorapukur Square Lane, partly by No 11, Chasadhobapara Street, and partly by Chasadhobapara Lane.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale of the above property may be inspected at the office of Mr. B. P. Chunder, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 11, Old Post Office Street, and also at the office of the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

B. P. Chunder, Plaintiff's attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 7th day of September 1917. (2689—1—2725)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, in his sale room in the Court House on Saturday, the 15th day of December 1917, at the hour of 12 O'clock noon pursuant to the preliminary and final decrees made in suit No. 142 of 1913 (wherein Hari Mohan Ghosh is the plaintiff and Netai Churn Ghosh and others are defendants, and dated respectively the 22nd day of December 1915 and the 25th day of June 1917, the undermentioned property :

Lot No. 1.—All that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the partly one-storied and partly two-storied brick built messuage tenements and hereditaments with corrugated and tiled roofed huts standing erected and built therein containing by admeasurement 8 cottahs 13 chittaks and 9 square feet situate lying at and being premises Nos. 17, 19 and 21 (formerly Nos. 41, 41-2 41-1, respectively). Motts Lane holding No. 34, Block No XIV, in the south division of the town of Calcutta and paying an annual revenue of rupee one annas ten and pies three only to the Collector of Calcutta for the entire holding and butted and bounded on the north by Mott Lane, on the east by the premises No. 15, Mott Lane, on the south by a public lane and on the west partly by No. 10, Gooroo Prosad Ghose Lane and partly by the premises Nos. 27, 25 and 23, Mott Lane.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned or at the office of Babu Benode Behary Banerjee, Attorney for the plaintiff at No. 12-1, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Benode Behary Banerjee—Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 13th day of September 1917. (2713—1—2726)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature, Fort William, in Bengal, in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 1st day of December 1917, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to the decrees and order of the said Court, dated the 31st day of July 1908, 3rd day of January 1913 and 11th day of May 1917, respectively, made in suit No. 258 of 1908, (wherein Lalbehary Dey and others are plaintiffs and Nootbehary Mullik is defendant), the undermentioned property belonging to the defendant :—

Lot No. 1.—All that divided ¼ part or share of and in all that three-storied brick-built messuage tenement or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of revenue-free land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 8 chitaks and 13 square feet only, situate lying at and being the front portion of premises No. 7, Lalmadhub Mukerjee Lane, in taluk Sootanooty in the town of Calcutta, and being Lot C as delineated in the map or plan annexed to the Return to the Commissioner of Partition in suit No. 106 of 1895 of this Court in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction (Lalbehary Dey and others *versus* Poorna Chunder Dey and others) and which is butted and bounded in manner following :

On the north by portion of the same premises No. 7, Lalmadhab Mukerjee Lane, which is to be opened out as a common passage as directed by the Commissioner of Partition in his said Return ; on the east partly by the aforesaid portion of the premises No. 7, proposed to be opened out as a common passage and partly by a portion of the said premises No. 7, described and marked as Lot B in the aforesaid Commissioner's Return and the said plan ; on the east partly by the aforesaid Lot B and partly by premises No. 6, Lalmadhub Mukerjee Lane; and on the west by Lalmadhub Mukerjee Lane.

This property is subject to a charge of 1rd of Rs. 8, monthly payable to Srimati Ramee Dasee during the term of her natural life under the decree, dated 24th April 1899, in the said suit No. 106 of 1895 and the arrears of which up to Asarh 1324 B.S. amount to Rs. 296, and it is also subject to a charge of Rs. 6,849-14-5 due to the plaintiffs in suit No. 80 of 1913 of this Court under the said decree of 24th April 1899 in suit No. 106 of 1895. The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Registrar's Office in the Court-house, or together with a certified copy of the said plan at the office of Babu Nafar Lal Mullik, the plaintiff's Attorney, at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Nafar Lal Mullik—Plaintiff's Attorney.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 7th day of August 1917. (2716—1—2718)

Insolvency Notice.

In the matter of Chiranjee Lall, Chatturbhuj and Munna Lall, insolvents.

ON the 24th day of March 1917 an order was made that Tuesday, the 11th day of December 1917, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, Chiranjee Lall, one of the said insolvents, shall be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities, for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent Chiranjee Lall at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, In Insolvency, the 26th November 1917. (2736—2)

NOTICE

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 273 OF 1917

Ramendra Chandra Bosu, son of late Madan Mohan Bosu, of 8 A, Ward Institution Lane, thana Belliaghata

To Guru Prosad Das, of 15 Raja Debendra Narayan Ray Street, Belliaghata

ON the 3rd day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2631—1—2708)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 279 OF 1917.

Panchu Mandal, son of late Labai Mandal, of Bhashlia, thana Deganga, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Tarak Chandra Banerjee, of 158, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 9th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2636—1—2709)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 284 OF 1917.

Sirish Chandra Bosu, son of late Haran Chandra Bosu, of 10-7, Nepal Bhattacharjee's Street, Kalighat, applicant.

To Bholanath Mandal, of 99, Taliganj Road, thana Taliganj, and others, creditors.

ON the 1st day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2637—1—2710)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 286 OF 1917.

Kailash Chandra Deb, son of late Biswanath Deb, of Chunapati, Belliaghata, applicant.

To Lalit Mohan Saha, of 21, Dutt's Lane, and others, creditors.

ON the 3rd day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2638—1—2711)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 291 OF 1917.

Abdul Ahed Ostagor, son of Kalu Molla, of Padirhati, Badamtala, thana Garden Reach, applicant.

To A. Burman & Co., of 210, Bowbazar Street, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 5th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2641—1—2715)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 293 OF 1917.

Bholanath Dey, son of late Sive Narayan Dey, of 55-5, Suntitala Road, Narikeldanga, thana Beliaghata, applicant

To Gokul Chandra Dutta, of 52, Prem Chand Boral Street, Bowbazar, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 5th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2642—1—2714)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 297 OF 1917.

Sheik Bhadu, son of Sheik Dulal, of Barahanagore, Kasi Nath Dutta's Road, applicant.

To Charu Chandra Dutta, of Servamangala, Kasipur Road, post-office Kasipur, and others, creditors.

ON the 6th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2644—1—2717)

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 14 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Khusiram Bhakat, son of late Basandoyal Bhakat, at present of Rampur Hat, thana Rampur Hat, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 5th October 1917.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge

Suri, the 20th November 1917. (2715—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 119 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Bhairab Chandra Shaha, son of late Manik Shaha, of Hazipur, police-station Rajpura, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 19th November 1917. (2714—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 21 OF 1917.

ON the application of Ananda Mohan Das, son of late Modon Mohan Das, resident of Sobjimohal, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, for being declared an insolvent, the 7th of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and for examination of the debtor.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge,

Dacca, the 21st November 1917. (2728—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 79 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th June 1917, filed by debtor Jogendra Lal Pal, son of Brindaban Chandra Pal, of Brahmangaon, police-station Lohajung, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2735—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Dijabor Boyer, son of late Bishwa Nath Boyer, of Sijberiah, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 13th October 1917. (2670—1—2727)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Bhajanl Lal, son of Lall Ram, of Howrah Station, thana Pilkhana, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 78 of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2671—1—2730)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Fakir Chandra Roy and Girish Chandra Roy, son of late Adaitya Charan Roy, of Jagadispore, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 76 of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2672—1—2731)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ashutosh Bandopadhya, son of Jogendra Chandra Bandopadhya, of Bally, thana Bally, district Hooghly has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2673—1—2732)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Panchkori Dass Paramanik, son of late Govinda Ch. Das Paramanik, of Gopalnagore, *alias* Mutoo, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2674—1—2733)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Anadi Charan Das Paramanik, son of late Govinda Ch. Dass Paramanik, of Gopalnagore, *alias* Mutoo, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 30th November 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2675—1—2734)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kedarnath Khanrah, son of lat Shib Ch. Khanrah, of Pankerdaha, thana Bagnan, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 7th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2676—1—2735)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Guiram Dass, son of late Jadunath Dass, of Howrah Bellilious Road, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 7th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge.

Chinsura the 12th October 1917. (2677—1—2728)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Suchitanand Chandra, son of Gobordhon Ch. Chandra, of Udang thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅞⅞ of 1917, and that the 7th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

K. N. CHAUDHURI, Addl. District Judge

Chinsura, the 12th October 1917. (2678—1—2729

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 28 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th May 1917, against Kasimaddi Shekh, son of late Amir Shekh, of Boaildaha, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor-petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1917.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

(2730—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1917.

Panchu Majhi, petitioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Panchu Majhi, of Kandoa, police-station Nakashipara, district Nadia, has been admitted by this court No. 42 of 1917, and that 1st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 22nd November 1917. (2729—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 79 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Iswar Chandra Pramanik, son of late Arjun Pramanik, of Radhunibari, police-station Ullapara, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 7th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows:—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Surendra Narain Saha.	Sirajganj ...	Sirajganj	Pabna ...	284
2. Upendra Mohan Saha Chaudhuri.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	290
3. Brajendra Kumar Ray.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	805
4. Brajendra Kumar Ray.	Maijhali ...	Rajapur	Do. ...	175
5. Gobindanandalal Saha.	Sirajganj ...	Sirajganj	Do. ...	43
6. Benode Behari Saha.	Dalua ...	Baikuchi	Do ...	2,750
7. Dinabandhu Saha	Sarishabari	Sarishabari	Do. ...	227
8. Jogendra Kumar Ray.	Jhalopara	Ditto	Do. ...	66
9. Nitya Lal Poddar	Sarishabari	Ditto	Do. ...	55
10. Mukunda Sundari Dashya.	Radhunibari	Rajapur	Do. ...	300
11. Kalidas Chaudhuri	Sirajganj ...	Sirajganj	Do. ...	350
12. Jaladhar Chaudhuri	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	1,200
13. Radhagobinda Poddar.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	108
14. Baneshwar Jitendra Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	11
15. Jadunath Bateshwar Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	15

E. MILSOM, Offg. District Judge.

Pabna, the 22nd November 1917. (2734—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1917.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Kefatulla Karikar, son of late Panaulla Karikar, of Bergangarampur, police-station Gurudashpur, district Rajshahi, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE day of 1st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 14th September 1917. (2435—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 OF 1917.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

(1). Joy Narayan Gonesh, (2) Tholaram Gonesh, (3) Durpa Narayan Gonesh, sons of late Modan Mohan Gonesh, of Boalea, police-station Khorba, district Malda, petitioners-debtors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 8th day of December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtors and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 22nd September 1917. (2494—1—2724)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1917.

(1) Boloram Ghosh, son of late Gonesh Ghosh, (2) Sreerup Ghosh, son of late Horibol Ghosh, (3) Indra Ghosani, widow of Gonesh Ghosh, of Shiroshi, police-station Gomostapur, district Malda, applicants.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvents have applied at the Court for their discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 8th December 1917 at 10-30 o'clock for hearing the application.

Dated this 25th day of September 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2588—1—2723)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 47 OF 1917.
SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

Isab Sirdar, son of late Delu Sirdar, of Shampur, police-station Paba, district Rajshahi, petitioner, debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*).

THE day of 1st December 1917 has been fixed for hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 12th October 1917. (2684—1—2720)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.

Lambodar Chakraverty, of Benodepur, police-station Shivgunj, district Malda, petitioner-debtor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

(*Under section 48 of the Provincial Insolvency Act*).

THE day of 8th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 12th October 1917. (2685—1—2721)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 103 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

GANAPAT RAM RATI, son of Ram Bakasft Rati, of Chowdhurani, police-station Pirgasa, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 13th day of October 1917 adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 20th November 1917. (2732—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 287 OF 1917.

Debi Methor, son of late Dhanu Methor, of 15, Belighata Road, thana Intali, applicant.

Bhusan Methor, Jamadar, of Canal West Road, Maniktala, and others, creditors.

ON the 4th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2639—1—2712)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 288 OF 1917.

G. Maxwell, of 3, Kuha 2nd Lane, thana Intali, applicant.

To Gani Khan Kabuly, of 4, Tengra Road, police-station Tengra, district 24-Parganas, and others creditors.

ON the 4th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2640—1—2713)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 294 OF 1917.

Gosto Behary Das Dhibor, son of late Ram Chandra Das Dhibor, of Khordana, Jaiapara, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Golap Kha Kabuly, of Titagor, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 5th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 3rd December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2643—1—2716)

Notice.

WANTED 24 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of Ganja. Some of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of January 1918 and some on later dates. Selected candidates will have to work for six months. None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 7th December 1917.

R. C. DUTT, Subdivisional Officer, Naogaon (Rajshahi).

Naogaon, the 14th November 1917.

WANTED an M. A. in Sanskrit with experience in teaching as an Assistant Master (Grammar Pandit) for the Sanskrit Collegiate School on a salary of Rs. 50 a month (class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service). Applications must reach the Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School, on or before the 15th December 1917.

SATIS CHANDRA VIDYABHUSANA,
Principal, Sanskrit College.

Calcutta, the 8th November 1917.

Notice.

WANTED for the office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, a clerk on a monthly salary of Rs. 25—1—30 outside the grades. None but I.A.'s, I.Sc.'s, or F.A.'s need apply. Preference will be given to a Muhammadan candidate. Applications with copies of testimonials and particulars as regards age, educational qualifications, native village and district, schools and colleges, where educated and previous experience, if any, will be received up to the 15th of December 1917. The cover should be addressed to the Superintendent, office of the Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Circle, P. O. Ramna.

M. V. JONES, Inspectress of Schools,
Dacca Circle.

Dacca, the 8th November 1917.

Notice.

THE unendowed monuments over the graves of persons named below (in the Cemetery of the St. John's Church at Midnapore) are in need of repairs, viz :—

(1) James Alexander	... Died on	28th February 1851.
(2) William Louis	... „	4th March 1853.
(3) Eliza Anne Deverell	„	10th November 1862.
(4) Ralph Werge Smyth	„	25th July 1866.
(5) Charles J. M. Dixon	„	27th „ „
(6) Alexander Sharp Sneddon	„	25th February 1877.
(7) Abraham Robert Thomas Palmer.	„	7th October 1878.
(8) Mary Anne Morrow...	„	6th „ 1881.
(9) George Richard James Palmer.	„	8th February 1882.

Relations or friends of the deceased persons desirous of repairing the monuments are requested to communicate with the undersigned.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, I.C.S.,
Senior Member, Church Committee.

Midnapore, the 21st November 1917. (2731—3)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

NOTICE.

Government purchase of tea for the United Kingdom.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Food Controller in England proposes to purchase direct in India and Ceylon all tea required for consumption in the United Kingdom. The basis of payment is still under discussion, but it has been decided that each estate will be invited to tender to supply a proportion of its crop, the proportion being fixed on the basis of average production in the years 1914, 1915 and 1916, with a special allowance in the case of new estates and of extensions of estates now coming into bearing. Statistics are, therefore, required by the undersigned showing, in respect of each estate in India which wishes to participate in the scheme, the crop manufactured in the years 1914, 1915 and 1916, and, in the case of newly opened out estates and of estates with new extensions coming into bearing, in addition, figures showing the actual crop manufactured in 1917 and the estimated crop in 1918. Information is also required as to the area under tea in full bearing, as well as of that under new tea which will come into full bearing in 1918.

In the case of tea estates situated in Bengal and Assam, these statistics are being collected by the Indian Tea Association. The Calcutta Agency Houses will furnish the information in respect of all estates in their Agencies, while that in respect of estates not represented in Calcutta will be obtained through the District Committees of its Assam and Surma Valley Branches and of the Duars and Darjeeling Planters' Associations. In the case of tea estates situated in Madras, Bihar and Orissa, and the United Provinces, Local Governments have been asked to arrange for the collection of the statistics required. Those relating to the district of Kangra in the Punjab are being collected by the Deputy Commissioner of that district.

The statistics of outturn furnished by private concerns or concerns which do not publish regular accounts, as well as crop estimates of new estates and estates with new extensions coming into bearing, will be verified by local Committees of tea planters appointed by local Associations where such exist.

It is essential that the above statistics should be furnished as soon as possible in order to enable the undersigned to work out the quantity of tea to be supplied by each estate. The above information must be submitted in accordance with the instructions contained in this notice not later than the 15th December 1917.

W. M. KENNEDY, LT.-COL.,
Tea Commissioner for India.

Block B.3, Clive Buildings, Calcutta, the 26th November 1917.

Notice.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED GOODS.

Name of vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Quantity.	Description of goods.
"Benton Maru" ...	T or nil ..	2 pieces ...	Brass ingots.
"Salvaged" ...	Nil	Nil	1 bundle rattan.
"Albiana" ...	A G F	1 case ...	Books.
Ditto ...	Nil	2 cases ...	Canned goods.
"Cabota" ...	R R R	1 case ...	Lanterns.
"Orsolo" ...	D D B	1 case empty	.....
"Fook Sang" ...	K	1 jar ...	Samshoo.
"Mandala" ...	Nil	1	Deck chair.
Ditto ...	Mr. Sweeney ...	1	Deck cot
"City of Marseilles"	Witherington ...	1	Deck chair.
"City of Exeter"...	Mr. Lee	1 leather trunk containing 1 collar box, 10 collars, 2 handkerchiefs, 16 ties, 1 pair of socks, 2 books, 7 shirts, 6 warm trousers, 3 vests and 5 warm coats.	
"City of Poona" ...	Mr. Cowley ...	1 deck chair.	

The above packages lying in the Custom House unclaimed for four months and over will be sold under section 88 of the Sea Customs Act. VIII of 1878, if not removed on payment of all the charges due, by the 19th December 1917.

A. H. LLOYD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1917.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 206 OF THE INDIAN COMPANIES ACT, 1913.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, and

In the matter of the Gangpore Light Tramways Company, Limited (in liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolutions were passed by the Gangpore Light Tramways Company, Limited, at a special General Meeting of the Company held at the registered office of the Company, No. 37-1, Canning Street, Calcutta, on the 13th October 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, and that the said resolutions were confirmed at the adjourned General Meeting of the Company held at the same place on the 17th November 1917 at 12 o'clock noon :—

Resolution I.—Resolved that the Gangpore Light Tramways Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily.

Resolution II.—Resolved that Mr. Jatindra Nath Basu be appointed liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets of the Company and that he be paid a remuneration of Rs. 2,000.

J. N. BASU,
Chairman of the Meetings mentioned above.

37-1, Canning Street, Calcutta, the 17th November 1917. (2710—1—2719)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of New Union Assurance Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of New Union Assurance Co., Ltd., has this day been struck off the Register, and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,
Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and in the matter of the Mohanpur Collieries, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Mohanpur Collieries, Ltd., will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 19th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Bharat Mutual Provident Insurance Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of The Bharat Mutual Provident Insurance Co., Ltd., has this day been struck off the Register, and that the Company is dissolved.

W STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of Bandmann Variety and Asiatic Cenema Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of Bandmann Variety and Asiatic Cenema Co., Ltd., will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE.

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The West Bengal Coal Co., Ltd.

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Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Pearl Provident Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of The Pearl Provident Co., Ltd., has this day been struck off the Register, and that the Company is dissolved.

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Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

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Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Bengal Rice Mills Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Bengal Rice Mills Company, Limited, will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

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Calcutta, the 20th November 1917.

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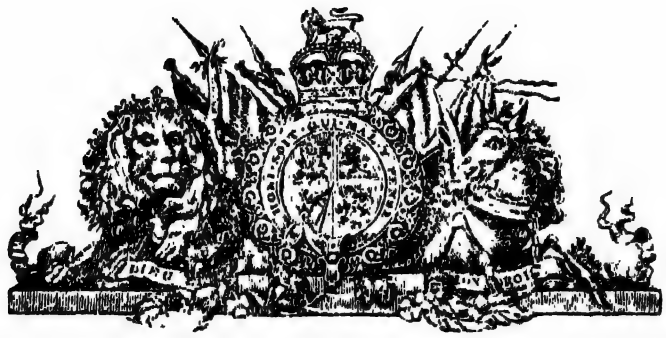

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1207L., dated the 22nd November, 1917.—The following Bill was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on the 20th November, 1917 and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons annexed thereto :—

THE BENGAL PUBLIC DEMANDS RECOVERY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

A

BILL

to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913. Ben. Act III of 1913.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, in order to provide for a more effective method of realising the contributions to the assets of a Co-operative Society under liquidation and the costs of such liquidation ;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1917.

Amendment of section 5 of Bengal Act III of 1913.

2. After sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

'Provided that no action shall be taken under this Act on a requisition made by a liquidator in pursuance of an order under clause (*b*) or clause (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, unless the requisition be countersigned by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal."

[*cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, s. 5(*1*), proviso.]

II of 1912.

Amendment of Schedule I.

3. After article 12 of Schedule I to the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"12-A. Any sum ordered by a liquidator appointed under sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, to be recovered as a contribution to the assets of a society or as the cost of liquidation."

[*cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, Sch. I, Art. 14.]

II of 1912.

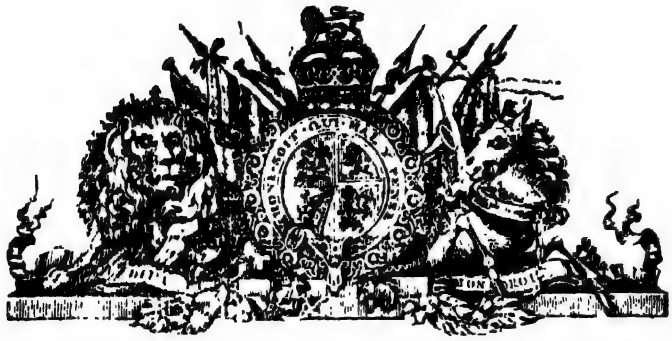
STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Under sub-section (5) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912), the orders made by the liquidator of a Co-operative Society, the registration of which has been cancelled, have to be enforced by the Civil Court. It is of very great importance that the dues of societies which are proved failures should be collected and their liabilities paid off as early as possible. To secure this end, it has become imperative to adopt a procedure for realising the dues of these societies under liquidation, which will be quicker and more efficacious than the ordinary Civil Court procedure. The Eighth Session of the Bengal Provincial Conference unanimously recommended that the provisions of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913 (Bengal Act III of 1913), be made applicable to Co-operative Societies under liquidation, so that the orders of the liquidator may be enforced by the certificate procedure. A somewhat similar provision was brought into force in the Province of Bihar and Orissa by the Bihar and Orissa Public Demands Recovery Act, 1914.

It is proposed, therefore, to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, by inserting a new clause in Schedule I to the Act, so as to allow the application of the Act to the orders of a liquidator under clauses (*b*) and (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912. To prevent any possibility of abuse of this provision, it is proposed to add a proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act by which the requisition for a certificate by a liquidator can be enforced under this Act only if it is countersigned by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

J. G. CUMMING,
Member in charge.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council. (Offg.)



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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 17th November 1917.*

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel—Storm Warning Signals.

No. 304 (first publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum. has given Notice, dated 23rd July 1917, that the Madras Cyclone Code, as published on page 260 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* No. 9, dated 29th February 1916, has been adopted in this State, and will be brought into force at the Ports of Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel at a date to be notified later. Copies of the Code may be seen at any of the above Port Offices.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Port limits of Quilon.

No. 305 (first publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum, has given Notice, dated the 11th August 1917, that the limits of the Quilon Port have been fixed as follows:—

East.—So much of the foreshore as lies between the north and south boundary pillars and within 50 yards of high water.

North.—A line drawn west-south-west from the north boundary pillar until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

South.—A line drawn from the south boundary pillar west-south-west until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

West.—A line cutting the north and south boundary lines and with Tangacherry lighthouse bearing north.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST—COLACHEL.

Patna Rock Red Buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 306 (first publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, Alleppey, has given Notice, dated the 19th September 1917, that the Patna Rock Red Buoy has been replaced.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Quilon—Buoys replaced.

No. 307 (first publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, Alleppey, has given Notice, dated 12th October 1917, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¼ cables.

Black buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. ¼ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of the Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart (No. 750) of the Quilon Road, with reference to these buoys.

The 12th November 1917.

GULF OF ADEN.

Port of Aden—Alteration in Examination Anchorage.

No. 300 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Pinnacle rock, lat. 12° 45¼′ N., long. 44° 55¼′ E.

Alteration.—The position of the Examination anchorage in the outer harbour has been altered, and the anchorage is now defined as follows :—

Limits :

(*a*) *On the North.*—By a line drawn from the summit of Pinnacle rock, in a 70° (*N. 71° E. Mag.*) direction towards Ras Tarshein, for a distance of 9$\frac{3}{10}$ cables.

(*b*) *On the South.*—By a line drawn from the summit of Jezirat Salil, in a 53° (*N. 54° E. Mag.*) direction towards Ras Tarshein, for a distance of 19 cables.

(*c*) *On the East.*—By a line joining the eastern extremities of limits (*a*) and (*b*).

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3660. Aden harbour.
„ 7, Aden harbour and approaches.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 405 ; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5367/17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—NEGROS ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Apo Island Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 301 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 961 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 9° 05′ N., long. 123° 16¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 5 sec., 428 ft., vis. 16 m.* (U).

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from alternating fixed and flashing white and red to *flashing white every five seconds.*

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manilla.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1171.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 375.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1957 of 1917. (*H. 5426/17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU ARCHIPELAGO.

Pearl Bank—Light established.

No. 302 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 969 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 5° 50′ 15″ N., long. 119° 44′ 30″ E., on chart No. 1868.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 6 sec., 65 ft., vis. 13 m. (posn. approx.)*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every six seconds.*

Elevation.—65 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles.

Structure.—White circular steel tower, 60 feet in height.

Remarks.— The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 1868, Taganak to Tawi Tawi.
„ 928, Sulu archipelago.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago, and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1137.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 296.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1955 of 1917. (*H. 5424/17.*)

BAY OF BENGAL.

HUGLI RIVER—GABTOLA CHANNEL.

Gabtola—Light-vessel established.

No. 303-I (second publication).—

Position.—Lat. 21° 48′ 51″ N., long. 88° 02′ 43″ E.

Details.—The light-vessel is stationed at the head of the Gabtola Channel with Kaukhali (Cowcolli) lighthouse bearing 283°, distance 5¾ miles, in about 19 feet of water.

She is an attended light-vessel with one lantern mast without any day distinguishing symbol. The Hull is painted red with the name of the Station in white letters on her side.

At night it displays a fixed white light, 44 feet above the water, visible in clear weather 12 miles and it also carries a riding light on the forestay 6 feet above the rail.

Remarks.—The light-vessel has been placed as an experimental measure only. For the present, this light in common with all the other Hugli lights is not being exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 136, Hugli river.
„ 814, The Sandheads.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 300.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator, Port of Calcutta, Notice dated 8th November 1917.

The 5th November 1917.

CHINA, EAST COAST.

Kyau Chau Bay Approach—Non-existence of Bell-Buoys.

No. 280 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 893 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—At a distance of 3 $\frac{4}{10}$ miles, 356° (*North Mag.*), from Tai-kung-tau lighthouse.
Tai-kung-tau lighthouse, lat. 35° 57¼′ N., long. 120° 29¼′ E.

Description.—A red bell-buoy.

(*b*) *Position.*—At a distance of 7 miles, 294° (*N. 62° W. Mag.*), from the above-mentioned lighthouse.

Description.—A red bell-buoy.

Remarks.—The foregoing bell-buoys do not exist and are to be expunged from the charts.

Variation.—4° W.

Charts affected.—No. 857, Kyau chau bay.
„ 1255, Kyau chau bay to Lai chau bay.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912. page 412; Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 153 of 1917. (*H. 5018/17.*)

AUSTRALIA—VICTORIA.

Geelong Outer Harbour—Light-Buoy established.

No. 281 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 894 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of $1\frac{3}{10}$ miles, 100° (*S. 88° E. Mag.*), from No. 2 beacon at the entrance to Hopetoun channel.
Lat. 38° 07¼′ S., long. 144° 28¼′ E.

Description.—A black spherical light-buoy exhibiting a *flashing red* light *every three seconds*, thus :—

Flash,	eclipse.
$\frac{3}{10}$ sec.	$2\frac{7}{10}$ secs.

Variation.—8° E.

Charts affected.—No. 2731, Geelong harbour.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol I, 1907, page 469.

Authority.—Melbourne (Department of Ports and Harbours) Notice No. 11 of 1917 (*H. 4524/17.*)

AUSTRALIA—NEW SOUTH WALES.

Sydney Harbour—Lights established.

No. 282 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 900 of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) *Position.*—On the cage beacon on north-western edge of bank extending from point at Fort Macquarie, known as Benelong point, at the entrance to Sydney cove.
Lat. 33° 51½′ S., long. 151° 13′ E.

Description.—A *red* light.

(*b*) *Position.*—On the beacon on Kirribilli point reef.
Lat. 33° 51¼′ S., long. 151° 13¼′ E.

Description.—A *green* light.

Charts affected.—No. 1206, Sydney harbour, Bradley head to Dawes point.
„ 1069, Port Jackson.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, Nos. 2539*a*, *b*.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, pages 810, 811; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.
Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, pages 64, 65; Revised Supplement, 1913.
Australia Pilot, Vol. III, 1916, pages 32, 33.

Authority.—Sydney Harbour Trust. (*H. 5008/17.*)

CHINA SEA—FORMOSA, NORTH COAST.

Kiirun Ko—Alteration in Light on Light-Buoy.

No. 283 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 901 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the end of the shoal extending from the southern point of Kago bay.
Lat. 25° 09′ N., long. 121° 44¼′ E.

Alteration.—The group flashing red light on this light-buoy has been replaced by a *flashing red* light *every three seconds.*

Chart affected.—No. 2618, Kiirun ko.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 230.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 152 of 1917. (*H. 5017-17.*)

CHINA SEA, FORMOSA STRAIT—PESCADORES ISLANDS.

Makung Harbour (Bako ko)—Reef and Buoy to be expunged from Chart.

No. 284 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 904 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 3 cables, southward, from the southern extremity of Observatory island (Sokuten tō).

Lat. 23° 32¾′ N., long. 119° 33¼′ E.

Remarks.—The reef, together with the white can buoy marking it, is to be expunged from the charts, and a depth of 5¾ fathoms substituted for the drying portion of the reef.

Charts affected.—No. 1338, Pescadores islands, inner anchorages.
„ 1961, Pescadores islands.
„ 1760, The Brothers to Ockseu islands.
„ 1968, Formosa island and strait.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 131 ; Revised Supplement, 1917.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 166 of 1917. (*H. 5027-17.*)

JAPAN—HONSHU, WEST COAST.

Funakawa Wan—Light-Buoy established to mark Breakwater constructing.

No. 285 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 907 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Neno saki, lat. 39° 52¼′ N., long. 139° 50¼′ E.

Description.—A light-buoy painted white with red spherical topmark, exhibiting two *fixed red* lights.

Remarks.—The light-buoy marks the extremity of the works in progress of the breakwater under construction off Neno saki. The light-buoy will be moved seaward as the works progress.

Note.—A note, "*Outer end marked by light-buoy showing 2 Lts. F. red.*" is to be inserted on the chart against this breakwater constructing.

Chart affected.—No. 3395, Plan of Funakawa wan.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 657 ; Supplement, 1916.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 146 of 1917. (*H. 5013-17.*)

JAPAN—GULF OF TOKYO.

Tateyama Machi—Light established.

No. 286 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 909 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 34° 59′ 18″ N., long. 139°-51′ 08″ E., on chart No. 2657.

Abridged description.—Lt. F.

Characteristics:

Character.—A *fixed white* light.
Elevation.—About 70 feet.
Visibility.—Not stated.
Power.—100 candles.
Structure.—A post.

Charts affected.—No. 2657, Gulf of Tokyo or Yedo.
„ 996, Kii suido to Tokyo,
„ 3334, Tokyo to Sendai bay.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2063*a*.
Japan Pilot, 1914, page 197.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 162 of 1917. (*H. 5023/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST.

Chemulpho Approach—Correction to Former Notice.

No. 287 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 913 of 1917), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 890 of 1917. (*This Office No. 276 of 1917.*)

Correction.—In paragraph "Position," *for* 11 cables, 123° (*S. 52° E. Mag.*), *read* 11 cables, 223° (*S. 48° W. Mag.*).

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 3582/17.*)

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL AND MALACCA STRAIT.

Caution with regard to Extinction of Lights; Certain Ports closed by Night.

No. 288 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 914 of 1917), are republished:—

Former Notice.—No. 740 of 1917 (*this office No. 244 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished:

Aden, Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir), Cape Monze, Karachi, Bombay and vicinity, Colombo, Barberyn, Madras, Puri, Shortt island, Balasore, Calcutta and Hugli river approaches, Rangoon river approaches, Port Blair in the Andaman islands, Penang, Singapore.

All lights in the Persian gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal are liable to be extinguished without Notice. Vessels should arrange to arrive at their destinations during daylight hours.

2. Certain Ports closed by night:

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6·0 a.m., and they should not approach the Port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the Port.

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5350/17.*)

KOREA, WEST COAST—PING YANG INLET.

Nakasu Shoal—Amendments to Chart.

No. 289 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 918 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Nakasu shoal, south-western end, lat. 38° 37½′ N., long. 124° 51½′ E.

Details.—The accompanying reproduction of portions of charts Nos. 1656 and 1257 shows amended depths off south-western end of Nakasu shoal, together with the new position of Nakasu buoy.

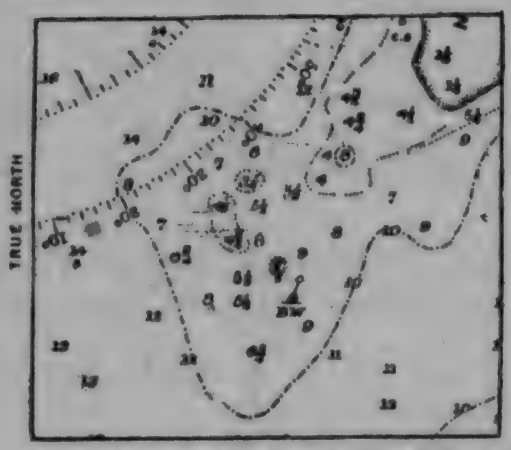
Charts affected.—No. 1656, Ping yang inlet.

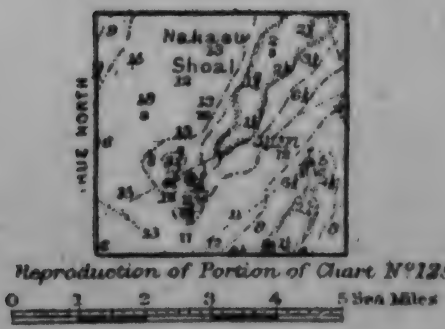
„ 1257, Approaches to Ping yang inlet and Yalu kiang.

„ 1256, Gulfs of Pe chili and Liau tung.

Publication.—China Sea Pilot, Vol. V, 1912, page 582.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 161 of 1917. (*H. 5022/17.*)





NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Waikato River Entrance—Alteration in Channel.

No. 290 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 927 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—North head, lat. 37° 24′ S., long. 174° 46¼′ E.

Details.—The channel at the entrance to the Waikato river has undergone a further change, owing to the land in the vicinity of North head being washed away.

In consequence of the above a further alteration in the position of the leading beacons on North head has been rendered necessary in order to indicate the best water over the bar.

The beacons, which are each painted white with a black diamond in the centre, are now in line when bearing 60° (*N. 45° E. Mag.*).

Note.—The note on the chart is to be amended accordingly.

Variation.—15° E.

Chart affected.—No. 2535, Plan of Waikato river.

Publication.—New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 220; Supplement No. 3, 1917.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 32 of 1917. (*H. 3574/17.*)

BAY OF BENGAL—MERGUI ARCHIPELAGO.

Middle Island and Perforated Island—Caution with regard to Positions.

No. 291 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 935 of 1917), are republished :—

Position on charts.—Middle island summit, lat. 9° 04′ N., long. 97° 48′ E.
Perforated island summit, lat. 8° 49¼′ N., long. 97° 46¼′ E.

Details.—Middle island is reported to lie about 1¼ miles eastward, and Perforated island about 2¼ miles south-eastward of charted positions, respectively. A note to the above effect with year date "*1917*" is to be inserted on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2165, Sayer islands to Loughborough island.
„ 830, Bassein river to Pulo Penang.

Publication.—Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 548.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 1922-17.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA—LOURENCO MARQUES APPROACH.

Chefina Shoal Light—Amended Characteristics.

No. 292 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 938 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 303 of 1917. (*This office No. 125 of 1917.*)

Position.—Lat. 25° 56¼′ S., long. 32° 41¼′ E.

Abridged description.—(U.) Lt. F., *W.R., 26 ft., vis. 8 m.*

Character.—A *fixed* light with *white* and *red* sectors.

Sectors.—*White* from 243° (*S. 81° W. Mag.*), through west, to 72° (*East Mag.*);
Red elsewhere.

Remarks.—The remaining characteristics are unchanged.

Variation.—18° W.

Charts affected.—No. 646, Lourenco Marques.
„ 644, Delagoa bay.
„ 2089, Tugela River to Delagoa bay.
„ 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 61
Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 194.

Authority.—The Ministry of Marine, Lisbon. (*H. 5357-17.*)

AFRICA, EAST COAST, AND INDIAN OCEAN ISLANDS.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

Caution with regard to extinction of lights.

Traffic Regulations.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

Caution with regard to extinction of certain lights.

Special directions for entering Diego Suarez.

No. 293 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 939 of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice.—No. 804 of 1917 (*This office No. 259 of 1917*) hereby cancelled.

(1) Africa, East Coast.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.

1. The following lights are extinguished :—

   All lights on the coast of Italian Somaliland.
   All lights on the coast of the Portuguese Province of Mozambique.

2. All other lights on the East Coast of Africa are liable to be extinguished without Notice.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving the ports of the Province of Mozambique at night.
Vessels are prohibited from entering or leaving Delagoa bay at night.

(2) Indian Ocean Islands.

I. MADAGASCAR.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF CERTAIN LIGHTS.

All harbour lights in Madagascar are extinguished; the coastal lights are still exhibited.

SPECIAL DIRECTIONS FOR ENTERING DIEGO SUAREZ.

Vessels bound for Diego Suarez, in order to avoid delay, are advised to notify the time of their arrival in advance to the Military Commander three hours before arrival by day and five hours before arrival by night. The signal denoting "Passage free" authorises vessels to enter the channel, but they will still be under the obligation to stop when directed to do so from the semaphore, to allow the Examination service vessel to proceed alongside.

II. MAURITIUS.

All lights in the island of Mauritius, except Flat island light, are extinguished.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5475-17.*)

NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Thames Harbour—Alterations in Lighting.

No. 294 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 942 of 1917), are republished :—

1. Leading lights established :
Abridged description.—Red and Green Ldg. Lts.

(*a*) Front light :

Position.—On seaward end of Shortland wharf.
Shortland wharf, lat. 37° 08¾′ S., long. 175° 32¼′ E.

Description.—A *red* light.

(*b*) Rear light :

Position.—On Shortland wharf, at a distance of 113 yards south-eastward of the front light.

Description—A *green* light.

2. Lights discontinued :

Details.—The red and white light formerly exhibited from the seaward end of Shortland wharf, together with the fixed white light on the edge of the bank off the same wharf, have been discontinued.

Charts affected.—No. 1108, River Thames (New Zealand).
„ 2543, Maunganui bluff to Manukau harbour, &c.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, Nos. 2899, 2900.
New Zealand Pilot, 1908, page 90.

Authority.—Wellington Notice No. 30 of 1917. (*H. 3573/17.*)

AUSTRALIA, EAST COAST—OUTER BARRIER REEF.

One-and-Half-Mile Opening—Beacon Established.

No. 295 (third publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 158 of 1917.

Subject.—The beacon near the One-and-Half-Mile Opening has been established.

Position.—About 1¼ miles West of the outer end of the Opening.
Lat. 14° 22′ S., long. 145° 23′ E.

Description.—A red triangular beacon. The top of the beacon is 30 feet above the high water.

Charts affected.—No. 2923, Hope Islands to Turtle Group.
„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-west Sheet.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern portion.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 385.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 20 of 1917.

PERSIAN GULF—SHATT-AL-ARAB, OUTER BAR.

Information with regard to Dredging Operation.

No. 296 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 157M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 122M. of 1916. (*This office No. 257 of 1916.*)

Subject.—Information has been received that the Dredging Operation on the Shatt-al-Arab, Outer Bar, which was in progress has been discontinued.

Chart temporarily affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Nearchus," dated 23rd September 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Shatt-al-Arab river—Alteration in Buoyage.

No. 297 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 158M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 41M. of 1917. (*This office No. 67 of 1917.*)

Subject.—The following changes in the buoyage have been made to mark the existing deepest channel across the Bar.

(*a*) The Red Conical Buoy No. 1 has been shifted to 97° (S. 95° E. Mag.) at a distance of 3¼ cables from its former position.

(*b*) Buoy No. 3 has been shifted to 283° (N. 79° W. Mag.) at a distance of 3¼ cables from its former position, and replaced by a large Red Conical Buoy, with figure 3 in black.

(*c*) The Inner large Black Conical Buoy marking the Inner end of Dredged Channel has been removed.

Chart affected.—No. 1235, Mouth of the Euphrates.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 281.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding R. I. M. S. "Nearchus," dated 23rd September 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Derelict reported North-westward of Sheikh Shuaib.

No. 298 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 159M. of 1917). are republished :—

Date Sighted.—On 15th October 1917 by the Master of "Kara Deniz."

Position.—Lat. 26° 54′ 0″ N., long. 52° 19′ 0″ E.

Description.—A water-logged floating Dhow.

Caution.—This derelict constitutes a danger to navigation.

Charts temporarily affected.—No. 2837-b, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet.
„ 748b, Indian Ocean, Northern Portion.

Authority.—Director of Sea Transport, Basra, dated 18th October 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—HUGLI RIVER APPROACH—SANDHEADS.

Alteration in the Eastern Channel Light Vessel.

No. 299-I (third publication).—

Subject.—From the beginning of November 1917, the Eastern Channel Light Vessel will be replaced by a new Light Vessel.

Position.—Lat. 20° 57′ N., long. 88° 12′ E.

Details.—The Light will be carried in a tower placed amidships, and the day distinguishing symbol, a black ball, will be shown at the after mast head.

Single flashing white light giving a flash of one second duration every 30 seconds.

Visibility.—12 miles.

Power.—20,000 candles.

Order.—4th.

Fog Bell.—During fogs, a mechanical foghorn will sound two blasts every two minutes.

Note.—There will be no alteration in the exhibition of blue light or in other respects.

Caution.—For the present, this light in common with all the other Hugli lights will not be exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 814, The Sandheads.
„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein River.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 606.
Indian Light List, 36th issue, 1917, No. 347.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 289.

Authority.—The Deputy Conservator for the Port of Calcutta, dated 17th October 1917.

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Offg. Port Officer of Calcutta.

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List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
1. Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4 0 0	4 5 0	0 2 0	0 2 3
„ medium ...	4 11 0	5 2 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4 7 0	4 14 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 1 0	5 5 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....	.....	0 2 1½	0 2 6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....	.....	0 2 0	.....
(vi) Kajla	3 4 0	3 9 0	0 1 6	0 1 9
2. Wheat, Dudhia ...	5 1 0	5 4 0	.....	.....
„ Jamali ...	4 12 0	4 14 0	.....	.....
3. Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3 4 0	3 12 0	0 1 9	0 2 0
4. „ dal	4 0 0	4 12 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
5. Mung „ (Hari) ...	5 10 0	6 6 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
6. Arhar „	3 8 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	.....
7. Masur „ (split) ...	4 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5 0 0	5 12 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
8. Kalai „	5 4 0	5 14 0	0 2 3	0 2 9
9. Salt	5 4 0	6 8 0	0 3 0	0 3 0
10. Sugar (brown Java) ...	11 8 0	.....	0 5 0	0 5 0
11. Gur, Bheli	8 8 0	.....	0 3 6	4 0 0
12. „ Bhursut	10 0 0	10 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 6
13. Milk	11 0 0	11 8 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
14. Mustard oil	16 8 0	18 4 0	0 7 0	0 8 0
15. Flour (country) ...	6 8 0	7 3 0	0 2 9	0 3 0
16. Ata No. 3	3 12 0	4 2 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
„ „ 2½	5 0 0	5 2 0		
„ „ B	7 7 0	7 8 0		
17. Suji	7 2 0	7 12 0	0 3 3	0 3 9
18. Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.).	72 8 0	73 0 0	1 14 0	2 0 0
„ (Pafiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	64 0 0	.....	1 12 0	1 14 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.)	57 0 0	.....	... ..	.....
19. Maize	2 4 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
20. Potato	6 0 0	8 0 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
21. Patal	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 4 6
22. Brinjal	4 0 0	4 4 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
23. Onion	3 4 0	4 6 0	0 1 0	0 2 0
24. Fish, Rahu	18 0 0	20 0 0	0 8 0	0 10 0
25. Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
26. Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....	.....	0 3 0	0 5 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hát, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hát, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 26th November 1917.

Summary.—During the week under report no rain fell excepting some light showers in parts of the Chittagong Division. Sowing of spring crops and reaping of winter paddy continue. The outturn of the latter crop is generally reported to be good. Cattle-disease prevails in three districts only. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 2·4 per cent. below that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *amun* paddy and sugarcane and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	10	10	
	Barrackpore	Nil	$8\frac{5}{16}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$	
	Barasat ...	Nil	10	10	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{1}{2}$	
2	NADIA ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	10	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	$9\frac{1}{2}$	9	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
3	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	13	11	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Sowing of potato and harvesting of paddy have commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kandi ...	Nil	12	$11\frac{3}{4}$	
4	JESSORE ..	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	12	12	
	Narail ...	Nil	13	9	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	$10\frac{2}{3}$	$10\frac{2}{3}$	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of early winter rice has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	11	9	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	11	9	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10	10	Weather cloudy. Sowing of *rabi* crops going on. Harvesting of winter paddy has begun. Condition of standing crops is good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	11½	11⅜	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10½	10½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aus* paddy continues. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	12	11½	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	14	13½ (new) / 11 (old)	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	11	14 (new) / 11 (old)	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 11/16	9 11/16	Weather cold. Sowing of rape and mustard and tobacco continues. Harvesting of winter rice continues; outturn is fair. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	10	10	
	Contai ...	Nil	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	10	10	Weather comparatively warm. Sowing of potato and other *rabi* crops continues. Prospect of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	Nil	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good except in the flooded areas. Planting of sugarcane for the next year's crop continues. The harvesting of *aman* paddy has commenced everywhere. Sowing of *rabi* crops is almost finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Uluberia ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	9	(*a*)	
	Nator ...	Nil	7½	(*a*)	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10 7/16	10 7/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	(*a*)	(*a*)	10 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9	8¼	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather clear. Winter rice, *marua*, millet and cardamom are being harvested. Wheat and barley are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	10	9	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	7	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and transplanting of tobacco seedlings continue. Prospects of winter paddy are good, harvesting has commenced in some places. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	8½	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	8½	8½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	9¾	9¾	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	13	7½	Weather cool and pleasant. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	7½	7½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	11	9½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Habipur thana.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	9⅜	8⅝	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on at places. Transplanting of tobacco seedlings and sowing of mustard seeds are in progress. Washing of jute is almost finished. Condition of standing crops is favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops good. Sowing of *kalai*, mustard and sweet potatoes is in progress. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Import of rice continues.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narayanganj	Nil	9⅜	9⅜	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	9¼	9¼	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	8¾	8¾	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	9	8½	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8	8½	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12	12	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	10	10	
	Gopalganj†...	Nil	13	13	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	7½	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas of Bhola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	8	7½	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	Nil	8	7½	
25	CHITTAGONG	0·08	10½	10½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress.
	Cox's Bazar	0·70	8	10	Harvesting of early winter paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported. *Panga* salt is selling at 5 and 6 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar respectively.
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	13	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent, except in parts of Brahmanbaria subdivision from where damage by insects is reported. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Reaping of *aman* paddy has begun. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	10	10	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	10	10	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Winter paddy is being harvested. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 4½ seers per rupee. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Companyganj.
	Feni ...	Nil	14	13½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	1·11	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops continues. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

D. N MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 27th November 1917.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the First-half of November 1917.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency	1	Chetla Hat ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	8 14	8 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	11 8†
	2	Magra Hat ...	8 14	8 14	7 10	10 0	10 0	8 0	7 4	7 4	6 11	6 10	6 10	6 3	8 0	8 8	13 14
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	6 15	7 0	5 14	8 0	8 0	8 12	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 1	7 7	8 4	11 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Ghari ...	10 8	8 14	6 11	11 4	11 0	7 12	5 13	5 8	5 5	8 0	6 6	6 6	10 10	11 4	13 0†
	5	Ranaghat(n) ...	...	9 0	6 0	...	10 0	6 12	...	6 6	6 6	...	6 0	6 0	...	9 0	10 8
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	11 0	10 4	7 4	11 8	10 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	11 0	13 0	14 0†
	7	Kandi ...	12 0	12 8	8 4	12 4	13 0	9 0	5 8	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	10 12	10 8	8 0	11 8	11 8	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	11 0	11 0	15 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	8 2	12 0
	10	Bangaon	9 6	10 0	7 1	10 10	10 10	7 10	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 10	6 6	8 0	8 0	12 13
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	12 8 (d)	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0 (e)	6 8	7 0	6 8	7 0	10 8
	12	Bagerhat	8 0	7 8	7 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	8 0	10 0
		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	10 0	9 8	7 8	12 8	12 0	9 8	7 12	8 8	7 4	9 0	9 8	7 0	9 0	10 0	13 4
	14	Katwa	10 0	10 0	7 4	10 8	10 8	7 10	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 4	6 0	5 4	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	11 8	11 8	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	12 12
	16	Rampur Hat	11 0	11 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	8 8	6 0	6 0	6 12	8 0	8 0	6 8	11 0	11 0	14 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	10 12	10 12	9 0	13 12	13 12	10 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	11 12
	18	Vishnupur	11 0	11 0	7 8	14 0	14 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	8 0	12 8
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	9 11	9 11	7 11	10 1	10 1	8 0	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 0 (b) to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	10 8
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 12	6 8	6 8	6 0	8 0	9 0	11 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	7 8	7 12	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 0	8 0	12 8†
	22	Arambagh ...	10 0	10 0	7 12	10 4	10 4	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 4	7 4	13 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 2	8 2	7 0	9 12	9 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	13 0
	24	Uluberia	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	13 4
		Rajshahi.															
	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	8 4	8 4	7 2	8 10	8 10	7 5	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 12	9 12
	26	Nator	7 8	7 8	6 12	9 0	9 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	7 8	9 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	10 3	9 9	8 11	10 12	10 3	9 5	5 11	6 0	5 11	7 13	7 13	6 10	7 12	8 0	12 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	8 0½	8 4	8 0	9 8	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	7 4	7 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	11 0

(e) Patasi. † Karsatch. (n) Not reported. (d) New autumn rice.

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Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Dadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		DARJEELING.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 0	7 12	6 0	8 4	9 8	7 4	5 8	5 4	5 0	5 8	5 4	4 12	6 0	5 8	8 0
	30	Siliguri	7 0	7 0	6 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	6 0	8 8	7 0	10 0
		RANGPUR.															
	31	Sadar	8 0	7 0	6 12	8 12	7 12	7 0	5 12	4 8	5 4	8 0	5 8	5 4	6 12	8 0	9 8
	32	Nilphamari ...	8 8	8 8	...	9 0	9 0	...	6 0	7 0	...	8 0	8 0	...	6 8	7 8	...
	33	Gaibandha—Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	8 0	9 12	9 12	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8	7 8	12 0
		PABNA.															
	34	Sadar	7 4	7 2	7 6	8 8	8 0	8 4	6 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	9 0	9 12
	35	Sirajganj	7 8	7 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	7 12	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	11 0	11 0	12 0
		MALDA.															
	36	Sadar	9 8	9 8	8 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	6 8	6 0	7 8	7 0	6 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	10 8
	37	Baliar Nawabganj ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	10 8	10 8	8 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	6 8	8 8	11 0
Dacca.		DACCA.															
	38	Sadar	8 8	7 8	7 8	10 0	9 8	8 8	5 8	5 4	5 4	8 0	6 12	6 4	5 8	7 0	12 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	9 4	9 0	7 0	9 4	9 0	7 0	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 10	7 0	10 0
		MYMENSINGH.															
	40	Nasirabad	8 0	7 11	6 12	8 8	8 3	6 15	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 8	9 8	11 12
	41	Netrakona	8 0	7 9	6 6	8 8	8 0	7 2	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 8	7 4	6 12	9 0	9 0	11 4†
		FARIDPUR.															
	42	Sadar	9 8	8 0	7 0	10 8	9 8	8 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 4	6 0	5 4	6 8	7 0	10 8
	43	Goalundo ...	11 5	11 2	7 11	12 0	12 0	8 0	8 12	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	5 5	7 0	10 0
		BAKARGANJ.															
	44	Barisal	8 0	8 0	7 4	9 12	9 12	9 0	9 7	9 7	9 8	6 11	6 11	6 8	8 0	8 0	12 8
	45	Pirojpur	7 8	7 8	6 12	7 8	7 8	6 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 0	7 0	10 10
		TIPPERA.															
	46	Comilla	7 11	7 0	6 6	7 14	7 14	6 14	5 6	5 5	4 9	6 6	6 6	5 5	6 8	6 8	10 11
	47	Chandpur ...	8 0	7 12	6 11	10 0	9 8	9 0	5 4	5 5	10 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	6 8	6 8	15 0
Chittagong.		NOAKHALI.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	9 0	8 0	7 8	10 0	8 8	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 8	10 8
	49	Rasul Hat	8 4	8 4	8 4	13 0	11 0	9 2	8 4	8 4	8 4	*	*	...	7 6	7 6	12 10
		CHITTAGONG.															
	50	Sadar	10 0	9 8	7 8	11 0	10 8	8 0	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	7 8	7 0	12 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	9 8	10 0	7 8	9 8	10 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	6 8	6 8	10 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	12 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 8	5 8	8 0

† Crushed.

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CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1917.

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MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	6 2 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	6 0 0	6 2 0	9 4 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	4 2 6
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	5 4 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	5 4 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 8 0	3 0 0	3 6 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 4 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	2 4 0	2 5 0	2 11 0	6 0 0	7 5 0	8 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 7 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	3 8 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	7 4 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 12 0

MARTS.	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 10 0	4 12 0	4 10 0	5 8 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 14 0	4 10 0	4 9 0	5 8 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	3 14 0	4 4 0	3 14 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	to 4 4 0	to 4 2 0	to 4 2 0	to 6 8 0	to 6 8 0	to 6 8 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 12 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	7 8 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	7 10 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0

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MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26.	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 0	35 0 0	32 0 0	15 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 0 0 to 8 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	16 0 0 to 24 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	30 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	5 0 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	11 0 0	11 4 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	6 10 0	6 10 0	5 10 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	8 8 0	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	6 12 0	7 0 0	5 8 0	11 8 0	13 0 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....

MARTS	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 8 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	52 0 0	450 0 0	Per 100 pieces. 450 0 0	375 0 0
Chetla Hât ...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	53 0 0	56 0 0	50 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 40 8 0	48 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	58 0 0	52 0 0	55 0 0	300 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 300 0 0	376 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 60 0 0 54 0 0	275 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 275 0 0	350 0 0
Chandpur ...	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	4 0 0 to 5 8 0	6 12 0 to 10 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	(c)	(c)	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	.....	3 8 6 to 9 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	4 8 0 to 5 0 0	.....	8 0 0 to 11 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	4 4 0 to 5 12 8	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	7 4 0 to 7 9 4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	62 0 0	62 0 0	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 8 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	4 0 0	4 8 0	10 0 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	56 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	3 0 0

(c) Bhaira Ghee not available.

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MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	24 0 0	15 0 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 3 6(a)
Cheria Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	14 0 0	14 0 0	12 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 9 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	2 12 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	5 8 0	4 14 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0(a)
Chittagong ...	to 23 0 0 17 0 0	to 23 0 0 17 0 0	to 14 0 0 15 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	2 14 0‡	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	14 0 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	3 2 0*	3 1 0	3 1 0	2 13 0(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	20 0 0	18 12 0	15 0 0	5 12 0	4 12 0	3 0 0	4 0 0	3 3 0	2 13 0(a)
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	16 0 0	13 0 0	5 12 0	5 8 0	4 0 0*	3 4 0	3 4 0	2 14 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Patna. | ‡ Crushed.

MARTS.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	18 0 0	17 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Cheria Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 5 0
Burdwan ...	16 8 0	16 8 0	14 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 5 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 12 6	0 12 6	0 7 6
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 2 4	0 2 6	0 1 6
Midnapore ...	18 0 0	18 0 0	15 0 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	to 20 0 0 20 0 0	to 20 0 0 20 0 0	to 16 0 0 20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	20 0 0	18 8 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	17 11 0	18 0 0	16 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	19 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1917.

D. N. MOOKERJI,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	2·44	0·50	0·03	2·07	3·71	2·36	0·39	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·52	...	1·46	...	0·76	0·34
		Diamond Harbour.*																				
		Budge-Budge	0·20	0·62	0·06	0·18	1·28	5·88	3·81	1·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·05
		Canning Town	0·25	1·05	...	0·85	0·70	2·15	0·36	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore ...	0·14	0·41	0·15	0·14	1·18	2·13	1·64	1·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	0·03	0·08	...
		Barrackpore *																				
		Dum-Dum ...	0·56	0·06	0·08	0·26	1·97	1·63	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·63	...	...
		Barasat* ...																				
		Basirhat* ...																				
	Nadia ...	Ranaghat ...	1·00	0·16	0·31	0·12	0·15	3·90	0·32	1·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·12
		Krishnagar ...	0·18	0·04	0·06	0·06	0·55	1·73	2·95	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	1·31	...	...	0·42
		Chuadanga ...	...	...	...	0·16	0·76	2·34	1·03	1·64	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	0·25	...	...
		Meherpur ...	0·58	...	0·24	0·30	3·61	2·42	1·27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·27	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia* ...																				
		Haringhata ...	...	0·60	...	...	...	1·51	0·70	...	0·44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39
	Murshida-bad.	Kandi ...	0·21	0·04	0·19	0·13	0·30	3·04	1·08	0·78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	0·03
		Berhampore ...	0·40	...	0·67	...	0·16	4·50	3·90	1·29	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	0·38	...	...
		Lalbagh ...	0·20	...	0·16	...	0·17	4·05	3·06	1·82	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj* ...																				
		Jangipur ...	0·59	...	...	...	1·05	3·22	3·60	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola ...	...	...	...	1·75	2·40	1·40	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	...	...
		Akriganj ...	0·42	...	0·11	...	0·30	2·86	2·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Patkabari ...	0·08	0·06	0·51	0·41	5·75	1·85	0·48	0·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	0·48	...	0·06	...	...
		Dumkal ...	...	...	0·61	...	0·39	2·40	1·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliyanganj ...	0·19	...	0·35	...	...	3·31	0·84	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	·R
	Jessore ...	Narail ...	...	...	...	0·18	1·53	1·80	2·20	0·36	0·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore ...	0·17	...	0·19	0·08	0·64	1·84	0·32	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·79
		Jhenida ...	0·06	...	0·10	0·11	0·09	2·35	0·25	0·93	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	1·46	...	...
		Magura* ...								1·30												
		Sangaon ...	0·15	...	...	0·25	0·80	2·31	0·50	1·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	0·07
	Khulna ...	Satkhira ...	0·48	0·05	0·04	0·24	1·34	2·45	1·00	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat ...	0·41	...	...	1·08	3·88	3·80	1·50	0·93	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna ...	0·21	...	0·06	0·26	2·56	4·38	2·10	0·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...
		Kaliganj ...	0·50	0·10	...	0·20	1·36	1·80	0·87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur* ...																				
		Dumuria* ...																				
		Rampal ...	0·19	0·25	0·50	0·53	2·23	3·53	2·90	0·03	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12
		Kaliroa ...	0·18	0·06	0·10	0·04	0·45	2·79	0·45	0·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·12	...
		Paikgachha ...	0·11	0·03	0·10	0·32	1·39	2·14	1·71	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat ...	0·13	0·50	0·28	1·58	2·78	1·84	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Morelganj ...	0·41	0·20	0·11	0·30	2·32	3·26	1·31	0·10	0·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...
		Tala ...	0·71	2·27	0·40	0·37	0·63	2·80	1·42	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03
BURDWAN.	Burdwan...	Kalna ...	0·15	0·00	0·27	0·19	1·03	2·17	2·53	1·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan ...	0·30	1·38	0·48	0·05	0·62	2·03	0·46	1·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·32	0·25	...	0·19
		Katwa ...	0·29	...	0·64	...	0·61	2·38	1·05	0·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	1·41
		Asansol ...	2·02	0·66	0·38	0·13	1·50	1·31	1·38	0·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·10	...	...	0·04
		Mankar ...	...	0·51	0·85	..	2·77	3·00	0·52	0·43	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·66	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot ...	0·20	0·30	0·20	1·00	2·50	0·10	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Boyna* ...																				
		Monteswar ...	...	...	...	1·00	1·45	1·52	2·00	1·00	1·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Birbhum...	Suri ...	0·30	0·39	0·25	0·48	0·75	1·95	1·65	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·30	0·45	...	0·03
		Hetampur ...	1·09	0·20	0·06	0·09	0·78	3·96	0·54	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat ...	0·05	0·10	0·75	...	0·33	2·13	0·92	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur ...	0·27	0·30	0·06	...	0·60	1·75	1·10	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	0·15	...	...
		Murarai ...	...	...	...	...	0·75	3·75	1·99	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	...	...	...	...
		Labpur ...	0·41	0·18	0·39	...	0·61	1·84	1·06	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura...	Bankura ...	...	2·25	5·08	0·07	0·71	1·12	0·86	0·45	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...
		Vishnupur ...	0·08	1·92	...	0·75	1·54	0·60	0·38	0·24	...	0·13	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·08	...	0·34	...
		Mallara ...	0·20	1·47	0·12	0·10	0·96	2·19	1·54	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 67	0·11	...	...	...
		Khatra ...	2·00	...	...	0·20	0·28	1·90	0·62	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·17	...
		Indas* ...																				
		Kotalpur ...	0·74	2·01	0·46	1·07	1·41	2·15	0·16	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·42	...	...	...	..
		Obda* ...																				
		Gangajalghati	0·29	1·35	0·30	0·21	0·88	1·48	1·50	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	2·41	0·03	0·47	...	0·06
		Raipur ...	...	0·45	...	0·48	1·85	0·72	0·17	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	0·18	...
		Sonamukhi* ...																				
		Taldangra* ...																				
		Sarenga* ...																				
		Indpur* ...																				
	Midnapore	Contai ...	1·18	0·52	0·60	1·97	3·20	3·19	1·62	0·42	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·53	0·02	...	...	0·02	...	...
		Tamluk ...	0·82	0·29	0·47	0·46	2·26	2·72	0·39	0·25	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·11	...
		Midnapore ...	0·49	0·61	0·45	1·37	1·76	2·62	1·69	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·09	...	0·68	...
		Ghatal* ...																				
		Kukrahati ...	0·53	0·25	0·50	0·45	2·20	2·40	3·15	0·42	...	0·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora ...	...	0·70	...	0·43	1·40	2·32	1·48	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura ...	0·28	0·34	0·49	0·96	1·79	3·95	0·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Danton ...	0·25	0·50	0·19	2·90	1·40	2·80	0·15	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	0·19	0·39	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*																				
		Pachet* ...																				
		Bhagwanpur ...	0·53	0·62	...	1·32	2·74	5·32	0·34	0·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kultikri ...	0·16	0·21	1·13	0·60	2·77	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan ...	...	0·30	0·50	1·10	2·40	1·15	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·13
		Silda ...	...	0·42	0·55	1·56	1·00	0·50	0·23	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·10	...	...
		Chandri* ...																				
		Gealtore* ...																				
		Solboni* ...																				
		Naraingarh ...	0·25	0·69	0·50	0·96	1·15	3·20	...	...	0·25	0·37	0·29	0·25	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar ...	1·36	1·27	0·33	2·47	6·16	3·27	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·24	...	...	...	...	0·17	...
		Mohanpur ...	0·50	0·80	0·40	2·30	4·50	5·20	1·10	0·06	...	1·10	...	...	1·00	0·10	...	0·15	0·30	0·05	...	...
		Henria ...	0·60	0·40	0·10	2·80	4·00	3·35	1·20	0·44	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·25	0·10	...	...	...	0·30	...
		Jenka (Khairi)	2·02	1·37	0·05	3·45	3·50	3·75	2·70	0·27	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	0·21	...	...	0·43	...	0·15
		Nandigram* ...																				
		Moyna* ...																				
		Pingla ...	0·98	0·44	1·21	3·80	4·36	0·72	...	...	...	1·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole ...	...	2·14	...	0·41	4·12	3·35	...	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·23	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1917.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st Oct.	Station.	District.	Division.
0·81	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	2·25	1·46	1·42	0·73	16	7·5	21·03	7·51	3·71	21·03	7·91	Sanger Island	24-Parganas	PRESIDENCY.
												5·6		4·85			4·85	Diamond Harbour.		
...	...	...	1·07	...	...	...	...	0·19	3·37	2·02	11	5·1	20·29	3·66	3·96	20·29	3·86	Budge-Budge.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	2·35	0·55	10	5·5	5·16	4·31	2·35	5·16	4·31	Canning Town.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·73	2·73	1·37	11	5·9	11·31	3·91	2·73	11·31	3·91	Alipore.		
												5·3		3·75			3·75	Barrackpore.		
...	...	0·69	...	...	...	...	0·15	1·79	1·09	3·10	11	5·2	11·19	4·33	2·62	11·19	4·33	Dum-Dum.		
												5·2		4·31			4·31	Barasat.		
												5·6		4·53			4·53	Basirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	2·25	11	4·7	11·55	3·45	2·00	11·55	3·46	Ranaghat ...	Nadia ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...		0·09	0·52	2·99	10	4·5	13·41	3·94	2·99	13·41	3·94	Krishnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	1·31	3·40	10	4·9	12·20	4·30	3·40	12·20	4·30	Chuadanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	3·90	3·30	10	4·7	19·37	3·83	3·30	19·37	3·83	Meherpur.		
												5·2		4·22			4·22	Kushtia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·31	1·33	1·10	8	(a)	6·38	(a)	1·51	6·38	(a)	Haringhata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·46	3·58	10	4·4	13·19	3·53	3·36	13·19	3·53	Kandi ...	Murshida-bad.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	4·08	11·27	10	4·5	28·96	3·86	11·27	28·96	3·86	Berhampore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·64	3·17	7·60	9	4·9	21·86	4·17	4·05	21·86	4·17	Lalbagh.		
												4·7		3·85			4·85	Asimganj.		
...	1·48	...	...	...		...	...	...	5·07	2·33	8	3·9	16·39	3·35	5·07	16·39	3·23	Jangipur.		
						...	...	2·50	3·40	...	7	4·1	14·15	3·39	3·40	14·15	3·23	La'gola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5·61	6·15	8	4·3	16·47	3·90	6·15	16·47	4·20	Akriganj.		
						...	0·29	3·80	4·29	0·01	10	3·4	13·81	3·91	5·75	13·81	3·91	Patkabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6·90	4·13	7	3·8	16·96	3·25	6·20	16·96	3·26	Dumkal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·75	10·40	8	4·2	31·07	3·84	10·30	31·07	3·84	Kaliyanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·11	1·15	8	5·4	10·87	4·10	3·11	10·87	4·10	Narail ...	Jessore ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·67	1·55	9	5·7	9·13	4·31	1·54	9·14	4·81	Jessore.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	4·07	9	5·4	13·10	4·42	4·07	13·10	4·42	Jhenida.		
												4·9		3·94			3·94	Magura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·65	1·23	2·79	10	5·4	10·06	4·47	2·79	10·06	4·47	Bangaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·15	1·23	8	5·7	9·43	4·67	2·65	9·43	4·67	Satkhira ...	Khulna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	1·95	2·40	10	5·5	15·73	5·03	3·68	15·73	5·04	Bagerhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·05	1·67	9·9	5·0	14·07	4·67	4·35	14·07	4·57	Khulna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·20	0·80	1·60	1·80	11	5·5	7·93	7·32	1·60	7·94	7·32	Kaliganj.		
												5·1		5·23			5·23	Nakipur.		
												5·4		4·29			4·29	Dumuria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	2·18	0·80	12	5·2	14·85	5·06	3·52	14·85	5·06	Rampal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·37	0·34	9	6·0	6·15	4·71	2·79	6·15	4·71	Kaliarea.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Paikgachha.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	1·90	1·30	9	6·2	9·63	6·11	2·14	9·63	5·11	Mollahat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	1·15	2·30	1·75	11	5·9	13·78	5·37	2·75	13·78	5·37	Morelganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	1·21	3·13	13	5·5	14·24	5·74	3·32	14·24	5·74	Tala.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·30	1·25	1·30	11	5·9	9·30	5·01	2·60	9·30	5·01			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	3·14	2·03	10	4·5	13·76	3·64	3·14	13·76	3·44	Kalna ...	Burdwan	BURDWAN.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	3·81	3·34	12	4·6	16·01	3·91	3·34	16·01	3·91	Burdwan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·36	1·48	5·41	11	4·7	15·39	3·61	5·41	15·39	3·51	Katwa.		
...	0·17	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	2·11	4·70	1·62	13	5·6	14·46	3·31	4·70	14·46	3·31	Asansol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·08	1·40	...	9	3·5	13·22	3·47	5·00	13·22	3·47	Mankar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	4·00	3·70	...	10	(a)	13·50	(a)	4·00	13·50	(a)	Mangalkot.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Boyna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	1·00	1·00	0·35	11	(a)	12·41	(a)	3·00	12·41	(a)	Monteswar.		
...	...	3·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·40	2·00	14	4·4	14·00	3·34	3·40	14·00	3·34	Suri ...	Birbhum ...	
...	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·65	0·70	9	3·9	13·15	3·91	4·25	13·15	2·91	Hetampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	3·37	...	9	4·3	14·46	3·34	6·15	14·45	3·34	Rampur Hat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	3·00	0·67	11	3·8	10·39	2·76	3·00	10·39	2·76	Bolpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·38	4·25	7	3·1	14·77	2·84	4·25	14·77	2·84	Murarai.		
0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·40	3·60	...	9	4·0	13·59	3·66	3·50	13·59	3·06	Labpur.		
...	...	1·66	...	...	...	...	...	1·18	3·30	0·33	9	4·0	10·66	2·73	3·30	10·66	2·73	Bankura ...	Bankura...	
...	...	...	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	3·16	0·35	11	4·3	14·36	2·84	4·30	14·35	2·84	Vishnupur.		
...	...	...	0·49	...	...	...	...	0·41	3·01	0·72	...	4·3	11·35	2·75		11·35	2·75	Maliara.		
0·15	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·68	0·40	...	12	4·0	9·44	3·21	3·00	9·44	3·21	Khatra.		
												3·5		2·39			2·39	Indas.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	1·82	2·04	12	3·9	13·30	2·60	3·15	13·30	2·60	Ketalpur.		
														2·34			2·34	Onda.		
...	0·09	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	1·03	3·10	0·77	13	3·1	13·14	2·34	3·41	13·14	2·34	Gangajalghati.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	3·50	1·30	10	4·2	9·55	2·34	3·50	9·55	2·34	Halpur.		
												3·9		2·73			2·73	Sonamukhi.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Taldangra.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Saranga.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Indpur.		
0·84	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·36	0·50	4·54	1·69	14	6·5	21·39	4·96	4·54	21·39	4·96	Contai.	Midnapore	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	3·56	2·04	13	4·5	15·78	4·07	7·78	15·78	4·07	Tamluk.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	3·70	0·44	11	5·0	13·93	3·39	3·70	13·93	3·39	Midnapore.		
												4·3		3·06			3·06	Ghatal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·13	3·00	1·85	13	5·2	15·13	4·13	3·15	15·13	4·13	Kukrahati.		
...	...	2·35	...	...	...	...	0·18	0·03	2·10	0·38	11	4·4	11·98	3·77	2·33	11·98	3·77	Amlagora.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	3·64	1·96	10	4·7	9·13	3·26	3·93	9·13	3·26	Panskura.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·45	5·23	0·45	14	4·2	15·60	4·37	5·22	15·60	4·37	Dantan.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Chandrakona.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Pachet.		
...	3·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·23	2·34	10	(a)	17·90	(a)	5·22	17·90	(a)	Bhagwanpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·11	2·13	1·23	...	9	(a)	12·23	(a)	3·77	12·20	(a)	Kaikiri.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	0·78	1·54	0·10	13	(a)	11·11	(a)	3·40	11·11	(a)	Nayabasan.		
0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·39	0·76	0·33	...	12	(a)	7·13	(a)	1·56	7·13	(a)	Silda.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Chandri.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Goaltore.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Salboni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·21	0·54	0·29	14	(a)	13·28	(a)	4·21	13·28	(a)	Naraingarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·95	2·21	...	11	(a)	25·40	(a)	6·19	25·40	(a)	Ramnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·70	0·60	3·50	1·80	...	16	(a)	24·28	(a)	5·20	24·28	(a)	Mohanpur.		
0·10	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	2·80	1·30	17	(a)	20·34	(a)	4·00	20·34	(a)	Hamia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·30	1·58	1·30	14	(a)	21·90	(a)	3·45	21·90	(a)	Jenka (Bhajri).		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Nandigram.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Moyna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·01	8	(a)	16·21	(a)	4·36	16·21	(a)	Pingla.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·05	2·53	0·21	8	(a)	13·98	(a)	3·53	13·98	(a)	Narajole.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN.	Hooghly	Serampore ...	0·50	0·18	...	0·15	0·45	1·58	0·80	0·22	...	...	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·04	0·01	...	...	0·02
		Hooghly* ...																				
		Arambagh ...	0·98	0·91	0 06	0·30	1·05	4·76	0·76	0·29	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah ...	0·11	0·51	0·18	0·46	0·91	3·18	1·46	1·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesreka	0·92	0·89	0·22	0·07	1·98	4·85	0·90	...	...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia ...	0·20	0·68	0·10	0·12	1·20	2·08	1·14	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta ...	1·25	0·83	...	0·10	1·30	5·82	0·80	...	...	...	..	...	0·37	...	...	...	0·22	...	0·06	0·06
	Bonlia ...	Bonlia ...	0·15	...	0·03	...	1·66	2·08	1·61	1·70	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	0·05	...	...	...
		Nator ...	0·12	...	...	0·34	0·16	1·46	1·45	2·40	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0 15	0·29	...	...
		Nangaon* ...																				
		Bilmaria ...	...	...	...	0·66	2·40	1·93	2·45	0·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	...	0·15	...	...	...
		Manda ...	...	...	...	1·15	1·40	2·87	1·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	0·18	...	...	...
		Mahadebpur...	...	...	0·03	0·71	1·04	2·57	2·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	...	...
		Tanor ...	0·03	...	...	...	0·67	2·24	1·05	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	...	...	...
	Dinajpur	Nilphur* ...																				
		Nawabganj ...	...	...	1·00	0·50	1·50	2·50	3·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	...	...	...	...
		Gangarampur	...	...	0·91	...	...	0·40	2·92	3·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·67	...	...	...
		Churaman ...	0·10	...	...	0·05	...	0·38	3·56	1·63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·75	...	...	...
		Raiganj* ...																				
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	0·09	0 06	0·20	10·72	3·28	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·64	...	...	...
		Balurghat ...	...	...	...	...		0·76	6·50	3·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·62	...	...	...
		Thakurgaon...	1·25	...	...	...	0·23	0·18	7·36	7·57	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setabganj ...	0·10	...	...	...	..	0·65	10·15	0·50	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·45	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	0·24	...	...	...	0·21	0·55	8·07	5·62	0 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 16	...	...	...
		Atwari* ...																				
		Birgan* ...																				
		Parbatipur ...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·42	10·30	7·55	2 00	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri ...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	8·17	6·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipur Duars	0·59	0·32	...	...	0·47	0·39	8·44	6·62	0·25	0·06	...	...	...	...	0·35	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata* ...																				
		Debiganj* ...																				
		Bhagatpur ...	0·03	...	...	2·36	...	0·21	2·48	3·28	0·02	0·04	...	...	...	..	...	0·22	...	0·37	0·03	...
		Buxa ...	0·05	0·13	...	...	...	0·78	2·66	1·00	0·10	1·42	0·70	...	...	...	0·17	...	...	0·38	0·68	...
		Kalcini ...	...	0·25	...	...	...	0·19	3·45	2·27	0·10	0·59	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·95	...
		Kumargram	0·60	...	...	...	0·04	1·02	2·82	4·29	0·65	1·35	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13
	Darjeeling	Siliguri ...	...	1·29	...	...	...	0·42	3·23	4·97	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	2·06	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling ...	...	0·16	...	0·44	0·08	3·72	5·07	5·35	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalimpong ...	...	...	...	0·21	1·11	1·56	3·00	6·92	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mongpoo ...	...	0·34	...	0·22	...	1·40	2·17	9·97	0·15	0·05	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong* ...																				
		Pedong ...	0·02	...	...	0·19	1·03	1·63	2·10	4·18	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	0·04	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawaniganj	...	...	0·72	0·45	0·24	0·33	2·54	9·48	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	...	...	...
		Rangpur ...	0·02	...	...	...	0·11	0·45	7·00	14·45	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·85	...	...	...
		Pirganj ...	...	...	2·05	1·00	1·05	8 00	4·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon* ...																				
		Gobindganj ...	...	...	...	0·45	...	1·32	2·25	4·50	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·11	...	...	...
		Bagdogra* ...																				
		Ulipur ...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·20	6·10	12·30	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	...	...	...
		Sundergunj ...	0·05	...	...	0·03	0·28	0·30	4·00	5·82	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·52	...	...	...
		Saidpur ...	...	...	...	0·18	...	12·95	10·03	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur ...	0·56	...	...	0·12	1·02	0·63	2·39	3·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	0·38	...	...
		Nowkhilla ...	...	...	...	...	1·60	1·10	1·50	10 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·27	...	...	...
		Bogra ...	...	...	0·18	0·02	0·87	0 36	3·54	3·15	0·75	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·97	0·30	...	...
		Panchbibi ...	...	..	...	...	1·30	6·04	4·90	3·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·76	...	...	...
		Khetlal* ...																				
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur*																				
		Pabna ...	0·80	...	0·03	0·21	0·20	2·78	2·80	1·95	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj ...	0·58	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·45	0·45	2·55	0·02	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	...	1·27	...	...
		Sara ...	0·40	...	...	...	0·20	2·36	1·55	1·15	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·03	...	0·05	...
	Malda ...	Malda ...	0·27	...	...	0·61	0·63	1·31	1·06	3·38	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·79	0·02	...	0 80
		Chanchal ...	0·08	...	...	...	...	0·25	5·61	3·06	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	...	...	...
		Gazol ...	...	...	...	0·60	0·75	0·40	3·60	2·05	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...
		Sibganj ...	0·74	...	0·50	...	1·05	1·44	2·40	0·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur*																				
		Nawabganj*																				
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj	0·62	0·57	0·08	0·09	2·06	0·95	0·11	0·83	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca ...	1·05	0·24	...	0·30	0·16	0·99	0·50	0·18	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*																				
		Narayanganj	0·92	0·52	0·12	...	0·43	1·31	0·24	0·03	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16
		Narsingdi ...	3·75	...	0·32	0·19	0·07	0·28	0·29	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj ...	1·27	...	...	1·28	0·34	0·75	0·61	0·68	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur ...	1·05	...	0·46	0·10	...	1·00	0·50	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia ...	0·55	...	...	...	0·05	0·50	0·08	0·15	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishoreganj ...	1·00	...	...	...	0·50	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atia (Tangail).	0·65	...	...	0·23	0·19	0·50	1·27	1·85	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...
		Sariabari ...	1·03	...	...	0·25	1·00	0·09	1·26	5·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·58	...	...
		Mymensingh	0·08	...	...	0·46	0·34	0·44	1·89	5·09	0·05	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...
		Jamalpur ...	0·08	...	...	...	0·06	0·27	4·52	5·45	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·73	...
		Netrakona ...	...	...	...	0·20	0·79	0·73	0·82	11·71	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	...
		Phulpur ...	...	...	...	0·50	2·00	..	4·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Durgapur* ...																				
		Sherpur (Town)	0·60	...	...	0·31	0·52	0·77	2·38	8·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dewanganj ...	...	...	0·12	0·35	1·23	0·90	3·60	5·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...
		Nalitabari ...	...	...	0·31	...	0·09	1·50	3·50	3·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1917—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October, 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st October.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·05	1·75	9	5·5	8·27	4·20	2·05	8·27	4·20	Serampore ...	Hooghly	BURDWAN.
												·1		3·76				Hooghly.		
...	...	0·13	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·28	3·52	2·80	11	4·5	15·97	3·51	4·76	15·97	3·51	Arambagh.		
...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	0·38	3·38	1·43	11	5·7	13·09	3·98	3·35	13 03	3·98	Howrah ...	Howrah	
...	...	...	...	0·07	...	..	0·13	1·09	2·33	3·12	11	4·6	16·38	3·58	4·65	16·38	3·38	Mohekeka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	0·34	3·34	2·06	11	4·7	11·69	3·19	3·26	11·69	3·19	Uluberia.		
...	0·07	0·09	...	...	...	...	0·45	0·09	1·75	3·62	13	4·5	17·19	3·28	5·83	17·19	3·28	Amta.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·96	5·78	8	4·1	15·19	3·14	5·78	15·19	3·14	Bonlia ...	Rajshahi	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·58	6·95	10	4·7	19·95	3·87	9·95	19 95	3·87	Nator.		
												3·5		3·56			4·55	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·85	6·25	0·16	9	3·9	17·08	3·21	6·25	17·04	4·21	Bilmaria.		
0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·76	4·27	...	9	3·3	15·61	2·84	4·27	15·62	2·84	Manda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·76	3·67	...	7	4·1	17·62	3·68	3·76	17·62	3·68	Mahadebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·71	3·79	7	3·4	13·16	3·35	3·79	13·16	3·25	Tanor.		
												3·5		3·35			3·65	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	2·50	...	8	3·1	13·20	3·63	3·80	13·20	4·43	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·29	3·21	7	2·6	16·90	2·39	7·93	16·90	2 39	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·77	1·30	7	3·3	11·34	2·75	5·56	11·34	2·73	Churamon.		
												3·4		3·01			3·02	Balganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	2·00	7	3·8	23·97	3·06	10·72	23·97	3·06	Dinajpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·23	2·90	6	3·6	16·58	2·34	6·50	16·58	3 34	Balurghat.		
...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	0·42	9	3·7	18·43	3·34	7·57	18·43	3·34	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·53	1·20	8	3·1	23·63	2·40	10·15	23·63	2 40	Seraiganj.		
...	...	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	0·65	9	2·9	15·77	2·80	5·07	15·77	2·80	Ramganj.		
												3·6		3·74			3·74	Atwari.		
												3·5		2·79			2·79	Birganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·73	1·35	8	3·4	23·21	3·35	10·50	23·21	3·35	Parbatipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·81	4	4·4	13·61	4·41	6·40	13·61	4·41	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	
...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	1·44	10	4·2	11·98	3·77	4·62	11 95	3·77	Alipur Duars.		
												4·2		3·62			3·52	Falakata.		
												3·4		3·26			3·26	Debiganj.		
...	...	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	8	3·1	9·39	3·64	2·28	9·39	3·56	Bhagalpur.		
0·87	0·22	1·30	0·06	0·38	...	...	...	0·02	0·02	0·40	15	2·3	13·24	10·11	3·00	13·44	10 11	Buxa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·51	9	6·7	9·90	5·29	3·45	9·90	5·29	Kalchini.		
0·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·49	0·60	0·21	11	(a)	12·08	(a)	4·29	12·08	(a)	Kumargram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	...	6	5·5	13·04	5·33	4·97	13·04	5·36	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling	RAJSHAHI.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·71	0·31	5	4·3	19 57	4·49	5·56	19 57	4 49	Darjeeling.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	0·50	5	3·1	13·41	3·02	6·92	13·41	4·02	Kalimpong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·56	7	3·9	14·97	3·91	9·97	14·97	3·91	Mouxpoo		
												6·1		5·29			5·29	Kurseong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·18	6	5·2	9·73	3·58	4·48	9·73	3·58	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·20	3·68	10	4·6	21·35	5·30	9·86	21·35	5·30	Bhowaniganj	Rangpur	
...	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·56	1·28	9	3·8	26·02	4·19	14·43	26·02	4·19	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·00	7·00	7	3·2	24·10	3·99	8·00	24·10	3·99	Lalgan.		
												3·7		4·79			4·79	Kurigaon		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·38	1·11	8	4·1	14·09	4·78	4·50	14·09	4·79	Gobindganj.		
												3·6		3·65			3·65	Bagdogra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	1·20	2·30	8	3·5	22·58	5·34	12·30	23·38	5·34	Ulipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4·00	2·40	8	3·5	17·34	5·54	5·82	17·36	5·34	Sundarganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·11	...	0·76	6	3·2	24·32	2·66	12·06	24·32	2·66	Saidpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·25	2·92	0·03	10	4·9	16·32	4·17	3·22	16·33	4·17	Shergur ...	Bogra	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·22	2·43	7	4·7	26·94	4·54	10·10	26·94	4·54	Nowkhilla.		
...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·33	5·97	10	4·9	16·26	4·22	5·97	16·26	4·22	Bogra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·34	2·56	7	4·4	20·55	4·05	6·04	20·55	4·05	Paschibbi.		
												(a)		(a)				Khetlal.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Shahzadpur ...	Pabna	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...						4·3	18·76	4·83	5·96	18·76	4·83	Pabna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	3·57	5·06	10	4·6	10·84	4·69	2·69	10·84	4·69	Sirajganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·91	2·89	8	(a)	14·87	(a)	6·05	14 87	(a)	Sara.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·50	6·05	6									
...	...	...	0·78	...	...	...	...	...				3·9	21·11	3·88	5·44	21·11	3·88	Malda ...	Malda	
...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	1·88	5·44	13	3·1	13·96	3·46	5·43	13·96	3·46	Gazole.		
...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	1·13	1·65	8	3·1	14·37	2·75	3·80	13·37	2 75	Gazol.		
...	1·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	2·83	9	3·3	12·53	2·93	2·30	12·53	2·93	Sibganj.		
							...	...	2·18	2·30	9	4·1		4·40			4·40	Gomastapur.		
												3·1		2·88			2·88	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·79	3·09	8	3·9	9·27	3·14	3·08	9·27	3·14	Munshiganj ...	Dacca	DACCA.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	2·58	10	3·3	6·63	4·34	2·66	6·63	4·34	Dacca.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·44	3·37	10	3·5	8·10	4·58	3·37	8·10	4·58	Narayanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	2·66	5	(a)	8·03	(a)	3·75	8·03	(a)	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·78	2·22	9	3·0	7·84	3·56	2·22	7·84	3·56	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	2·80	7	3·1	6·49	4·29	2·80	6·49	4·29	Joydebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·50	1·00	6	3·5	5·33	4·43	1·00	5·33	4·43	Kapasia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	5·15	4	3·1	7·00	5·25	5·15	7·00	5·25	Kishorganj ...	Mymen-singh.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	2·03	10	4·6	8·66	4·23	2·03	8·66	4·33	Atia (*Tangail*)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·30	5·15	8	(a)	16·57	(a)	5·25	16·57	(a)	Sarishabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·17	3·88	7	3·3	14·20	5·20	5·09	14·20	5·20	Mymensingh		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	5·04	7	4·6	17·30	4·32	5·45	17·30	4·32	Jamalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·72	5·78	9	3·6	23·96	5·43	11·71	23·96	5·43	Netrakona.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	3·25	5·36	6	4·5	15·40	4·37	5·25	15·40	4·37	Phugun.		
												4·6		6·11			6·11	Durgapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·05	3·61	8	3·7	16·30	4·91	5·15	16·30	4·99	Sherpur (*Pusa*)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·26	4·17	9	3·6	18·00	4·49	5·03	18·00	4·39	Dewanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·96	3·20	7	3·1	13·43	4·80	3·80	13·43	4·80	Nalitabari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca.	Faridpur...	Madaripur* ...																				
		Faridpur ...	0·61	...	0·67	0·04	0·15	1·73	0·93	0·59	0·10	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (Goalundo). ...	...	...	...	0·87	0·13	1·85	1·40	1·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur ...	0·26	...	0·09	0·04	2·14	1·31	1·62	0·86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Taktirhat ...	0·15	...	0·10	0·44	2·15	1·20	0·84	1·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	...	...	0·05	0·05	0·95	2·22	0·50	0·27	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangas* ...																				
		Ballakandi ...	0·25	...	1·21	0·52	0·26	2·01	0·90	0·52	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...
		Bhusna ...	0·07	...	...	...	1·58	1·54	2·05	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paloug ...	0·34	...	0·15	0·23	1·34	1·07	0·15	0·07	0·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	0·60	0·03	0·02	0·98	2·94	1·60	1·11	1·62	0·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barguna ...	0·53	0·42	0·18	1·89	2·73	0·65	0·55	0·53	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirojpur ...	0·23	0·03	0·05	0·97	3·70	1·95	1·18	0·27	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	...
		Barisal ...	0·73	...	...	0·83	4·01	1·63	0·71	...	0·41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	0·35	...	0·06	0·45	3·13	1·35	0·60	0·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	0·17	...	...	0·59	2·95	2·07	0·91	1·52	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan ...	0·35	...	...	0·35	2·50	0·90	0·60	1·43	0·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Baupal ...	...	...	1·23	3·95	2·25	0·48	1·66	0·46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	1·60	...	1·13	0·29	0·01	0·22	0·45	0·70	0·63	0·09	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chittagong ...	0·04	...	0·06	1·11	0·17	0·14	0·09	0·17	0·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kutubdia* ...																				
		Satkania ...	...	...	...	0·30	0·05	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	2·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kodala* ...																				
		Mirsarai ...	...	0·26	0·35	1·07	0·12	0·45	1·50	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	0·86	0·29	...	...	0·37	0·25	...	0·40	1·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chaudpur ...	0·55	...	0·52	...	1·00	0·69	0·10	0·80	0·84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria*																				
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	0·63	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	0·49	0·98	0·40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	0·30	...	0·09	0·56	...	0·36	0·96	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba ...	1·35	...	...	0·75	0·13	0·25	0·82	...	1·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Laksam ...	0·32	0·11	1·60	...	0·42	0·87	...	1·30	0·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Noakhali...	Noakhali ...	0·72	...	2·45	0·04	1·90	0·92	0·68	1·05	0·10	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Feni ...	1·15	...	0·45	0·07	0·12	1·32	0·32	1·10	0·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Harishpur* ...																				
		Ramganj ...	1·36	...	1·15	...	1·63	1·50	0·09	2·57	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chhagalnaiya	1·10	1·26	...	1·28	0·08	0·24	0·26	0·20	0·42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	0·92	0·09	...	0·07	2·39	1·85	0·90	0·34	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lakhnipur* ...																				
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	3·80	0·11	...	0·74	0·85	0·47	0·12	...	0·03	...	...	...	0·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	0·36	...	0·10	0·17	0·83	0·14	0·02	0·30	0·02	0·10	0·03	0·50	0·04	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...
		Barkal* ...																				
		Lama* ...																				
		Ramghar ...	...	0·50	0·20	0·35	0·55	0·15	0·60	0·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahalchari ...	0·98	...	0·08	0·42	0·61	1·06	0·31	0·04	0·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	...	0·03	0·13	0·08	0·06	0·14	0·11	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	0·11	...	...	...	..	1·20	4·02	3·95	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·11	...	...
		Cooch Behar...	0·05	...	...	0·20	0·06	0·64	5·55	5·61	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	...	...	0·14	...	...
		Mekliganj ...	0·20	0·48	...	...	0·07	1·05	5·52	6·90	0·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...
		Mathabhanga	0·14	0·14	...	...	0·07	0·58	4·98	5·08	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·24	...	...
		Tufanganj ...	0·05	...	...	0·03	0·28	0·45	4·40	5·40	0·47	0·24	...	...	...	...	1·30	...	0·30	...	...	...

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd November 1917.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 1917—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st to 31st October 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st to 31st October.	Station.	District.	Division.
												5·5		4·48			4·43			
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·26	1·90	9	5·4	9·55	4·55	2·26	9·55	4·55	Madaripur* ...	Faridpur	DACCA—*concld.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·04	2·16	8	5·5	9·41	4·20	2·16	9·41	4·20	Faridpur.		
																		Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	1·78	1·82	8	(a)	11·19	(a)	3·14	11·91	(a)	Haridaspur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	1·49	2·40	9	(a)	10·08	(a)	2·40	10·08	(a)	Takirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	0·95	1·10	7	(a)	6·59	(a)	2·22	6·59	(a)	Bhanga.		
												(a)		(a)			(a)	Pangsa*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·05	0·65	11	(a)	8·98	(a)	2·05	8·98	(a)	Battakandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·55	1·30	6	(a)	8·09	(a)	2·05	8·09	(a)	Ghuiua.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·74	1·94	9	(a)	6·96	(a)	1·94	6·96	(a)	Palong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·35	1·70	4·88	10	7·2	17·49	7·51	4·68	17·49	7·51	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	2·58	...	...	10	7·0	11·95	6·08	2·73	11·95	6·08	Barguna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·1	9·15	5·51	3·70	9·15	5·51	Pirozpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·19	2·21	8	6·3	11·79	5·93	4·01	11·79	5·93	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	1·55	1·85	9	5·2	10·44	4·34	3·12	10·44	4·34	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	2·13	9	6·4	11·43	6·00	2·95	11·43	6·00	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·40	2·03	9	7·1	10·11	6·89	2·80	10·11	6·89	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 88	1·00	1·45	...	9	6·4	13·57	7·41	3·98	13·57	7·41	Bauphal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·26	2·08	10	6·7	7·71	5·26	2·08	7·71	5·26	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	CHITTAGONG.
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·46	...	...	...	2·84	7	6·8	6·05	6·22	2·84	6·35	6·22	Chittagong.		
												6·2		7·23			7·23	Kutubdia*.		
...	0·97	...	...	...	1·30	...	...	...	1·43	0·71	7	6·2	7·48	6·65	2·50	7·46	6·65	Satkania.		
												7·4		6·55			6·55	Kodala*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	5·00	0·46	9	6·0	9·77	8·09	5·00	9·77	8·09	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	2·40	9	6·1	6·57	6·04	2·40	6·57	6·04	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·30	0·81	1·87	11	5·2	7·11	5·51	1·87	7·11	5·51	Chandpur.		
												6·1		4·82			4·82	Brahmanbaria*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	2·90	0·35	5	4·6	4·72	4·83	2·90	4·72	4·83	Ramchand-apur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	1·15	1·68	0·38	7	4·7	4·61	4·89	1·66	4·61	4·89	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·80	1·30	7	4·6	5·00	3·76	1·30	5·00	3·76	Daudkandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·60	7	4·8	6·42	4·02	1·03	6·42	4·02	Kasba.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·31	1·95	10	4·8	7·80	5·24	1·95	7·80	5·24	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·15	2·40	9	7·3	11·46	7·96	2·45	11·46	7·96	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	3·72	6	7·4	8·15	6·89	3·72	8·15	6·89	Feni.		
												7·9		9·13			9·13	Hatiya*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·55	1·15	8	5·7	11·32	5·89	2·57	11·32	5·89	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·41	1·40	9	7·0	9·85	6·87	4·49	9·85	6·87	Chhagalnaiya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	1·30	3·51	7	8·5	12·39	9·13	3·51	12·39	9·13	Hatiya.		
												6·3		9·60			9·60	Lakhnipur*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	...	1·09	9	12	7·79	6·38	3·80	7·79	6·38	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	0·93	...	...	...	...	1·02	...	...	0·01	1·06	11	12	5·96	6·02	1·06	5·96	6·02	Bandarban.		
												12		6·04			6·04	Barkal*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		(a)		(a)			(a)	Lama*.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·00	8	(a)	5·67	(a)	3·00	5·67	(a)	Ramgarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·72	1·42	8	(a)	5·15	(a)	1·42	5·15	(a)	Maharchari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·08	2·56	0·19	7	7	5·42	4·90	2·56	5·42	4·90	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera.	
...	1·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	1·85	9	5	14·85	5·07	4·02	14·85	5·07	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar.
...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	1·50	9	6	14·75	6·03	5·61	14·75	6·03	Cooch Behar.		
0·04	0·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·13	0·58	8	7	15·50	4·31	6·80	15·50	4·31	Mekliganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	0·81	9	8	12·55	5·34	5·08	12·55	5·34	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	1·81	10	6	15·62	5·03	6·40	15·62	5·03	Fulbari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 17th November 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
11th Nov 1917	At low tide.	58·7	Not connected with mean sea-level.	58·9	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
12th " "	Ditto	58·8		58·5	
13th " "	Ditto	58·9		58·0	
14th " "	Ditto	59·0		57·7	
15th " "	Ditto	58·9		57·3	
16th " "	Ditto	58·8		57·0	
17th " "	Ditto	58·6		56·5	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·0	Taken at high tide
5th September	1909	67 86	
10th August .	1910	69 86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
13th "	1912	67·16	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
12th "	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51 06	Taken at low tide
13th "	1908	51 06	
12th March	1912	51 06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50 8	
16th "	1916	50 6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 21st November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending the 17th November 1917.

Date.	Time	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year	Remarks.
11th Nov. 1917	7 A.M.	14·5	14·5	14·5	Zero is placed at mean sea level.
12th " "	7 "	14 3	14·3	14·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghât and Chandpore ghât
13th " "	7 "	14 1	14·1	13·8	
14th " "	7 "	13 9	13·9	13·4	
15th " "	7 "	13·8	13·8	13·1	Its reduced level is 22 41.
16th " "	7 "	13 6	13 6	12·9	
17th " "	7 "	13·4	13·4	12·6	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level ...	24 4 on 1st August 1916
Ditto ...	Lowest " ...	4·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest " ...	25 75 on 28th August 1906
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges) ...	Ditto " ...	25 74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H.F in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto " ...	25·66 on 31st July 1906
Record	Lowest " ...	1 0 on 8th February 1914
Do.	Ditto " ...	2 12 on 13th March 1908
Do.	Ditto " ...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto " ...	3 16 on 9th to 11th March 1885
Do.	Ditto " ...	3 16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR
The 17th November 1917.

D. C. SENGUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 24th November 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
	A.M.				
18th Nov. 1917	7-0	13·1	13·1	12·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
19th " "	7-0	12·8	12·8	12·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on
20th " "	7-0	12·5	12·5	11·9	a pucca pillar between the Passenger
21st " "	7-0	12·2	12·2	11·7	ghat and Chandpore ghat.
22nd " "	7-0	12·0	12·0	11·5	Its reduced level is 22·41.
23rd " "	7 0	11·8	11·8	11·5	
24th " "	7-0	11·5	11·6	11·3	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	4·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F in Brahmaputra and Ganges)		Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893
Record (H F in Brahmaputra and Ganges)		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889
Record (H F in Brahmaputra only)		Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	...	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 18th March 1908
Ditto	...	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884
Ditto	...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	...	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 25th November 1917.

M. L. MOITRA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of Weekly Gauge Readings on the River Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 24th November. 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero minus sign for those below zero R. L. of zero =45·40.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1917.					
18th November	7 A M	5·40	50·80	50·10	R. L. of gauge post is 45·40.
19th "	7 "	5·20	50·60	49·90	R. L. on College step is 69·74
20th "	7 "	5·00	50·40	49·70	
21st "	7 "	4·70	50·10	49·50	
22nd "	8 "	4·55	49·95	49·40	
23rd "	8 "	4·40	49·80	49·20	
24th "	7 "	4·20	49·60	49·00	

The previous year	..	Highest water level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916
Ditto	...	Lowest "	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916
Record	...	... Highest "	...	69·20 on 26th August 1879
Do.	...	... Ditto "	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do	...	... Ditto "	...	68·30 on 25th August 1906
Do.	...	... Ditto "	...	68·21 on 26th August 1880.
Do	...	... Lowest "	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884
Do	...	... Ditto "	...	38·13 on 14th-15th April 1883
Do	...	... Ditto "	...	39·02 on 21st 22nd April 1897
Do.	...	... Ditto "	...	39·28 on 6th 7th May 1906

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887

BOALIA,
The 24th November 1917.

D. M. BANERJI.
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of September 1917, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1917-18.						1916-17.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts		Tollage		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts		Tollage	
	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month	During the month	To end of the month.
	Tons	Tons	No.	No.	Rs	Rs	Tons	Tons	No	No	Rs	Rs
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	4 548	31 375	1,150	6,433	2,862	18,905	4 854	34 158	.....	3,900	2 591	20,021
High Tidal Canal ...	9,595	58,044	254	1,248	6,250	39,591	7,300	47,380	22	1,454	4 471	31,442
Total ...	14 143	89,419	1,404	7,681	9,112	58,496	12,154	81,538	22	5 354	7,062	51,463
II.—Minor Works and Navigation												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	32,255	177,423	539	12,570	18 192	1,08 589	25,563	137 221	1 345	14 864	16,204	95,128
Tolly's Nala ...	15,217	83,023	3,370	29,375	4,455	23,609	12,035	79,909	2,445	14 645	4,031	23 623
Madaripur Bheel ...	177 160	659,302	1,156	1,439	49,158	1,60 316	149,140	566 234	11	2,972	46,239	1,66,120
Total ...	224,632	919,748	5,065	43,384	71,805	2,92 514	186,738	783,364	3,801	32,481	66 473	2,84,871
Magrahat Channels ...	4 278	30 288	.....	.....	1 402	10 294	915	4,571	.....	... ..	1,431	9,819
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,106	19 848	4	3,636	1,059	6,643	2,317	16 946	25	6,377	854	5,918
Nadia Rivers ...	8 860	32,690	76,500	168,005	1,672	6,884	6 859	27,300	18 800	95 366	1,179	6,356
Grand Total ...	240,876	1,002,574	81,569	215 025	75,938	3 16,335	196,859	832 181	22,626	134 224	69,937	3,06 364

CALCUTTA,
The 27th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 17th November 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 18th November 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds	Rs.
Rice and paddy	359	24,155	409	137	18,521	250
Jute	273	122,488*	1,351	295	111,304†	1,515
Firewood	79	38,500	571	38	26,400	392
Other articles	962	226,681	2,616	869	162 596	1,969
Total ...	1,673	411,824	4 947	1,339	318,821	4,126
Empty boats and rafts ...	543	...	1,155	611	...	1,075
Grand Total ...	2,216	411,824	6,102	1,950	318,821	5,201

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 138,450
† Ditto ditto 180,312½

CALCUTTA,
The 13th November 1917.

A. W. DAVIS,
for *Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(Including Dacca Section.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	854,780	3,46,880 0 0	2,480,800 0	3,82,160 0 0	29,030 0 0	7 58,070 0 0	83,302	d) 56,711	139,013
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 418	(a) 222 0 0	1,574 0	243 0 0	(c) 14 0 0	(c)478 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	2,971,590	15,03,200 0 0	11,397,560 0	17,01,240 0 0	1,71,960 0 0	33,76 400 0 0	296,049	264,797	560,836
Total for 6 weeks ...	3,826,370	18,50,080 0 0	13,878,360 0	20,83,400 0 0	2,00,990 0 0	41,34,470 0 0	477,341	321,508	799,849
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	735,793	4,10,949 0 0	3,037,003 0	4,66,370 0 0	41,387 0 0	9,18,686 0 0	100,093	63,085	163,178
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 502	(b) 263 0 0	1,865 0	286 0 0	20 0 0	559 0 0	.....	.....	..
Total to corresponding period of previous year	4,027,924	18,39,123 0 0	15,254,059 0	20 27 504 0 0	2,04,283 0 0	51,60,909 0 0	564,304	363,955	928,259

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,400.
(d) Including ballast train-miles 6,900.

N. B.—Decrease in goods is due to less jute traffic this year and decrease in coaching due to Rathjatra falling later on.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	55,120	20,670 0 0	118,8 [illegible]	8,300 0 0	3,830 0 0	32,290 0 0	3,483	(b) 5,893	9,376
Per mile of railway per week	501	177 0 0	1,020 0	71 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 250 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	288,940	94,290 0 0	653,060 0	40,170 0 0	15,600 0 0	1,50,060 0 0	20,809	23,116	43,925
Total for 6 weeks ...	347,060	1,14,960 0 0	771,360 0	48,470 0 0	19,130 0 0	1,82,350 0 0	24,292	29,011	53,303
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	80,510	27,546 0 0	180,645 0	11,054 0 0	2,974 0 0	41,574 0 0	6,955	2,606	9,561
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	694	238 0 0	1,557 0	95 0 0	1 0 0	334 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	391,311	1,38,099 0 0	999,219 0	60,948 0 0	17,121 0 0	2,06,168 0 0	40,931	15,152	56,083

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,300. (b) Including ballast train-miles, 900.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,220	2,600 0 0	24,850 0	2 290 0 0	30 0 0	4,920 0 0	793	159	952
Per mile of railway per week	128	79 0 0	1,050 0	69 0 0	1 0 0	149 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	20,650	12,550 0 0	126,900 0	9,290 0 0	140 0 0	22,010 0 0	3,709	915	4,624
Total for 6 weeks ...	24,870	15,150 0 0	151,750 0	11,610 0 0	170 0 0	26,930 0 0	4,502	1,074	5,576
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	7,110	4,602 0 0	28,909 0	3 706 0 0	57 0 0	8,365 0 0	950	607	1,457
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	215	139 0 0	1,179 0	112 0 0	2 0 0	253 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	28,974	14,233 0 0	199,923 0	19,162 0 0	263 0 0	33,656 0 0	5,575	2,366	7,944

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,820	5 720 0 0	228,000 0	10 630 0 0	30 0 0	16,370 0 0	1 211	3,013	3 220
Per mile of railway per week	318	102 0 0	4,161 0	190 0 0	.....	292 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	80,250	27,960 0 0	880,730 0	38 680 0 0	180 0 0	66,890 0 0	5,883	7,738	13,621
Total for 6 weeks ...	98,070	33 680 0 0	1,113,730 0	49,300 0 0	210 0 0	83,190 0 0	7,094	9,756	16,850
Total for 19 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	303,138	1,03,800 0 0	3,471,096 0	1,30,196 0 0	616 0 0	2,36,621 0 0	23,595	23,982	52,577
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,027	5 635 0 0	228,895 0	9,608 0 0	35 0 0	15,278 0 0	1,577	1,944	3,521
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	304	101 0 0	4,089 0	171 0 0	1 0 0	273 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	99 754	33,347 0 0	1,326,439 0	55,194 0 0	181 0 0	87,722 0 0	9,678	9,148	19,026
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	306,685	92,804 0 0	3,714,056 0	1,45,094 0 0	644 0 0	2,38 642 0 0	34,317	25,955	60,272

(a) Audited figures to end of August 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles Run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	8,290	3,280 0 0	90,130 0	1,780 0 0	10 0 0	5,070 0 0	1,190	988	2,178
Per mile of railway per week	156	61 0 0	380 0	34 0 0	.....	95 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	44,940	13,310 0 0	158,980 0	11,270 0 0	90 0 0	24,670 0 0	3,898	4,940	10,138
Total for 6 weeks ...	53,230	16,540 0 0	177,080 0	13,050 0 0	100 0 0	29,680 0 0	5,788	5,528	12,313
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding Period of previous year.	11,854	4,084 0 0	53,107 0	3,345 0 0	18 0 0	7,343 0 0	1,498	701	2,199
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	237	82 0 0	1,044 8	66 0 0	.....	147 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	59,330	17,900 0 0	300 786 0	21,613 0 0	94 0 0	38,906 0 0	8,474	4,458	12,913

N.B.—Decrease in coaching is due to less foreign and local booking and in goods due to jute traffic.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 10th November 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated)	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs A. P. (a)	Mds S.	Rs A. P. (b)	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	548,166	6,64,280 0 0	92 22,913 0	16,94,440 0 0	37,700 0 0	23,96,460 0 0	145,699	323 399	469,098
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	253 11 9	.....	647 5 11	14 6 5	915 5 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year ...	2,796,089	35,12,698 0 0	40,466,371 0	67,98 538 0 0	2,74,540 0 0	1,05,83,766 0 0	739,232	1,518,157	2,252,379
Total from 1st October ...	3,344 255	41,76,978 0 0	40,559,284 0	84,91,008 0 0	3,12,240 0 0	1,29,80,226 0 0	884 921	1,836,556	2,721,477
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	711,089	6,09,961 0 0	8,655,745 0	14 71,914 0 0	29,000 0 0	21 10,875 0 0	174 880	314,160	488,990
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	234 3 10	.....	565 4 0	11 2 8	810 10 1	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	3,890,735	35,65 073 0 0	52,56 ,044 0	85,24,509 0 0	64,691 0 0	1,21,54,272 0 0	1,046,985	1,955,730	3,002,715

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The increase is both in Coal and Merchandise General.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per week Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A P
2,650	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,763	13,98,861	16,613,944	36,96,466	55,450	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 12 10.
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580 460	7,74,908	9,566,632	18 73,065	56,700	34,03,673	809	845,349	4 15 F
2,618	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	528,394	6,18,470	7,037,212	11,82,617	71,700	18,83,787	708	464,952	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,262	7,22,459	7,256 582	14,55,340	60,690	21,49,539	821	422,617	4 15 6
2,618	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	548,166	6,64,280	9,222,913	16 94,480	37,700	23,96,460	915	469,098	5 1 9
	Totals up to date ...	3,344,255	41,76,978	49,689,284	84,91,008	3,12 240	1,29,80,226	842	2,721,477	4 13 4

bstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,372,076	12,68,220	16,416,257	26,16,523	7,321	38,94,074	748	1,027,496	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	624,529	5,93 090	9,996,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,901	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,553	5,32,735	9,609,846	15,24,756	7,400	20,71,891	796	518,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	588,346	6,47,623	8 981,628	14,96,701	12,913	21,64,236	831	513,316	4 3 6
2,604	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	711,089	6,09,961	8,655,745	14 71,914	29,000	21,10,875	811	488,990	4 5 1
	Totals up to date ...	3,989,723	36,58,629	53,657,091	87,03,399	58,413	1,24,30,471	798	3,076,602	4 0 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th November 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds S.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P			
Total traffic for the week	43,626	40,064 0 0	914,780 0	67,821 0 0	295 0 0	108,180 0 0	12,647	9,139	21,786
Or per mile of railway...	.....	205 3 11	.....	347 12 10	1 7 5	554 13 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year.	241,877	2,16,276 0 0	3,394,663 0	2,40,480 0 0	1,387 0 0	4,58,115 0 0	38,807	40,726	99,533
Total from 1st October...	285,503	2,56,342 0 0	4,309,443 0	3,08,271 0 0	1,673 0 0	5,66,305 0 0	71,454	49,865	1,21,319
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	51,969	42 749 0 0	889,128 0	48,735 0 0	312 0 0	91,797 0 0	12,096	12,003	24,109
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	219 2 11	.....	369 14 9	1 9 7	470 11 3	..	..	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	255,414	2,18,781 0 0	3,107,807 0	2,39,218 0 0	1,672 0 0	4 59,131 0 0	69 896	59,630	129,526

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,379	73,833	1,152,121	79,664	522	1,59,069	439	37,672	4 3 3
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	960,067	62,721	285	1,19,001	610	20,685	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	36,139	36,232	672,647	51,068	285	87,585	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	45,684	45 168	578,828	46,997	295	92,460	474	20,806	4 7 1
195	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	43,426	40,084	914,750	67,891	285	108,190	555	21,786	4 15 5
	Totals up to date ...	285,304	2,56,362	4,309,413	3,08,271	1,672	5,66,305	496	121,319	4 10 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	86,079	72,338	993,786	64,079	578	1,36 988	351	42,165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,314	39,157	289	74,857	384	22,359	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,954	35,048	509,453	41,933	289	77,160	396	20,833	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	42,819	37,729	644,300	49,577	246	87,552	449	22,106	3 15 4
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	51,959	42,740	849,128	48,738	312	91,787	471	24,103	3 12 11
	Totals up to date ...	261,403	2,23,266	3,170,980	2,43,344	1,714	4,69,334	400	132,456	3 8 7

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 10th November 1917, on 44 main mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,703	1,933 0 0	15,736 0	736 0 0	15 0 0	2,674 0 0	917	306	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	41 10 7	.....	16 0 0	0 5 5	58 8 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year.	34,683	8,992 0 0	1,27,170 0	6,299 0 0	73 0 0	15,364 0 0	4,454	1,481	5,935
Total from 1st October ...	41,386	10,925 0 0	1,42,906 0	7,035 0 0	88 0 0	17,038 0 0	5,371	1,786	7,157
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,768	2,220 0 0	2,822 0 0	74 0 0	11 0 0	2,305 0 0	459	153	612
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	50 •7 3	.....	1 10 11	0 4 0	52 6 2	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	8,303	2,316 0 0	3,822 0 0	74 0 0	15 3 0	2,405 0 0	655	218	873

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	86,328	2,651	26	5,689	70	2,369	2 3 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	80,759	1,267	15	4 136	94	1,222	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,200	1,570	19,759	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,222	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,207	1,588	19,894	1,166	15	2,761	63	1,222	2 4 2
44	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	3,703	1,833	15,755	736	15	2,574	59	1,222	2 1 8
	Totals up to date ...	41,386	10,855	142,906	7,035	86	17,938	89	7,157	2 3 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
25*	First 4 days of Nov. ...	713	129	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 2
44	Week ended 11th ,,	7,768	2,220	3,822	74	11	2,305	53	612	3 12 8
		8,481	2,349	3,822	74	16	2,439	35	960	2 8 8

* Mean miles for the week.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 3rd November 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the period on 2,057 mean miles worked	363,330	(a)1,62,430	968,620	(b)1,42,890	(c)23,430	3,28,680	50,210	(d)43,194	(f)93,404
Or per mile of railway per week	176·67	78·97	470·89	69·48	11·39	159·79			
For previous 3½ weeks of official half-year ...	1,293,800	5,56,610	3,541,060	5,38,090	78,290	11,73,080	190,755	151,578	342,634
Total for 4½ weeks ...	1,657,130	7,19,040	4,509,680	6,80,910	1,01,710	15,01,660	240,965	194,073	435,038
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	438,770	1,70,512	1,074,661	1,77,361	26,853	3,74,726	63,313	(e)51,421	114,744
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	213·79	83·39	522·44	86·23	13·06	182·17			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	2,130,490	7,94,260	4,808,472	7,86,864	1,14,152	16,65,276	299,859	234,686	534,544
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the week ...		3·24		3·36	·25	3·54			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·69		3·45	·23	3·27			

(a) Decrease chiefly under foreign inward passengers with shorter lead ; local and foreign outward increased owing to longer lead.
(b) Decrease chiefly under local and foreign inward traffic, the former owing to reduced lead.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boat and mileage and demurrage.
(d) Includes 2,474 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 3,606 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in England.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 10th November, 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated), including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	367,720	Rs. (a) 1,72,730	Mds. 1,022,110	Rs. 1,76,800	Rs. (b) 20,210	Rs. 3,69,740	50,216	(c)40,887	(c)91,103
Or per mile of Railway ...	178·49	83·97	520·92	89·95	9·83	179·75	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of official half-year ...	1,657,650	7,19,040	4,509,680	6,80,910	1,01,710	15,01,660	240,965	194,073	435,038
Total for 5½ weeks ...	2,025,380	8,91,770	5,531,790	8,57,710	1,21,920	18,71,400	291,181	234,960	526,141
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	555,421	2,55,210	1,067,620	1,75,886	32,758	4,63,851	67,295	(d)48,720	116,015
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	318·63	126·55	519·02	85·51	15·92	240·08	.....	.....	.....
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	2,785,911	10,79,470	5,376,092	9,34,750	1,45,907	21,60,127	367,154	283,405	650,559
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile, respectively, during the week ...		3·44		4·33	·22	4·06			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year ...		4·34		3·61	·23	4·28			

(a) Decrease mainly under local and foreign inward passengers, due to the Sonepur mela which was held in this period last year but is later this year.
(b) Decrease mainly under steam-boats and mileage and demurrage.
(c) Includes 2,840 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 1,118 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	6,040	1,958 0 0	71,643 0	11,648 0 0	(a)278 0 0	13,784 0 0	513	(d)791	1,304
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	52 0 0	...	323 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 376 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year.*	38,955	12,033 0 0	386,935 0	71,686 0 0	2,311 0 0	86,030 0 0	3,080	3,940	7,020
Total for 7 weeks ...	44,995	13,991 0 0	460,578 0	83,334 0 0	2,589 0 0	99,814 0 0	3,593	4,731	8,324
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	10,218	2,910 0 0	60,081 0	7,845 0 0	(b)430 0 0	11,205 0 0	568	(c)882	1,450
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	81 0 0	...	218 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 350 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	61 020	16,848 0 0	542,062 0	79,062 0 0	2,350 0 0	99,178 0 0	3,546	6,043	9,589

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 246.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 375.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 56.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 49.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	13,659	4,402 0 0	99,334 0	16,892 0 0	29 0 0	21,323 0 0	1,800	3,806	5,606
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	38 0 0	...	144 0 0	.....	182 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 6 weeks of half-year.*	90,403	29,935 0 0	678,634 0	102,533 0 0	1,376 0 0	133,844 0 0	11,111	18,395	29,506
Total for 7 weeks ...	104,062	34,337 0 0	678,968 0	119,425 0 0	1,405 0 0	155,167 0 0	12,911	21,961	34,892
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	21,038	7,338 0 0	83,467 0	12,962 0 0	15 0 0	19,315 0 0	1,819	(b)4,435	6,961
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	64 0 0	...	109 0 0	.....	169 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	131,459	42,223 0 0	741,149 0	121,001 0 0	333 0 0	1,64,557 0 0	11,998	26,374	38,337

(a) Ballast train-miles, 568.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,330.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 10th November 1917, on 51 miles run

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,713	19,046 0 0	33,561 0	14,551 0 0	96 0 0	33,693 0 0	2,980	3,389	6,369
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	374 0 0	.....	285 0 0	2 0 0	661 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	30,717	1,04,173 0 0	136,736 0	56,425 0 0	1,155 0 0	1,61,753 0 0	14,619	14,909	29,528
Total traffic up to 10th November 1917 ...	36,430	1,23,219 0 0	169,297 0	70,976 0 0	1,251 0 0	1,95,446 0 0	17,599	18,198	35,797
(41 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	412 0 0	.....	238 0 0	4 0 0	654 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,504	12,176 0 0	34,740 0	17,471 0 0	153 0 0	29,800 0 0	3,079	3,171	6,250
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	239 0 0	.....	342 0 0	3 0 0	584 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	39,269½	94,433 0 0	192,170 0	87,810 0 0	1,261 0 0	1,83,204 0 0	18,998	21,099	37,097
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	316 0 0	.....	293 0 0	4 0 0	613 0 0	...	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week		+ 6,570		— 2,920	— 57	+ 3,593			
Difference up to date		+ 26,786		— 16,534	— 10	+ 13,242			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers Troops and Luggage traffic
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in rice, potatoes and building materials.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 10th November 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,260	3,318 0 0	39,726 0	2,475 0 0	40 0 0	5,833 0 0	649	1,311	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	47 0 0	.....	35 0 0	1 0 0	83 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of the half-year	21,231	11,787 0 0	76,447 0 0	3,569 0 0	143 0 0	20,499 0 0	3,119	6,841	9,960
Total traffic up to 10th November 1917 ...	26,541	15,105 0 0	1,06,193 0	11,044 0 0	183 0 0	26,332 0 0	3,768	7,852	11,620
(41 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	27 0 0	.....	64 0 0	...	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	7,857	2,783 0 0	21,135 0	1,294 0 0	11 0 0	4,088 0 0	930	1,084	2,014
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	40 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	43,339	13,811 0 0	1,35,484 0	8,956 0 0	87 0 0	22,884 0 0	5,363	4,787	10,150
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	22 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week ...		+ 530		+ 1,181	+ 29	+ 1,740			
Difference up to date ...		+ 1,294		+ 2,088	+ 96	+ 3,448			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in Potatoes, Tea and Wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 10th November 1917, on 30 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	920	1,018 0 0	6,358 0	1,315 0 0	5 0 0	2,338 0 0	227	275	502
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	34 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	78 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4 weeks of the half-year	3,677	2,652 0 0	9,162 0	1,949 0 0	18 0 0	4,619 0 0	1,022	784	1,806
Total traffic up to 10th November 1917	4,787	3,665 0 0	15,520 0	3,264 0 0	23 0 0	6,952 0 0	1,249	1,059	2,308
(41 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	21 0 0	.....	19 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year	963	896 0 0	12,553 0	2,122 0 0	1 0 0	3,719 0 0	125	296	421
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	30 0 0	.....	71 0 0	.....	91 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year	3,9094	1,863 0 0	54,390 0	6,088 0 0	19 0 0	7,970 0 0	710	1,010	1,720
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	10 0 0	.....	36 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Note.—Difference for the week		+ 417		— 807		+ 4 — 386			
Difference up to date		+ 1,802		— 2,824		+ 4 — 1,016			

The increase during the week in coaching is mainly under Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Iron and Wool Traffic

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 10th November 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	92 548	63 965 0 0	325,352 0	63,886 0 0	5,783 0 0	1,33,636 0 0	12,776	21,359	34,135
Or per mile of railway	.....	72 69	.....	71·37	6·48	150·74	.....	.....	.....
For previous 4½ weeks of half-year	423,002	2,89,815 0 0	1,636,987 0	2,79,621 0 0	33,053 0 0	5,04,789 0 0	61,791	99,582	161,373
Total for 51 weeks	515,548	3,53,780 0 0	1,962,339 0	3,36,509 0 0	38,836 0 0	7,38,425 0 0	74,567	120,941	195,508
Comparison.									
Corresponding week previous year									
Proportionate actuals	114,895	59,351 0 0	269,350 0	54,356 0 0	9,314 0 0	1,22,321 0 0	17,959	19,650	36,609
Per mile of railway(a)	.....	73·97	.....	68 06	11·32	151·34	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	590,093	3 15,631 0 0	2,434,977 0	4,62,681 0 0	57,393 0 0	8,35,204 0 0	91,433	119,134	210,567

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section suppened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 10th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 10th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 10th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 10th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts	Per mile Worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
879·96	1,33,636	150 74	823	1 [illegible],921	151·34	41,45 474	42,73,136	.....	[illegible],27,661

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 10th November 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	11,450	3,814 0 0	48,950	6,898 0 0	.....	10,712 0 0	1,168	978	2,146
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	66·32	.....	78·75	.....	145·07	.....	.....	.....
For previous 47 weeks of half-year	58,548	19,524 0 0	138,673	20,107 0 0	.....	39,631 0 0	5,673	3,841	9,514
Total for 57 weeks ...	69,998	23,338 0 0	187,623	27,005 0 0	.....	50,343 0 0	6,841	4,819	11,660
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 10th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 10th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 10th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 10th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·50	10,712	145·07	...	.....	...	89,323	.....	89,323	.....

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6426A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6240A.—The 27th November 1917.*—Maulvi Wali-ul-Islam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, is appointed to be Personal Assistant to the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, *vice* Mr. Debendra Nath Mukharji, about to retire.

24-Parganas. Calcutta.

No. 6284A.—The 30th November 1917.—Mr. J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

No. 6305A.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Rebati Mohan Chakrabatti (No. I), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Noakhali district, on relinquishing charge of his land acquisition work in Mymensingh.

Mymensingh. Noakhali.

No. 6311A.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Kali Das Bagchi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rangpur, is transferred to the Kishoreganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district.

Rangpur. Mymensingh.

No. 6314A.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Sushil Kumar Mukharji, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district.

Hooghly. Rangpur.

No. 6388A.—The 4th December 1917.—Mr. J. R. Blackwood, I.C.S., Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector, Bakarganj.

Bakarganj.

No. 6391A.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Rai Jogendra Kumar Ghosh Bahadur, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bakarganj, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Bakarganj.

No. 6393A.—The 4th December 1917.—Mr. G. C. Sankey, I.C.S., Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Bakarganj district on being relieved of his present appointment as Additional District Magistrate of that district.

Bakarganj.

No. 6397A.—The 4th December 1917.—Mr. H. R. Wilkinson, I.C.S., is appointed temporarily to be Additional Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Political Department with effect from the 15th November 1917.

Calcutta.

POLICE.—*No. 6246A.—The 27th November 1917.*—The services of Captain E. D. Dallas-Smith, I.A., Assistant Commandant, Dacca Military Police Battalion, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

Dacca.

POLICE.—*No. 6401A.—The 4th December 1917.*—Khan Sahib Ghulam Rabbani, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Balurghat, Dinajpur, acted as Superintendent of Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. E. Hansen.

Dinajpur.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6262A.—The 28th November 1917.*—Babu Jatindra Mohan Singh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nadia, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 8th October 1917.

Nadia.

No. 6402A.—The 4th December 1917.—Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave for eight days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 15th December 1917.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

POLICE.—*No. 6400A.—The 4th December 1917.*—Mr. H. E. Hansen, Officiating Superintendent of Police, Dinajpur, was allowed extra privilege leave for seventeen days, under article 137 (*h*) I (1) of the Civil Account Code, Volume I, with effect from the 1st October 1917.

Dinajpur.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Jalpaiguri. *No. 8205For.—The 4th December 1917.*—Under the provisions of section 19 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council declares that the lands situated within the boundaries described below, in the district of Jalpaiguri, are Reserved Forest with effect from the 16th January 1918 :—

District.	Subdivision, pargana and taluk.	Name of forest.	Area in acres.	Description of boundaries.	Bearings (degrees.)	Distance in chains.
				South.		
Jalpaiguri	Alipur Duar subdivision, pargana East Madari, taluk Salkumar.	Sanjai reserve.	38·4	From a point on a salient bend of Buri Sanjai Jhora on the western boundary of Salkumar Forest Reserve to the Madari-Silbari cart road ...	287° 30′	22
				and thence along the cart road ...	7°	24
				and then to post No. 2 ...	350° 15′	25
				Posts Nos. 1 to 2 ...	111°	4·75
				„ „ 2 to 3 ...	68°	5·30
				„ „ 3 to 4 ...	64° 45′	12·70
				East.		
				Posts Nos. 4 to 5 ...	1° 15′	9·30
				North.		
				Posts Nos. 5 to 6 ...	289°	8
				„ „ 6 to 6A ...	291°	8·75
				„ „ 6A to 7 ...	296° 15′	4
				„ „ 7 to 8 ...	955°	2·33
				West.		
				Posts Nos. 8 to 1 along the Sanjai Jhora western high bank.		

No rights and privileges are granted in the Sanjai reserve, except the use of the existing public road from Silbari to Madarihat, which passes through it.

Mymensingh. *No. 8125L.R.—The 1st December 1917.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101 (2) (*d*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands included within the boundaries of the temporarily-settled private estate Char Bagudharia bearing tauzi No. 8028 of the Mymensingh Collectorate.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rent or rate, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the rent payable at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*f*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed whether by contract, by order of a court, or otherwise;

(*g*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*h*) the rights and obligations of each tenant and landlord in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for cultivation of land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*i*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*j*) any right of way, or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*k*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority;

(*l*) the name of each proprietor with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation and quantity, and, one or more of the boundaries of each proprietor's private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

No. 8183L.R.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 108A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, (VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to empower the undermentioned officers to make corrections in the record-of-rights prepared in respect of the lands in the district of Mymensingh as well as in those revenue survey mauzas which are comprised within the administrative boundaries of the districts of Rangpur, Pabna, Bogra and Tippera, but which fall wholly or partly within five miles from the main stream of any river which forms the administrative boundary of the district of Mymensingh, in accordance with, and subject to, the provisions of the said section:—

Mymensingh. Rangpur. Pabna. Bogra. Tippera.

Babu Hira Lal Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer.

Babu Probhat Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Assistant Settlement Officer.

No. 8175L.R.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Land-revenue Settlement Regulation, 1825 (IX of 1825), read with section 20 of the Bengal Land-revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822 (VII of 1822), the Local Government is pleased to vest Maulvi Abdul Latif Chaudhury, Sub-Deputy Collector, who has, by Notification No. 4008Mis., dated the 3rd December 1917, been vested by the Board of Revenue with the powers of a Collector in Estate Fatehsingh, bearing tauzi No. 253 in the Murshidabad Collectorate, and situated in the districts of Murshidabad and Birbhum, for the purpose of the work of maintenance of the record-of-rights of that estate, with powers under section 19 of the said Bengal Land-revenue Settlement Regulation, 1822, within those districts to require and compel persons mentioned in that section to attend and produce accounts and other papers and to examine such persons under that section for the purposes of the said work of the maintenance of the record-of-rights.

Murshidabad. Birbhum.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Dacca.

No. 8116L.A.—The 1st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Dacca Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for opening a drain at North Maisundi, in the moholla of North Maisundi, pargana Jahangirnagar, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the remaining portion of the homestead land of Keshab Lal Karmakar,

East—By the remaining portion of the homestead land of Keshab Lal Karmakar, and homestead land of Lakshmi Narain Basak,

South—By the Cemetery Road,

West—By the house of Bamasundari Chaudhurani,

is required within the aforesaid moholla of North Maisundi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 8119L.A.—The 1st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Kalna Municipality for a public purpose, viz., for the widening of the junction of the Ganj and the Chalia-mahal roads in the town of Kalna, pargana Ambika, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4·6 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·0048 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the Ganj road,

East—By the Chalia mahal road,

South and West—By the building of Rakhal Das Nandi,

is required within the aforesaid town of Kalna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Kalna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8166L.A.—The 3rd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a retired line of embankment at Durbabaria and Hara in the 64th mile of the Hooghly left embankment, in the villages of Durbabaria and Hara, pargana Muragacha, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 18 bighas 5 cottahs and 6 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and East—By the lands of Giridhar Kotal, Kusam Laskar, Keder Laskar, Barada Pramanik, Iswar Laskar, Rai Mohan Laskar, Girish Haldar, Bishwambhar Laskar, Nrityamoni Dassi, Baliram Laskar and path to Hara and Durbabaria,

South and West—By the Hooghly left embankment,

is required within the aforesaid villages of Durbabaria and Hara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, Public Works Department.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8169L.A.—The 3rd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the police Section house at Sangat Bazar, in the village of Sujaganja, pargana Midnapore, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·209 of an acre, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North—By the house of Mokhada Dasi, Baikanta Nath Bera and Ambika Dasi,
East—By the *pucca* house of Srimanta Das,
South—By the Municipal Lane and Surendra Har's house,
West—By the School Bazar and the Municipal Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Sujaganja.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8172L.A.—The 3rd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a Charitable Dispensary and Doctor's quarters at Pingna, in the village of Pingna, pargana Kagmari, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 15 cottahs and 11 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Mymensingh.

PLOT A.

North—By the Civil Court compound,
East—By the Kharasati River,
South—By the Club-house compound,
West—By the Local Board Road,

PLOT B.

North—By Hriday Sarkar's Lodge,
East—By the Munsiff's quarters,
South—By the Local Board Road,
West—By Dwarka Nath Bhadury's Lodge,

are required within the aforesaid village of Pingna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8189L.A.—The 3rd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension of the Gun and Shell Factory at Ishapore, in the village of Ishapore, pargana Habileeshahar, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 313 bighas 7 cottahs and 3 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

24-Parganas.

North—By the Majherpara Road and the village lands of Ishapore,
East—By the Ferry Fund Road, Majherpara Road, Gun and Shell Factory land and the village lands of Ishapore,
South—By Gun and Shell Factory land and the river Hooghly,
West—By the river Hooghly, the village lands of Ishapore and Gun and Shell Factory land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Ishapore, excluding the graveyard and temples marked A, B, C and D in the plan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of sections 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Deputy Collector, Alipore, 24-Parganas.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8202L.A.—The 4th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the extension and improvement of the Malkhanagar High English School, in the village of Malkhanagar, pargana Bikrampur, zilla Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 16 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Dacca.

North—By the school compound and the District Board Road,
East—By the school compound and the jote land of Budhai Mandal and others,
South—By the *hâlot*,
West—By the Malkhanagar Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Malkhanagar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dacca.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8228L.A.—The 4th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a spill bridge at mile 98-13 of the Assam-Bengal Railway, in the villages of Moulvinagar and Katanisar, pargana Meharkul, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 14 cottahs and 2 chittaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 2·878 acres, as specified below, bounded on the—

Tippera.

Village Moulvinagar (Area 6 bighas 9 cottahs 9 chittaks.)

PLOTS 1 TO 4 AND 4*a*.

North—By Agamatali's nal land,
East—By Assam-Bengal Railway land,
South—By nal lands of Abbas Ali and Ahamad Ali,
West—By nal land of Ambar Ali and Agamat Ali, and the khal;

PLOTS NOS. 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 AND 20.

North—By plots Nos. 7, 8 and 12 (to be acquired),
East—By nal lands of Noabali, Bashu Mea, Maran Ali and Safar Ali,
South—By nal lands of Noabali and Rahimuddi,
West—By Assam-Bengal Railway land;

Village Katanisar. (Area 2 bighas 4 cottahs 9 chitaks.)

PLOTS NOS. 5 AND 6.

North—By nal land of Akramali and Agamat Ali,
East—By Assam-Bengal Railway land,
South—By plot No. 4 (to be acquired),
West—By nal land of Akramali;

PLOTS NOS. 7, 8, 11 AND 12.

North—By nal land of Akramali and Khoda Baksha,
East—By nal lands of Nur Baksha and Khoda Baksha,
South—By plots Nos. 9, 10 and 13 (to be acquired),
West—By Assam-Bengal Railway land;

are required within the aforesaid villages of Moulvinagar and Katanisar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

24-Parganas.

No. 8250L.A.—The 4th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the new Bengal Secretariat Press building on the Bridge Road at Chetla, in the village of Chetla, pargana Magura, zilla 24-Parganas, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 bighas and 17 sq. ft. of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Gowkhana of Calcutta Corporation, District No. 4,
East—By Bridge Road,
South and West—By the remaining portions of premises No. 41-1, Judge's Court Road (formerly No. 3, Bridge Road),

is required within the aforesaid village of Chetla.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, 2, Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Tippera.

No. 8253L.A.—The 4th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a wagon ferry ghat below Ashuganj Bazar, in the village of Char-Chartola, pargana Sarail, zilla Tippera, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose 25 plots of land altogether measuring, more or less, 39 bighas 1 cottah and 12 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

PLOTS NOS. 1 TO 10.

North—By the railway boundary and patit land,
East and West—By the *nal* lands of Abdul Khalek, Sonamia, Amjad Ali and Samiulla,
South—By Abdul Khalek's *nal* land,

PLOTS NOS. 11-12.

North—By Khan Mahammad Sarkar's land and ditch,
East—By the Railway land,
South—By Samiulla's *nal* land,
West—By char land,

PLOTS NOS. 13 TO 18.

North, East and West—By Khan Mahammad Sarkar's *nal* land,
South—By the railway boundary and char land,

PLOT NO. 19.

North and East.—By Khan Mahammad Sarkar's land,
South and West.—By the Megna river,

PLOTS NOS. 20-25.

North and West—By the Megna river,
East—By the *nal* lands of Abdul Khalek, Sonamia, Amjad Ali and Samiulla,
South—By Abdul Khalek's *nal* land,

are required within the aforesaid village of Char-Chartola.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Tippera.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Pabna. *No. 8122L.A.—The 1st December 1917.* -In lines 5 and 26 of Declaration No. 7657L.A., dated the 7th August 1914, published at page, 1513, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, for the acquisition of land required for the Serajganj brickfield siding in connection with the Sara-Serajganj Railway in the district of Pabna, *for* "village of Chandalbaira" *read* "villages of Chandalbaira and Shibnathpur."

Hooghly. *No. 8163L.A.—The 3rd December 1917.*—In lines 6 and 34 of Declaration No. 7903L.A., dated the 10th August 1915, published at page 1364, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, in respect of the acquisition of land required for Block hut at miles 8 and 9 of the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway in the district of Hooghly, *for* "Panchghara" *read* "Bankagacha."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

24-Parganas. *No. 8129Regn.—The 1st December 1917.*—Babu Birendra Krishna Bose, Probationer of Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas is granted leave on medical certificate, under rule (1) to article 335 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 1st September 1917.

Midnapore. *No. 8131Regn.—The 1st December 1917.*—Maulvi Abul Faiz, Sub-Registrar of Anandpur, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and fifteen days, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

No. 8133Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, on leave, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Anandpur in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abul Faiz, or until further orders.

Midnapore.

No. 8135Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Shamsur Rahman, Sub-Registrar of Anwara, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Banskhali in the same district.

Chittagong.

No. 8137Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Salih Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Banskhali, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Anwara in the same district.

Chittagong.

No. 8139Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan, Sub-Registrar of Labhpur, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Mangalkote, in the district of Burdwan.

Birbhum.
Burdwan.

No. 8141Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Abu Kainat, Sub-Registrar of Mangalkote, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Labhpur in the district of Birbhum.

Burdwan.
Birbhum.

No. 8143Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Surendra Chandra Khan, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bankura.

No. 8145Regn.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Bimalapada Mukharji, Probationer of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub Registrar of Indas, in the district of Bankura, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, or until further orders.

Burdwan.
Bankura.

No. 8185Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Maulvi Khondkar Abdul Bari, Sub-Registrar, Murshidabad, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Jhalakati, in the district of Bakarganj from the 12th to the 18th November 1917, *vice* Babu Jogendra Nath Guha appointed temporarily to act as Joint Sub-Registrar, Barisal, Sadar.

Murshidabad.
Bakarganj.

No 8187Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Qara Husain Qaisar Mirza, Probationer of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Vishnupur in the same district, with effect from the 6th November 1917, during the absence, on deputation, of Maulvi Shaik Mutiuddin, or until further orders.

24-Parganas.

No. 8193Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Babu Krishnadhan Mallik, Sub-Registrar, attached to the office of the Registrar of Calcutta, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 1st December 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 8195Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Babu Prafulla Krishna Ghosh, Sub-Registrar of Madarganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Nandail in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 8197Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Babu Sanjib Chandra Ghosh, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Nandail, in the district of Mymensingh, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Madarganj in the same district.

Mymensingh.

No. 8199Regn.—The 3rd December 1917.—Maulvi Shamsuddin Ahmad, clerk of the Sub-Registry office at Fulgazi, in the district of Noakhali, acted as Sub-Registrar of Fulgazi from the 1st to the 8th October 1917 during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Hamid.

Noakhali.

No. 8208Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Sub-Registrar, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Chandina in the same district with effect from the 31st October 1917, until further orders.

Tippera.

No. 8239Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Babu Bibek Mohan Sehanabis, Sub-Registrar, Calcutta, was appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Atrai, in the district of Rajshahi, from the afternoon of the 5th to the forenoon of the 22nd November 1917, *vice* Maulvi Mir Saiyid Ali appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar of Rajshahi.

Calcutta. Rajshahi.

No. 8241Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Habibar Rahman, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Ramganj, in the district of Noakhali, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 12th November 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 8243Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Yaqub Ali, Clerk of the Ramganj Sub-Registry Office, in the district of Noakhali, acted as Sub-Registrar of Ramganj, from the afternoon of the 11th November 1917 to the afternoon of the 17th November 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 8245Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Ahmad Abdulla, Probationer, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Ramganj, in the district of Noakhali, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th November 1917, until further orders.

Tippera Noakhali.

No. 8256Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Babu Jatindra Chandra Ghosh Sub-Registrar, Murshidabad, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Bharatpur, in the same district, with effect from the 1st November 1917, until further orders.

Murshidabad.

No. 8258Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Ali, Sub-Registrar of Matbaria, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Bakarganj.

No. 8260Regn.—The 4th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Manan Chaudhury, Probationer, Bakarganj, on being relieved of his officiating appointment at Bhandaria, in that district, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Matbaria, in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Ali, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1447Edn.—The 1st December 1917.—Miss P. E. A. Fisher, Head Mistress, Dow Hill Girls' School, Kurseong, is allowed leave, under articles 202(*a*) and 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for the period from the 28th July to the 21st August 1917.

Darjeeling.

No. 217Eccle.—The 27th November 1917.—The Ven'ble W. K. Firminger, Archdeacon of Calcutta and Senior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of Darjeeling, in addition to his own duties as Archdeacon of Calcutta, with effect from the 20th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Calcutta. Darjeeling.

No. 219Eccle.—The 27th November 1917.—The Revd. Canon R. W. H. Stuart, Chaplain of Darjeeling, is appointed to be Senior Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, with effect from the 20th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Darjeeling. Calcutta.

No. 221Eccle.—The 27th November 1917.—The services of the Revd. R. G. Jamieson, M.A., Officiating Senior Chaplain, St. Andrew's Church, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, Department of Education, with effect from the 18th October 1917.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9146F., dated the 3rd December 1917.

Copy of a letter No. 9147F., dated the 3rd December 1917, to the Accountant-General, Bengal.

IN continuation of Government order No. 2719T.-F., dated the 23rd October 1917, I am directed to convey the sanction of Government to the grant of grain compensation allowance of Re. 1 a month to all whole-time servants under this Government on the Civil establishment, drawing Rs. 12 or less per month, who were employed in those districts of Bengal (except the Chittagong Hill Tracts) in which cheapest common rice was dearer than 10 seers per rupee during the month of October 1917. This excludes the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Burdwan, Birbhum, Bankura, Midnapore, Jessore, Malda, Faridpur and Chittagong, in addition to the Chittagong Hill Tracts, from the operation of these orders which will have effect for the month of October 1917.

No. 2653S.R.—The 28th November 1917.—Maulvi Mahmood Ali Chaudhuri, Deputy Collector, is appointed Deputy Collector of Income-tax in the district of Malda, *vice* Babu Nagendra Nath Sen, and under section 40 of Act II of 1886 is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Act.

Malda.

No. 2684S.R.—The 30th November 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 85 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules published under Notification No. 595S.R., dated the 30th March 1915, on pages 549 to 562, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, namely:—

For rule 8 of the said rules (as amended by Notification No. 921S.R., dated the 17th April 1916, published on page 771, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem), and *for* rule 9 of the said rules, *substitute* the following:—

"8. The import of foreign liquor under a bond for the payment of the duty imposed under section 27 may be made only by a person of one of the

following classes to whom a license has been granted by the Collector under section 16, namely :—

(*a*) a vendor holding a license for the sale of foreign liquor,

(*b*) a manufacturing chemist requiring rectified spirit for use in the manufacture of drugs, medicines or chemicals, who has obtained general permission from the Excise Commissioner to import such spirit under a bond,

and after such person or his agent has—

(*i*) executed a bond (which may be either a general or a special bond) in favour of the chief revenue authority of the district or place of export, for the payment of the said duty, and

(*ii*) obeyed all rules in force in the district or place from which the export was made.

9. Foreign liquor shall not be imported under a bond as aforesaid, unless—

(*a*) the consignment is accompanied by a pass granted by the chief revenue authority of the exporting district or place, or by the officer in charge of the distillery or warehouse from which it was taken, and containing the following particulars regarding each vessel in the consignment, namely, the distinctive number, the capacity and the contents of the vessel in bulk gallons to the nearest tenth of a gallon, the temperature, hydrometer indication, true strength and obscuration of the spirits contained in the vessel when despatched, together with the date of despatch, and in the case of a *metal* vessel, the gross weight when despatched and the weight of the empty vessel; and

(*b*) the Collector of the importing district has received a copy of the said pass from the chief revenue authority of the exporting district or place, or from the officer in charge of the said distillery or warehouse."

Calcutta. *No. 2719S.R.—The 1st December 1917.*—Maulvi Bazlur Rahman, Probationary Superintendent of Excise and Salt, is posted to Calcutta and attached to Russa distillery.

Calcutta. *No. 2720S.R.—The 1st December 1917.*—The Probationary Inspectors of Excise and Salt, named below, are posted to Calcutta :—

Babu Kshitish Chandra Mukharjea.
„ Siddheswar Chaudhuri.
Maulvi A. K. M. Abdul Latif.
Babu Bimal Krishna Bose.

Rajshahi. *No. 2721S.R.—The 1st December 1917.*—The Probationary Inspectors of Excise and Salt, named below, are posted to the Naugaon Subdivision of the Rajshahi district :—

Maulvi Abul Hussain Khondkar. | Maulvi Jelaluddin Khan.

No. 9086Mis.—The 1st December 1917.—The following list shows the names of the candidates who have passed the recent examination for clerkships in the lower division of the Secretariat clerical service of this Government and attached offices :—

(1) Babu Hari Lal Sarkar.
(2) „ Satish Chandra Banerjee.
(3) Maulvi Anwaruddin Ahmed.
(4) Babu Bejoy Kumar Sen Gupta, B.A.
(5) „ Santi Kumar Bose, B.A.

No. 8617Mis.—The 28th November 1917.—Under section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, XXVI of 1881, the Governor in Council hereby declares the following days to be public holidays during the year 1918:—

February, 15th	...	Sri Panchami.
March, 27th	...	Doljatra.
„ 30th	...	Easter Saturday.
April, 1st	...	Easter Monday.
„ 13th	...	Chaitra Sankranti.
June, 19th	...	Dasahara
July, 10th	...	Id-ul-fitr.
August, 29th	...	Janmastami.
September, 16th	...	Id-uz-zuha.
October, 4th	...	Mahalaya.
„ 12th, 14th, 15th and 19th	...	Durga and Lakshmi Pujas.
„ 16th	...	Muharram.
November, 4th	...	Kali Puja.
„ 12th	...	Jagadhatri Puja.
December, 24th	...	Christmas Eve.
„ 26th and 27th	...	The first and second days following Christmas Day.
„ 31st	...	The last day of the year.

(*a*) Sundays, New Year's Day, Good Friday (23th March) and Christmas Day are public holidays under the Act.

(*b*) The second and last days of the Durga and Lakshmi Pujas (13th and 20th October) and the first day of Kali Puja (3rd November) fall on Sundays in 1918. They are public holidays under the Act and are therefore not included in the list of public holidays separately declared for 1918.

(*c*) The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the birthday of His Majesty the King-Emperor of India shall also be a public holiday and will be notified separately in due course.

No. 8618Mis.—The 28th November 1917.—With reference to the above notification, the Governor in Council hereby notifies that on the following days during 1918 which are not declared to be "public holidays", the offices under the Government of Bengal and all Revenue and Magisterial Courts in Bengal, with the exception of the offices of the Collector of Customs, Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, and the Opium Sale Branch of Government, shall be closed:—

*I.—Holidays on account of Muhammadan festivals.**

Id-ul-fitr	...	On the 11th July.
Fatiha Duwazdaham	...	On the 17th December, but if the moon be visible on the 4th December, then on the 16th December.

October 15th is a holiday on account of the Muhammadan festival "Muharram". As, however, it is also a holiday under the Act on account of the Hindu festivals Durga and Lakshmi Pujas it is not separately notified as a holiday.

II.—Holidays on account of Hindu festivals.

Sri Panchami	...	February, 16th.
Durga and Lakshmi Pujas	...	October, 9th, 10th, 11th, 17th and 18th.
Jagadhatri Puja	...	November, 13th.

* Muhammadan officials with the exception of those employed in the offices of the Collector of Customs, the Shipping Master, the Registrar of Assurances, Calcutta, and the Collector of Stamp Revenue, Calcutta, are allowed to absent themselves from office on the following days, in addition to the six days allowed by the above notifications:—

Muharram	...	3 days.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba	...	1 day.
Shabibarat	...	1 „
Id-uz-zuha	...	1 „
		6 days

October 16th is a holiday on account of the Durga Puja. As, however, it is also a holiday under the Act on account of the Muhammadan festival "Muharram", it is not separately notified as a holiday.

III.—Other Holidays.

The third, fourth and fifth days following Christmas Day, *i.e.*, the 28th, 29th (Sunday) and 30th December.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

Calcutta, the 30th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is of the opinion that the following articles can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war, namely ;—Flexible steel wire rope of the following size :—

Over 1" in circumference.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, I, being an officer of Government authorised by the Governor-General in Council in this behalf by an order in writing, hereby require all persons within the Calcutta or Howrah Municipalities, who, in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such flexible steel wire rope, to send to the Controller, Bengal Circle, Indian Munitions Board, 1, Kyd Street, Calcutta, the following particulars of all such flexible steel wire rope, namely,

(*a*) the quantity held of each size,

(*b*) the place or places at which held,

(*c*) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell such flexible steel wire rope is willing to sell the same by agreement ;

and I further require that every person shall refrain from disposing of the said flexible steel wire rope from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter not exceeding seven days, after the expiry of which period the whole or any part of the said flexible steel wire rope may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of such period, a notice of requisition under Rule 11AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, has been issued in respect of the whole or part of the said flexible steel wire rope by me :

Provided that this order shall only be held to apply to stocks held in the ordinary course of business for sale.

J. C. K. PETERSON,
Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6427A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6255A.—The 28th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon each of the gentlemen, named below, the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

Pabna.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language:—

Rai Sahib Peary Mohan Talukdar.
Babu Pramada Govinda Chaudhuri.

No. 6257A.—The 28th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—.

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hari Nath Bagchi the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Pabna, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

Pabna.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6576A.—The 3rd December 1917.—The orders of the 5th November 1917, conferring upon Babu Kali Krishna Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Mymensingh, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Kishoreganj subdivision of the said district, and directing him, in addition to sitting singly, to sit as a member of the Bajitpur Bench in the said district and to take down evidence in the English language, are cancelled.

Mymensingh.

No. 6378A.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Shiba Das Banarji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Jaynagar Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

No. 6380A.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hira Lal Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Rajpur Bench in the said district.

No. 6382A.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Aziz Ahmad the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Baruipur Bench in the said district.

No. 6384A.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Girish Chandra Sinha the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Malda, for a period of three years from the 9th December 1917, and

Malda.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Nawabganj Bench in the said district.

No. 6386A.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Jogendra Nath Biswas the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the 9th December 1917,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Khardah Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 6286A.—The 30th November 1917.—Mr. G. D. Pyne, Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Barrackpore and Dum-Dum, 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 500.

24-Parganas.

No. 6288A.—The 30th November 1917.—Mr. G. D. Pyne, Deputy Magistrate, Barrackpore, and Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Barrackpore and Dum Dum, 24-Parganas, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories subject to the administration of the Government of Bengal.

24-Parganas.

No. 6299A.—The 1st December 1917.—Mr. Hubert Graham, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories subject to the administration of the Government of Bengal.

Dacca.

No. 6305A.—The 1st December 1917.—Babu Rebati Mohan Chakrabatti (No. I), Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Noakhali district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class and with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure. He is also vested with powers under sections 110 and 133 of the Code.

Noakhali.

No. 6308A.—The 1st December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Rebati Mohan Chakrabatti (No. I), a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the district of Noakhali, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Noakhali.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3788J.—The 3rd December 1917.—Babu Trailokya Nath Ray, Munsif of Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Narail Munsifi.

Jessore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15059P.—The 29th November 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), and rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the said Act IV of 1915 (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10873P., dated the 11th September 1915), and in partial modification of Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, as subsequently amended, the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to appoint Mr. S. E. Stinton, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, and Khan Sahib Saiyid Abdul Latif to be Commissioners for the trial of all persons accused, in the Dacca Division, of any of the offences referred to in the first paragraph of the said Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, *vice* Mr. M. Smither, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Dacca, and Rai Suresh Chandra Sinha Bahadur, Additional District Magistrate, Dacca, respectively, and

(*b*) to nominate the said Mr. S. E. Stinton to be the President of the Bench of Commissioners for the Dacca Division, *vice* the said Mr. M. Smither.

No. 15306P.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*i*) of section 4 of the King of Oudh's Estate Validation Act, 1917 (XII of 1917), the Governor in Council is pleased to authorise the Deputy Collector in charge of the Political Pensions Office, Alipore, 24-Parganas, to receive claims under section 5 of the Pensions Act, 1871 (XXIII of 1871), in so far as it is applicable under section 4 of the said Act XII of 1917.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15192P.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (3) of section 1 of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Disorderly Houses Act, 1907 (Eastern Bengal and Assam Act II of 1907) as applied to Western Bengal by section 4 of the Bengal Laws Act, 1914 (Bengal Act I of 1914), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of the said Eastern Bengal and Assam Act II of 1907 to the town of Rampurhat in the Rampurhat subdivision of the district of Birbhum within the boundaries specified below—

Birbhum.

North—Chetaspur, Talai, Batail, Badha and Mahendrapur.
South—Kumhira, Shakerpur, Srikrishnapur and Chandankasta.
East—Kutubpur, Chak Khalil, Dokhalbati and Dalgram.
West—Magura, Kalkapur, Bonhat and Kusumba.

No. 15123P.—The 1st December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Pakundia in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4(*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Katiadi police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following schedule which have hitherto been included in the Katiadi police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Katiadi	Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Katiadi.
Char Lakshmi ...	1	Chamrail ...	49
Char Kaona ...	2	Angiadi ...	50
Char Teki ...	3	Bil Bhara ...	51
Dagdaga ...	4	Adityapasa ...	52
Jangalia ...	5	Alamdi ...	53
Biswanathpur ...	6	Pabda ...	54
Thutar Jangal ...	7	Mulladi ..	55
Sukhia ...	8	Kaheterdia ...	56
Amarpur ...	9	Kagarchar ...	57
Kazihati ...	10	Khama ...	58
Harshi ...	11	Char Khama ...	59
Jaybishnupur ...	12	Mirdi ...	60
Kusakanda ...	13	Narapati ...	61
Tarakandi ...	14	Putia ...	62
Anwarkhali ...	15	Digambardi ..	63
Sriramdi ...	16	Mandarkandi ...	64
Pakundia ...	17	Barudia ...	65
Lakshmia Hapania ...	18	Bejurdia ...	66
Lakshmia Paik ...	19	Saluadi ...	67
Dardara ...	20	Beldia ...	73
Char Faradi ...	21	Ahutia ...	74
Char Terateki ...	22	Rupsa ...	75
Char Kursa ...	23	Kumri ...	76
Charalbanda ...	24	Patuabhanga ...	77
Kahet Dhandul ...	25	Kandarpadi ...	78
Kursa ...	26	Hosendi ...	79
Hijlia ...	27	Daorat ...	80
Chaliagop ...	28	Saiodgaon ...	81
Marura ...	29	Nischintapur ...	82
Baratia ...	30	Uttarpara ..	83
Lakshmia ...	31	Mangalbaria ...	84
Baga ...	32	Kumarpur ...	85
Setrakhali ...	33	Narandi ...	86
Bhairadi ...	34	Porabaria ...	87
Chaliagop ...	35	Ajaldi ...	88
Barshagati ...	36	Agarpatta ...	89
Mirjapur ..	37	Chandipasa ...	90
Char Mirjapur ...	38	Kodalia ...	91
Bahadia ...	39	Chilakara ...	92
Meherdhanbari ...	40	Ghagra ...	93
Kamarkona ...	41	Salanka ...	94
Sukrabad ...	42	Sanmania ...	95
Mazidpur ...	43	Bisuhati ...	96
Egarasindur ...	44	Saitkahania ...	97
Char Deokandi ...	45	Juniail ...	98
Jamalpur ...	46	Mahishpur ...	99
Deokandi ...	47	Kaladia ...	100
Taldasi ...	48	Pachalgota ...	101
		Maijhati ...	102

No. 15176P.—The 4th December 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang of Muhammadans ordinarily residing in Anantasar, Medinimandal and other villages within the jurisdiction of police-station

Dacca.

Lohajang, in village Paragaon in police-station Srinagar, and Char-Olain and Balenga in Nawabganj police-station, in the district of Dacca, in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, and commonly known as the Anantasar gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences:

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 15177P.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Anantasar gang which has been declared by Notification No. 15176P., dated the 4th December 1917, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals, and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd December 1917.

No. 110—The Governor in Council is pleased to make the following promotions in the Chief and Superintending Engineer classes, with effect from the dates specified:—

Name.	From—	To—	With effect from—
			1917.
Cowley, F. A. A.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent, and Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, permanent, and Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	12th Oct.
Addams-Williams, C.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, permanent, and Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent, and Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, temporary rank.	12th „
Mitra, Beni Madhab.	Executive Engineer, permanent, and Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, permanent, and Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary rank.	12th „
Cowley, F. A. A.	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent.	31st „
Walsh, C. P. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent, and Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary rank.	Superintending Engineer, 1st Class, permanent, and Chief Engineer, 2nd Class, temporary rank.	31st „
Zorab, J. ...	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 2nd Class, permanent.	31st „
Das, Amar Nath	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, sub. *pro tem.*	Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, permanent.	31st „

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

The 1st December 1917.

No. 18R.—The following notification issued by the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), is republished for information.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 601T.—17, dated Simla, the 23rd November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is of opinion that coal is a product which can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11-A-A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, in supersession of the Notification in the Railway Department (Railway Board) No. 395T.—17, dated the 20th September 1917, to authorise the Coal Controller, Railway Board, Calcutta, to exercise in respect of the said product while in transit over a railway the powers conferred on the Governor-General by sub-rules (1) and (3) of the said rule.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 29th November 1917.

No. 100Marine.—Mr. J. H. Lindquist, Branch Pilot, is appointed to the command of the S. P. V. "Lady Fraser" from the 12th December 1917, *vice* Mr. H. E. Mackenzie, Branch Pilot, who reverts to the running list of Pilots from that date.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 1st December 1917.

No. 101Marine.—It is hereby notified that under section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, the Hon'ble Mr. F. W. Carter, C.I.E., of the firm of Messrs. Turner Morrison & Co., Limited, has been elected as a representative of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce on the Calcutta Port Trust, *vice* Sir Francis H. Stewart, KT., C.I.E., resigned.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 1st December 1917.

No. 102Marine.—Mr. W. C. Mayston, Mate Pilot, is granted privilege leave for one month, under article 676(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st December 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th December 1917.

No. 103Marine.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 6 of the Calcutta Port Act, 1890, Mr. S. G. L. Eustace, of the firm of Messrs. Kilburn and Company, has been elected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to be a Commissioner for the port of Calcutta, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. J. Mackenzie, whose term of office as a Port Commissioner expired on the 2nd December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 4th December 1917.

No. 104Marine.—Mr. H. E. Mackenzie, Branch Pilot, is granted privilege leave for two months and seven days, under article 676 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th December 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6428A.

No. 6238A.—The 27th November 1917.—Maulvi Elamuddin Khan, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, who has been posted to the Feni subdivision of the Noakhali district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Noakhali.

No. 6362A.—The 1st December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Ghafur, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Mymensingh.

No. 6368A.—The 3rd December 1917.—Babu Hem Chandra Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Munshiganj, Dacca, is allowed, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, leave up to the 2nd November 1917, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 15th August 1917.

Dacca.

No. 6411A.—The 4th December 1917.—Babu Naba Gopal Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Jalpaiguri district, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Jalpaiguri.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 17719, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., took over charge of the Mymensingh Jail from Officiating Civil Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Barory on the forenoon of the 19th October 1917.

No. 17720, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Lt.-Col. E. A. R. Newman, I.M.S., took over the medical charge of the Dacca Central Jail from Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., on the forenoon of the 18th October 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 15644, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Salil Nath Bhattacharji, officiating at the Brahmanbaria subdivision, Tippera district, is appointed temporarily to be Port Health Officer, Chittagong, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that appointment.

No. 15658, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Gyanendra Nath Chatterji, teacher of Midwifery and Materia Medica, Medical School, Dacca, is appointed to be teacher of Surgery in that School, *vice* 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Mitra, transferred.

No. 15660, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Guru Prasad Mitra, teacher of Anatomy, Medical School, Dacca, is appointed to be teacher of Midwifery and Materia Medica in that School, *vice* 2nd grade Assistant Surgeon Gyanendra Nath Chatterji.

No. 15662, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Nripendra Kumar Basu, Resident Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipore, is appointed to be teacher of Anatomy, Medical School, Dacca, *vice* 1st grade Assistant Surgeon Guru Prasad Mitra.

No. 15677, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1917.—The following Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 16th October 1917 are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.	Remarks.
				1917.	
3rd ...	Manmatha Nath Roy	Jail Hospital, Berhampur	2nd	25th April ...	Passed with credit.
				1918.	
3rd ...	Rebati Charan Mitter	Nuxulbari Dispensary, Darjeeling.	2nd	16th March ...	...
3rd ...	Benod Behari Gupta...	Jail and Police Hospitals, Noakhali.	2nd	21st ,, ...	...
3rd ...	Umesh Chandra De ...	Jail Hospital, Faridpur ...	2nd	23rd ,, ...	Passed with credit.
3rd ...	Amrita Lal Chanda ...	Goalundo Ghat Dispensary	2nd	4th April ...	Passed with great credit.
3rd ...	Sanat Kumar Chaudhuri.	Travelling Sub-Assistant Surgeon, E. B. Railway, Barsoi.	2nd	20th October ...	...
				1915.	
4th ...	Krishna Chandra Pramanick.	Teacher, Compounder class, Campbell Medical School.	3rd	15th April ...	...
				1917.	
4th ...	Romesh Chandra Ghosh, II	Relieving Sub-Assistant Surgeon, E. B. Railway.	3rd	21st May ...	Passed with great credit.
4th ...	Nepal Chandra Bhattacharji.	Jail and Police Hospitals, Bogra.	3rd	22nd September ...	Ditto.
4th ...	Mahendra Kumar Bhattacharji.	Military duty ...	3rd	22nd November ...	Passed with credit.
				1918.	
4th ...	Ramanuja Chakrabutti	Assistant Apothecary, Campbell Hospital.	3rd	10th June ...	Passed with honour.
4th ...	Narendra Nath Ghosh	Military duty ...	3rd	21st August ...	Passed with credit.

No. 15665, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Bakshi of the Siliguri subdivision and Dispensary, Darjeeling district, is appointed to be Resident Assistant Surgeon, Sambhu Nath Pandit Hospital, Bhowanipore, *vice* 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Nripendra Kumar Basu, transferred.

No. 15668, dated Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Tinkari Acharji is appointed temporarily to the Siliguri subdivision and Dispensary, Darjeeling district, *vice* 3rd grade Assistant Surgeon Hemendra Nath Bakshi, transferred.

No. 15686, dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1917.—In supersession of the notifications noted on the margin third grade Assistant Surgeon Khagendra Binod Sinha is allowed privilege leave combined with leave on medical certificate for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and twenty-seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 14th August 1917.

No. 10778, dated the 13th August 1917
No. 1252D., dated the 24th September 1917.
No. 1609D., dated the 30th October 1917.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act), for the month of January 1918, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

January 1918.

Hooghly from 1st to 10th.
Serampore from 11th to 21st.
Howrah from 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge of Small Causes Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 29th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 28th November 1917.

No. 106P.—Mr. Jogendra Chandra Nag, Professor of Botany, in the Presidency College (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the 10th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 107P.—Babu Srish Chandra Sinha, Demonstrator in Botany, Presidency College (class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service), is appointed to act as a Professor of Botany in the same College, and in the Provincial Educational Service, on the usual acting allowance admissible under the rules, *vice* Mr. Jogendra Chandra Nag, on leave.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,

Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

BOARD OF REVENUE, BENGAL.

No. 4008 Mis.—The 3rd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause 2 of section 8 of the Bengal Land Revenue (Assistant Collectors) Regulations, 1821 (IV of 1821), the Board of Revenue authorize Maulvi Abdul Latif Chaudhury, Sub-Deputy Collector, who has been placed on duty in connection with the maintenance, for the purposes of section 158A of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, of the record-of-rights of Estate Fatehsingh, bearing tauzi No. 253 of the Murshidabad Collectorate and situated in the districts of Murshidabad and Birbhum, to exercise and perform within the local limits of the said districts any of the powers and duties vested in the Collectors of Land Revenue under any enactment in force therein for the purpose of the said work of maintenance of the record-of-rights.

Murshidabad. Birbhum.

D. H. WARES,

Secy. to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5203G.—Babu Dhurjati Kumar Dutta, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is temporarily posted to the headquarters station of the Chittagong district with effect from the 17th November 1917.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 27th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 362Jct.—Babu Sarat Chandra Chaterji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Dinajpur, is posted to the Sirajganj Subdivision, in the district of Pabna.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., MALDA, *the 30th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 358Jct.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, is posted to the headquarters station of the Dinajpur District.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., MALDA, *the 30th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

MAULVI ASAD HUSAIN, Sub-Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed an extension of leave for 15 days under article 242 (*a*), Civil Service Regulations.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 30th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5273G.—Moulvi Zahurul Quaim, Sub-Deputy Collector, Cox's Bazar, is transferred to Kutubdia in the district of Chittagong.

K. C. DE. *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN, CHITTAGONG, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that in the bye-election held on 24th November 1917 in Ward No. II, West Serampore, of the Serampore Municipality in the district of Hooghly, Babu Radhica Lal Goswami has been duly elected as a Commissioner of that Municipality in the place of Babu Rajendra Lal Goswami, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 30th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5075G.—It is hereby notified for general information, under rule 26 of the election rules for the election of Municipal Commissioners, that at the elections held on the 11th October 1917, the gentlemen named below have, under section 14 of the Bengal Municipal Act, III (B.C.) of 1884, been elected as Commissioners of the Cox's Bazar Municipality :—

Ward A	...	1. Babu Bepin Behari Rakhit. 2. „ Mohini Mohan Datta. 3. „ Peary Mohan Sen.
Ward B	...	1. „ Satis Chandra Nandy. 2. „ Girish Chandra Choudhury. 3. Maung Aung Tan Phroo.
Ward C	...	1 „ Shway Zanu. 2. Munshi Hasan Ali. 3. „ Abdul Aziz.
Ward D	...	1. Maung Mra Tha Tun.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 26th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 5266(a)G.—It is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 21st November 1917, Babu Rajendra Chandra Dey was duly elected to be a Commissioner in Ward "D" of the Comilla Municipality, in the district of Tippera, in the place of Babu Jyotindra Prasad Mitter, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 53L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, at a bye-election held in Mirpur thana on the 5th November 1917, Babu Bepin Behari Biswas has been elected as a member of the Kushtia Local Board in the district of Nadia in the place of Babu Ram Lal Ghose, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 54L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 19 (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Maulvi Motior Rahman to be a member of the Bongaon Local Board in the district of Jessore in the place of Maulvi Chaudury Mahmed Isa, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN, CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified, for general information that the election by the members of the Sadar Local Board of Hooghly of Babu Probodh Chandra Chatterji as their Chairman is approved under section 25 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5046J.—The 30th November 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as subsequently amended, the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the District Board of Dacca :—

Local Boards by which elected.	Names of members.
Sadar Local Board ...	1. Babu Amulya Ratan Guha. 2. „ Upendra Chandra Gupta. 3. Munshi Muhammad Asgar Khan. 4. Babu Phani Bhusan Banerjee.
Narainganj Local Board ...	5. „ Jagadish Chandra Banerjee. 6. „ Debendra Chandra Mazumdar. 7. Maulvi Abul Hashnat Chaudhury.
Munshiganj Local Board ...	8. Babu Rajendra Kishore Ghose. 9. Rai Saheb Promatha Nath Ghose. 10. Munshi Pir Mahomed. 11. Babu Khitish Chandra Guha.
Manikganj Local Board ...	12. „ Sarat Chandra Chakravarty. 13. „ Biswesar Ray. 14. Maulvi Abdus Sattar Khan.

2. The following gentlemen are appointed under section 7 of the Act to be members of the Board :—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Dacca
2. The Subdivisional Officer, Narainganj
3. The Subdivisional Officer, Munshiganj
4. The Subdivisional Officer, Manikganj
5. The Superintendent of Police, Dacca
6. The District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca

} *Ex-officio.*

7. Babu Dwijendra Mohan Sen, Additional Subdivisional Officer, Dacca Sadar.
8. Nawab Khwajah Muhammad Yusuf, Khan Bahadur.
9. Khan Bahadur Khwajah Muhammad Azam.
10. Khan Bahadur Maulvi Khabirulla.
11. Maulvi Syed A. F. Sharfuddin.
12. „ Syeduddin Siddiqui.
13. Rai Peary Mohan Basu Bahadur.
14. Babu Hara Lal Shaha.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVISION, DACCA, *the 30th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4473J.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries under the supervision of the Government of Bengal, the following gentlemen have been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Tanore, in the district of Rajshahi :—

1. Babu Ananda Kishore Sarkar.
2. „ Hari Narayan Maitra.
3. Sub-Inspector of Police, Tanore (*Ex-officio*).
4. Babu Durga Lochan Moitra.
5. „ Gopi Mohan Sarkar.
6. „ Chandra Kumar Chaki.
7. „ Ramesh Chandra Moitra.
8. Munshi Didarbux Sarkar.
9. „ Manikulla Sarkar.
10. „ Kudratulla Sarkar.
11. „ Taherulla Kabiraj.
12. „ Keramatulla Hazi.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 26th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 55L.S.-G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, M. Belatali and Babu Hari Mohan Datta have respectively been appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the District Board Charitable Dispensary at Kakdip in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of 24-Parganas, in place of Babu Raman Krishna Datta, deceased, and Babu Umes Chandra Das, removed.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

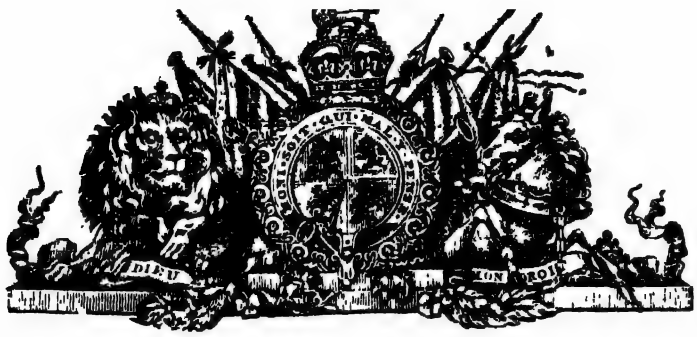
THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911, AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the plan of a Proposed Public Street No. VII (Inner Strand Road) (Sobha Bazar Street to Nimtollah Ghat Street) which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 5th April 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign and Political Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 26th November 1917.

No. 2048-Est. A.—Major E. O. Thurston, Indian Medical Service, is appointed to officiate as an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd Class and is posted as Residency Surgeon and *ex-officio* Assistant to the Resident in Nepal, with effect from the 14th November 1917.

J. B. WOOD,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The 26th November 1917.

No. 1851-G.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Count G. Viola di Campalto as Consul for Italy at Calcutta.

A. H. GRANT,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st December 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

Delhi, the 1st December 1917.

No. 879-D.—Mr. J. C. Fergusson, I.C.S., is placed on special duty in the Department of Commerce and Industry, with effect from the 30th November 1917.

A. H. LEY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 30th November 1917.

JUDICIAL.

CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.

No. 2054.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 23, 24 and 25 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to amend the Cantonment Code, 1912, to the extent set forth below:—

(1) In Chapter IX of the said Code, after section 158, the following shall be inserted:—

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 102.

158-A. For the purpose of providing or maintaining the water supply or of making or maintaining communications or connections with the mains, the Cantonment Authority shall have all powers which are conferred upon it in respect of drainage and the supply of gas by sections 171-A to 171-I.

Powers of Cantonment Authority in respect of communications, etc.

(2) After Chapter IX of the said Code, the following shall be inserted:—

Chapter IX-A.

Drainage, lighting, etc.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 132

171-A. The Cantonment Authority may carry any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel of any kind, for the purpose of establishing telephonic or other similar communication or of carrying out and establishing or maintaining any system of lighting, drainage, or sewerage, through, across, under, or over, any road, street, or place laid out as or intended for a road or street, and after giving reasonable notice in writing to the owner or occupier, into, through, across, under, over, or up the side of any land or building whatsoever situate within the limits of the cantonment, and, for the purpose of the introduction, distribution of outfall of water or for the removal or outfall of sewage without such limits and may at all times do all acts and things which may be necessary or expedient for repairing or maintaining any such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer, or channel, as the case may be, in an effective state for the purpose for which the same may be used or intended to be used:

Power of Cantonment Authority to lay wires, etc.

Provided that no nuisance more than is necessarily caused by the proper execution of the work is created by any such operation: and

Provided, further, that reasonable compensation shall be paid to the owner or occupier for any damage at the time sustained by him and directly occasioned by the carrying out of such operations.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 133.

Provision as to wires, etc., laid above surface of ground.

171-B. In the event of any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel being laid or carried above the surface of any land or through, over or up the side of any building, such cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel, as the case may be, shall be so laid or carried as to interfere as little as possible with the rights of the owner or occupier to the due enjoyment of such land or building, and reasonable compensation shall be paid in respect of any substantial interference with any such right to such enjoyment.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 134.

Previous notice to be given.

171-C. Except in cases to which sections 158-K and 158-L relate, the Cantonment Authority shall cause not less than fourteen days' notice in writing to be given to the owner or occupier before commencing any operations under section 158-B.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 135.

Connection with main not to be made without permission of Cantonment Authority.

171-D. No person shall, without the permission of the Cantonment Authority, at any time make, or cause to be made, any connection or communication with any cable, wire, pipe, drain, sewer or channel, constructed or maintained by or vested in the Cantonment Authority, or Government, for any purpose whatsoever.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 136.

Power to make or require connections in case of sewerage.

171-E. The Cantonment Authority may, at any time, establish any connection or communication from any water main, drain or sewer, to any premises, or may by notice require the owner, of any such premises to establish any such connection or communication, in such manner and within such time as the Cantonment Authority, by notice in that behalf, may prescribe, at the cost of such owner or occupier.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 137.

Power to prescribe size of ferrule and to establish meters and the like.

171F. The Cantonment Authority may prescribe the size of the ferrules to be used for the supply of gas, and may establish meters or other appliances for the purpose of testing the quantity or quality of any gas or electricity supplied to the premises of any person or to or for the use of any person or business.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 138.

Communications and connections to be made subject to inspection

171-G. The ferrules, communication-pipes, connections, meters, standpipes and all fittings thereon or connected therewith, leading from mains or service cables, wires, pipes, drains, sewers or channels into any house or land and the wires, pipes, fittings and works inside any such house or within the limits of any such land, shall in all cases be executed subject to the inspection and to the satisfaction of the Cantonment Authority.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911 s. 139.

Power to fix rates and charges.

171-H. The Cantonment Authority may, from time to time, fix the charges to be made for the establishment by them or through their agency of communications from and connections with mains or service cables, wires and pipes for the supply of lighting, telephonage or gas, and for meters or other appliances for testing the quantity or quality thereof supplied, and may levy such charges accordingly.

Cf. Punjab Act III of 1911, s. 140.

Paving of court-yards, alleys and passages.

171-I. For the purpose of efficiently draining any building or land the Cantonment Committee may by notice in writing (*a*) require any court-yard, alley or passage between two or more buildings to be paved with such materials and in such manner as may be approved by them, and (*b*) require such paving to be kept in proper repair.

(3) In Chapter XVII of the said Code after section 238 the following shall be inserted :—

Inspection of drains, privies and cesspools.

238-A. (*1*) The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person to enter, between sunrise and sunset, into any building or upon any land and to inspect any drain, privy, latrine, urinal, cesspool, cable, wire, pipes, sewer or channel therein, or thereon, and to cause the ground to be opened where such person as aforesaid may think fit for the purpose of preventing or removing any nuisance arising from the drains, privies, latrines, urinals, cesspools, cables, wires, pipes, sewers or channels.

(*2*) If, on such inspection, it appears that the opening of the ground was necessary for the prevention or removal of a nuisance, the expenses thereby incurred shall be paid by the owner or occupier of the land or building; but if it be found that no nuisance exists or but for such opening would have arisen, the ground or portion of any building, drain, or other work, if any, opened, injured or removed for the purpose of such inspection shall be filled in, reinstated and made good by the Cantonment Authority.

(*3*) No building other than a latrine, urinal or privy, shall be entered under this section until six hours' notice in writing has been given to the occupier of the building by the Cantonment Authority or by the person authorised by the Cantonment Authority to make the entry.

Other powers of entry on buildings or land.

238-B. The Cantonment Authority may authorise any person, after giving twenty-four hours' notice to the occupier, or, if there be no occupier, to the owner of any building or land, at any time between sunrise and sunset, to enter into any building or on any land, for the purpose of inspecting or repairing gas, water, telephonic, electric or other installations and for taking readings of meters connected therewith.

No. 2055.—In pursuance of section 26-A of the Cantonment Code, 1912, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the Cantonment Provident Fund Rules, 1917, namely:—

After rule 6 of the said rules the following rules shall be inserted, namely:—

"6-A (*1*) When the pecuniary circumstances of a subscriber are such that the indulgence is absolutely necessary, a temporary advance not ordinarily exceeding three months' pay may be allowed from the sum at his credit at the discretion of the Cantonment Authority.

(*2*) The following are cited as examples of occasions on which the grant of advances may be considered provided the circumstances are exceptional:—

(*a*) To pay expenses incurred in connection with the illness of a subscriber or a member of his family.

(*b*) To pay for the passage of any member of a subscriber's family coming from beyond the sea to join him, or requiring to make a journey beyond the sea.

(*c*) To pay expenses in connection with marriages, funerals or ceremonies which by the religion of the subscriber it is incumbent upon him to perform and in connection with which it is obligatory that expenditure should be incurred.

NOTE.—Advances, though not confined rigidly to the objects laid down in clauses (*a*) to (*c*) above, will be made with due regard to the principle expressed in clause (1) of this rule as illustrated by the foregoing examples.

The order sanctioning the advance should state the specific purpose for which the advance is granted. Where, however, this is of a confidential nature, it may be communicated to the audit officer personally and confidentially.

(*3*) When one or more advances have already been granted to a subscriber, a subsequent advance shall not be granted to him except for strong reasons to be recorded in writing by the Cantonment authority until at least twelve months have elapsed since the complete repayment of the last advance taken.

6-B. (*1*) Advances will be recovered at the discretion of the Cantonment authority, in not less than twelve instalments or more than twenty-four. A subscriber may, however, at his option make repayment in less than 12 instalments or may repay two or more instalments at the same time.

(*2*) In determining the advance to be sanctioned, due regard should be paid to the amount of subscriptions lying to the credit of the applicant. The amount of the advance should be a sum expressed in whole rupees and ordinarily, the monthly instalments should also be in whole rupees, the advance applied for being raised or reduced, if necessary, to enable instalments to be thus fixed.

(*3*) Recoveries will be made monthly, commencing from the first payment of a full month's salary after the advance is granted, but no recovery will be made from a subscriber while he is on leave of any kind.

(*4*) When two or more advances are made, each advance should be treated separately, and the monthly deduction of not less than one twenty-fourth of each advance should be made until that advance is cleared.

(*5*) The instalments will be paid by compulsory deductions from salary and will be in addition to the usual subscription.

6-C. When an advance is repaid, as regards principal, in not less than twelve instalments, a 13th instalment, representing interest, and equivalent to 3 per cent. of the amount of the advance, should be paid in the month following that in which the last instalment is paid. Similarly, an additional instalment equivalent to 6 per cent. of the total amount of the advance should be paid when the advance is repaid in more than 12 instalments. In calculating the $\frac{3 \text{ per cent.}}{6 \text{ per cent.}}$ instalment as above, a fraction of a rupee should be taken at the next higher whole rupee, if it exceeds eight annas, and should be ignored, if it does not.

INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 2057.—Second-Lieutenant John Williamson resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 2059.—Lieutenant Alexander Selfe Marsh resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India (Indian Munitions Board), published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 1st December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 26th November 1917.

No. E.-36.—Lieutenant L. F. Oliver, R.E., Inland Water Transport, is posted temporarily as Assistant Controller (Munitions), Calcutta, with effect from the 24th October 1917.

No. E.-78.—Mr. C. A. Williams, Assistant Signal Engineer, North Western Railway, is appointed Assistant Controller (Munitions), Calcutta, with effect from the 22nd October 1917.

The 30th November 1917.

No. H.-1805-286.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 1247-W., dated the 16th February 1917, namely :—

For the words "Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., Wheat Commissioner in India," substitute "Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S., Controller (Hides and Wool)."

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2138M.—The 28th November 1917.—In pursuance of section 49, sub-section (*1*) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by section 48 of that Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the second section of the Street Scheme known as Scheme VII (Chitpur spur) which has been submitted to him by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta under section 47 of the said Act, and the net cost of which is estimated at Rs. 10,46,000.

Calcutta.

2. The area covered by the Scheme is bounded on the—

North—From a point on Upper Chitpur Road, on the west side at a distance of 120 feet to the north from its junction with Cotton Street in a straight line to the north-east to a point on the eastern boundary of No. 48, Muktaram Babu Street, at a distance of 165 feet from the street to the south.

East—From this point in a straight line to the southern boundary of No. 50, Muktaram Babu Street, 36 feet from its south-eastern corner, thence eastwards along the northern edge of the passage to the south to a distance of 95 feet. Thence southwards along the eastern boundary of No. 40, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, to the north-western corner of No. 136, Machua Bazar Street, thence further southwards along its western boundary up to its south-western corner. From this point westwards along the northern edge of Machua Bazar Street to the south-eastern corner of No. 139, Machua Bazar Street. Thence in a straight line south-west to the north-eastern corner of 149, Harrison Road. Thence south along the eastern boundary of No. 119 to the centre of Harrison Road.

South—From this point west approximately along the centre of Harrison Road, to a point 50 feet south of the north-west corner of the junction of Harrison Road and Lower Chitpur Road.

West—From this point northward in a line to the starting point along the western edge of Chitpur Road.

3. A list of holdings to be acquired is annexed.

4. A plan of proposed lay-out of the area included in the Scheme can be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust, 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

List of properties to be acquired.

Name of Street.		Number of Municipal holding.
Chitpur Road (Lower)	...	81.
Machua Bazar Street	...	1-1 (portion), 1-1-1, 1-1-2, 1-2, 1-2-1, 1-3, 1-1-3, 1-1-3-1, 2, 3, 140-2, 142, 143, 144, 145, 145-1, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150-1, 155, 156, 156-1, 157, 158, 158-2, 158-3 (portion).
Munshi Sadaruddin Lane	...	17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 40, 41, 42.
Sayed Sally Lane ...	...	17 and 21.
Harrison Road ..	...	155, 157-1, 157, 159, 159-1.
Muktaram Babu Street	...	46 (portion).

Calcutta. *No. 2139M.—The 28th November 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following alteration in the boundaries of the Street Scheme known as Calcutta Improvement Scheme No. VII (Central Avenue—Machuabazar Street to Beadon Street) which were published under Government Notification No. 1223M., dated the 30th March 1916, at page 85 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th April 1916.

In the western boundaries in the second paragraph of the said notification—

for "thence in a straight line southwards to Machuabazar Street meeting it at the south-western corner of No. 138, Machuabazar Street," *substitute* the following :—

"Thence in a straight line to the southern boundary of No. 50, Muktaram Babu Street, 36 feet from its south-eastern corner, then eastwards along the northern edge of the passage to the south to a distance of 95 feet. Thence southwards along the eastern boundary of No. 40, Munshi Sadaruddin Lane, to the north-western corner of No. 136, Machuabazar Street, thence further southwards along its western boundary up to its south-western corner."

Howrah. *No. 2164M.—The 4th December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Calcutta Survey Act, 1887 (Bengal Act I of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. O'Donel, Officiating Director of Surveys, Bengal, to be the Superintendent of Surveys, *vice* Major F. C. Hirst, I.A., for the purpose of a survey of the lands within the limits of the Howrah Municipality ordered in Notification No. 227T.M., dated the 9th May 1914, published at page 209, Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem.

Calcutta. *No. 2152M.—The 3rd December 1917.*—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7), of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (6) of that section, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the plan of proposed public street No. XVI from Bowbazar Street at its junction with Amherst Street to Park Street near its junction with Loudon Street in Wards Nos. XI, XIV and XV of the Calcutta Municipality, as notified by the Board of Trustees for the improvement of Calcutta in their notice of the 17th July 1916, published at pages 1374 to 1376 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th July 1916 and republished at pages 1411 and 1412 of Part I of the said Gazette of the 2nd August 1916, subject to the following modification, namely, that the alignment is slightly shifted to the east at its northern end.

2. The proposed public street will pass through the following holdings:—

Name of Street.	Number of municipal holdings.
Bowbazar Street	124, 124-1.
Nebutala Lane ...	10, 10-2, 11, 11-1, 11-2, 12, 13, (passage to 12-1, 14, 14-1), 15, 16, 17, 18, (passage to 19, 20), 19, 21, 23, 23-1, 24, 24-1, 25, 26, 27, 28, 55, 56, 57 (passage to 57-1), 58, 59, 65, 66, 67, 67-1, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72 (passage to 73), 74.
St. James Square ...	1, 2, 3, 11, 12.
Sankaritola Lane ...	14, 15, 16, 17, 17-1, 17-2, 18, 19, 20, 21, 25, 53-1.
Creek Row ...	47.
Dhuramtala Street ...	71, 72, 74.
Ram Chandra Das Row ...	2.
Corporation Street ...	50, 50-1, 50-2, 51, 51-1, 52, 100, 100-1.
Doctor Lane ...	1, 1-1, 2, 3, 3-1, 4, 4-1, 70-1 (passage to 71), 72, 72-1, 73, 73-1, 73-2.
Doctor Bye-Lane ...	1, 2.
Taltala Bazar Street ...	29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 40-1, 40-2, 40-3, 41, 44.
Serang Lane ...	1, 2, 2-1, 2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 13, 14, 14-1, 15, 16, 17, 34, 35, 38.
Gardner Lane ...	28, 30, 32, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67.
European Asylum Lane ...	9, 26, 27, 28.
Komedan Bagan Lane ...	30, 31.
Aga Mahammad Mehdi Street	12, 36.
Munshi Alimuddin Street ...	19, 21, 38.
Nawab Abdul Latif Lane ...	3, 4, 4-1, 4-2.
Sandel Street ...	16.
Ripon Street ...	32, 33, 33-1, 34, 85A, 85B, 85C, 85D, 85E.
Ripon Lane ...	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 13, 15, 17, 21, 23.
Elliot Lane ...	16, 18, 19, 21, 21-1, 22, 23, 23-1, 23-2.
Elliot Road ...	36, 60, 61, 62.
McLeod Street ...	33, 34, 38, 39.
Park Lane ...	29, 30, 33, 34, 36, 37.

3. The plan as now sanctioned and the particulars of the land through which the proposed public street will pass may be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

Calcutta.

No. 2170M.—The 4th December 1917.—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7) of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (6) of that section, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the plan of proposed public street No. VIII (Ahiritolla Street Widening) in Ward No. II, as notified by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta in their notice, dated 28th March 1916, published at page 758 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th April 1916 and republished at pages 810 and 811 of Part I of the said Gazette of the 19th idem, subject to the following modifications :—

(*i*) omission of the widening of Nather Bagan Lane,

(*ii*) omission of the widening of the part of Ahiritolla Street, lying on the east of Ahiritolla 1st Lane,

(*iii*) exclusion of the following municipal holdings :—

Names of Streets	Number of municipal holdings.
Darmahata Street ...	107.
Ahiritolla Street ...	14, 150.
Nather Bagan Lane ...	2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8.

The plan so modified provides for the widening of Ahiritolla Street to 60 feet from its junction with Darmahata Street to Ahiritolla 1st Lane.

2. The proposed public street will pass through the following municipal holdings:—

Names of Streets.		Number of municipal holdings.
Darmahata Street	...	102, 103, 104, 105, 105-3, 106.
Ahiritolla Street	...	1, 2, 3, 4, 4-1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 10-1, 10-2, 10-3, 11, 11-1, 11-2, 14-4, 15, common passage to holdings Nos. 16, 17 and 17-1, 18, 19-1, 156, 158, 158-1, 159, 159-1, 159-2, 160, 161, 162, 162-2, 165, 164, 166.
Darmahata 1st Lane	...	3E.
Nather Bagan Lane	...	9.

3. The plan as now sanctioned may be inspected at the office of the Calcutta Improvement Trust at No. 5, Clive Street, Calcutta.

Darjeeling.

No. 2159M.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 1, sub-section (*2*) of the Bengal Public Parks Act, 1904 (Bengal Act II of 1904), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of that Act to the Lebong Park, with the exception of the Chaplain's quarters and its compound situated therein, in the town of Darjeeling, the boundaries of which are as follows:—

North—The Lebong Cantonment.
East—The Rangeet Road and the Lebong Tea Estate.
South—Bhutia busti.
West—The Western Lebong Road and Phubsering Tea Estate.

Nadia.

No. 2162M.—The 4th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 9-A of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to exclude from the Naihati Municipality in the district of Nadia, the area, the boundaries of which are as follows:—

North and East.—The western boundary of villages Rajendrapur, Mamoodpur, Deulpara and Madral.

South.—Muktearpur Khal.

West.—The eastern boundary of the Eastern Bengal Railway property down to a point about 150 yards north of the Radhaballav Road. The boundary line will thence strike east till it meets the north-east end of the footpath running south by the house of Satya Bala Debi. It will follow the footpath to the Radaballav Road, run east excluding the Radaballav Road to the north-east corner of the Arjuna tank, and south along the east of a footpath known as Makhaltala Road till it meets the Muktearpur Khal.

2. The boundaries of the Naihati Municipality after the exclusion of the said area will be as follows:—

North—The northern border of the Malapara Road, Banakpur Road and Balivara Road till it meets the western boundary of village Balivara; then the western boundary of villages Balivara, Rampur and Malancha.

East—The eastern boundary of the Eastern Bengal Railway property down to a point about 150 yards north of the Radhaballavpur Road. The boundary line will thence strike east till it meets the northern end of the footpath running south by the house of Satya Bala Debi. It will follow the footpath to the Radhaballav Road, run east including the Radhaballav Road to the north-east corner of the Arjuna tank, and south along a footpath known as Makhaltala Road till it meets the Muktearpur Khal.

South—Muktearpur Khal.

West—The river Hooghly.

3. This order will take effect from 1st January 1918.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

JOINT TECHNICAL EXAMINATION BOARD.

BY order of the Joint Technical Examination Board, it is announced that the Overseer and Sub-Overseer Examinations for students in the Overseer and Sub-Overseer classes of the major and minor institutions affiliated to the above Board (except the Sibpur Sub-Overseer candidates, for whom it is proposed to hold an examination in July 1918) will be held in March 1918 at three centres, viz.—

Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, Ashanulla School of Engineering, Dacca, and Bihar School of Engineering, Bankipore.

The names of candidates who have passed the school monthly or other test examinations and are otherwise qualified should be sent by the head of the institution on the prescribed registration forms so as to reach the office of the Secretary of the Board at Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, on or before the 1st February 1918.

Each form should be accompanied by an examination fee of Rs. 40 for each Overseer candidate and Rs. 20 for each Sub-Overseer candidate.

An outline time-table is appended. The detailed time-table will be issued later to the institutions concerned.

Overseer Workshop	...	...	March, 4th to 9th.
Ditto Theory	...	...	„ 12th to 16th.
Sub-Overseer Workshop	...	...	„ 4th and 5th.
Ditto Theory	...	...	„ 8th to 15th.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, Joint Technical Examination Board.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 1st December 1917.

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1918. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1918. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1918. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 3rd December 1917.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR GIRLS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded Special Junior Scholarships for girls on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years:

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

Serial No.	Name of candidate.	Name of the school from which the candidate matriculated
	One of Rs. 20 a month.	
1.	Sudha Dutta	... Maharani High School, Darjeeling.
	Six of Rs. 15 a month each.	
1.	Subodhbala Ray	... Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
2.	Nikhilbala Gupta	... Eden Girls' High School, Dacca.
3.	Pritilata Guha Maulik	... Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Indubala Das Gupta	... Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
5.	Lilabati Nag	... Ditto ditto.
6.	Sudha Chatterjee	... Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
	Ten of Rs. 10 a month each.	
1.	Amiyaprabha Biswas	... Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.
2.	Lila Bose	... Diocesan Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3.	Malotimala Sircar	... United Missionary Girls' School, Calcutta.
4.	Snehaprabha Sarkar	... Vidyamoyee Girls' School, Mymensingh.
5.	Phulabala Gupta	... Brahmo Girls' School, Calcutta.
	Sudhirabala Guha	... Ditto ditto.
7.	Sumatibala Das	... Eden High School for Girls, Dacca.
8.	Monica Chatterji	... Bethune Collegiate School, Calcutta.
9.	Chapala Devi	... Dr. Khastigir's Girls' School, Chittagong.
10.	Sunitibala Ray	... Vidyamoyee High School, Mymensingh.

F. C. TURNER,
Asst. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

SPECIAL JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIPS FOR MUHAMMADANS, 1917.

THE following students are awarded special junior scholarships for Muhammadans on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years:

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship-holder.)

Twenty-five scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

IN THE TOWN OF CALCUTTA.

1.	Anwarul Hasan	...	Calcutta Madrasa.
2.	S. Mozaffaruddin	...	Ditto.
3.	Aboo Sayeed	...	Ditto.
4.	Hamid Hasan	...	Ditto.
5.	Hemayet Husan	...	Ditto.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

1.	Ainul Hoque Khan	...	P. N. High School, Satkhira.
2.	Muhammad Abdul Hannan	...	Sadarpur High School, Amla.
3.	Anwaral Haque	...	Baraset Government High School.
4.	Muhammad Hossain	...	Edward High School. Salar.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1.	Muhammad Serajul Islam	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
2.	Abdul Azim Mollah	...	R. M. Basu High School, Maju.
3.	Islam Ali Tarafder	...	Higher Class English School, Sibpur.

DACCA DIVISION.

1.	Momtazuddin	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
2.	Muhammad Ismael	...	Gafargaon Islamia High School.
3.	Muhammad Husen Ali	...	Ditto.
4.	Syed Abdul Ahad	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya.
5.	Abul Kasem	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1.	Abdul Aziz	...	Uma Lochan High School, Bangora.
2.	Mamtazul Huq Mallick	...	Feni High School.
3.	Shahed Ali	...	Comilla Zilla School.
4.	Karim Baksha	...	Chittagong Collegiate School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1.	Moyen Uddin Mian	...	Bogra Zilla School.
2.	Mohammed Ishaque	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
3.	Nafizuddin Ahmad	...	Ditto.
4.	Md. Abdus Sobhan	...	Shazadpur High School.

EVAN E. BISS,

Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 20th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Mohsin scholarships, Special scholarships for Muhammadans, and Mohsin Fund stipends, etc., 1917.

THE following students are awarded the above scholarships and stipends on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships and stipends take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years.

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships and stipends as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship or stipend can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship or stipend holder.)

Seven Mohsin Scholarships.

One of Rs. 10.

1	Masihur Rahman	...	Calcutta Madrasa.

Six of Rs. 8 each.

2	Lal Mohammed	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
3	Syed Najmal Haq	...	Ditto.
4	Muhammad Kafiluddin	...	Idilpur High School.
5	Aftabuddin Ahmed	...	Dhalla High School.
6	Abidur Rahman	...	Annada High School, Brahmanbaria.
	Abdul Quader	...	Zilla School, Comilla.

Two Nizamat Scholarships of Rs. 8 a month each.

1	Hamidulla Sarker	...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
2	Mobarak Hossain Chowdhury		Ditto.

MOHSIN FUND STIPENDS.

One special stipend of Rs. 10 a month for Shia Students.

1	Syed Muhammed	...	Raja Surjjya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.

One special stipend of Rs. 5 a month for *bona-fide* natives of Hooghly town given this year to a native of Hooghly district in the absence of a candidate from Hooghly town.

1	Muhammad Abdur Rauf	...	Zilla School, Bankura.

Forty-nine Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

(Including Calcutta Town.)

1	Sahadat Ali Mollah ...	...	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
2	Muhammad Hasan ...	...	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3	Toazuddin Ahmed ...	...	Jhenidah High School.
4	Samsuddin Biswas ...	...	Kotchandpur High School.
5	Mir Ali Gazi ...	...	High School, Basirhat.
6	Ahmed Mahtabuddin	...	High School, Kushtia.
7	Abul Aziz ...	...	M. N. High School, Sutragarh.

8	Abdulla Khan	...	Jangipur High School.
9	Abdul Jubber	...	Government High School, Barasat.
10	Welayet Husain	...	Calcutta Madrasah.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	Shaik Abdul Quader	...	Ramgopalpur High School.
2	Abdur Rabban	...	Rampurhat High School.
3	Mohammed Abdul Mohi	...	Town School, Midnapore.
4	Shamsul Huque	...	J. L. High School, Labpur.
	Abul Fazal Badrazzaman	...	Collegiate School, Midnapore.

DACCA DIVISION.

1	Ashraff Ali	...	Pogose School, Dacca.
2	Tayyab Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
3	Mir Kadar Ali	...	P. J. K. High School, Ramgopalpur.
4	Abdul Ghaffar Gazi	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Syed Jafforuddin Ahamed	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.
6	Aminuddin Ahmed	...	Narayanganj High School.
7	Muhammad Abdul Kaddus	...	K. M. D. M. High School, Telirbagh.
8	Abu Ahamed Mazhar Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
9	Sayed Abdul Hai	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya.
10	Nader Ali Rarhi	...	Banari High School.
11	Mefazuddin Khan	...	Government High School, Jhalakati.
12	Abdur Rahman Khan	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Ali Ahmed Khan	...	Ditto, ditto.
	Ahmad	...	Mrityunjay High School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1	Mahmed Sekandar	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
2	Abdul Hai	...	Kasba High School.
3	Abdur Rauf	...	Municipal High School, Chittagong.
4	Nurul Alom	...	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
5	Fazla Ullah	...	Yusuff High School, Comilla.
6	Basharat Ulla	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
7	A. K. Serajuddin Ahmed	...	Collegiate School, Chittagong.
8	Ziauddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Comilla.
9	Bilayet Hossain	...	Balurhat High School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1	Efaz Uddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Bogra.
2	Mahammad Abbas Ali	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
3	Keramat Ulla Ahmed	...	Kailas Ranjan High School, Rangpur.
4	Abu Muhammad Abedali	...	Salap High School.
5	Khoda Baksha Shah	...	Zilla School, Dinajpur.
6	Muhammad Abdul Mojid	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
7	Serajuddin Mondle	...	Gaibanda High School.
	Muhammad Abul Hares	...	Collegiate School, Rajshahi.
9	Muhammad Wajed Ali Khan	...	Zilla School, Rangpur.
10	Amir Hossain Ahmed	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
11	Malekuddin Tarafdar	...	Zilla School, Bogra.

Two Amir-i-Kabir Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

1	Hedayetullah	... Calcutta Madrasah.
2	A. Abdur Rauf	... Ditto.

One Syed Ali Khan Bahadur and Amir-i-Kabir Continuation Scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

1	Mohammed Israil	... Calcutta Madrasah.

EVAN E. BISS,

Offg. Asstt. Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

ON the results of the B. A. and B.Sc Examinations held in April 1917, Jubilee Post-graduate Scholarships for the year 1917 have been awarded to the undermentioned candidates :—

Ahmad Abdul Wahab	... Non-collegiate student.
Bandyopadhyay, Jitendranath	... Presidency College.
Basu, Nalinikanta	... Ditto.
Chakrabarti, Sureschandra	... Ditto.
Chattopadhyay, Abhayapada	... Ditto.
Mitra, Panchkari	... Patna College.
„ Suhritchandra	.. Scottish Churches College.
Ray, Nripendrakrishna	... Presidency College.
Sarkar, Narendranath	... Ditto.
Sen, Amiyakumar	... City College.
„ Rakhalchandra	... Presidency College.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 28th November 1917.*

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

ERRATA.

IN the list of candidates who passed the last Preliminary Examination in Law held in August 1917 in the Second Division, published on page 652 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 10th October 1917—

For "Ray, Jaminikanta, Ripon Law College," *please read* "Ray, Jamininath, Ripon Law College."

2. In the list of candidates who passed the last Intermediate Examination in Law held in August 1917 in the Second Division, published on page 635 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 10th October 1917—

For "Gupta, Taranath, University College," *please read* "Gupta, Taraknath, University Law College."

3. In the list of candidates who passed the last Final B. L. Examination held in August 1917 in the Second Division, published on page 641 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 10th October 1917—

For "Mohin Uddin Ahmed, Patna Law College," *please read* "Mobin Uddin Ahmed, Patna Law College."

4. In the list of candidates who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the First Division, published on pages 1916, 1944, 1961, 1973, 1992, 1993 and 2005 of *India Gazette*, dated the 20th October 1917, and on pages 700, 728, 745, 757, 776, 777 and 789 of *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th idem—

		Y.	M.	
For—				
"Abdul Khair ...	...	18	11	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong,"
please read—				
"Abul Khair ...	...	18	11	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong."
For—				
"Das, Ramendrakumar	...	16	3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta,"
please read—				
"Das, Ranendrakumar	...	16	3	Scottish Churches Collegiate School, Calcutta."
For—				
"Jammaprasad Sinha	...	17	2	Palamau Zila School,"
please read—				
"Jamunaprasad Sinha	...	17	2	Palamau Zila School."
For—				
"Misra, Anadiprasad	...	18	6	Bhagalpur Zila School,"
please read—				
"Misra, Anandiprosad	...	18	6	Bhagalpur Zila School."
For—				
"Raychaudhuri, Jatindra-chandra.		16	1	Rampur Zilla School,"
please read—				
"Raychaudhuri, Jatindra-chandra.		16	1	Rangpur Zila School."
For—				
"S. A. Maiz	...	24	4	Bettiah Raj H. E. School,"
please read—				
"S. A. Moiz	...	24	4	Bettiah Raj H. E. School."
For—				
"Syed Abdul Hasan	...	16	2	M. A. A. School, Patna City,"
please read—				
"Syed Abul Hasan	...	16	2	M. A. A. School, Patna City."
For—				
"Syed Ali Zamad	...	18	8	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School,"
please read—				
"Syed Ali Jawad	...	18	8	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School."

5. In the list of candidates who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the Second Division, published on pages 2011, 2017, 2025, 2026, 2064 and 2077 of *India Gazette*, dated the 20th October 1917, and on pages 795, 801, 809, 810, 848 and 861 of *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th idem—

		Y.	M.	
For—				
"Badrinath Verma	...	23	6	Bettiah Raj Madhepur Coronation H. E. School,"
please read—				
"Badrinath Verma	...	23	6	Madhepur Coronation H. E. School."
For—				
"Ba Thin	...	21	0	Rangoon St. John's College,"
please read—				
"Ba Thein	...	21	0	Rangoon St. John's College."
For—				
"Chandra, Labanyakumar	...	20	5	Private Student Roll Cal. P. 68,"
please read—				
"Chaudhuri, Labanyakumar		20	5	Private Student, Roll Cal. P. 68."
For—				
"Chattopadhyay, Satischandra.		18	11	Balur Ghat H. E. School,"
please read—				
"Chakye, Satischandra	...	18	11	Balur Ghat H. E. School."
For—				
"Rajeswari Prasad Varma	...	17	1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School"
please read—				
"Rajeshwari Prasad Varma	...	17	1	Bankipur Anglo-Sanskrit School."
For—				
"Sithanarain Srivastova	...	17	0	B. N. Coll. School, Bankipur,"
please read—				
"Sitla Narain Srivastova	...	17	0	B. N. Coll. School, Bankipur."

6. In the list of candidates who passed the last Matriculation Examination in the Third Division, published on page 2082 of *India Gazette*, dated the 20th October 1917, and on page 866 of *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th idem—

		Y.	M.	
For—				
"Bandyopadhyay, Suprakas		21	0	Brahmo Boys' High School,"
please read—				
"Bandyopadhyay, Suprakas		21	0	Chakdaha Ramlal Academy."

7. In the list of successful M.A. candidates in Mental and Moral Philosophy, published on page 879 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th October 1917, under the heading "Mental and Moral Philosophy, Second Class (In order of merit)," the following is to be inserted after "9. Ghosh, Ajitkumar.....Ditto," and to be bracketted with "10. Sen, Ramapada..... University Student":—

"Ghosh, Manmathanath ... University Student."

The name of "Ghosh, Manmathanath, University Student" appearing on page 880 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th October 1917, under the heading "Third Class (In order of merit)" is to be deleted from the list.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar*.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 28th November 1917*.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

[*In all cases where reference is made to Chapters, Sections, Pages or Lines, thus Chapters I—IX, the reference is to be understood as inclusive.*]

MATRICULATION EXAMINATION, 1920.

ENGLISH.

The following works are recommended to indicate the standard of knowledge to be demanded of candidates at the Matriculation Examination in 1920 :—

Prose.

Defoe	...	Robinson Crusoe (any school edition).
Lamb	...	Tales from Shakespeare.
Hunter	...	Readings from Indian History, Part III.
Creighton	...	Heroes of European History.
M. A. Hamilton	...	Greek Legends (Oxford Press).
Harrap	...	Stories from Old Testament.
Scott	...	Ivanhoe (any school edition).
Gandy	...	Pandava Princes (Macmillan).
Nelson Fraser	...	World at War, 3rd edition (Oxford Press).
Macaulay	...	Stories from Chaucer (Cambridge Press).
Fournier	...	Wonders of Physical Science (Macmillan).

Arabian Nights (any school edition).
Washington Irving (University Selections, new edition).
Select Readings from English History (published by the University).

Poetry.

Lahiri's Select Poems, Revised edition, published by the Calcutta University.

Jennings	...	English Poems, Part I. (Macmillan).
Palgrave	...	Children's Treasury, Part I. (Macmillan).

Vernacular Composition :—

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Iswarchandra Vidyasagar	Sitar Banabas.
Rajanikanta Gupta ...	Prativa.
Chandranath Basu ...	Sanjam Siksha.
Akshay Kumar Datta ...	Charupath, Part II.
Dineschandra Sen ...	Jaḍa Bharata.
Bijaychandra Majumdar	Prachin Savyata.

HINDI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Balbharat	...	Indian Press, Allahabad.

Upadesa Kusumakar (excluding Poetry pieces), Khaḍgavilas Press, Bankipur.

URIYA.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Mrityunjay Kavyatirtha ...	Prabandhapatha.
Madhusudan Rao ..	Prabandhamala.

ASSAMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Satyanath Borah ... Sahitya-bichar.
Lakshminath Bezborah ... Sadhu Kathar Kuki.
Hemchandra Baruya ... Pathamala.

BURMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Mahazanakka.
Withandaya.
Temi.

KHASI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Ka Jingiathukhana Puriskam (Khasi Folk Tales), by U. Rabon Sing.
Book of Proverbs in Khasi (p. 740 of Khasi Bible).

MODERN TIBETAN.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Bay Chos.
Namthar of Mi-la-ras-pa.

URDU.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Taubat-un-Nasuh, by Nazir Ahmad.
Aina-i-Ibrat, by Suhrawardya Begum.
Urdu-i-Mu'alla of Ghalib.

MATHEMATICS.

No text-books are prescribed or recommended. The subject is to be studied in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations of the University.

SANSKRIT.

The following portions of the Calcutta University Sanskrit Selections :—

Part I—Prose—Edition of 1917.

Panchatantram ... Pages 1—3. 29—51.
Hitopadesa ... ... „ 52—96.

(NOTE.—Pages 52-96 of the edition of 1917 correspond to pages 87-131 of the edition of 1915.)

Part II—Poetry—Edition of 1911.

Kusalaba-o-Ramayanagamam and Rabana Saktyahataya Lakshmanasya Punaruthanam ... Pages 136—149.
Dhritarashtrabilapa ... „ 199—209.

Grammar.

Elementary Sanskrit Grammar, by Dr. G. Thibaut, published by the University.

PALI.

Prose.

Anderson's Pali Reader ... Pages 1—43, omitting Radha Jataka, Nacca Jataka and Sussondi Jataka.

Poetry

Dipavamsa ...	...	Bhanavaras, I—V.
Khuddaka Patha	...	Mangala Sutta.

Grammar.

Balavatara	..	Edited by Dr. Satischandra Vidyabhushan and Samana Punnananda (in preparation)

CLASSICAL TIBETAN.

Course of Studies in Classical Tibetan	...	Edited by Dr. E. D. Ross, PH.D., C.I.E.

PERSIAN.

University Selections to be compiled and edited by Khan Bahadur Maulvi Muhammad Ibrahim, B.A.

GRAMMAR.

Dastur-i-Parsi Amoz, Part I, or Lieutenant-Colonel Phillot's Persian Grammar.

ARABIC.

University Selections to be compiled and edited by Maulavi Muhammad Irfan, M A.

GRAMMAR.

A book on Arabic Grammar to be published by the University.

HEBREW.

Genesis ...	...	1-14
Isaiah ...	...	1-6
Psalm ..	...	119

Davidson's Hebrew Grammar is recommended.

ARMENIAN.

Elishe's History of the War of the Vardanians, Parts I and II.
Elishe Vardapiet Doorian's "Course of Classical Armenian," Part I (Prose and Verse).

SYRIAC.

Text.

Gospel of St. Mathew (Peshitto version), Chapters V—VII.
Gospel of St. John (Peshitto version), Chapters I—VII.
St. Ephraem "on Wisdom" I—XX.

Grammar.

T. H. Robinson's Syriac Grammar, Sections I—XX.

GREEK.

Xenophon ...	...	Anabasis, Book II.
Euripides ...	...	Hecuba.
New Testament	...	The Gospel according to St Mark, Chapters I—VI.

LATIN.

Cæsar ...	...	De Bello Gallico, Books IV and V.
Virgil ...	...	Aeneid, Book III.

FRENCH.

Erckmann Chatrian	...	Waterloo (Macmillan & Co.).
Racine ...	...	Britannicus.

GERMAN.

Prose.

Die Ahnen, Part I, by Gustav Freytag. (Macmillan.)

Poetry.

A Book of Ballads, by Wilhelm Wagner. (Cambridge University Press.)

BENGALI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Kasiramdas	...	Mahabharat (Vanparba)—Edited by Dineschandra Sen or Jogendranath Bose.
Hemchandra Banerjee	...	Bharat Bhiksha; Michaeler Swargarohan.
Bimala Dasgupta	...	Uttara Ramacharita.
Abinaschandra Basu	...	Manabcharita.
Rajendranath Kanjilal	...	Mahabharatiya Nitikatha, Part I.
Tarakumar Kaviratna	...	Kathasara.
Dineschandra Sen	...	Grihasri.
Mankumari Basu	...	Subhasadhana.
Kalikrishna Bhattacharyya		Banger Ratnamala, Parts I and II.

URDU.

(*For female candidates.*)

Aina-i-Ibrat, Part 1, by Suhrawardya Begum.
Mirat-ul-Urus, by Nazir Ahmad, from page 23 to page 54. (Newal Kishore's edition.)
Kitab Panchwin Hissa Nazm, published by Anjuman-i-Hemait-i-Islam, Lahore.

ASSAMESE.

(*For female candidates.*)

Text.

Sarathi ...	...	Satyanath Bora.
Nitisiksha, Part III	...	Padmanath Barua.
Anjali ...	...	Durgeswar Sarma.

Grammar.

Any of the following:—

Assamiya Byakaran	...	Loknath Sarma.
Assamiya Byakaran	...	Hemnath Barua.

KHASI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Text.

Ka Jingiathukhana Puriskan (Khasi Folk Tales), by U. Rabon Sing.
Book of Proverbs in Khasi (p. 740 of Khasi Bible).

Grammar.

Hints on Study of Khasi Language, by U. Nissor Singh.

BURMESE.

(For female candidates.)

Mahazanakka and Werhanduya. (To be read as models of Burmese style. Questions will not be asked on subject-matter.) The examination will include—

Translation from English into Burmese.
Questions on Composition
An essay (headings being given).

HINDI.

(For female candidates.)

Ramjilal Sarma	...	Balaramayana.
Tulsidas	...	Ramayana, Sundara Kanda.

URIYA.

(For female candidates.)

Mrityunjay Kavyatirtha	...	Prabandhapatha.
Madhusudan Rao	...	Prabandhamala.

HISTORY.

History of India.

The following books on Indian History are recommended to indicate the standard of knowledge required :—

Adharchandra Mookerjee		A Short History of the Indian People (revised edition, 1910).
Haraprasad Sastri	...	History of India (revised edition, 1907, or later).
Sir William Hunter	...	Brief History of the Indian Peoples.
R. C. Dutt	...	A Brief History of Ancient and Modern India, brought up to date by J. N. Gupta, M.A., I.C.S.
A. F. Rudolf Hoernle and H. A. Stark.		History of India (Hindu Period only).
C. R. Wilson	...	History of India, revised edition (British Period only).
Rapson	...	Ancient India (Cambridge University Press).
Karim and Ghosh	...	Students' History of India (revised edition, 1910).
Vincent A. Smith	...	The Students' History of India.
M. Prothero and Vidyabhusan.		Primer of the History of India.
Lethbridge	...	History of India (Macmillan & Co.).
Kaliprasanna Bandyopadhyay.		Bharatbarser Itihas (History of India in Bengali).
Nrisinhachandra Mukhopadhyay.		Matriculation History of India in Bengali.
Rajanikanta Gupta	...	Bharatbarser Itihas (History of India in Bengali).

Administration and Progress of India under British Rule.

N. N. Ghose	...	England's Work in India, revised edition, 1915.

GEOGRAPHY.

The following books are recommended as indicating the methods of study as well as the standard of knowledge required :—

A. J. Herbertson	...	The Oxford Geographies, Vol. II.

The World with fuller treatment of India (Longman's Geographical Series for India, Book II).

J. F. Unstead	...	The Practical Geography, Parts I and II.

The following books are recommended for the use of teachers :—

Blanford	...	The Rudiments of Physical Geography for the use of Indian Schools.
Frew	...	A Regional Geography of the Indian Empire. (Blackie & Son.)
Wallis	...	The Teaching of Geography. (Cambridge University Press.)
O'Malley	...	Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, Sikkim. (Macmillan & Co)

The following book is recommended for the use of teachers in connection with the teaching of " Sand Modelling " in the lower classes of schools :—

A. E. Frye	...	The Child and Nature.

Every school that intends to undertake instruction in Geography for the Matriculation Exam nation is required to possess the apparatus mentioned in the following list :—

I.—The total cost need not exceed Rs. 65—

1. A measuring tape.
2. A magnetic compass.
3. Squared paper and tracing paper.
4. Clay, dry sand, paper pulp for modelling.
5. A globe, not less than 14 inches in diameter, with writing surface, and with line of latitude and longitude, and outlines, only of the landmasses, marked upon it.
6. A map of the school locality on a scale of 4" or 6"=1 mile.
7. A map of the district in which the school is situated on the scale 1"=mile.
8. A coloured map of the Province.
9. A coloured political map of India.
10. A physical map of India.
11. A relief map of India.
12. A map of the world on Mollweide's equal area projection and a map of Asia.

It is essential that the students should be provided with atlases or with the necessary hand-maps. Maps for school work should not contain too much detail, or be crowded with names.

II.—The following additional equipment is recommended when it can be provided, but that lack of it is not to be considered as a bar to the recognition of the school in Geography :—

1. A thermometer.
2. A mercury barometer.
3. A rain-gauge.
4. A small collection of typical rocks, in particular those of the Province and of India.
5. A small museum of typical products.
6. A good standard atlas.
7. Geographical pictures.
8. Magic lantern and slides.

The attention of teachers is requested to the raised maps of Bengal and Eastern Bengal and Assam made of paper pulp, prepared by Babu Kailaschandra Datta, Head Pandit, Habiganj Government Girls' School, Sylhet, and sold for Rs. 7 and Rs. 5, respectively.

(2) Globes of all kinds are made by George Philip and Son, London, W. and A. K. Johnston, London, and Messrs. Ruddiman Johnston, London.

Small hand globes of German make can be obtained through the Indian School Supply Depot for about a rupee each.

(3) The "Comparative" series of large wall maps of the continents published by George Philip and Son is good and up to date; so also are the Orographical wall maps published by Edward Stanford. Messrs. Ruddiman Johnston publish a series of smaller wall maps which includes maps of India illustrating various distributions.

Messrs. Nelson's wall atlases are good. Mr. S. B. Chatterjee publishes District Maps: also ordinary and relief maps of the Province.

Babu L. M. Basu, the drawing master of the Dacca Collegiate School, has published good relief maps of Eastern Bengal and Assam and of India.

The Vidal-Lablache French wall maps on strong cardboard, named on one side, and the same map without names on the reverse, published by Armand Colin, Paris, are good and cheap. They measure 46 inches by 39 inches and can be delivered in Calcutta for Rs. 4-14 each.

(4) The hand maps, coloured to indicate relief, published by the Diagram Company, West Barnes Lane, New Malden, Surrey, at one penny each are the best of their kind.

The uncoloured half-penny maps showing river systems and a few towns, published by the same Company, are excellent for class use.

The Autograph hand maps, with hill shading in brown, published by Edward Stanford, London, at one penny each, are very good, and are larger than the Diagram Company's hand maps. The 15 inches map of the world on Mollweide's equal area projection is specially to be commended.

(5) Wall pictures of considerable artistic merit are published by Messrs. Edward Arnold of Leeds, Messrs. Hachette of Paris, and Messrs. Hölzel of Vienna, and Messrs. Longmans, Green & Co. They cost, delivered in India, from two to three rupees each.

Map lantern slides and view slides especially prepared for Geography teaching are sold by the Diagram Company for two or three shillings each. Mr. Bartington Smith of Darjeeling also sell good picture slides of the Himalayas at Rs. 15 per dozen.

ELEMENTARY MECHANICS.

The following book is recommended :—

Sir Philip Magnus ... Elementary Mechanics (Longmans, 1903).

The following list of apparatus is prescribed as indicating the approximate requirements of a recognised High School seeking to teach Elementary Mechanics for the Matriculation Examination :—

Plumb-line and Level.
Simple Lever (including brass slotted weights).
Roman Steelyard.
Lecture apparatus for experiments on moments.
George's New Atwood's Machine.
Stop-watch.
Glazebrooke's apparatus (to demonstrate movement of a body).
Hick's Ballistic Balance.
Compound Wheel and Axle.
4 Single Brass Pulleys.
2 " " "
2 Triple " "
Weston Differential Pulley Blocks (½ ton).
16 feet of chain at 6*d.* per foot.
Inclined Plane.
Parallelogram of Forces apparatus.
Wall Crane.
Becker's New Physical Balance.
Set of Gramme Weights (200 grams to 1 mgr.).
2 Composition-ivory Balls.

NOTE.—The above list is not exhaustive, and much of it might be replaced by simpler forms that could probably be made far more cheaply by any clever mistry under proper supervision In most cases, however, it will probably be found advantageous to buy such a set as indicated in the list specially for demonstration purposes, and subsequently to develop simplified duplicates, illustrating the same principles, which the boys should be given opportunity actually to experiment with on their own individual accounts or working in pairs.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 28th November 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

[*In all cases where reference is made to Chapters, Sections, Pages or Lines, thus Chapters I—IX, the reference is to be understood as inclusive.*]

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION IN ARTS, 1920.

ENGLISH.

Poetry.

Milton	...	... Paradise Lost, Book I.
Gray	...	... Elegy written in a country Churchyard; Ode on Eton College; Hymn to Adversity; Progress of Poesy; Bard.
Tennyson	...	... The Passing of Arthur.

Prose.

Addison	...	... Essays (University Selections).
Goldsmith	...	... The Vicar of Wakefield Selections, by C. Sankey (English School Classic Series, Longmans, Green & Co.).
Macaulay	...	... History of England, Chapter I.

A paper will be set on Essay, Prosody and Rhetoric, ard some questions will be set on unseen passages from works of the same standard of difficulty as those prescribed for the Matriculation Examination.

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Raj Krishna Banerjee	... Telemachus.
Jnanendralal Ray	... Prabandha Lahari (new edition).
Sarat Chandra Sastri	... Dakshinapatha Bhraman.
Haran Chandra Rakshit	... Sahitya Sadhana.
Jogendranath Basu	... Patibrata, Part II.
Budhar Chandra Ganguli	Kaliya.

HINDI.

(*Books recommended to be read as representing models of style.*)

Harischandra ...	... Charitavali.
Pratapnarayan Misra	... Sangit Shakuntal.
Gadadhar Singh	... Kadambari.
Lala Sitaram	... Nitibatika.

ASSAMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Selections from Katha Bhagavat.

1. Brahmar Moha-nasa. | 2. Samanta Harana.

Selections from Jonaki.

1. Jivaner Amiya. | 2. Manava-Mahatva.

Selections from Usha.

1. Sarai Ghater Yuddha. | 2. Dhana aru dhanar vyavahara.
3. Jivaner uddesya ki.

KHASI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

1. Ka Kitab Niam-Khin Ki Khasi (a book on the religious and social system of the Khasi people), by U. Rabon Singh.
2. The book of Job.
3. The Pilgrim's Progress.
4. Ka Kitab Jing Phawar, by U. Rabon Singh.

BURMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

1. Maha-Janaka Jataka Vathu.
2. Vedura-Jataka Vathu.
3. Sandakumara Jataka Vathu.
4. U. Ponya Myttazza.
5. Mahalankara Vathu.
6. Thamane Gyaw Loba Vathu.

URIYA.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Charupath, Part III, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.
Ramsankar Ray ... Bibasini.
Sasibhusan Ray ... Dakhinatya Bhraman.

Adiparba of Mahabharata (Anukramanika and Parbasangrahadhyaya), translated by Govindachandra Mahapatra.

URDU.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Al Mamun, by Shibli.
Firduns-i-Barin, by Sharar.
Hayat-i-Sa'adi, by Hali.
Musaddas-i-Hali.

SANSKRIT.

Poetry.

Kumar Sambhava ... Cantos I and II, with Mallinatha's commentary.
Bhattikavyam ... Cantos I and II.

Prose.

University Sanskrit Selections (edition of 1916) ... Mahabharatam, pages 1-10 and 54-60. Dasakumaracharitam, pages 61 to 80.

Grammar recommended.

Elementary Sanskrit Grammar, by Dr. G. Thibaut (published by the University).

Panini Parisistha Byakarana, by Debendrakumar Vidyaratna (for reference only).

BENGALI.

(*For female candidates.*)

Michael Madhusudhan Datta. Meghnad-badha, Canto IV (Jnanendramohan Das's edition).

Krittibas-Ramayan (Ajodhya Kanda), edited by Ramananda Chatterjee or Jogendranath Bose or Dineschandra Sen.

Nabinchandra Sen ... Prabhas.
Abinaschandra Das ... Sita.
Kaliprasanna Sinha ... Mahabharata (Nalopakhyan).
Hemchandra Sarkar ... Bibidha Prabandha.
Tarasankar Kabiratna ... Kadambari (expurgated edition by Charuchandra Banerjee).
Akshaykumar Datta ... Charupath, Part III.
Isanchandra Ghosh ... Jatak, Vol. I (Nos. 1 to 50 and Introduction).

URDU.

(For female candidates.)

Tahbat-un-Nasub	...	First three Fasls.
Musaddas-i Hali	...	Whole.

HINDI.

(For female candidates.)

1.	Harischandra	...	Charitavali.
2.	Pratapnarayan Misra	...	Sangit Shakuntal.
3.	Lala Sitaram	...	Nitibatika.

ASSAMESE.

(For female candidates.)

1. Mahabharat (Vanaparva), selected pieces published by Sibnath Bhattacharyya.
2. Nitisiksha, Part III, by Padmanath Barua.
3. Sakuntala (Translation), by Lambodar Bora.

KHASI.

(For female candidates.)

Prose.

1. Kakitab Niam-Khein Ki Khasi (a book on the religion and social system of the Khasi people), by U. Rabon Singh.
2. Book of Job (in Khasi, page 620 of Khasi Bible), or Pilgrim's Progress (in Khasi).

Verse.

3. Ka Jingsneng Tymmen, Part I, U. Radhan Singh Berry (sayings of the Ancients).
4. Ka Jingsneng Tymmen, Part II, U. Radhan Singh Berry (sayings of the Ancients).

PALI.

Andersen's Pali Reader.

The course also includes a knowledge of Pali Grammar of higher standard than that required at the Matriculation Examination.

Grammar recommended.

E. Muller	...	...	Pali Grammar.
		or	
Satischandra Vidyabhushana			Kaccayana.

ARABIC.

University Selections to be compiled and edited by Maulavi Muhammad Irfan, M.A.

Grammar.

A book on Arabic Grammar to be published by the University.

PERSIAN.

University Selections to be compiled and edited by Khan Bahadur Maulavi Muhammad Ibrahim, B.A.

HEBREW.

Genesis	...	15—37
Isaiah	...	40—55
Psalms	...	90—106

The Book of Ruth.

SYRIAC.

Paper I—Biblical (Peshitto Version).

1. The Book of Acts ... ... Ch. I–XX.
2. Psalms ... ... Ch. I—XXV.

Paper II—Non-Biblical—

1. Bar-Hebraeus—Nomo-Canon ... Ch. VII, Sec. I.-V.
2. St. Ignatius—
   - (i) Epistle to Polycarp.
   - (ii) Epistle to the Ephesians.
   - (iii) Epistle to the Romans.

Grammar.

Robinson's Syriac Grammar (whole).

CLASSICAL ARMENIAN.

Prose.

Moses of Khoren's History of Armenia, Part II.

Poetry.

Elishe Vardapiet Doorian's Course of Classical Armenian, Part II.

The course also includes Armenian Grammar, of which a fuller knowledge will be required than at the Matriculation Examination.

GREEK.

Herodotus	...	Book VII.
Plato	...	Apologia.
Homer	...	Odyssey, Books V and VI.

LATIN.

Cicero	...	Pro Milone.
Livy	...	Book I.
Horace	...	Odes, II and III.

FRENCH.

Emile Faguet	...	Ce que disent les livres.
H. E. Berthon	...	Specimens of Modern French Verse, Part I. (Macmillan & Co.)

GERMAN.

Theodor Fontane	...	Vor Dem Sturm (Macmillan).
Schiller	...	Selections from Lyrical Poems, edited by Turner and Morshead (Macmillan).

The course also includes German Grammar.

HISTORY.

The following books are recommended :—

Tout	...	Advanced History of Great Britain.
A. D. Innes	...	History of England.
Gardiner	...	Students' History of England.
Bury	...	History of Greece for Beginners. (*N.B.*—This book comes down only to 322 B.C.)
Smith	...	Smaller History of Greece, revised by Marindin.
Smith	...	Smaller History of Rome, revised by Greenidge.
Shuckburgh	...	History of Rome for Beginners.
Merivale and Puller	...	School History of Rome (only the portion from Actium to the end).

LOGIC.

The subject of Logic is to be studied as defined by the syllabus. Students are recommended to use one or more of the following books, or select portions thereof. with special reference to the course laid down in the syllabus :—

Carveth Read	..	Logic, Deductive and Inductive.
Bain	...	Logic (Deductive and Inductive).
Mitra (A. C)	...	Principles of Logic (Deductive and Inductive).
P. K. Ray ...	...	Deductive and Inductive Logic.
Prakaschandra Sinha	...	Tarka-Vignan.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Creighton	...	Introductory Logic, Parts I and II
Jevons	...	Elementary Lessons in Logic

before joining the regular class.

The following books are recommended for the guidance of teachers and for advanced reading :—

Hamilton	...	Lectures on Logic.
Mill	...	System of Logic.
Jevons	...	Principles of Science.
Joseph	...	Logic.
Bosanquet	...	Logic.
Sigwart	...	Logic.
Ueberweg	...	System of Logic and History of Logical Doctrines.
Venn	...	Empirical Logic.
Keynes	...	Formal Logic.
Westaway	...	Scientific Method. Its Philosophy and Practice.
Welton	..	Logic, Vols. I and II.
Encyclopædia of the Philosophical Sciences		Volume on Logic.

MATHEMATICS.

No text-books are prescribed. The subject is to be taught in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations.

The following books are recommended :—

Asutosh Mukhopadhyay		Geometry of Conics.
Jessop and Havelock	...	Elementary Mechanics.
D. N. Mallik	...	Elementary Dynamics.
Loney	...	Elements of Statics and Dynamics
Turner and Bose	...	Intermediate Mechanics.

GEOGRAPHY.

Students who wish to offer Geography at the I. A. Examination are required to read either—

A J. Herbertson	...	The Oxford Geographies, Vol. III,
		or
L'Estrange	...	A Progressive Course in Comparative Geography ;

and the following books are recommended to be used by the students in studying the subject in accordance with the syllabus prescribed in the Regulations :—

H. R. Mill	...	The Realm of Nature
		or
Tarr	...	Physical Geography.
Simons and Richardson		Introduction to Practical Geography.
W. A. Elderton	...	Maps and Map-drawing.
Fanthorpe	...	Physical Atlas and Map-drawing.
Blanford	...	Rudiments of Physical Geography for the use of Indian Schools.
Bartholomew (with introduction by Lyde).	...	Economical Atlas. (Oxford University Press.)

PHYSICS.

Aldous	...	Elementary Course of Physics.
Watson	..	Elementary Practical Physics.
Gregory and Hadley	...	A Class book of Physics.
Rajanikanta De	...	Intermediate Course of Practical Physics.
Rajanikanta De	...	Introduction to the Study of Sound.

CHEMISTRY.

W. A. Shenstone	...	Inorganic Chemistry.
Perkin and Lean	...	Introduction to the Study of Chemistry.
Donington	..	Practical Exercises in Chemistry.
P. C. Ray	...	Elementary Inorganic Chemistry.
P. C. Ray	...	Practical Inorganic Chemistry
Bailey	...	First Stage in Inorganic Chemistry.
Haridas Saha and Kumudnath Chaudhuri.		A Course of Practical Chemistry for Intermediate Students.
D. N. Mukherjee	...	Elements of Inorganic Chemistry.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Hill	...	Manual of Human Physiology.
Huxley	...	Lessons in Elementary Physiology (latest edition).

BOTANY.

Farmer, J. B.	...	Practical Introduction to the Study of Botany (London, 1905).
Bailey, L. H.	...	Botany, an Elementary Text for Schools (New York, 1901).
Darwin, F.	...	Elements of Botany (Cambridge, latest edition).
Fyson, P. F.	...	A Botany for India.

Candidates who take up Botany will be required to possess a special knowledge of the following Natural Orders of plants:—

(1) Cruciferae.
(2) Malvaceae.
(3) Leguminosae.
(4) Cucurbitaceae.
(5) Apocynaceae.
(6) Rubiaceae.
(7) Compositae.
(8) Solanaceae.
(9) Acanthaceae; or Labiatae.
(10) Euphorbiaceae.
(11) Scitaminaceae.
(12) Graminaceae.

At the Intermediate Examinations in Arts and Science a study of the outline of the life history of the following "Selected plants" is required to illustrate the gradual ascent in complexity of structure and reproductive cycle from the lowest fungi and algae to the phanerogams:—

(1) Yeast.
(2) Mucor or Euroteum.
(3) Spirogyra.
(4) A Moss.
(5) A Fern.
(6) Selaginella.
(7) A Conifer.
(8) A Monocotyledon.
(9) A Dicotyledon.

ZOOLOGY.

(To be notified hereafter.)

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 28th November 1917.*

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INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION IN SCIENCE, 1920.

ENGLISH.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BENGALI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Kaliprasanna Ghosh	...	Nisitha Chinta.
Sasibhushan Sen ...	...	Asoka.
Ramendra Sundar Tribedi	..	Prakriti.
Rajkrishna Mookerjee	...	Nana Prabandha (omitting Charbaka Darsan and Comte Darsan).
Ramanath Saraswati	...	Aryya Jibani.
Abdul Jabbar ...	...	Hajrater Jibani.

HINDI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

ASSAMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

KHASI.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BURMESE.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

URIYA.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

URDU.

(*Books recommended to be read as presenting models of style.*)

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

MATHEMATICS.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

GEOGRAPHY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

PHYSICS.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

CHEMISTRY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

BOTANY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

ZOOLOGY.

Same as for the Intermediate Examination in Arts.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 28th November 1917.*

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

IT is notified for general information that the Examinees of the following Examinations of this University will have to pay their Admission Fees at the following revised rates with effect from the Examinations to be held in 1918 :—

Examinations.	Revised rates.
	Rs.
Matriculation	15
I.A. and I. Sc.	30
B.A.	40

By order of the Governor in Council,

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 3rd December 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

THE undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Membership of the Faculty held in November 1917 :—

Sen, Gopaldas ... Medical College, Calcutta.

II. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed in Part I and Part II, respectively, of the Final Examination for Membership held in November 1917 :—

PART I.

Basu, Nirmalchandra ... Medical College, Calcutta.

PART II.

Majumdar, Debendrachandra ... Medical College, Calcutta.

III. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination for Membership held in November 1917 :—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

Chattopadhyay, Narendranath		Medical College, Calcutta.
Gupta, Chandidas	...	Ditto.
Haldar, Sridhar	...	Ditto.

IV. The undermentioned candidate is declared to have passed the Preliminary Scientific Examination for Membership held in November 1917 :—

Datta, Sachindranath ... Medical College, Calcutta.

V. The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Intermediate Examination for the Licentiateship of the Faculty :—

(*In alphabetical order.*)

Adhikari, Sachinandan	...	Campbell Medical School.
Bagchi, Manamohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
Basu, Jugalkisor	...	Campbell Medical School.
Bharadwaj Vidyalankar Aurvedacharya.		Ditto.

	Biswas, Basantakumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Chaki, Gourgopal	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Harakrishna	...	Ditto.
	„ Subodhbihari	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Upendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
10	Chattopadhyay, Surendranath		Dacca Medical School.
	Chaudhuri, Bhupendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Das, Abanimohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Nalinikanta	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Jnanranjan	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Nandakisor	...	Campbell Medical School.
	De, Kalipada	...	Ditto.
	„ Lakshmanchandra	...	Ditto.
	Elahibuksh Miah	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Gauharali Ahamed	...	Campbell Medical School.
20	Ghosh, Kiranmay	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Tejendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Ghoshal, Umeschandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Hajra, Amritalal	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Hector, Selina	...	Ditto.
	Md. Abdur Rahman	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Md. Azizmeser	...	Ditto.
	Nath, Kebalchandra	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Amulyachandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Pan, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
30	Pramanik, Khagendranath	...	Ditto
	Ray, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	„ Bijayjyoti	...	Ditto.
	„ Jajneswar	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Debendrachandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Dhirendranath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Kshirodlal	...	Ditto.
	Saiyad Mehdiali	...	Ditto.
	Sarkar, Prangobinda	...	Dacca Medical School.
	„ Ramaniranjan	...	Campbell Medical School.
40	Sengupta, Pareschandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Tokedar, Bipinchandra	...	Campbell Medical School.
42	Topadar, Suratlal	...	Dacca Medical School.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Secretary*

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 4th December 1917.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1421	Kismat Ribi Chini, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	2,655 2 10	.....	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another.	995 10 10	.....	160 4 7
1448	Darlimi Rajbarganj pargana Bosorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakrabarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Barajia pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 6as. 4gds. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold the remaining 9as. 15gds. 2c. 2dt. will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,384 8 1	.....	555 12 5
3865	Tappa Abdullapur, Zamindari 10as. 13¼ gds.	2,387 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7as. 9gd. 3c. 1kt. 1¾dt. will be sold, the remaining 8as. 10gds. 1c. 1kt. 1¼dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Banikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	310 15 5

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 13th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
169	Kismat Durgapur, pargana Tappey Ishafnagore.	5,576 6 0	.....	* Residuary share :—5 as. share of Durgapur, Darmagaon, Madhupur, Gandharbapur, Chak Peerpur, Gangarampur, Jalkar Ghoradaha, Tajoorpara, mauza Bi kula, Shimoil Chora Sonapur, Chak Raghunathpur, Chak Durgapur, Padmabila, Sharupai *alias* Jola Bil Sharupai ; 1 a. 12 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sarotia ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sakharipara *alias* Madargachhi ; 10as. share of Chak Golakpur, Chak Hapania, mauza Saruppur, Lakshmikole, Hapania, Faradpur ; 16 as. share of Bilkula, Bhojendrapur ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils 14 ghoon, share of Ataikula ; 16 tils share of Madhpur with jote Daria Khan ; 15 as. 18 gds. 3 krs. share of Raghunathpur with Majpara, Putigachha ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Shordia, Sakharipara ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils and 11 ghoon, share of Chandi Chhatok and Jote Tajoo ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Durgapur *alias* Kacharpur ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 2 kgs. 11 tils 1 kt. share of Bongram ; 1 a. 18 gds. 1 kr. 3 kgs. 4 tils 1 krt. share of Chak Joyhari ; 1 a. 19 gds. 1 kg. 13 tils 1 krt. share of Ugmowgaon ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 2 kgs. 11 tils 1 krt. share of Kakiakhali *alias* Haludbaria and Hashonpur.	Jnanada Govinda Choudhuri and others.	1,705 6 0	.....	30 0 6
68	Kismat Jat Shakhini, pargana Sinduri.	642 7 0	.....	*Residuary share :—13 as. 10 gds. share of Banda-Ranigaon ; 16 as. share of Baneshwarkandi Bolorampur *alias* Baneshwarkandi. Jat Hukhali. K. *alias* Huikhali Chak, Bharara ; 12 as. 5 gds. share of Baneshwarkandi, Mudafat Hariabandha Baneshwarkandi *alias* Baneshwarkandi ; 16 as. share of Bhulgram, Bishnupur, Ekrampur, Hatbazar, Sanyshibadha, Pengua Jote K. ; 3 as. 15 gds. share of Huikhali Chola *alias* Lakshmipur *alias* Huikhali Chak ; 14 as. 3 gds. 1 kr. 16 tils share of Jatshakhini K. ; 14 as. 15 gds. share of Aminpur Khas K., Ekrampur, Sinduribag ; 16 as. share of Jatshakhini K. Jote Kali Nath Sarkar, Jatshakhini K. Jote Mohendra Narayan Das ; 11 as. 16 gds. 2 krs. 1 kg. 8 tils share of Naikola K. ; 16 as. share of Rater Kalidaha Jalkar.	Hriday Nath Sarkar and others.	562 2 0	.....	32 7 0
104	Pargannah Islampur.	24,329 3 0	.....	* Separate account No. 2— 2as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1krt. share of the estate—mauza Biswanathpur, Ramchandrapur, etc.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,054 12 3	.....	1,208 4 9
115	Taluk Bhanrara, pargana Bajurash, Nazirpur.	916 15 0	.....	* Residuary share :—16 as. share of Jamna, Bharara, Mohadebpur and Jote Kaisha.	Jaridonnessa Bibi *alias* Rupjanessa Bibi, wife of Jobedali Khan, and others.	662 7 0	.....	101 15 3

* All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Pabna Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917. G. C. CHATTERJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 8 6	No	2 as. residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury	646 7 1	.....	66 12 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917. A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, and section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st of December 1917, at 1 P.M., for the said arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estate.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 7, 1.	Elahabad, His. 8 annas, pargana Elahabad.	1,705 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Golapraj Choudhurani and others.	...	296 12 9 1,086 3 3 1,382 15 0	...
				Khas Mahal tenure.				
Lot No. 18, 1662.	Char Maghdhara, Madhyasatta No. 1.	844 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Hoblal Laha	...	Rent ... 184 14 0 Cess ... 19 12 3 204 10 3	...
Lot No. 18, 1662.	Ditto, No. 18	649 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Kumudini Kanta Mukhupadhya and others.	...	Rent ... 142 0 0 Cess ... 26 0 0 168 0 0	...
Lot No. 19, 1686.	Char Alexander, Madhyasatta, No. 1.	761 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Serajal Haque Miau and others.	...	166 8 0 20 0 0 186 8 0	...
Lot No. 23, 1686.	Mauza Char Gazi, Madhyasatta, No. 2.	554 2 0	Do. ...	.....	Serazal Haque Mia and others.	...	116 13 0 10 2 9 126 15 9	...

Noakhali Collectorate, the 19th November 1917. J. N. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhora, pargana Beragaon.	4,757 2 5	No	4 as. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Saui Bhusan Chaudhury, Khitish Chandra Rai Chaudhury, Harendra Narayan Rai Chaudhury, Niresh Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	1,189 4 8	.....	82 13 10

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917. A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 3rd January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62 3	Bakaipur, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	4as. 2gds. 1c 2kts. 1kg. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Nath Biswas, son of late Kali Prasanna Biswas, and others.	5,446 2 8	.....	737 14 5
488 2	Sankar Chandra, pargana Shahaunial.	.....	,, ...	1 anna ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukherjee ...	685 5 2	.....	172 3 6
871	Char Naodapara, pargana Shahaunial.	976 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Siva Sundari Dasya ...	.....	282 0 0	.....
2450	Char Kodalkati, pargana Rajpur.	715 0 0	,, ...	.. ...	Siva Sundari Dasi ...	.....	208 0 0	.....
3531	Rani Jote Ashai, pargana Naskarpur.	820 0 0	,, ...	.....	Kunar Naresh Narayan Ray.	.....	207 14 7	.....

Krishnagar Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

D. K. MITTER, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
250	Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,682 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	.....	121 1 2	
5500	Jaikai Kotalipara, pargana Kotalipara.	2,060 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Chakravarty and others.	.....	925 0 0	
6449	Dotala Lafta Char Bhaga, pargana Kartikpur, Sujabad.	776 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Sherajaddin Ahmed Choudhuri and others.	.....	260 0 0	
6496	Digor Mohisi khali, pargana Nasti.	1,791 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Madan Mohan Banerjee.	.....	543 13 6	

Faridpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands of September 1917 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
136	Kismat Gonipur, pargana Chhootipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share—12 as. 19 gds. 2 cs. $2\frac{162432}{234117}$ ds. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nebi Gopal Singh and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
84	Dogachar etc., pargana Kubajpur.	811 4 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Mrityunjoy Ray Chowdhuri and others.	.....	165 6 7	.....
169	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsalka.	2,360 9 11	Ditto ...	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	230 13 6	.....

ABDUL GOFFAR, for Collector.

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 3 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,319 4 9	.....	$\frac{26}{2}$ ... Hissa 11 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhales.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
3703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappa Kurikhal, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sardar Ali	.....	876 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Rauzan, Patiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babalta taraf Sanaulla Khan.	1,043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,425 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 18¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-8 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-9.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	246 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Mean, Sm Biabibi and others.	.....	102 4 0	.....
1235	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Rauzan and town, taraf Inoch Alop.	2,365 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	189 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banshhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Mean, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas Patiya town, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 4	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	252 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Rauzan, taraf Kooja Hoa Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto ...	.....	Saradu Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town and Rauzan, taraf Monoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 2 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 8¼ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 969-2-5.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Rauzan, taraf Manoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 19 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18¾ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-2.	Barada Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	528 11 3	.....	98 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Hastum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	2,612 6 3	.....	775 9 3
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612-6-3.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Patikchari, taraf Mhd. Chhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kaikobad Ahmed, mortgagee Miari jan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 0	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Raozan, taraf Mud. Rad.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2554	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Raozan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 13 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Sm. Rahimuneesa herself and on b half of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 3 9
2054	Thanas Raozan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Patikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 3 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 3, Nityananda Roy to the extent of interest 3 as 9 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as. 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
23341	Thana Chakaria, Kaimtalak Kashi Chandra.	1,088 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Decruz a d Shaik Waisuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of tates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th nuary 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of land revenue.

'auzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
15-1	Kismat Khariberia and others, pargana Magura.	4,040 5 0	.....	3 annas share in the estate.*	Kali Pado Rai Chaudhury.	758 13 5	.....	154 9 1
392	Huda Joy, Railway station Chandipur, pargana Azimabad.	8,313 7 8	.....	Residuary share 2a. 13gds. 1c 1kt. share.*	Nobo Kishore Mondal and others.	1,386 9 2	.....	126 12 11½
392-4	Ditto ditto ...	8,313 7 8	.....	2a. 13gds. 1c. 1kt. share*.	Ditto ...	1,385 9 4	.....	126 11 7
867-1	Atghara and others, pargana Anaipur.	2,084 1 7	.....	3 annas share in the estate*.	Molend. a Nath Gain and others.	1,042 0 8½	.....	113 0 6½
3496	Mauza Krishnapur, pargana Khasalpur.	772 2 0	Whole estate	.....	Adyanath Bhattacharjee and others.	.....	238 11 10	.....

* All the shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 28th November 1917.

H. C. CHATARJI, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 2 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
813	Ph. Batitaki ...	630 1 3	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share.	Satis Ch. Pal, and 14 others.	24 9 0	.....	21 14 8 up to June 1917.
814	Ph. Batitaki, M. Phulbheri.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold :— Mauzas Satlbatitaki, Abhoymukundapur, Astidangar, Baju, Bhatbar, Bhuasa, Bhojpur, Chhatrisbetya, Dabaka, Dangarpara, Dangram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagara, Krishnagar, Kulbheri, Gargreachak, Guri, Gobinda chak, Gobindapur, Gopalbar, Jamuria, Jutti, Kulankal Chhatan, Kurangi, Kulknchak, Kunorpur, Kotal, Khugrabhuri, Khandorbhari, Khursal, Laktianda, Modhubar, Mohamudchak, Masandichak, Masagau, Mokundapurhat, Palasi Dakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangor, Sutabati, Seruchak, Sonadhakchak, Srichandrapur, Tafsia, Tais, Taladipa, Trilochanpur, Suralia. 8s. 11g. 1k. 1d. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rameni Moni Dasi, guardian of Amulya Charan Jana, minor.	954 3 2	.....	73 2 3
884	Ph. Chetua, M. Shyamsundarpur.	2,907 11 3	.....	S. A. No. 1 ... ... Eight annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Satlendra Nath Mitra.	1,464 15 9 including Paikan.	...	2 8 0 Paikan.
937	Ph. Kusijora, M. Gurpurusottampur *alias* Chaitanyapur.	723 10 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 only. 13ch. 15g. share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Trailokya Nath Maiti and another.	540 14 8	...	2 5 8 Sept. 1916 to Mar. 1917.
962	Ph. Kasijora, M. Jhangurkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
963	Ph. Kasijora, M. Magurl.	3,776 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only. Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 3 others.	944 3 6	.....	74 7 10
963	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	.....	S. A. No. 3 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will excluded from the sale.	Adhar Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	.....	73 4 6
963	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	.....	S. A. No. 4 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Navadwip Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	.....	73 4 6
998	Ph. Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan *alias* Dhanlaree.	1,442 6 7 14 6 11	L. R. entire Police.	.....	Chan, Paresnath Masanta and another.	.....	113 0 7 1 6 11	L. R. Police.
1466	Ph. Khandar, M. Barbandi.	19,085 0 0	.....	S. A. No. 24 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :—	Baikunthia Nath Manik Sabait of Latki Janardanjew Thakur.	1,559 10 8	.....	121 13 7

	A.	G.	K.	C.
Mauza Satanichak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Tarigachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Narma ...	5	6	2	2
,, Panchanandachak	10	13	1	1
,, Paramanchanda-chak.	10	13	1	1
,, Palkanchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Paddarchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Ranichak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Radhabenodechak	10	13	1	1
,, Manikpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Alankarpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Arjunchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bamanchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Bandpala ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bichhachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Italcha ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bindabonchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bhagnchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomunda ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomalchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gourangachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Jagatpur ...	5	6	2	2
,, Jogubarichak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Purichak ...	5	6	2	2

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1894	Ph. Matkadpur, M. Matkadpur.	1,070 8 10	Entire ...	.....	Navadip Chand Nandi and 3 others.	.....	2 6 6	.....
2246	Ph. Sabang, M. Mahar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1. 8 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Krishna Das Mondol and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0 June and Sept. 1917.
2617	Ph. Shipur, M. Srirampur.	3,900 0 6	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share. Part II.	Chandhuri, Srikanta Das Muhapatra, etc., and 24 others.	65 1 6	.....	161 9 3 Jan. 1918, to Mar. 1917.
2882	Ph. Pataspur, M. Mirjapur.	320 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nilkantha Rath and 9 others.	.....	11 3 6	.....

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Barabaru.	9,638 2 0	No ...	Joint share only	Moulvi Waxed Ali Khan Pani and others.	3,196 7 9	.....	238 12 3
26 B	Ditto ...	9,638 2 0	No ...	Separate Account No. 3 consisting of 6 as 8 gds. share of the estate	Mr. E. Bigmold, General Manager, Court of Wards.	3,855 10 0	.....	130 2 0
18333	Joar Baluakandi, pargana Parada khat.	5,696 13 0	Yes ...	.....	Pyari Mohan Dhar Choudhury and others.	.....	702 10 6	.....
107	Zemindari, pargana Nasirujial.	679 2 0	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Prosad Lahiri Choudhury.	.....	44 1 9	.....
11 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Atia.	910 3 0	No ...	Joint share.—10 as 17 gds. 2 cowas 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 14 as 16 gds. 2 cowas 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of kismat Charkaria, Khali Sindur Aller Bilsha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Babiapara with Chandina; 13 as. 12 gds. 2 cowas 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 5 as. 3 gds. 2 kts. 3 dts. 72½ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 1 a. 3 gds. 3 kts. 2 dts 72½ dhuls share of Char Karia, Khali Sindur, Aller Bilsha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Babiapara with Chandina and 2 as. 7 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72½ dhuls of all other remaining kismats of the estate will not be sold.	Girish Chandra Roy Choudhury and others.	766 0 0	.....	23 8 9

B. N. RAY, Additional Collector.

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 1st December 1917.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1918, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th January at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1516	Ph. Khandar, M. Churka *alias* Jhilonga.	627 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Kripasindhu Masanta and three others.	.....	51 9 3	.....	Rev. 51 9 3 Cess. 18 4 9
1668	Ph. Khandar, M. Saharaber.	518 10 9	Do. ...	.....	Muheswar Masanta and four others.	.....	24 3 9	.....	Rev. 24 3 9 Cess. 20 10 9

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917.

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the east side of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of the 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 11-30 o'clock on Sunday, the 13th January 1918, corresponding with the 29th Poush 1324 fusli, at Mallikpur.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	24-Parganas	Madanmolla, Mallikpur.	14th	East ...	3 13 12	1·216	.....	.....	The lot commences at mile No. 13, chainage 14·40 and terminates at mile 13 chainage 22·40.	*North*—Land belonging to Kali Das Roy Chowdhury and others and Mirza Ahmadally. *East*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others, Mirza Ahmadally and village road. *South*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others *West*—Eastern Bengal Railway land.

Alipore, the 21st November 1917.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Collector, 24-Parganas.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 27th November 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ... Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* ... ... „ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... Rs. 1,67,56,794 12 10			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,28,80,107 10 2	2,96,36,812	7	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	31,17,16,862	15	10
Bank Post Bills, etc	16,93,996	15	0
Sundries	12,89,715	10	0
	38,60,87,387	15	10

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,29,49,685	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,32,36,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	5,19,57,648	11	4
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	4,38,07,277	4	2
Bills discounted and purchased	2,87,24,821	12	4
Balances with other Banks	55,8[illegible],910	8	0
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,94,583	12	8
Stamps	11,080	12	1
Sundries	8,73,814	4	2
	21,45,44,557	0	9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 11,43,84,255 9 8			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 5,71,58,575 5 5	17,14,92,830	15	1
	38,60,87,387	15	10

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs. 3,78,247 8 0
† Do. do. do. „ 6,08,737 8 0
Rs. 9,86,985 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent.
Percentage 49 81

By order of the Directors.

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 29th November 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2750—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the decrees and orders, dated, respectively, the 28th day of April 1911, the 12th day of July 1912, the 15th day of December 1916, and the 21st day of April 1917, made in suit No. 897 of 1910 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction (wherein Norendra Nath Mittor and others are plaintiffs and Satyendra Nath Mullick and others are the defendants) at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, the 8th day of December 1917, by the Registrar of the said Court in his sale-room in the Court-house, the following properties :—

Lot No. I.—All that the undivided moiety or half share of the mortgagor Nagendra Nath Mullick *alias* Nagendra Nath Bosu Mullick (subject to a putni lease, dated 17th January 1894, to his brother Jogendra Nath Bosu Mullick at an annual rent of Rs. 19,371-5-2½) of and in all and singular the zamindary or taluq, commonly known as pargana Khosdaha, situate partly in the district and registration district of Jessore, subdivision Bongong, sub-registration district Bongong, thana Baighatta, and partly in the district and registration district of 24-Parganas, subdivision Basirhat and Baraset, sub-registration Habra (formerly Manicknagar), and Baduria, thana Habra and Baduria bearing tauzi No. 5096 of the Collectorate of Jessore, including the Bajiapti mahals Baghatta, bearing tauzi No 5296, Singjole bearing tauzi No. 5232, Dingamanik bearing tauzi No. 5265, Sripore bearing tauzi No. 5199 and Singjole bearing tauzi No. 5313, and paying for the said entire zamindary an annual Government revenue of Rs. 11,411-6-9, police-tax Rs. 123-12-10, dak cess Rs. 98-7-6, and road and public works cess Rs. 2,108-15-4, making in all Rs. 13,742-10-5 to the Collectorate of Jessore.

Under the terms of the abovementioned putni lease, the annual rent payable is Rs. 19,371-5-2½ out of which the sum of Rs. 6,871-5-2½, that is half of the abovementioned sum of Rs. 13,742-10-5 is the Government revenue, etc., payable on account of the undivided half share of the mortgagor and the balance of the said sum of Rs. 19,371-5-2½, *i.e.*, the sum of Rs. 12,500, is payable to the landlord's (*i.e.* the mortgagor's) kachari on certain instalments as mentioned in the said putni lease.

Lot No. II.—All that lower-roomed brick-built messuage, hereditaments and premises with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 12 cottahs and 8 chitaks situate, lying at and being premises No. 124 (formerly No. 56), Dhurrumtolla Street, block No. 1, holding No. 14, in the south division of the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say, on the north by the premises No. 16, Creek Row, on the south by Dhurrumtolla Street, and on the west partly by the premises No. 125, Dhurrumtolla Street, and partly by open land on which are one or two dilapidated small godowns known as No. 15-1, Creek Row, and for which an annual revenue of Rs. 3-10-10 is payable to the Collectorate of Calcutta.

The above property has been let out to a tenant by the Receiver appointed in the said suit No. 897 of 1910 for three years commencing from the 15th of December 1916 at a monthly rent of Rs. 130.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the undersigned or at the office of Babu Monmotho Nath Dutt, attorney for the plaintiffs, at No. 10, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Monmotho Nath Dutt, Attorney for the plaintiffs.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 23rd day of July 1917. (2690)—1—2736)

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, 24-Parganas.

EXECUTION CASE No. 171 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

Babu Siddheswar Chuckerbutti, Sub-Judge.

Shyama Charan Laskar, decree-holder, *versus* Sm. Rashmoni Dasi, judgment-debtor.

To be peremptorily sold by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court of 24-Parganas at his sale-room at 12 noon of 10th December 1917.

Schedule of properties.

Lot No. 1.—One-third share of the judgment-debtor in all that piece or parcel of mourasi makurari land situate and lying at mauza Chetla, thana Alipore, within the district of 24-Parganas, measuring by estimation 1 bigha and 6 cottahs in area and bearing an annual rental of Rs. 3 a. 1 gds. 2 payable to the malik zemindars Gosaidas Denti and others, together with the trees and other appurtenances thereunto belonging and valued at Rs. 300 or thereabout.

Lot No. 2.—One-third share of the judgment-debtor in all that piece or parcel of mourasi makurari land situate and lying at mauza Chetla, thana Alipore, within the district of 24 Parganas, measuring by estimation 15 cottans in area and bearing an annual rental of Rs. 2-4, payable to the malik zemindars Gosaidas Denti and others, together with the one-storied building, pucca kitchen and privy and other appurtenances thereunto belonging and valued at about Rs. 400.

Lot No. 3.—One-third share of all that zamindari known or described as Abad Arunnagar, bearing tauzi No. 1533 of 24-Parganas Collectorate appertaining to thana Kulpi, pargana Hatiaghar in the district of the 24-Parganas. The Government revenue of the entire mahal is Rs. 756 only.

Lot No. 4.—One-third share of all that zamindari known or described as 'Abad Bhairabi Nag or bearing tauzi No. 431 of 24-Parganas Collectorate appertaining to thana Kulpi in the district of 24-Parganas. The Government revenue of the entire Mahal is Rs. 120 only.

Lot No. 5.—One-third share of all that zamindari known or described as Jamtola Chak Khas Mahal bearing tauzi No. 2835 of 24-Parganas Collectorate appertaining to thana Kulpi in the district of 24 Parganas. The Government revenue of the entire mahal is Rs. 120 only.

Lot No. 6.—One third share of all that zamindari known or described as Abad Madhusudanpur *alias* Chundynagar Sundarban, bearing tauzi No. 1385 of 24-Parganas Collectorate appertaining to thana Kulpi, pargana Hatiaghar in the district of 24-Parganas. The Government revenue of the entire mahal is Rs. 468-12 only, and road-cess is Rs. 309-4, in all Rs. 778 only.

SIDDHESWAR CHUCKERBUTTI, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 1st December 1917. (2803—1)

Insolvency Notice.

In the matter of Chiranjee Lall, Chatturbhuj and Munna Lall, insolvents.

ON the 24th day of March 1917 an order was made that Tuesday, the 11th day of December 1917, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, Chiranjee Lall, one of the said insolvents, shall be discharged personally as well as to his after-acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims and demands of and against the said insolvent Chiranjee Lall at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

MAURICE REMFRY, Registrar in Insolvency.

High Court, Calcutta, In Insolvency, the 26th November 1917. (2736—2)

NOTICE TO CREDITOR OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 (2), Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

In the District Court of Amherst.

MISCELLANEOUS No. 228 OF 1916.

In the matter of Babu Gouridah Bagla, an insolvent.

To Chandoolal Kanayal, trader, Kali Godown, Cotton Street, Calcutta.

WHEREAS Babu Gouridah Bagla has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 15th November 1916, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act (III of 1907) and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor; this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 17th day of December 1917 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter, you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as detailed below :—

Rs. 2,100 due on a pro-note.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Court this 20th day of November 1917.

By order,

W. A. GREGORY, Acting Chief Clerk.

Moulmein, the 20th November 1917. (2804—2)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 243 OF 1917.

Jalal Ahammad Molla, of Chingripota, thana Budge-Budge, applicant.

To Achraddi Naskar, of Pachur, Naforpara, Behala, and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2722—1—2748)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 260 OF 1917.

Promatho Nath Banerji, of Borisa, thana Behala, applicant.

To Manmotho Nath Banerji, of 36, Sankor Halder Lane, Ahiritola, Calcutta, and others, creditors

ON the 13th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2723—1—2749)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 264 OF 1917.

Nabajan Beg of Haldor Chak, thana Magrahat, applicant.

To Srinath Sardar, of Madhabpur, Magrahat, and others, creditors

ON the 12th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2724—1—2750)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 268 OF 1917

Bhortu Shaw, of 59, Gorpar Road, Beleghatta, applicant.

To Mouli Lal Shaw, of 86, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors

ON the 12th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2725—1—2751)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 283 OF 1917.

Hari Charan Sarkar, of 7, Nakuleswartola Lane, Kalighat, applicant.

To Saroda Prosad Das, of Porabazar, Chowringhee, and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2726—1—2752)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge, Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 299 OF 1917.

Ramfal Sha, of 10, Galiff Street, Chitpur, applicant.

To Kulanjan Sha Chetman. of Maniktola, and others, creditors.

ON the 13th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 10th December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 22nd November 1917. (2727—1—2753)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 3 OF 1917.

Mir Hamedali, of Badulera, thana Bankura, insolvent.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed 8th day of December 1917 at 10 o'clock for hearing the application.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

(2777—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtors Indra Narain Sarkar and Surendra Nath Sarkar, of Murgram, police-station Ketugram, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 14th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 22nd November 1917. (2752—1—2755)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Kali Pada Bhattacharjee, of Chandipore, police station Purbasthali, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 8th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 22nd November 1917 (2753—1—2756)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 11 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12(2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Indra Chandra Mandal of Malgaria, thana Purbasthali, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that 13th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 22nd November 1917. (2754—1—2754)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 66 OF 1917.

WHEREAS (1) Haidar Ali, (2) Guran Ali, and (3) Ramjan Ali, sons of Meahjan, deceased, of Pomara, thana Rangania, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 11th October 1917, to be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 20th December 1917 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th November 1917. (2743—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 63 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Shubal Chandra Mahajan, son of late Kula Chandra Mahajan, of Allah, known as Dhalghat Mukundaram's hat, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 4th October 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 2nd January 1918 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th November 1917.

(2778—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 52 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 3rd September 1917, filed by Sankar Ram, son of Sital Ram of Audara Killa, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 28th day of November 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2782—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 68 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Sasti Charan Barua, son of Ram Chandra Barua, of Chandgano, thana Kotwal, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1917, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 2nd January 1918 for hearing the aforesaid petition and for the examination of the debtor

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 27th November 1917.

(2779—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 67 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Khirode Chandra Sen, son of Ram Chandra Sen, of Mohora, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 12th October 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 29th November 1917.

(2780—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 61 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Maulvi Alimaddin, son of Mobarak Ali, of Madarsa, thana Hathazari, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 2nd October 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 3rd day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 29th November 1917. (2781—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 102 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th July 1917, filed by the debtor Makhan Lal Ghosal, son of Rashik Chandra Ghosal, of Nohaparah, police-station Munshiganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

(2742-1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 83 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th June 1917, filed by the debtor Jalilbux Bhuiah son of late Fazu Bhuiah, of Shalandi, police-station Rupganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJEE, Sub-Judge.

(2800—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 87 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th June 1917 filed by the debtor Sheik Wazuddi, son of late Nemaddi of Manohardi, known as Shriparah, police-station Rupganj, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 29th day of November 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2801—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge at Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 131 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Bellal Khan, son of late Arman Khan, of Matwail, police-station Keraniganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub Judge.

Dacca, the 30th November 1917. (2802—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 120 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Maijaddi, son of late Bisat Bepari, of Chaira, police-station Sabhar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 29th November 1917. (2805—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 135 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Lal Mohan Basu, son of late Durga Prosad Basu, of Khilparah, police-station Tangibary, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 29th November 1917. (2806—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th May 1917, filed by Eslam Khan, son of late Maugal Khan, of Rajair, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing Babu Sarat Chandra Das Gupta, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 27th day of November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2738—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 31 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 16th August 1917, filed by Sheik Basiraddi, son of late Sheik Ekram, of Domrakandi, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing Babu Surendra Kumar Ghosh, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 27th day of November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2739—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 30 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 15th of August 1917 by Sheik Adiluddi, son of late Sheik Enajuddi, of Sagalchira, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing Babu Khitish Chandra Ganguly, pleador, it is ordered that the said debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Faridpur, the 30th November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2796—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 51 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Meser Sheik, son of late Sheik Faijaddi, of Biswambhardi, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 10th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Faridpur, the 30th November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2797—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Banamali Rudra, son of late Joy Chandra Rudra, of Sitalpur, police-station Goalundo, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 13th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated this 30th November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2798—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Baisraddi Sheik, son of late Meseraddi, of Char Prasannadi, police-station Muksudpur, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 10th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing his petition.

Dated the 30th November 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2799—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Debendra Nath Chatterjee, son of late Bonomally Chatterjee, of Vandarbaty, thana Jangipara, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 143 of 1917, and that the 14th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th October 1917. (2585—1—2760)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 75 OF 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. T. Antony, of 16-1, Golabari Road, Salikha, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was on the 12th April 1911 adjudged an insolvent. The 21st December 1917 has been fixed for disposal. Absolute discharge is granted to the petitioner.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th October 1917. (2590—1—2762)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 74 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bosonto Kumar Chongdar, son of late Bepin Behary Chongdar, of Purpura, thana Arambagh, district Hooghly, was on the 14th September 1917 adjudged an insolvent The 20th December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th October 1917. (2591—1—2759)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kali Ch. Kahar, son of late Dhundu Kahar, (2) Naga Ramai Kahar, son of late Fulchon Kahar, of Rishrah, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 158 of 1917 and that the 14th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 13th October 1917. (2661—1—2762)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jessore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 4 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given under clause 2, section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that Dina Nath Nandan, son of Nara Kantha Nandan, of Mulgram, police-station Keshabpore, district Jessore, has applied for being adjudged an insolvent and that the 3rd day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing of the application.

P. E. CAMMIADE, District Judge.

Jessore, the 29th November 1917. (2775—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No 34 of 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th September 1917, filed by Abinash Chandra Ghorhoi *alias* Binode Chandra Ghorhoi, son of late Gosain Das Ghorhoi, of Khorhar-Patgram, pargana Barada, district Midnapore, petitioner-debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the above petition and hearing Babu Atul Krishna Banerjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that 4th January 1918 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 30th day of November 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2813—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF THE INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 76 of 1917.

WHEREAS Amanatulla Akanda, son of late Keramatulla Akanda, of Garaidaha, police-station Serpur, district Bogra, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 19th September 1917, to be declared insolvent, under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs. A. P.
1. Gangadhar Agarwala.	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	248 4 3
2. Prasanna Nath Chakrabarty.	Serpur ...	Serpur ...	Do. ...	155 0 0
3. Dinabandhu Datta	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	155 0 0
4. Radhika Nath Saha, Doctor.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	140 0 0
5. Lakshmi Kanta Saha.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	120 0 0
6. Makhan Lal Saha	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	13 0 0
7. Nasir Akanda ...	Agrampur	Do. ...	Do. ...	80 0 0
8. Tajmamud Pramanick.	Khamarkandi.	Do. ...	Do. ...	31 0 0
9. Harak Chand Kayia	Bogra ...	Bogra ...	Do. ...	106 0 0
10. Kishmet Pramanik	Garaidaha	Serpur ...	Do. ...	106 0 0
11. Jogesh Chandra Podder.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	120 0 0
12. Jatindra Nath Kundu.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	46 0 0
13. Upendra Nath Kundu.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	11 0 0
14. Chimun Pramanik	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	40 0 0
15. Jhunu Pramanik...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	140 0 0
16. Jasmatulla Pramanik.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	35 8 0
17. Juman Pramanik...	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	20 0 0
18. Fyarmamud Sarkar	Ramnagar	Do. ...	Do. ...	50 0 0
19. Gumani Saha ...	Chandidan	Do. ...	Do. ...	14 0 0
20. Nasu Sardar ...	Daripara...	Do. ...	Do. ...	50 0 0
21. Ali Pramanik ...	Teghur ...	Bogra ...	Do. ...	32 0 0
22. Raj Beha i Das ...	Serpur ...	Serpur ...	Do. ...	11 0 0
23. Ali Pramanik ...	Garaidaha	Do. ...	Do. ...	5 8 0
24. Jiar Pramanik ...	Jhajor ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	13 8 0
25. Budha Pramanik ...	Dhanapara	Do. ...	Do. ...	3 0 0
26. Bhairab Das Pushraj Kayia.	Serpur ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	15 0 0

T. K. CHAUDHURI, 1st Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 27th November 1917. (2795—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF THE INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 of 1917.

WHEREAS Panchoo Sarkar, son of late Kuran Pramanik, of Jhakri Kasar Gati, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 19th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 14th day of December 1917, for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

Name of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1 Sashimohan Saha ...	Jhauitetoolia.	Kalia Haripur.	Pabna ...	300
2 Brajendra Kumar Ray	Sirajganj	Sirajganj	Do. ...	320
3 Hossain Mir, Doctor ...	Naika Makimsanj.	Naika ...	Do. ...	283
4 Guimamud Bepari ...	Kuthirchar.	Do. ...	Do. ...	400

T. K. CHOWDHURY, 1st Sub-Judge in charge.

Pabna, the 27th November 1917. (2747—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 55 of 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 18th September 1917, made by Gurudayal Sil, son of Ram Dulal Sil, of Goalgaon, thana Sherpur, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 22nd November 1917.

(2776—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 of 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gangadhar Saha, son of Arjoon Chandra Saha, of Sherpur Town, police-station Sherpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent, and the 15th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 30th November 1917.

(2815—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 128 of 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ramananda Badyakar, son of late Gopi Chand Badyakar, of Jangirabad, police-station Pirgaunj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th November 1917. (2748—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 102 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

KARIMUDDIN GASUA, son of late Naymulla Gasua, of Kachabari, police-station Badarganj, in the district of Rangpur, was on the 26th day of November 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 27th November 1917. (2749—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 133 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Gamiruddin, son of late Jhumku Muhammad, of Kadamtala, police-station Kurigram, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917. (2807—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 132 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Shitaram Das, son of late Kala Chand Das, of Shoulmari, police station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of December 1917, has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917. (2808—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 131 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Khatiulla, son of late Nidhi Nashya, of Bhagalerkuthi, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917. (2809—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 130 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Basiruddin *alias* Basaruddin, son of late Naju Mamud, of Charenga, police-station Jaldhaka, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917. (2810—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 129 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Famijulla Sheik, son of late Garibulla Sheik, of Kalicharan, police-station Kotwali, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent the 15th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917.

(2811—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 127 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nejabuddin, son of late Rahimulla, of Alipur, police-station Mithapookhar, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 30th November 1917.

(2812—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 56 OF 1917.

Madhab Chandra Polley, son of late Bhagabat Chandra Polley, resident of Noyapati, thana Dum-Dum, Chowki Sealdah, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Nobin Kissori Dasi and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, 22nd November 1917. (2720—1—2746)

Notice.

WANTED an M. A., strong in English for the post of an Assistant Master in the Hindu School in class VIII of the Subordinate Educational Service. Applications with particulars of qualifications, age and respectability will be received by the Head Master, Hindu School, till the 10th December 1917 Law students need not apply.

J. R. BARROW,

Offg. Principal, Presidency College.

Calcutta, the 1st December 1917.

Notice.

WANTED 24 temporary Excise Sub-Inspectors at Rs. 50 each per month for not less than two months for the manufacture of Ganja. Some of the selected candidates will have to join on the 1st of January 1918 and some on later dates. Selected candidates will have to work for six months. None need apply for the post who has not passed the Matriculation Examination or worked in the same capacity in previous years. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 7th December 1917.

R. C. DUTT, Subdivisional Officer, Naogaon (Rajshahi).

Naogaon, the 14th November 1917.

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1918, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from—

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H. F. CLEVELAND, COL., V.H.S., I.M.S.,

Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 21st November 1917.

Notice.

THE unendowed monuments over the graves of persons named below (in the Cemetery of the St. John's Church at Midnapore) are in need of repairs, viz :—

(1) James Alexander	... Died on	28th February 1851.
(2) William Louis	... „	4th March 1853.
(3) Eliza Anne Deverell	„	10th November 1862.
(4) Ralph Werge Smyth	„	25th July 1866.
(5) Charles J. M. Dixon	„	27th „ „
(6) Alexander Sharp Sneddon.	„	25th February 1877.
(7) Abraham Robert Thomas Palmer.	„	7th October 1878.
(8) Mary Anne Morrow...	„	6th „ 1881.
(9) George Richard James Palmer.	„	8th February 1882.

Relations or friends of the deceased persons desirous of repairing the monuments are requested to communicate with the undersigned.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, I.C.S.,

Senior Member, Church Committee.

Midnapore, the 21st November 1917. (2781—3)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED GOODS.

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"Albiana" ...	A G F	1 case ...	Books.
Ditto ...	Nil	2 cases ...	Canned goods.
"Caboto" ...	R R R	1 case ...	Lanterns.
"Orsolo" ...	D D B	1 case empty	.....
"Fook Sang" ...	K	1 jar ...	Samshoo.
"Mandala" ...	Nil	1	Deck chair.
Ditto ...	Mr. Sweeney ...	1	Deck cot.
"City of Marseilles"	Witherington ...	1	Deck chair.
"City of Exeter"...	Mr. Lee	1 leather trunk containing 1 collar box, 19 collars, 2 handkerchiefs, 16 ties, 1 pair of socks, 2 books, 7 shirts, 6 warm trousers, 3 vests and 5 warm coats.	
"City of Poona" ...	Mr. Cowley ...	1 deck chair.	

The above packages lying in the Custom House unclaimed for four months and over will be sold under section 88 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, if not removed on payment of all the charges due, by the 19th December 1917.

A. H. LLOYD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1917.

Lost

A RECEIPT numbered 22729, dated 10th November 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Government Promissory Note. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security :—

G. P. Note No.	Loan	Amount. Rs.	Holder's name
221065	1865	10[illegible]	Gopal Dass Dey.

Naire of the proprietor—Gopal Dass Dey.

Residence—25, Phear Lane, Calcutta.

(2774—1—2747)

Bengal Coal Company, Ld.

THE Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 8, Clive Row, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 20th December 1917, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report for the half-year ended 31st October 1917, passing the accounts and transacting any other business that may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 7th to 20th December 1917, inclusive.

By order of the Board,

ANDREW YULE & Co.,

Managing Agents.

Calcutta, the 30th November 1917. (2816—1—2758)

The Raneegunj and Jharia Coal Co., Ltd., 81, Clive Street, Calcutta.

PROCEEDINGS of the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company was held at the office of the National Coal Company, Ltd., at 81, Clive Street, Calcutta, on Monday, 12th November 1917, at 2 P.M.

PRESENT :

Mr. N. H. Ojha.
,, J. N. Mukerjee.
,, J. K. Patel.

1. Proposed by Mr. J. N. Mukerjee and seconded by Mr. J. K. Patel that Mr. N. H. Ojha be appointed Chairman of the Meeting. Carried unanimously.

2. The notice convening the Meeting having been read : It was proposed by Mr. J. K. Patel and seconded by Mr. N. H. Ojha that the following resolution passed at the Extraordinary Meeting held on 15th October 1917 be confirmed as special resolutions, viz. :—

(*a*) That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
(*b*) That the appointment of Mr. S. N. Sen as liquidator for the purpose of such liquidation is hereby confirmed.

Carried unanimously.

With a vote of thanks the Meeting was dissolved.

N. H. OJHA, Chairman.

Calcutta, the 21st November 1917. (2737—1—2757)

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1259L., dated the 3rd December, 1917.—His Excellency the President having been pleased to order, under rule 39 (*b*) of the Bengal Legislative Rules, 1912, the publication of the Report of the Select Committee to which the Bill to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, was referred, the Report of the said Committee, with the Bill annexed, is hereby published for general information.

REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE BENGAL PUBLIC DEMANDS RECOVERY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee, to which the Bill to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, was referred, have considered the Bill and have the honour to submit this our Report with the Bill annexed thereto.

2. We considered the point raised in Council when the Bill was discussed in Council on the 20th November, 1917, as to whether the local Legislative Council has the power of passing the proposed provision into law in view of sub-section (5) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912 (II of 1912).

We are satisfied that the Bengal Legislative Council has the necessary power under section 79 of the Government of India Act, 1915, and that no alteration in the Bill, which has received the approval of the Government of India, is necessary in this respect.

The certificate procedure contained in the Bill for the realisation of the assets of Co-operative Societies under liquidation and the costs of such liquidation, is an alternative one to the procedure prescribed in clause (*a*) of sub-section (*5*) of section 42 of Act II of 1912 in respect of orders made under that section.

3. We recommend that the Bill, as introduced in Council, be passed.

J. G. CUMMING,
Member in charge.

C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE.
J. H. KERR.
E. B. H. PANTON.
J. MACKENZIE.
A. SUHRAWARDY.
A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.
KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

(The Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta did not attend the meeting of the Select Committee.)

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secy. to the Government of Bengal and
Secy. to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

CALCUTTA :
The 26th November, 1917.

THE BENGAL PUBLIC DEMANDS RECOVERY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

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BILL

to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913.

Ben. Act III of 1913

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, in order to provide for a more effective method of realising the contributions to the assets of a Co-operative Society under liquidation and the costs of such liquidation;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Bengal Public Demands Recovery (Amendment) Act, 1917.

Amendment of section 5 of Bengal Act III of 1913

2. After sub-section (*1*) of section 5 of the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"Provided that no action shall be taken under this Act on a requisition made by a liquidator in pursuance of an order under clause (*b*) or clause (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, unless the requisition be countersigned by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal".

[*Cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, s. 5(*1*), proviso.]

II of 1912.

Amendment of Schedule I

3. After article 12 of Schedule I to the said Act, the following shall be inserted, namely:—

"12-A. Any sum ordered by a liquidator appointed under sub-section (*1*) of section 42 of the Co-operative Societies Act, 1912, to be recovered as a contribution to the assets of a society or as the cost of liquidation".

[*Cf.* Bihar and Orissa Act IV of 1914, Sch. I., Art. 14.]

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PART VI.

Bills introduced in the Indian Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees, presented to the Council, and Bills published under Rule 23.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced in the Indian Legislative Council on the 26th September 1917 :—

No. 20 OF 1917.

A Bill further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, and the Court-fees Act, 1870.

NOTE: ***(a) The additions to, or alterations of, the Bill as introduced which the Committee recommend are printed in italics.***

(b) The clauses of the Bill, as revised by the Committee have been re-numbered but the marginal references in square brackets indicate the original clauses as referred to in the Report of the Committee.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, and the Court-fees Act, 1870; It is hereby enacted as follows :— [Act V of 1898. Act VII of 1870.

1. This Act may be called the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Act, 191 . [Cl. 1.]

Short title.

2. In section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (hereinafter called the said Code),— [Act V of 1898. Cl. 2.]

Amendment of section 10, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) In sub-section (*2*), the words "for a period not exceeding six months" shall be omitted and after the words "under this Code", the words "or under any other law for the time being in force" shall be inserted.

(*ii*) After sub-section (*2*), the following sub-section shall be added, namely :— [Cf. s. 195 (7).

"(*3*) For the purposes of sections 192 *and* 407 (*2*), such Additional District Magistrate shall be deemed to be subordinate to the District Magistrate."

3. After sub-section (*2*) of section 18 of the said Code, the following sub-sections shall be added, namely :— [Cf. s. 14 (2). Cl. 3.]

Amendment of section 18, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*3*) A Presidency Magistrate may be appointed under this section for such term as the Local Government may, by general or special order, direct.

"(*4*) The Local Government may appoint any *Presidency Magistrate* to be an Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate and such Additional Chief Presidency Magistrate shall have all or any of the powers of a Chief Presidency Magistrate under this Code or *under* any other law for the time being in force, as the Local Government may direct." [Cf. s. 10 (3).

4. In sub-section (*2*) of section 21 of the said Code, after the words "Presidency Magistrates" the words "including Additional Chief Presidency Magistrates" shall be inserted. [Cl. 4.]

Amendment of section 21, Code of Criminal Procedure.

5. *In sub-section (1) of section 29 of the said Code, after the words "provisions of" the words and figures "section 10 and" shall be inserted.* [Cl. 4-A.]

Amendment of section 29, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

6. (*1*) In section 35 of the said Code— [Cl. 5.]

Amendment of section 35, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), for the words "When a person is convicted at one trial of two or more distinct offences, the Court may," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"When a person is convicted at one trial of two or more offences, the Court may, subject

to the provisions of section 71 of the Indian Penal Code," XLV of 1860.

(*ii*) In sub-section (*3*), for the word "aggregate" the words "the aggregate of consecutive" shall be substituted.

(*2*) The *Explanation* and *Illustration* to this section are hereby repealed.

[Cl. 6.] **7.** In section 40 of the said Code, *for the word "transferred", in both places where it occurs, the word "appointed" shall be substituted, and the words "continue to" shall be omitted.*

Amendment of section 40, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 7.] **8.** In sub-section (*1*) of section 44 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 44, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) *After the figures "148" the figures "231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238,"* shall be inserted, and

(*ii*) for the word and figures "and 460" the figures, letters and word "460, 489A, 489B, 489C and 489D" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 8.] **9.** In section 45 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 45, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*1*) In sub-section (*1*)—

(*i*) For the word "obtain" the words "possess or obtain" shall be substituted :

(*ii*) To clause (*d*), after the words "suspicious circumstances," the following words shall be added, namely :—

"or the discovery in or near such village of any corpse *or part of a corpse*, in circumstances which lead to a reasonable suspicion that such a death has occurred ; *or the disappearance from such village of any person in circumstances which lead to a reasonable suspicion that an offence has been committed in respect of such person ;*"

(*iii*) In clause (*e*), after the word "*namely*" the figures "*231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238,*" shall be inserted, and for the word and figures "and 460" the figures, letters and word "460, 489A, 489B, 489C and 489D" shall be substituted.

(*2*) In sub-section (*3*), after the words "District Magistrate," the words "or Sub-divisional Magistrate" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 8-A.] **10.** (*i*) *In sub-section* (*1*), first, *of section 54 of the said Code after the words "so concerned" the following shall be added, namely :—*

Amendment of section 54, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"or for whose arrest a requisition has been received from a police officer who might lawfully have made the arrest himself ;"

(*ii*) *After sub-section* (*2*) *of the same section, the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—*

"(3) The term 'police-officer' in this section shall be deemed to include such village officers as may be either generally or specially authorised by the Local Government in this behalf."

[Cl. 8-B.] **11.** *In sub section* (*1*) *of section 56 of the said Code, after the words "police station" the words "or any police-officer making an investigation under Chapter XIV" shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 56, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 9.] **12.** For sub-section (*1*) of section 59 of the said Code, the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

Amendment of section 59, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*1*) Any private person may arrest any person who in his view commits a non-bailable and cognizable offence, or any proclaimed offender, and shall, without unnecessary delay, make over any person so arrested to a police-officer, or, in the absence of a police-officer, shall take *such person or cause him* to be taken in custody to the nearest police-station."

Arrest by private persons.

[Cl. 11.] **13.** After sub-section (*6*) of section 88 of the said Code, the following sub-sections shall be inserted, namely :—

Amendment of section 88, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*6a*) If any claim is preferred *to*, or objection made to the attachment of, any property under this section within six months *from* the date of such attachment, by any person other than the proclaimed person, on the ground that the claimant or objector has an interest in *such property and that such interest is not liable to attachment under this section*, the Court shall investigate the claim *or objection* and *may allow or disallow it in whole or in part* :

Disposal of claims to property attached.

Cf. Civil Procedure Code, Order 21, rule 58.

"Provided (*a*) that no such investigation shall be made if in the opinion of the Court the claim or objection has been designedly or unnecessarily delayed : *and*

(*b*) *that any claim preferred or objection made within the period allowed by this sub-section may, in the event of the death of the claimant or objector, be continued by his legal representative.*

"(*6b*) *Claims or objections under sub-section (6a) may be preferred or made in the Court by which the order of attachment is issued, or if the claim or objection is in respect of property attached under an order endorsed by a District Magistrate or Chief Presidency Magistrate in accordance with the provisions of sub-section* (*2*), *in the Court of such Magistrate.*

"(*6c*) *Any person whose claim or objection has been disallowed in whole or in part by an order* under sub-section (*6a*) may, *within a period of one year from the date of such order*, institute a suit to establish the right which he claims *in respect of* the property in dispute ; but subject to the result of such suit, if any, the order shall be conclusive."

[Cl. 13.] **14.** (*i*) *In sub-section* (*1*) *of section 103 of the said Code, after the words "witness the search," the following shall be inserted, namely :—*

Amendment of section 103, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"and may, if necessary, issue an order in writing to them or any of them so to do".

(*ii*) After sub-section (*4*) of *the same* section the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

"(*5*) Any person who, without reasonable cause, refuses or neglects to attend and witness a search under this section, when called upon to do so *by an order in writing*, shall be *deemed to have committed an offence* under section 187 of the Indian Penal Code." XLV of 1860.

[Cl. 13.] Amendment of section 106, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

15. In section 106 of the said Code—

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), *for the word "rioting" the following words shall be substituted, namely, "any offence punishable under Chapter VIII of the Indian Penal Code, or of", and the words "or of assembling armed men or taking other unlawful measures with the evident intention of committing the same" shall be omitted.*

XLV of 1860.

(*ii*) In sub-section (*3*), after the words "Appellate Court" the words "including a Court hearing appeals under section 407" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 13-A.] Amendment of section 107, Code of Criminal Procedure 1898.

16. *In sub-section (4) of section 107 of the said Code, for the words "this section" the words, figure and signs "sub-section (3)" shall be substituted, and for the words "until the completion of the inquiry hereinafter prescribed" the words "pending further action by himself under this Chapter" shall be substituted.*

[Cl. 14.] Amendment of section 108, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

17. In section 108 of the said Code, after the words "in writing," the words "or in any other manner" shall be inserted, and after the figures "1867," the words "with reference to any matter contained in such publication" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 15.] Amendment of section 110, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

18. In section 110 of the said Code—

(*i*) *In clause (a), the word "or", where it first occurs, shall be omitted, and after the word "thief" the words "or forger," shall be inserted.*

(*ii*) *For clause (d) the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—*

"(d) habitually commits the offence of kidnapping, extortion, cheating or mischief, or any offence punishable under Chapter XII of the Indian Penal Code, or habitually attempts so to do, or"

XLV of 1860.

[Cl. 16.] Amendment of section 117, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

19. *In* section 117 of the said Code—

(*i*) *In sub-section (2), after the word "framed", the words "nor shall any witness be re-called for cross-examination, except with the permission of the Court" shall be inserted.*

(*ii*) *After sub-section (2), the following sub-section shall be inserted :—*

"(*3*) Pending the completion of the inquiry under sub-section (*1*), the Magistrate, if he considers that immediate measures are necessary for the prevention of a breach of the peace or disturbance of the public tranquillity, *or the commission of any offence*, or for the public safety, may, *for reasons to be recorded in writing*, direct the person in respect of whom the order under section 112 has been made to execute a bond, with or without sureties, *for keeping the peace until the conclusion* of the inquiry, and *may detain him in custody until such bond is executed or, in default of execution, until the inquiry is concluded* :

Provided that the conditions of such bond, whether as to amount or as to the number of the sureties or the nature of their liability, shall not exceed those specified in such order.

(*iii*) Sub-section (*3*) *shall be re-numbered* (*4*), *and* after the words "habitual offender" *in the said sub-section*, the words "or is so desperate and dangerous as to render his being at large without security hazardous to the community" shall be inserted, *and the words "or otherwise" shall be omitted.*

(*iv*) *Sub-section* (*4*) *shall be re-numbered* (*5*).

[Cl. 17.] Substitution of section 122, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

20. For section 122 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

"122. (*1*) A Magistrate may refuse to accept any surety offered under this Chapter on the ground that such surety is *an unfit person for the purposes of the bond* :

Power to reject Sureties.

Provided that, before refusing so to do, he shall either himself hold an inquiry on oath into the fitness of the surety, or cause such inquiry to be held and a report to be made thereon by a Magistrate subordinate to him.

(*2*) *In every such inquiry the Magistrate holding the same shall record the substance of the evidence adduced before him.*

(*3*) *If the Magistrate by whom the order for security was made is satisfied, after considering the evidence so adduced either before him or before a Magistrate deputed under sub-section (1), and the report of such Magistrate (if any), that the surety is an unfit person for the purposes of the bond, he shall make an order refusing to accept such surety and recording his reasons for so doing."*

[Cl. 18.] Amendment of section 123, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

21. After sub-section (*3*) of section 123 of the said Code, the following sub-sections shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*3a*) *If security has been required in the course of the same proceedings from two or more persons in respect of any one of whom the proceedings are referred to the Sessions Judge or the High Court under sub-section (2), such reference shall also include the case of any other of such persons who has not given the security ordered to be given by him, and the provisions of sub-sections (2) and (3) shall, in that event, apply to the case of such other person also, except that the period (if any) for which he may be imprisoned shall not exceed the period for which he was ordered to give security.*

"(*3b*) A Sessions Judge may *in his discretion* transfer any proceedings laid before him under *sub-section (3) or sub-section (3a)* to an Additional Sessions Judge *or Assistant Sessions Judge*, and upon such transfer, such Additional Sessions Judge *or Assistant Sessions Judge* may exercise the powers of a Sessions Judge under this section in respect of such proceedings."

[Cl. 19.] Substitution of section 133, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

22. For section 133 of the said Code *the following section shall be substituted, namely* :—

"133. (*1*) Whenever a District Magistrate, a Sub-divisional Magistrate, or a Magistrate of the first class, considers on receiving a police report or other information and on taking such evidence (if any) as he thinks fit,

Conditional order for removal of nuisance.

that any unlawful obstruction or nuisance should be removed from any way, river or channel which is or may be lawfully used by the public, or from

any public place, or

that the *conduct of* any trade or occupation, or the keeping of any goods or merchandise, *is* injurious to the health or physical comfort of the community, *and that in consequence such trade or occupation* should be prohibited or *regulated*, or *that such goods or merchandise* should be removed, *or the keeping thereof regulated*, or

that the construction of any building, or the disposal of any substance, as likely to occasion conflagration or explosion, should be prevented or stopped, or

that any building, *tent or structure, or any tree*, is in such a condition that it is likely to fall and thereby cause injury to persons living or carrying in business in the neighbourhood or passing by, and that in consequence the removal, repair or support *of such building, tent or structure*, or *the removal or support of such tree is necessary*, or

that any tank, well or excavation adjacent to any such way or public place should be fenced in such manner as to prevent danger arising to the public, or

that any dangerous animal should be destroyed, confined or otherwise disposed of,

such Magistrate may make a conditional order requiring the person causing such obstruction or nuisance, or carrying on such trade, or occupation, or keeping any such goods or merchandise, or owning, possessing or controlling such building, *tent, structure*, substance, tank, well or excavation, *or owning or possessing such animal or tree*, within a time to be fixed in the order,

to remove such obstruction or nuisance; or

to *desist from carrying on, or to* remove *or regulate in such manner as may be directed*, such trade or occupation; or

to remove such goods or merchandise, *or to regulate the keeping thereof in such manner as may be directed*; or

to prevent or stop the *erection* of, or to remove, repair or support such building, *tent or structure*; or

to *remove or support such tree*; or

to alter the disposal of such substance; or

to fence such tank, well or excavation, as the case may be; or

to destroy, confine or dispose of such dangerous animal in the manner provided in the said order; or, *if he objects so to do*;

to appear before himself or some other Magistrate of the first or second class at a time and place to be fixed by the order, and move to have the order set aside or modified in the manner hereinafter provided.

(*2*) No order duly made by a Magistrate under this section shall be called in question in any Civil Court.

Explanation.—A "public place" includes also property belonging to the State, camping grounds and grounds left unoccupied for sanitary and recreative purposes."

[Cl. 20.] **23.** (*1*) *Section 135 of the said Code shall be re-numbered* 135 (*1*), *and*—

Amendment of section 135, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) *In clause* (*a*) *of the said section, as re-numbered, after the words* "*within the time*" *the words* "*and in the manner*" *shall be inserted.*

(*ii*) *In clause* (*b*) *of the said section, as re-numbered, for the words* "*same is*" *the words* "*measures directed by the Magistrate to be taken are*" *shall be substituted.*

(*2*) *After the said clause of the same section the following sub-sections shall be added, namely*:—

"(*2*) *If, in showing cause, the person against whom the order was made denies the existence of any public right in respect of any way, river, channel or place referred to therein, the Magistrate shall inquire into the question, and his decision shall, for the purpose of proceedings under this Chapter, be final.*

"(*3*) *It shall be lawful both to show cause against an order on the grounds stated in sub-section* (*2*), *and at the same time to claim a jury under sub-section* (*1*) (*b*)."

[Cl. 20-A.] **24.** *In sub-section* (*1*) *of section 144 of the said Code, after the words* "*or of any other Magistrate*" *the words and signs* "*(not being a Magistrate of the third class)*" *shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 144, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 21.] **25.** In section 145 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 145, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*1*) In sub-section (*1*), *after the words* "*District Magistrate*" *the words* "*Presidency Magistrate*" *shall be inserted.*

(*ii*) *In* sub-section (*6*), *after the word* "*was*" *the words* "*or should be treated as being*" *shall be inserted*, and the following shall be added after the words "such eviction", namely:—

"and when he proceeds under the first proviso to sub-section (*4*), may restore to possession the party forcibly and wrongfully dispossessed."

(*iii*) For sub-section (*7*), the following *sub-section* shall be *substituted*, namely:—

"(*7*) When any party to any such proceeding dies, the Magistrate may cause the legal representative of the deceased party to be made a party to the proceeding, and shall thereupon *continue* the inquiry, and *if* any question arises as to who the legal representative of a deceased party for the purpose of such proceeding is, *all persons claiming to be representatives of the deceased party shall be made parties thereto.*"

(*iv*) After sub-section (*7*) the following sub-sections shall be added, namely:—

"(*8*) If the Magistrate is of opinion that any *crop or other produce of the* property, the subject of dispute in a proceeding under this section pending before him, is subject to speedy and natural decay, he may make an order for the proper custody or sale of such property, and, upon the completion of the inquiry, shall make such order for the disposal of such property, or the sale-proceeds thereof, as he thinks fit.

"(*9*) *Nothing in this section shall be deemed to be in derogation of the powers of the Magistrate to proceed under section 107.*"

[Cl. 21-A.] **26.** *After sub-section* (*2*) *of section 146 of the said Code, the following shall be added, namely*:—

Amendment of section 146, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"*Provided that, in the event of a receiver of the property, the subject-matter in dispute, being*

subsequently appointed by any Civil Court, possession shall be made over to him by the receiver appointed by the Magistrate, who shall thereupon be discharged."

[Cl. 22.] **27.** For section 147 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

Substitution of section 147, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"147. (*1*) Whenever any District Magistrate, Presidency Magistrate, Sub-divisional Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class is satisfied, from a police report or other *information*, that a dispute likely to cause a breach of the peace exists regarding any alleged right of *user* of any *land or water as explained in section 145* (*2*) (whether such right be *claimed as* an easement or *otherwise*), within the local limits of his jurisdiction, he may inquire into the matter in the manner provided in section 145.

Disputes concerning rights of use of immoveable property, etc.

(*2*) If it appears to such Magistrate that such right exists, he may make an order prohibiting any interference with the exercise of such right :

Provided that no such order shall be made where the right is exerciseable at all times of the year, unless such right has been exercised within three months next before the institution of the inquiry, or, where the right is exerciseable only at particular seasons or on particular occasions, unless the right has been exercised during the last of such seasons or *on the last of such* occasions before such institution.

(*3*) If it appears to such Magistrate that such right does not exist, he may make an order prohibiting any exercise of the alleged right.

(*4*) *An* order under this section shall *be subject to any subsequent decision of* a Civil Court of competent jurisdiction."

[Cl. 23.] **28.** (*i*) In sub-section (*1*) of section 148 of the said Code, after the words "District Magistrate" the words "Chief Presidency Magistrate" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 148, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) *In sub-section* (*3*) *of the same section the words "for witnesses, or pleaders' fees, or both," shall be omitted, and after the word "proportion" the words "such costs may include any expenses incurred in respect of witnesses, and of pleaders' fees, which the Court may consider reasonable." shall be inserted.*

[Cl. 25.] **29.** In section 157 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 157, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), *after the words "one of his subordinate officers" the words "not being below the rank of sub-inspector" shall be inserted, and* for the words "and to take such measures as may be necessary," the words "and if necessary to take measures" shall be substituted.

(*ii*) In sub-section (*2*), after the words "that sub-section," the words "and in the case mentioned in clause (*b*) such officer shall also forthwith notify *to* the informant, *in such manner as may be prescribed by the Local Government, the fact* that he will not investigate the case or cause it to be investigated" shall be added.

[Cl. 26.] **30.** In sub-section (*1*) of section 161 of the said Code, after the word "Chapter," the words "or any police-officer not below *such rank as may be prescribed by the Local Government*, acting on the requisition of *such officer*" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 161, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 27.] **31.** For sub-section (*1*) of section 162 of the said Code, the following sub section shall be *substituted*, namely :—

Amendment of section 162, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*1*) *No statement made by any person to a police-officer in the course of an investigation under this Chapter shall, if reduced into writing, be signed by the person making it ; nor shall any such statement or any record thereof, whether in a police diary or otherwise, or any part of such statement or record, be used for any purpose* (*save as hereinafter provided*) *at any inquiry or trial in respect of any offence under investigation at the time when such statement was made :*

Statements to police not to be signed : use of such statements in evidence.

Provided that, when any witness is called for the prosecution in such inquiry or trial whose statement has been reduced into writing as aforesaid, the Court shall, on the request of the accused, refer to such writing, and may then, if the Court thinks it expedient in the interests of justice, direct that the accused be furnished with a copy thereof, in order that any part of such statement, if duly proved, may be used to contradict such witness in the manner provided by section 145 of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872. 1 of 1872.
When any part of such statement is so used, any part thereof may also be used in the re-examination of such witness, but for the purpose only of explaining any matter referred to in his cross-examination."

[Cl. 28.] **32.** In section 165 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 165, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) For sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*), the following sub-sections shall be substituted, namely :—

"165. (*1*) Whenever an officer in charge of a police-station, or a police-officer making an investigation, has reasonable grounds for believing that anything necessary for the *purposes* of an investigation into any offence which he is authorized to investigate may be found *in any place* within the limits of the police-station of which he is in charge, or to which he is attached, and *that* such thing cannot in his opinion be otherwise obtained without undue delay, such officer may search, or cause search to be made, for the same in any place within the limits of such station.

Search by police-officer.

"(*2*) A police-officer proceeding under sub-section (*1*) shall, if practicable, conduct the search in person."

(*ii*) *In sub-section* (*3*), *for the words "specifying the document or thing for which search is to be made and the place to be searched" the words "specifying the place to be searched and, so far as possible, the thing for which search is to be made" shall be substituted.*

(*iii*) In sub-section (*4*), after the words "search warrants," the words "and the general provisions as to searches contained in section 102 and section 103" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 29.] **33.** (*i*) *In sub-section* (*1*) *of section 166 of the said Code, after the words* "*an officer in charge of a police-station*" *the words* "*or a police-officer making an investigation*" *shall be inserted,*

Amendment of section 166, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) After sub-section (*2*) of *the same* section, the following sub-sections shall be added, namely :—

"(*3*) Whenever there is reason to believe that the delay occasioned by requiring an officer in charge of another police-station to cause a search to be made under sub-section (*1*) might result in evidence *of the commission* of an offence being concealed or destroyed, it shall be lawful for an officer in charge of a police-station *or a police-officer making an investigation under this Chapter* to search, or cause to be searched, any place in the limits of another police-station, in accordance with the provisions of section 165, as if such place were within the limits of his own station.

"(*4*) Any officer conducting a search under sub-section (*3*) shall forthwith send notice of the search to the officer in charge of the police-station within the limits of which such place is situate, and shall also send with such notice a copy of the list (if any) prepared under section 103."

[Cl. 30.] Amendment of section 167, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

34. In sub-section (*1*) of section 167 of the said Code—

(*i*) *for the words* "*it appears that any*" *the words* "*any person is arrested and detained in custody, and it appears that the*" *shall be substituted, and the words* "*under this Chapter*" *shall be omitted ;*

(*ii*) *for the words* "*officer in charge of the police-station*" *the words* "*police-officer making the investigation*" *shall be substituted ; and*

(*iii*) *the words and signs* "(*if any*)" *shall be omitted.*

[Cl. 31.] Amendment of sections 169 and 170, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

35. *In sections 169 and 170 of the said Code, after the words* "*If, upon*" *the words* "*the completion of*" *shall be inserted ; and for the words* "*officer in charge of the police-station*" *wherever they occur, the words* "*police-officer making the investigation*" *shall be substituted.*

[Cl. 31-A.] Amendment of section 171, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

36. *In section 171 of the said Code, for the words* "*officer in charge of the police-station,*" *the words* "*police-officer making the investigation*" *shall be substituted.*

[Cl. 32.] Amendment of section 173, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

37. For sub-section (*1*) of section 173 of the said Code, the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*1*) Every investigation under this Chapter shall be completed without unnecessary delay, and as soon as it is completed, the *police-officer making the investigation* shall—

Report of police-officer.

(*a*) forward to a Magistrate empowered to take cognizance of the offence on a police report a report, in the form prescribed by the Local Government, setting forth the names of the parties, the nature of the information and the names of the persons who appear to be acquainted with the circumstances of the case, and stating whether the accused (if arrested) has been forwarded in custody, or has been released on his bond, and, if so, whether with or without sureties, and

(*b*) communicate, in such manner as may be prescribed by the Local Government, the *action taken by him* to the person by whom the information relating to the commission of the offence was first given."

[Cl. 33.] Amendment of section 174, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

38. In sub-section (*5*) of section 174 of the said Code, for the words "or Sub-divisional Magistrate," the words "Sub-divisional Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class," shall be substituted.

[Cl. 34.] Amendment of section 181, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

39. For sub-section (*3*) of section 181 of the said Code, the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*3*) The offence of theft, or any offence which includes theft *or the possession of stolen property*, may be inquired into or tried by a Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction such offence was committed or the property stolen was possessed by the thief or by any person who received or retained the same knowing or having reason to believe it to be stolen."

Theft.

[Cl. 34-A.] Amendment of section 188, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

40. *In section 188 of the said Code, after the words* "*provided that,*" *the words* "*notwithstanding anything in any of the preceding sections of this Chapter*" *shall be inserted.*

[Cl. 34-B.] Amendment of section 190, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

41. *For clause* (*b*) *of sub-section* (*1*) *of section 190 of the said Code, the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—*

"(*b*) *upon a report of such facts made by any police officer.*"

[Cl. 35.] Amendment of section 193, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

42. *In sub-section* (*2*) *of section 193 of the said Code, the words* "*in the case of Assistant Sessions Judges*" *shall be omitted.*

[Cl. 36.] Amendment of section 195, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

43. (*i*) *For sub-section* (*1*) *of* section 195 of the said Code, *the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—*

(*1*) *No Court shall take cognizance—*

(*a*) *of any offence punishable under sections 172 to 188* (*both inclusive*) *of the Indian Penal Code, except on the complaint in writing of the public servant concerned, or of some other public servant to whom he is subordinate ;*

Prosecution for contempt of lawful authority of public servants.

XLV of 1860.

(*b*) *of any offence punishable under sections 193, 194, 195, 196, 199, 200, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, or 228, of the same Code, when such offence is alleged to have been committed in, or in relation to, any*

Prosecution for certain offences against public justice.

proceeding in any Court, except on the complaint in writing of such Court, or of some other Court to which such Court is subordinate, or of the Local Government or some officer duly authorised by it in this behalf ; or

(c) of any offence described in section 463 or punishable under sections 471, 475 or 476 of the same Code, when such offence is alleged to have been committed by a party to any proceeding in any Court in respect of a document produced or given in evidence in such proceeding, except on the complaint in writing of such Court, or of some other Court to which such Court is subordinate, or of the Local Government or some officer duly authorised by it in this behalf."

Prosecution for certain offences relating to documents given in evidence.

(ii) In sub-section (2) of the same section, for the word "means" the word "includes" shall be substituted.

(iii) Sub-sections (4), (5) and (6) of the same section shall be omitted.

(iv) Sub-sections (3) and (7) of the same section shall be re-numbered (3) and (4), respectively.

[Cl. 37.]

Insertion of new section 196B in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

44. *After section 196A of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—*

" 196 B. In the case of any offence referred to in sections 196 or 196A, a District Magistrate or Chief Presidency Magistrate may, notwithstanding anything contained in those sections or in any other part of this Code, order a preliminary inquiry by a police-officer not being below the rank of Inspector, in which case such police-officer shall have the powers referred to in section 155 (3)."

Preliminary inquiry in certain cases.

[Cl. 38.]

Amendment of section 197, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

45. In section 197 of the said Code, for the words " as such Judge or public servant of any offence," the words " of any offence alleged to have been committed by him while acting or purporting to act in the discharge of his official duties" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 39.]

Amendment of section 198, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898

46. To section 198 of the said Code, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

"Provided that, where the person so aggrieved *is a woman who, according to the customs and manners of the country, ought not to be compelled to appear in public, or is under the age of 18 years, or an idiot or lunatic, or is from sickness or infirmity unable to make a complaint, some other person may, with the leave of the Court, make a complaint on his or her behalf.*"

[Cl. 40.]

Amendment of section 199, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

47. To section 199 of the said Code, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

"Provided that, where *such* husband is *under the age of 18 years, or an idiot or lunatic, or is from sickness, infirmity or absence unable to make a complaint, some other person may, with the leave of the Court, make a complaint on his behalf.*"

[Cl. 40-A.]

Insertion of new section 199-A in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

48. *After section 199 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—*

" 199 A. When in any case falling under section 198 or 199, the person on whose behalf the complaint is sought to be made is under the age of 18 years, and the person applying for leave is not the guardian appointed or declared by competent authority, notice shall be given to such guardian (if any), and the Court shall, before granting the application, hear any objection which such guardian may wish to make."

Objection by lawful guardian to complaint by person other than person aggrieved.

[Cl. 41.]

Amendment of section 200, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

49. After proviso (*c*) to section 200 of the said Code, the following proviso shall be inserted, namely :—

" (*aa*) when the complaint is made in writing *and signed* by a public servant acting or purporting to act in the execution of his official duties, a Magistrate may, if he thinks fit, *and shall, when the complaint is made by a Court under section 476,* proceed with the inquiry into or trial of the case without examining the complainant on oath."

[Cl. 42.]

50. In section 202 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 202, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) For sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*), the following sub-sections shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*1*) Any Magistrate on receipt of a complaint of an offence of which he is authorised to take cognizance, *or which has been transferred to him under section 192,* may, if he thinks fit, for reasons to be recorded in writing, after examining the complainant where such examination is prescribed by this Code, postpone the issue of process for compelling the attendance of the person complained against, and either inquire into the case himself or, if he is a Magistrate other than a Magistrate of the third class, direct an inquiry or investigation to be made by any Magistrate subordinate to him, or by a police-officer, or by such other person as he thinks fit, for the purpose of ascertaining the truth or falsehood of the complaint.

Postponement for issue of process.

(*2*) If an inquiry or investigation under this section is made by a person not being a Magistrate or a police-officer, such person shall exercise all the powers conferred by this Code on an officer in charge of a police-station, except that he shall not have power to arrest without warrant."

(*ii*) After sub-section (*2*), the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

" (*2a*) Any Magistrate inquiring into a case under this section may, if he thinks fit, take evidence of witnesses on oath."

[Cl. 43.] **51.** In section 203 of the said Code, for the words "*after examining the complainant and considering the result of the investigation (if any) made under section 202*" the words "*after considering the statement on oath (if any) of the complainant and the result of any previous investigation or inquiry under the preceding section*" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 203, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 44] **52.** *In sub-section (1) of section 206 of the said Code, after the words "or any Magistrate," the words and signs "(not being a Magistrate of the third class)" shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 206, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 45.] **53.** *In sub-section* (2) of section 210 of the said Code, *for the words "the charge" the words "such charge" shall be substituted.*

Amendment of section 210, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 47.] **54.** (*i*) In *sub-section* (1) *of* section 219 of the said Code for the words "The Magistrate" the words "The committing Magistrate or, *in the absence of such Magistrate*, any other Magistrate" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 219, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) In sub-section (2) *of the same section*, for the words "if the accused so require, be given to him free of cost" the words "be given to the accused free of cost" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 48.] **55.** In sub-section (7) of section 221 of the said Code, for the words "has been previously convicted of any offence, and it is intended to prove such previous conviction for the purpose of affecting the punishment which the Court is competent to award," the following shall be substituted, namely :—

Amendment of section 221, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"having been previously convicted of any offence, is liable, by reason of such previous conviction, to enhanced punishment *or to punishment of a different kind*, for a subsequent offence, and it is intended to prove such previous conviction for the purpose of affecting the punishment which the Court may think fit to award for the subsequent offence,"

and for the words "is omitted" the words "has been omitted" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 49.] **56.** *In section 234 of the said Code—*

(*i*) *In sub-section* (1) *after the words "such offences" the words "whether in respect of the same person or not" shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 234, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) *To sub-section* (2), *the following proviso shall be added, namely* :—

"*Provided that, for the purpose of this section, an offence punishable under section 379 of the* XLV of 1860. *Indian Penal Code shall be deemed to be an offence of the same kind as an offence punishable under section 380 of the said Code, and that an offence punishable under any section of the Indian Penal Code, or of any special or local law, shall be deemed to be an offence of the same kind as an attempt to commit such offence, when such an attempt is an offence.*"

Amendment of section 237 Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 50.] **57** Sub-section (2) of section 237 of the said Code shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 238, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 51.] **58.** After sub-section (2) of section 238 of the said Code, the following sub-section shall be *inserted*, namely :—

"(2*a*) When an accused is charged with an offence, he may be convicted of an attempt to commit such offence although the attempt is not separately charged."

Substitution of section 239, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 52.] **59.** For section 239 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

"239. The following persons may be charged and tried together, namely :—

What persons may be charged jointly.

(*a*) persons accused of the same offence *committed by them in the same transaction*;

(*b*) persons accused of an offence and persons accused of abetment, or of an attempt to commit such offence;

(*c*) persons accused of more than one offence of the same kind within the meaning of section 234 committed by them *jointly* within the period of twelve months;

(*d*) persons accused of different offences committed in *the course of* the same transaction;

(*e*) persons accused of offences which include theft, extortion, or criminal misappropriation, and persons accused of receiving or retaining, or assisting in the disposal or concealment of, property possession of which has been transferred by offences *committed by the first named persons*, or of abetment of or attempting to commit any of the last named offences;

(*f*) *persons accused of offences under sections 411 and 414 of the Indian Penal Code or either of those sections in respect of stolen property the possession of which has been transferred by one offence*; and XLV of 1860.

(*g*) persons accused of any offence under Chapter XII of the Indian Penal Code relating to counterfeit coin, and persons accused of any other offence under the said Chapter relating to the same coin, or of abetment of or attempting to commit any such offence. XLV of 1860.

And the provisions contained in the former part of this Chapter shall, so far as may be, apply to all such charges."

[Cl. 53.] **60.** In section 243 of the said Code, for the words "shall convict," the words "may convict" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 243, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 54.] **61.** In section 244 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 244, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(1) *In sub-section (1), before the words "If the accused" the words "If the Magistrate does not convict the accused under the preceding section, or" shall be inserted.*

(2) *In sub-section (2) for the words "process to compel the attendance of any witness or the production of" the words "a summons to any witness directing him to attend or to produce" shall be substituted.*

[Cl. 55.] **62.** In sub-section (2) of section 245 of the said Code, after the word "shall," the words "unless he proceeds in accordance with the provisions of section 349 or section 562" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 245, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 56.] **63.** In section 250 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 250, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) For sub-sections (1) and (2), the following sub-sections shall be substituted, namely:—

"(1) If, in any case instituted upon complaint or upon information given to a police-officer, one or more persons is or are accused before a Magistrate of any offence triable by a Magistrate, and the Magistrate by whom the case is heard discharges or acquits all or any of the accused, and is of opinion that the accusation against them or any of them was *false and either* frivolous or vexatious, the Magistrate may, in his discretion, by his order of discharge or acquittal, call upon the person upon whose complaint or information the accusation was made, forthwith to show cause why he should not pay compensation to such accused, or to each or any of such accused when there are more than one.

False, frivolous or vexatious accusations.

(2) The Magistrate shall record and consider any cause which such complainant or informant may show, and if he is satisfied that the accusation was *false and either* frivolous or vexatious may, for reasons to be recorded, direct that compensation not exceeding *one hundred rupees* be paid by such complainant or informant to the accused or to each or any of them.

(2a) Compensation for the payment of which an order is made under sub-section (2) shall be recoverable as if it were a fine, and the Magistrate may, by the order directing payment of the same, further order that, in default of payment, the person ordered to pay such compensation shall suffer simple imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

(2b) When any person is imprisoned under sub-section (2a), the provisions of sections 68 and 69 of the Indian Penal Code shall, so far as may be, apply.

of 1860.

(2c) *No person who has been directed to pay compensation to an accused under this section shall, by reason of such order, be exempted from any civil or criminal liability in respect of the complaint made or information given by him:*

Provided that, any amount paid to an accused person under this section shall be taken into account in awarding compensation to such person in any subsequent civil suit relating to the same matter."

(ii) In sub-section (3), for the word and figure "sub-section (1)" the word and figure "sub-section (2)" shall be substituted.

(iii) *In sub-section (4), after the words "appeal has been decided" the following shall be added, namely:—*

"or, in other cases, until the expiration of one month from the date of such order."

(iv) *Sub-section (5) shall be omitted.*

[Cl. 56-A.] **64.** *After section 255 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—*

Insertion of new section 255-A, in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"255A. In a case where a previous conviction is charged under the provisions of section 221 (7), and the accused does not admit that he has been previously convicted as alleged in the charge, the Magistrate may, after he has convicted the said accused under section 255 (2) or section 258, take evidence in respect of the alleged previous conviction and shall record a finding thereon."

Procedure in case of previous convictions.

[Cl. 57.] **65.** In sub-section (1) of section 256 of the said Code, after the words "to state" the words "*either* forthwith, *or, if the Magistrate thinks fit, at the commencement of the next hearing of the case*" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 256, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 58.] **66.** In sub-section (2) of section 258 of the said Code, after the word "shall," the words "unless he proceeds in accordance with the provisions of section 349 or section 562" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 258, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 59.] **67.** In section 259 of the said Code, *the words "and the offence may be lawfully compounded" shall be omitted.*

Amendment of section 259, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 60.] **68.** In *second clause (c) of* sub-section (1) of section 260 of the said Code, *before the word "hurt" the following words and figures shall be inserted, namely, "attempts to commit suicide under section 309 and."*

Amendment of section 260, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 61.] **69.** In section 261 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 261, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) In clause (a), for the word and figures "and 447," the figures and word "447 and 504" shall be substituted.

(ii) *In clause (b), after the words "one month," the words "with or without fine" shall be added.*

[Cl. 61-A.] **70.** *In section 266 of the said Code, after the words "for the purposes of this Chapter," the words "and of Chapter XVIII" shall be added.*

Amendment of section 266, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 62.] **71.** In the third proviso to section 276 of the said Code, for the words "in the presidency-towns" the words "in a trial before any High Court *in the town which is the usual place of sitting of such High Court*" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 276 Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 63.] **72.** *In* section 288 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 288, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) *For the words "duly taken in the presence of the accused before the committing Magistrate" the words "duly recorded in the presence of the accused under Chapter XVIII" shall be substituted;*

(*ii*) After the words "as evidence in the case," *the words* "*for all purposes*" shall be added.

[Cl. 67.] Amendment of section 292, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

73. *In* section 292 of the said Code, *for the words* "*adduces any evidence*" *the words* "*examines any witness under the provisions of section 290*" *shall be substituted, and the following proviso shall be added to the section, namely*:—

"*Provided that the prosecutor may in any case, with the leave of the Court, be heard in reply on a point of law.*"

[Cl. 68.] Amendment of section 306, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

74. In sub-section (*2*) of section 306 of the said Code, after the word "shall," where it occurs for the second time, the words "unless he proceeds in accordance with the provisions of section 562" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 69.] Amendment of section 307, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

75. In section 307 of the said Code—

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*):—

(*i*) For the words "the accused" the words "any accused person" shall be substituted;

(*ii*) After the words "to submit the case," the words "in respect of such accused person" shall be inserted;

(*iii*) *After the words* "*considers to have been committed,*" *the following shall be added, namely*:—

"*and in such case, if the accused is further charged under the provisions of section 310, shall proceed to try him on such charge as if such verdict had been one of conviction.*"

(*2*) In sub-sections (*2*) *and* (*3*), for the words "the accused" wherever they occur, the words "such accused" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 70.] Amendment of section 309, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

76. In section 309 of the said Code—

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), for the words "*and shall then require each of the assessors to state his opinion orally*, and shall record such opinion" *the following shall be substituted, namely*:—

"*and the assessors shall then state their opinions on all the charges on which the accused has been tried, and the Judge may ask them such questions as are necessary to ascertain what their opinions are. All* such questions and the answers *to them* shall be recorded."

(*ii*) In sub-section (*3*) after the word 'shall" the words "unless he proceeds in accordance with the provisions of section 562" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 71. Substitution of section 310, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

77. For section 310 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

"310. In the case of a trial by a jury or with the aid of assessors, when the accused is charged with an offence, and further charged that he is by reason of a previous conviction liable to enhanced punishment, *or to punishment of a different kind*, for such subsequent offence, the procedure *prescribed by* the foregoing provisions of this Chapter shall be modified as follows, namely:— Procedure in case of previous conviction.

(*a*) *Such further charge shall not be read out in Court and the* accused shall not be *asked* to plead *thereto*, nor shall *the same be referred to by the prosecution*, or any evidence adduced *thereon, unless and* until,

(*i*) he has been convicted of the subsequent offence, or

(*ii*) *the jury have delivered their verdict*, or the opinions of the assessors have been recorded, on the charge of the subsequent offence.

(*b*) In the case of a trial held with the aid of assessors, the Court may, in its discretion, *proceed or* refrain from proceeding with the trial of the accused on the charge of the previous conviction."

[Cl. 72.] Substitution of section 312, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

78. For section 312 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

"312. The High Court *may* prescribe the number of persons whose names shall be entered at any one time in the special jurors' list." Number of special jurors.

[Cl. 73.] Substitution of section 315, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

79. In sub-section (*1*) of section 315 of the said Code, *for* the words "*in each* presidency-town" the words "*in the town which is the usual place of sitting of each High Court*" shall be *substituted*, and for the words "at least twenty-seven of those who are liable to serve on special juries, and fifty-four of those who are liable to serve on common juries," the words "as many of those who are liable to serve on special or common juries respectively as the Clerk of the Crown considers necessary" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 74.] Amendment of section 316, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

80. In section 316 of the said Code, *for* the words "presidency-towns" the words "*town which is the usual place of sitting of such High Court*" shall be *substituted*.

[Cl. 75.] Amendment of section 337, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

81. In section 337 of the said Code—

(*1*) In sub-section (*1*):—

(i) *after the words* "*triable exclusively by the Court of Session or High Court*" *the words* "*or punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to seven years*" *shall be inserted*,

(ii) *for the words* "*any Magistrate of the first class inquiring into the offence or with the sanction of the District Magistrate any other Magistrate*," *the words* "*a Sub-divisional Magistrate or, with the sanction of the District Magistrate, any Magistrate of the first class*" *shall be substituted*;

(iii) *After the words* "*commission thereof*" *the following shall be added, namely*:—

"*Every Magistrate, other than a Presidency Magistrate, who tenders a pardon under this sub-section shall record his reasons for so doing.*"

(*2*) *In sub-section* (*2*), *for the word* "*case*," *the words* "*Court of the Magistrate inquiring into the offence*" *shall be substituted.*

(*3*) After sub section (*2*) the following sub section shall be inserted. namely:—

"(*2a*) *In every case where a person has accepted* a tender of pardon *and* has been examined under sub-section (*2*), the Magistrate before whom the proceedings are pending shall, if he is satisfied that there are reasonable grounds for believing that the accused is guilty of *an* offence, commit him for trial to the Court of Session or High Court, as the case may be:

"Provided that, if *any Magistrate in the district* has been invested with powers under section 30 and has not himself tendered the pardon, the case may be *transferred to such Magistrate for trial, if otherwise triable by him*, instead of being committed to the Court of Session."

(*4*) In sub-section (*3*), for the words "if not on bail," the words "unless he is already on bail" shall be substituted.

(*5*) *Sub-section* (*4*) *shall be omitted.*

[Cl. 76.] **82.** (*i*) In *sub-section* (*1*) *of* section 339 of the said Code, after *the figures and words "section 338 and"* the words *"it is alleged by the prosecution that"* shall be inserted, and at the end of the said sub-section, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 339, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"Provided that such person shall not be tried jointly with any of the other accused, and that he shall be entitled to plead *at such trial* that he has complied with the conditions upon which such tender was made; *in which case it shall be for the prosecution to prove that such conditions have not been complied with."*

(ii) *In sub-section* (*2*) *of the same section, for the words "when the pardon has been forfeited under this section" the words "at such trial" shall be substituted.*

[Cl. 77.] **83.** For section 340 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

Substitution of section 340, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"340. (*1*) Any person accused of an offence before a criminal Court, or against whom proceedings are instituted under this Code in any such Court, may of right be defended by a pleader.

Right of person against whom proceedings are instituted to be defended and his competency to be a witness.

(*2*) Any person against whom proceedings are instituted in any such Court under Chapters X, XI, XII or XXXVI or under section 552 may, *if he so desires*, be examined as a witness in such proceedings."

[Cl. 78.] **84.** In section 345 of the said Code,—

Amendment of section 345, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) *In sub-section* (*1*), *for the word "described" the word "specified" shall be substituted.*

(*ii*) For sub-section (*2*) the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*2*) The offences punishable under the sections of the Indian Penal Code *specified* in the first two columns of the table next following may, with the permission of the Court before which any prosecution for such offence is pending, be compounded by the persons mentioned in the third column of that table :—

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Offence.	Sections of the Indian Penal Code applicable.	Persons by whom offence may be compounded.
Voluntarily causing hurt by dangerous weapons or means.	324	The person to whom hurt is caused.
Voluntarily causing grievous hurt.	325	Ditto.
Voluntarily causing grievous hurt on grave and sudden provocation.	335	Ditto.
Causing hurt by doing an act so rashly and negligently as to endanger human life or the personal safety of others.	337	Ditto.
Causing grievous hurt by doing an act so rashly and negligently as to endanger human life or the personal safety of others.	338	Ditto.
Wrongfully confining any person for three days or more.	343	The person confined.
Wrongfully confining a person in secret.	346	Ditto.
Assault or criminal force in attempting wrongfully to confine a person.	357	The person assaulted or to whom the force was used.
Mischief by injury to work of irrigation by wrongfully diverting water when the only loss or damage caused is loss or damage to a private person.	430	*The person to whom the loss or damage is caused.*
House-trespass to commit an offence (other than theft) punishable with imprisonment.	451	The person in possession of the house trespassed upon.
Uttering words or sounds or making gestures or exhibiting any object intending to insult the modesty of a woman or intruding upon the privacy of a woman.	509	The woman whom it is intended to insult or whose privacy is intruded upon.

(*iii*) *After sub-section* (*3*), *the following sub-sections shall be inserted, namely* :—

"(3a) Where the person who would be otherwise competent to compound an offence under sub-sections (1) and (2) is a person to whom the proviso to section 198 would apply, the offence may be compounded by any other person who would be competent to file a complaint on his or her behalf.

(*4*) Any person making a complaint of an offence other than an offence specified in sub-section (*1*) or sub-section (*2*) may, with the permission of the Court before which any prosecution for such offence is pending, compound such offence if it is not punishable with death or transportation or imprisonment for a period exceeding six months."

(*iv*) *Sub-section* (*4*) *shall be omitted.*

(*v*) *In sub-section* (*6*), *after the word "accused" the words "with whom the offence has been compounded" shall be added.*

[Cl. 79.] **85.** In sub-section (*1*) of section 347 of the said Code, the words "stop further proceedings, and" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 347, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 80.] **86.** (*i*) Section 348 of the said Code shall be re-numbered 348 (*1*), and in the said section, as re-numbered, after the word "shall" the words "if the Magistrate *before whom the case is pending* is satisfied that there are *sufficient* grounds for *committing the accused*" shall be inserted, *and the words "before whom the proceedings are pending" shall be omitted.*

Amendment of section 348, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) *In the proviso to the said section, for the words "the District Magistrate," the words "any Magistrate in the district" shall be substituted.*

(*iii*) To the same section the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

"(*2*) When any person is committed to the Court of Session or High Court under sub-section (*1*), any other person accused jointly with him in the same inquiry or trial shall be similarly committed, *provided that the Magistrate may, if he thinks fit, discharge such other person under section 209.*"

[Cl. 81.] **87.** After sub-section (*1*) of section 349, the following sub-section shall be inserted namely :—

Amendment of section 349, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*1a*) When more *accused* than one are being tried together and the Magistrate considers it necessary to proceed under sub-section (*1*) in *regard to any* of such accused, he shall forward all the accused who are in his opinion guilty to the District Magistrate or Sub-divisional Magistrate."

[Cl. 82.] **88.** *In* sub-section (*2*) of section 350 of the said Code, *after the figures "346" the words "or in which proceedings have been submitted to a superior Magistrate under section 349" shall be added, and* after *the same sub-section*, the following *sub-sections* shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 350, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*3*) When a case is transferred under the provisions of this Code from one Magistrate to another, the former shall be deemed to cease to exercise jurisdiction therein and to be succeeded by the latter within the meaning of sub-section (*1*).

(4) The provisions of this section shall apply, so far as may be, to proceedings before any Bench of Magistrates constituted under section 15, whenever the Magistrates sitting together in any proceeding are not the same as those who were sitting together at the last hearing thereof."

[Cl. 84.] **89.** *In section 362 of the said Code,—*

Amendment of section 362, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) In sub-section (1), for the words "in which a Presidency Magistrate imposes a fine exceeding two hundred rupees, or imprisonment for a term exceeding six months, he" the words "tried by a Presidency Magistrate in which an appeal lies, such Magistrate" shall be substituted.

(ii) In sub section (3) after the word "sentence" the words "unless they are sentences of imprisonment ordered to run concurrently" shall be added.

(iii) After sub-section (3) the following sub-section shall be added, namely :-

"*(4)* In cases other than those specified in sub-section *(1)*, it shall not be necessary for a Presidency Magistrate to record the evidence or frame a charge."

[Cl. 85.] **90** In section 365 of the said Code, for the word "may" the word "shall" shall be substituted, and the words and signs "(if any)" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 365, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 86.] **91.** *To* section 367 of the said Code, *the following proviso shall be added, namely :—*

Amendment of section 367, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"Provided further that a judgment of a High Court, Court of Session or any Magistrate empowered by the Local Government in this behalf, may be taken down from the dictation of the Presiding Officer of the Court, in which case, every page of such judgment shall be signed by such Presiding Officer."

[Cl. 86A.] **92.** *To, section 378 of the said Code, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—*

Amendment of section 378, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"Provided that, if any Judge being a member of such Bench so require, such case shall be re-heard before them and another Judge or, if the Chief Justice or the Judicial Commissioner so direct, before three other Judges, and the judgment or order shall follow the opinion of the majority of the Judges so re-hearing such case."

[Cl. 87.] **93.** *(i)* Section 386 of the said Code *shall be renumbered 386 (1), and in the said section as re-numbered for the word "distress" the word "attachment" shall be substituted.*

Amendment of section 386, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(ii) To the said section the following *sub-section and proviso* shall be added, namely :—

"*(2)* The Local Government may make rules regulating the manner in which warrants under this section are to be executed, and for the summary determination of any claims made by any person other than the offender in respect of any property attached in execution of such warrant :

Provided that, in any case, the Court may authorise the Collector of the District to realise the fine by execution according to civil process, in which case the order of such Court shall be deemed to be a decree, and such Collector to be the decree-holder, within the meaning of the Civil Procedure Code, 1908, and the same shall be executed by the nearest Civil Court by which any decree for a like amount could be executed, and all the provisions of that Code as to execution of decrees shall apply accordingly." V of 19

[Cl. 88.] **94.** In section 387 of the said Code, *for the words "Such warrant" the words "A warrant issued under section 386 (1)" shall be substituted, and* for the word "distress," the word "attachment" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 387, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 89.] **95.** In sub-section *(1)* of section 388 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 388, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) For the words "and the Court issues a warrant under section 386, it," the words "the Court" shall be substituted.

(ii) For the words "on the day appointed for the return to such warrant such day not being," the words "on a date not" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 90.] **96.** In section 395 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 395, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) In sub-section *(1)*, after the words "twelve months" the words "or to a fine not exceeding *five hundred* rupees" shall be inserted.

(ii) In sub-section *(2)*, after the words "for a term" the words "or fine of an amount" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 91] **97.** In section 397 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 397, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) After the words "to which he has been previously sentenced," the words "unless the Court directs that the subsequent sentence shall run concurrently with such previous sentence" shall be inserted.

(ii) To the same section the following *Explanation* shall be added, namely :—

"*Explanation.*—An order under section 123 directing that a person be committed to or detained in prison in default of furnishing security is a sentence of imprisonment within the meaning of this section"

[Cl. 92.] **98** In section 401 of the said Code—

(i) In sub-section *(2)*, after the words "together with his reasons for such opinion," the following words shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 401, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"and also to forward with the statement of such opinion *a certified copy of* the record of the trial *or of such record thereof as exists.*"

(ii) In sub-section (5) of the same section, after the words "Her Majesty" the words "or of the Governor General when such right is delegated to him" shall be inserted.

(iii) After sub-section *(6)*, the following *Explanation* shall be added, namely :—

"*Explanation.*—A person committed to or detained in prison in accordance with the provisions of section 123 is a person sentenced to punishment for an offence *within the meaning* of this section."

Cl. 93.] **99.** Section 402 of the said Code shall be re-numbered section 402 (*1*), and to the said section the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 402, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*2*) Nothing in this section shall affect the provisions of the Indian Penal Code, sections *54 or* 55."

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Cl. 94.] **100.** (*1*) In section 406 of the said Code, after the word "security," the words "for keeping the peace or" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 406, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*2*) To the same section the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

"Provided that nothing in this section shall apply to *persons* the proceedings *against whom* are laid before a Sessions Judge in accordance with the provisions of sub-section (*2*) *or sub-section* (*3a*) of section 123."

Cl. 94A.] **101.** *After section 406 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted namely* :—

Insertion of new section 406-A. in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"*406-A. Any person aggrieved by an order refusing to accept a surety under section 122 may appeal against such order*—

Appeal from order refusing to accept a surety

(*a*) *if made by a Presidency Magistrate, to the High Court* ;

(*b*) *if made by the District Magistrate, to the Court of Session* ; *or*

(*c*) *if made by a Magistrate other than the District Magistrate, to the District Magistrate.*"

Cl. 95.] **102.** In sub-section (*1*) of section 407 of the said Code, after the figures "349", the words and figures "or in respect of whom an order has been made or a sentence passed under section 380" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 407, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

103. In section 408 of the said Code—

(*i*) After the figures "349" the following words shall be inserted, namely, "or in respect of whom an order has been made or a sentence passed under section 380."

Amendment of section 408, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*ii*) *For clause* (*a*) *of the proviso the following shall be substituted, namely* :—

(*a*) *Any European British subject so convicted may, in lieu of appealing to the Court of Session, appeal to the High Court, and if he so appeals, the appeal of any other person tried jointly and convicted with him shall also be heard by the High Court.*"

(*iii*) In clause (*b*) of the proviso after the word "appeal," the following words shall be inserted, namely :—

"of all or any of the accused sentenced at such trial."

Cl. 97.] **104.** *After* section 415 of the said Code, the following *section* shall be *inserted*, namely :—

Insertion of new section 415-A. Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"*415A. Notwithstanding anything contained in this Chapter, when more persons than one are convicted in one trial, and any of such persons in respect of whom an appealable judgment or order has been passed, appeals,* all or any of the persons convicted at such trial shall have a right of appeal."

Special right of appeal in certain cases.

Cl. 98.] **105.** Section 418 of the said Code shall be re-numbered section 418 (*1*), and to the said section the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 418, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"(*2*) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (*1*) or in section 423, sub-section (*2*), when, in the case of a trial by jury, any person is sentenced to death, any other person convicted in the same trial with the person so sentenced, may appeal on a matter of fact as well as a matter of law."

Cl. 99.] **106.** *To* section 429 of the said Code the following *proviso* shall be *added*, namely :—

Amendment of section 429, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"*Provided that, if either of the Judges composing the Court of appeal so require, the appeal shall be re-heard before them and another Judge, or if the Chief Justice or the Judicial Commissioner so direct, before three other Judges, and the judgment or order shall follow the opinion of the majority of the Judges so re-hearing the case.*"

Cl. 100.] **107.** In section 435 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 435, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) To sub-section (*1*), the following words shall be added after the words "proceedings of such inferior Court," namely :—

"and may when calling for such record direct that the execution of any sentence be suspended, and, if the accused is in confinement, that he be released on bail or on his own bond pending the examination of the record."

(*ii*) After *the same* sub-section the following *Explanation* shall be added, namely :—

"*Explanation.*—All Magistrates, whether exercising original or appellate jurisdiction, *shall be deemed to be* inferior to the Sessions Judge *for the purposes* of this *sub*-section."

(*iii*) For sub-section (*3*) the following shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*3*) Orders made under sections 143 *or* 144, *or proceedings under Chapter XII, or under sections 176, 476, 476A. or 476B*, are not proceedings within the meaning of this section.".

Cl. 101.] **108.** In section 436 of the said Code, for the words "instead of directing a fresh inquiry, order him," the words "direct that further inquiry be made into the case or order the accused" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 436, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

Cl. 102.] **109.** In section 437 of the said Code, for the words "accused person" the words "person accused of an offence" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 437, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 103.] **110.** In sub-section (*2*) of section 438 of the said Code, after the words "*by the Sessions Judge*" *the words "or in respect of all cases if the Sessions Judge by general order so directs"* shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 438, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 104.] **111.** In section 464 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 464, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) After sub-section (*1*), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:—

"(*1a*) Pending such examination and inquiry, the Magistrate may deal with the accused in accordance with the provisions of section 466."

(*ii*) In sub-section (*2*), after the word "be" the words "shall record a finding to that effect and" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 105.] **112.** In sub-section (*1*) of section 465 of the said Code, for the words "and if satisfied of the fact, shall pass judgment accordingly and thereupon the trial shall be postponed," the following words shall be substituted, namely:

Amendment of section 465, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"and if the jury or Court is satisfied of the fact, the Judge shall record *a* finding *to that effect*, and shall postpone further proceedings in the case and the jury, if any, shall be discharged."

[Cl. 106.] **113.** In section 466 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 466, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), for the words "if the case is one in which bail may be taken," the words "whether the case is one in which bail may be taken or not" shall be substituted.

(*ii*) For sub-section (*2*) the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:—

"(2) If the case is one in which, in the opinion of the Magistrate or Court, bail should not be taken, or if sufficient security is not given, the Magistrate or Court, as the case may be, shall order the accused to be *detained* in safe custody in such place and manner as he or it may think fit, *and shall report the action taken to the Local Government.*

Custody of lunatic.

Provided,

(*a*) that no order for the detention of the accused in a lunatic asylum shall be made otherwise than in accordance with such rules as the Local Government may *have made under the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912, and*

(*b*) *that the Local Government may vary any order of detention made under this sub-section, and may direct any person in respect of whom such order has been made to be detained in a lunatic asylum, jail or other place of safe custody.*"

[Cl. 107.] **114.** *In* sub-section (*2*) of section 468 of the said Code, *the word "person" shall be omitted, and* the following words shall be added, after the words "as the case may be," namely:—

Amendment of section 468, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"and *if the accused is found to be of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence*, shall deal with such accused in accordance with the provisions of section 466."

[Cl. 108.] **115.** (*1*) *In* sub-section (*1*) of section 471 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 471, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(*i*) *For the words "such judgment," the words "the finding" shall be substituted;*

(*ii*) *For the word "kept," the word "detained" shall be substituted; and*

(*iii*) *After the words "Court thinks fit," the words "and shall report the action taken to the Local Government" shall be inserted.*

(*2*) *After* sub-section (*1*) of *the same* section, the following provisos *and sub-section* shall be added, namely:—

"Provided that the Magistrate or Court may, on the application of any relative or friend of the accused, *in lieu of ordering him to be detained under this sub-section*, order him to be delivered to such relative or friend on *his giving security, to the satisfaction of such Magistrate or Court, that the person delivered shall be properly taken care of and prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, and be produced for the inspection of such officer, and at such times and places, as such Magistrate or Court directs*:

"Provided further that no order for the detention of the accused in a lunatic asylum shall be made otherwise than in accordance with such rules as the Local Government may *have made under the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912.* IV of 1912

"(*2*) *The Local Government may vary any order of detention made under sub-section* (*1*), *and may direct any person in respect of whom such order has been made to be detained in a jail, lunatic asylum or other suitable place of safe custody.*"

(*3*) *Sub-section* (*4*) *of the same section shall be re-numbered* (*3*).

[Cl. 108A. **116.** *In section 473 of the said Code, for the word "confined," the word "detained" shall be substituted, and for the words "such Inspector-General or visitors" the words "in the case of a person detained in a jail the Inspector-General of Prisons, or in the case of a person detained in a lunatic asylum, the visitors of such asylum or any two of them," shall be substituted.*

Amendment of section 473, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl 109. **117.** In section 474 of the said Code, *for the word "confined," the word "detained" shall be substituted; for the words "discharged" and "discharge" wherever they occur, the word "released" and "release," respectively, shall be substituted; and the words and figures "section 466 or" shall be omitted.*

Amendment of section 474, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 110.] **118.** For section 475 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

Substitution of section 475, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"475 (*1*) Whenever any relative or friend of any person *detained* under the provisions of section 466 or section 471 desires that he shall be delivered to his care and custody, *the Local Government*

Delivery of lunatic to care of relative or friend.

may, upon the application of such relative or friend and on his giving security to the satisfaction of such *Local Government* that the person delivered shall—

(*a*) be properly taken care of and prevented from doing injury to himself or to any other person, and

(*b*) be produced for the inspection of such officer, and at such times and places, as the *Local Government may direct*, and

(*c*) in the case of a person *detained* under section 466, be produced when required before such Magistrate or Court,

order such person to be delivered to such relative or friend.

(*2*) If the person so delivered is accused of any offence, the trial of which has been postponed by reason of his being of unsound mind and incapable of making his defence, and the inspecting officer *referred to in* sub-section (*1*) clause (*b*) certifies at any time to the Magistrate or Court that such person is capable of making his defence, such Magistrate or Court shall call upon the relative or friend to whom such accused was delivered to produce him before the Magistrate or Court ; and upon such production, the Magistrate or Court shall proceed in accordance with the provisions of section 468, and the certificate of the inspecting officer shall be receivable as evidence."

[Cl. 111.] Substitution of section 476, and insertion of new sections 476A, 476B, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

119. *For* section 476 of the said Code, *the following sections shall be substituted, namely* :—

"476. (1) When any Civil, Revenue or Criminal Court is of opinion that it is expedient, in the interests of justice, that an inquiry should be made into any offence referred to in section 195 (1) (b) or (c) and alleged to have been committed before it or brought under its notice in the course of a judicial proceeding, such Court shall make a complaint thereof in writing signed by the presiding officer of the Court, and shall forward the same to the nearest first class Magistrate having jurisdiction, and may, if the alleged offence is non-bailable, send the accused in custody to, or in any other case may take sufficient security for his appearance before such Magistrate, and may bind over any person to appear and give evidence before such Magistrate.

Procedure in cases mentioned in section 195.

For the purposes of this sub-section, a Chief Presidency Magistrate shall be deemed to be a first-class Magistrate.

(2) Such Magistrate shall thereupon proceed according to law and as if upon complaint made and recorded under section 200.

(3) Where it is brought to the notice of such Magistrate, or of any other Magistrate to whom the case may have been transferred, that an appeal is pending against the decision arrived at in the judicial proceeding out of which the matter has arisen, he may, if he thinks it expedient, in the interests of justice, at any stage adjourn the hearing of the case until such appeal is decided.

476A. A complaint under section 476 (1) may be made by any of the Courts referred to in section 195, sub-section (1) or sub-section (3) either of its own motion, or upon the application of any party to the judicial proceeding out of which the matter has arisen, and no Court shall be precluded from making such complaint only by the fact that the Court subordinate to it has refused so to do.

What Courts may complain under section 195.

Explanation.—For the purposes of this section, the word "party" shall, in the case of any criminal proceeding, include the Crown.

476B. Any person being either a party to such proceeding or a person against whom a complaint has been made under section 476 or section 476A, who is aggrieved by the action taken by any Court under either of the two preceding sections, may apply within one month thereafter to the Court to which appeals from the former Court ordinarily lie as defined by section 195 (3), and the superior Court may thereupon, after notice to the parties concerned, direct the withdrawal of a complaint already filed, or may itself make a complaint in respect of any of the offences referred to in section 195 (1) (b) or (c), and may take any other action which might have been taken by such subordinate Court under section 476 (1).

Application to superior Court.

The expression "action taken" in this section shall include the making of a complaint and the refusal so to do."

[Cl. 112.] Amendment of section 488, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

120. In section 488 of the said Code—

(*1*) In sub-section (*3*), *for the words "wilfully neglects" the words "fails without sufficient cause" shall be substituted.*

(*2*) To the same sub-section, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

"Provided further that no warrant shall be issued for the recovery of any amount due under this section unless application be made to the Court to levy such amount within a period of one year from the date on which it became due."

(*3*) Sub-section (*7*) *shall be omitted.*

(*4*) *Sub-sections (8) and (9) shall be renumbered (7) and (8), respectively, and in the last named sub-section* for the words "The accused may be proceeded against," the words "Proceedings under this section may be taken against any person" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 114.] Amendment of section 491, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

121. In sub-section (*3*) of section 491 of the said Code, after the figures "1858," the words and figures "or the Indian Extradition Act, 1903" shall be added.

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[Cl. 115.] Amendment of section 492, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

122. In sub-section (*2*) of section 492 of the said Code—

(*i*) The words "In any case committed for trial to the Court of Session", shall be omitted, and

for the words "such case," the words "any case" shall be substituted.

(ii) After the words "for the purpose of such case" the following shall be added, namely :—

"The expression Assistant District Superintendent in this sub-section shall be deemed to include any person authorised by the Local Government to perform all or any of the duties of a District Superintendent."

[Cl. 116.] **123.** In section 494 of the said Code—

(i) The words "appointed by the Governor General in Council or the Local Government" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 494, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(ii) After the words "prosecution of any person" the words *"either generally or in respect of any one or more* of the offences for which he is being tried" shall be inserted.

(iii) After the word "discharged" in sub-clause (*a*), the words "in respect of such offence or offences" shall be inserted.

(iv) After the word "acquitted" in sub-clause (*b*), the words "in respect of such offence or offences" shall be added.

[Cl. 116A.] **124.** *In section 496 of the said Code, after the words "such person," the words "save as provided in section 107 (4) and 117 (3)" shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 496, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 117.] **125.** To sub-section (*1*) of section 497 of the said Code, the following proviso shall be added, namely :—

Amendment of section 497, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"Provided that the Court may, in any case, for reasons to be recorded, direct that any *person under the age of sixteen, or any* woman, or sick or infirm person accused of a non-bailable offence, be released on bail."

[Cl. 118.] **126.** *In sub-section (1) of section 504 of the said Code, for the words "the said Presidency Magistrate," the words "such Presidency Magistrate" shall be substituted.*

Amendment of section 504, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(ii) After *the same* sub-section, the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*1a*) When a commission is issued under this section to a Chief Presidency Magistrate, he may delegate his powers and duties under the commission to any other Presidency Magistrate subordinate to him."

[Cl. 119.] **127** In sub-section (*1*) of section 505 of the said Code, after the word "directed" the words "or to whom the duty of executing such commission has been delegated" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 505, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 120.] **128.** In section 514 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 514, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) In sub-section (3), for the word "distress," the word "attachment" shall be substituted;

(ii) In sub-section (*6*), the words "but the party who gave the bond may be required to find a new surety" shall be omitted, and after the said sub-section, the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*7*) When any person who has furnished security under section 106 or section 118 or section 562 is convicted of an offence the commission of which constitutes a breach of the conditions of his bond, *the fact of such conviction when proved shall be conclusive as to such breach; provided that in any case where such person has been convicted solely on his own plea, it shall be open to the surety to prove that he was not guilty of such offence, but the burden of so proving shall be upon the surety.*"

[Cl. 121.] **129.** After section 514 of the said Code, the following sections shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new sections 514-A., and 514-B., Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"514 A. When any surety to a bond *becomes insolvent or* dies, or when any bond is forfeited under the provisions of section 514, the Court by whose order such bond was taken, or a Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class, may order the person from whom such security was demanded to furnish fresh security in accordance with the directions of the original order, and if such security is not furnished, such Court or Magistrate may proceed as if there had been a default in complying with such original order.

Procedure in case of insolvency or death of surety or when a bond is forfeited.

514B. When the person required by any Court or officer to execute a bond is a minor, such Court or officer may accept in lieu thereof a bond executed by a surety or sureties only."

Bond required from a minor.

[Cl. 122.] **130.** In Chapter XLIII of the said Code, before section 517, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new section 516A, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"516A. When any property regarding which any offence appears to have been committed, or which *appears to have* been used for the commission of any offence, is produced before any criminal Court during any inquiry or trial, the Court may make such order as it thinks fit for the proper custody of such property pending the conclusion of the inquiry or trial, and if the property is subject to speedy or natural decay, may, after recording such evidence as it thinks necessary, order it to be sold or otherwise disposed of."

Order for custody and disposal of property pending trial in certain cases.

[Cl. 123.] **131.** In section 517 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 517, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) In sub-section (*1*), after the word "disposal," the words "by destruction, confiscation, *delivery* to *any* person claiming to be entitled to possession thereof or otherwise" shall be inserted.

(ii) For sub-section (*3*), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*3*) When an order is made under this section, such order shall not, except where the property is livestock or subject to speedy and natural decay, and save as provided *by sub-section* (*4*), be carried out *for one month*, or, when *an* appeal is presented, until such appeal has been disposed of."

(*iii*) After sub-section (*3*), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*4*) Nothing in *this section* shall be deemed to prohibit any Court from *delivering* any property under the provisions of sub-section (*1*) to any person claiming to be entitled to the possession thereof, on his executing a bond with or without sureties to the satisfaction of the Court, engaging to restore such property to the Court if the order made under this section is modified or set aside on appeal."

[Cl. 124.] Amendment of section 522, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

132 In section 522 of the said Code—

(*i*) In sub-section (*1*), after the word "force," whereof it *first* occurs, the words "*or* show of *force* or *by* criminal intimidation" shall be inserted, *and after the word "force" where it occurs for the second time the words "or show of force or criminal intimidation" shall be inserted.*

(*ii*) In the same sub-section, after the words "thinks fit," the words "*when convicting such person or* at any time within *one* month *from* the date of the conviction" shall be inserted.

(*iii*) After sub-section (*2*), the following sub-section shall be added, namely :—

"(*3*) An order under this section may be made by *any* Court *in appeal*, or by a High Court when exercising its powers of revision."

[Cl. 125.] Amendment of section 525, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

133 In section 525 of the said Code, *for the words "or the Magistrate" the words "or if the Magistrate" shall be substituted, and* after the word "owner," the words "or that the value of such property is less than *ten rupees*" shall be inserted.

[Cl. 126.] Amendment of section 526, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

134. In section 526 of the said Code—

(*i*) In sub-clauses (*ii*) and (*iii*) of sub section (*1*), the word "criminal" before the word "case," and in sub-clause (*ii*), the word "such" before the word "cases," shall be omitted.

(*ii*) *After sub-section (6) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely* :—

"(6*a*). *Where any application under this section is rejected or dismissed, the High Court may order that any costs incurred by any person opposing the application shall be paid by the applicant. All costs so directed to be paid shall be recoverable as if they were fines.*"

(*iii*) For sub-section (*8*) the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(8) If before the commencement of *a day's hearing in any trial or inquiry, or before the commencement of the hearing of any appeal*, the Public Prosecutor, the complainant or the accused notifies to the Court before which the case or appeal is pending his intention to make an application under this section in respect of such case or appeal, the Court shall, before the accused is required to enter upon his defence, or before the appeal is heard, adjourn the case or postpone the appeal for such a period as will afford a reasonable time for the application to be made and an order obtained thereon :

Provided that, if in any such case, after the accused has entered on his defence, he desires to apply to the High Court for a transfer of such case on the grounds specified in sub-section (1) (a), he shall be entitled to an immediate adjournment of the hearing upon his entering into a bond, either with or without a surety, conditioned upon his making, within fifteen days thereafter, such application supported by an affidavit by himself or by the pleader appearing on his behalf in which the grounds of such application shall be fully set forth.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, a Sessions Judge shall not be required to adjourn a trial under this sub-section *if he is of opinion that the complainant or accused, as the case may be, has had a reasonable opportunity of making such an application and has failed without sufficient cause to take advantage of it.*"

[Cl. 127.] Amendment of section 527, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

135. In sub-section (*1*) of section 527 of the said Code, the word 'criminal," where it occurs before the word "case" shall be omitted.

[Cl. 128.] Amendment of section 528, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

136. In section 528 of the said Code—

(*i*) After sub-section (*2*), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*2a*) Any Chief Presidency Magistrate or District Magistrate may, by general or special order, empower any Magistrate subordinate to him—

(*a*) to transfer for inquiry or trial any case of which he, or any Magistrate subordinate to such Chief Presidency Magistrate or District Magistrate, as the case may be, has taken cognizance, *or in which any proceedings are pending before him*, to any other such Magistrate competent to inquire into or try the same, and

(*b*) to withdraw any case from, or recall any case made over to, any Magistrate subordinate to such Chief Presidency Magistrate or District Magistrate, and to inquire into or try such case himself :

Provided that no Magistrate other than a Magistrate of the first class shall be empowered by the District Magistrate to transfer, withdraw or recall cases under this sub-section."

(*ii*) For sub-section (*4*) the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*4*) The head of a village under Madras Regulation XI of 1816 or Madras Regulation IV of 1821 is a Magistrate for the purposes of this section."

[Cl. 129.] Amendment of section 537, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

137. In section 537 of the said Code,

(*i*) For clause (*b*) *the following shall be substituted, namely* .—

"(*b*) *of any irregularity in any order under section 196 or section 196A or in any proceedings taken under sections 476, 476A or 476B*, or"

(*ii*) *In clause (d), the word "want," where it occurs after the words "such error, omission, irregularity," shall be omitted.*

(iii) The Illustration to the same section is hereby repealed.

[Cl. 129A.] **138.** *In section 538 of the said Code, for the word "distress" wherever it occurs, the word "attachment" shall be substituted.*

Amendment of section 538, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 130.] **139.** After section 539 of the said Code, the following sections shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new sections 539A and 539B, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"539A. (1) When any application is made to any Court in the course of any inquiry, trial, *appeal or other proceeding* under this Code, and allegations are made therein respecting any public servant, *the applicant may give evidence of the facts alleged in the application by affidavit, and* the Court may, if it thinks fit, order that evidence *relating to such* facts be *so* given: Provided that no accused person shall be *compelled* to make any affidavit himself under this sub-section.

Affidavit in proof of conduct of public servant.

An affidavit to be used before any Court other than a High Court under this section may be sworn *or* affirmed in the manner prescribed in section 539, or before any Magistrate.

Affidavits under this section shall *be confined to and shall* state separately *such* facts *as* the deponent is able to prove from his own knowledge, and *such* facts *as he has reasonable grounds to believe to be true, and in the latter case the deponent shall clearly state the grounds of such belief.*

(2) The Court may order any scandalous *and irrelevant* matter in an affidavit to be struck out or amended.

(3) The Court may order the *attendance* of any person making an affidavit under this section for cross-examination before the Court.

"539B. (1) Any Judge or Magistrate may, at any stage of any inquiry, *trial, appeal or other proceeding, after due notice to the parties,* visit and inspect any place in which an offence is alleged to have been committed, or any other place which it is in his opinion necessary to view, for the purpose of *properly appreciating the evidence given at such* inquiry or trial, and shall record forthwith a memorandum of any *relevant* facts observed at such inspection.

Local inspection.

(2) *Such memorandum shall form part of the record of the case. If the Public Prosecutor, complainant or accused so desires, a copy of the memorandum shall be furnished to him:*

Provided that, in the case of a trial by jury or with the aid of assessors the Judge shall not act under this section unless such jury or assessors have been allowed a view under section 293."

[Cl. 131.] **140.** After section 540 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new section 540A, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"540A. (1) At any stage of an inquiry or trial under this Code, where two or more accused are before the Court, *if the Judge or Magistrate is* satisfied, for reasons to be recorded, that *any one or more* of such accused *is or* are incapable of remaining *before the Court, he may, if such accused is represented by a pleader, dispense with his attendance and proceed with such inquiry or trial in his absence,* and may at any subsequent stage of the proceedings direct the personal attendance of such accused.

Provision for inquiries and trial being held in the absence of accused in certain cases.

(2) *If the accused in any such case is not represented by a pleader, or if the Judge or Magistrate considers his personal attendance necessary, he may, if he thinks fit, and for reasons to be recorded by him, either adjourn such inquiry or trial, or order that the case of such accused be taken up or tried separately."*

[Cl. 132.] **141.** In section 544 of the said Code, the words "with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 544, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898

[Cl. 133.] **142.** In section 545 of the said Code—

Amendment of section 545, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(i) For clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*), the following clause shall be substituted, namely :—

"(*b*) in the payment to any person of compensation for any loss or injury caused by the offence, when substantial compensation is, in the opinion of the Court, recoverable by such person in a Civil Court."

(ii) To sub-section (*1*), the following clause shall be added, namely :—

"(*c*) when any person is convicted of any offence which includes theft, criminal misappropriation, criminal breach of trust, *or* cheating, or *of having dishonestly received or retained* stolen property knowing or having reason to believe the same to be stolen, in compensating any *bond fide purchaser of such property* for the loss of the same, if such property is restored to the possession of the person entitled thereto."

[Cl. 134.] **143.** After section 546 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new section 546A, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"546A. (1) Whenever any complaint of a non-cognizable offence is made to a Court, the Court, if it convicts the accused, shall, in addition to the penalty imposed upon him, order him to pay to the complainant—

Order for payment of certain fees paid by complainant in non-cognizable cases.

(*a*) the fee (if any) paid on the petition of complaint, or for the examination of the complainant, and

(*b*) any fees paid by the complainant for serving processes on his witnesses or on the accused.

(2) *An order under this section may also be made by an Appellate Court, or by the High Court when exercising its powers of revision in any case in which the Court convicting the accused has by error omitted to make such order."*

[Cl. 134A.] **144.** *In section 547 of the said Code, after the word "Code," the words "and not otherwise specifically provided for," shall be inserted.*

Amendment of section 547, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

[Cl. 135.] **145.** After section 559 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new section 559A, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"559A. (1) The powers and duties of a Judge or Magistrate under this Code may, *subject to any other provisions therein contained*, be exercised or performed by his successor in office.

Provision for powers of Judges and Magistrates being exercised by their successors in office.

(2) When *there is any doubt as to who is* the successor in office of any Magistrate, the Chief Presidency Magistrate in a Presidency-town, and the District Magistrate outside such towns, shall determine by order in writing *the* Magistrate *who* shall, for the purposes of this Code or of any proceedings or order thereunder, be deemed to be the successor in office of such Magistrate.

(3) *When there is any doubt as to who is the successor in office of any Additional or Assistant Sessions Judge, the Sessions Judge shall determine by order in writing the Judge who shall, for the purpose of this Code or of any proceedings or order thereunder, be deemed to be the successor in office of such Additional or Assistant Sessions Judge.*"

[Cl. 136.] **146.** After section 561 of the said Code, the following section shall be inserted, namely :—

Insertion of new section 561A, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"561A. Nothing in this Code shall be deemed to limit or affect the inherent power of the *High* Court to make such orders as may be necessary to give effect to any order under this Code, or to prevent abuse of the process of *any* Court."

Saving of inherent powers of High Courts.

[Cl. 137.] **147.** For section 562 of the said Code, the following section shall be substituted, namely :—

Substitution of section 562 Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

"562. (1) In any case in which a person is convicted of an offence punishable with *imprisonment for* not more than three years, or of an offence punishable under any of the *following sections* of the Indian Penal Code, namely, 317, 325, 335, *380*, 381 *or 420*, and no previous conviction is proved against him, if it appears to the Court before *which* he is convicted, regard being had to the age, character or antecedents of the offender, *and to the* circumstances under which the offence was committed, that it is expedient that the offender should be released on probation of good conduct, the Court may, instead of sentencing him at once to any punishment, direct that he be released on his entering into a bond, with or without sureties, *to appear and receive sentence when called upon* during such period (not exceeding three years) as the Court may direct, and in the meantime to keep the peace and be of good behaviour :

Power of Court to release certain convicted offenders on probation of good conduct instead of sentencing to punishment.

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Provided that, where any first offender is convicted by a Magistrate of the third class, or a Magistrate of the second class not specially empowered by the Local Government in this behalf, and the Magistrate is of opinion that the powers conferred by this section should be exercised, he shall record his opinion to that effect, and submit the proceedings to a Magistrate of the first class or Sub-divisional Magistrate, forwarding the accused to, or taking bail for his appearance before, such Magistrate, who shall dispose of the case in manner provided by section 380.

(2) An order under this section may be made by any Appellate Court, or by the High Court when exercising its powers of revision.

(3) When an order has been made under this section in respect of any offender, the High Court may, on appeal when there is a right of appeal to such Court, or when exercising its powers of revision, set aside such order, and in lieu thereof pass sentence on such offender according to law :

Provided that, when the order under this section is made by a Magistrate acting otherwise than under section 34, the High Court shall not, under this sub-section, inflict a greater punishment than might have been inflicted by a Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class.

(4) The provisions of section 122 shall, so far as may be, apply to all *sureties offered* in pursuance of the provisions of this section."

[Cl. 138.] Substitution of section 565, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

148. For section 565 of the said Code the following *section* shall be substituted, namely :—

Order for notifying address of previously convicted offender

"565. (1) When any person having been convicted—

(*a*) by a Court in British India of an offence punishable under sections 215, 489A, 489B, 489C, or 489D, of the Indian Penal Code, or *of any offence punishable* under Chapter XII or Chapter XVII of the said Code with imprisonment of either description for a term of three years or upwards, or

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(*b*) by a Court or Tribunal in the territories of any Native Prince or State in India acting under the general or special authority of the Governor General in Council, or of any Local Government, of any offence which would, if committed in British India, have been punishable under any of the aforesaid sections or Chapters of the Indian Penal Code with like imprisonment for a like term,

is again convicted of any offence *of the same kind*, *or* punishable under any of those sections or Chapters with imprisonment for a term of three years or upwards by a High Court, Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate, District Magistrate, Sub-divisional Magistrate or any Magistrate of the first class, such Court or Magistrate may, if it or he thinks fit, at the time of passing sentence of transportation or imprisonment on such person, also order that his residence and any change of, or absence from, such residence after release be notified, as hereinafter provided, for a term not exceeding five years from the date of the expiration of such sentence.

(2) If such conviction is set aside on appeal or otherwise, such order shall become void.

(3) The Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may make rules to carry out the provisions of this section relating to the notification of residence or change of, or absence from, residence, by released convicts.

(4) An order under this section may also be made by an Appellate Court, or by the High Court when exercising its powers of revision.

(5) Any person *against whom an order has been made under this section, and who refuses or neglects* to comply with any rule so made, shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to *three* months, or with fine which may extend to *five hundred* rupees, or with both.

(6) *Any person charged with a breach of any such rule may be tried by a Magistrate of competent jurisdiction in the district in which the place last notified by him as his place of residence is situated.*"

[Cl. 139.] Amendment of Schedule II, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

149. In Schedule II of the said Code—

(1) In column 1, the figures "405" occurring between the figures "404" and "406" shall be omitted.

(2) In column 3 of the entry against section 213, for the words "Shall not arrest without warrant", the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.

(3) In column 3 of the entry against section 214, for the word "Ditto", the words "Shall not arrest without warrant" shall be substituted.

(4) In column 3 of the entry against section 215, for the word "Ditto", the words "May arrest without warrant" shall be substituted.

(5) In column 3 of the entry against section 216, for the words "May arrest without warrant", the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.

(6) In column 3 of the entry against section 374, for the word "Ditto", the words "Shall not arrest without warrant" shall be substituted.

(7) *In column 5 of the entries against sections 118, 119, and 120, for the words "Ditto" and "According as the offence abetted is bailable or not", as the case may be, where they occur opposite the entries "If the offence be not committed", in column 2, the word "Bailable" shall be substituted; and for the word "Ditto" where it occurs in column 5 opposite the entry "120 Concealing a design to commit an offence punishable with imprisonment, if the offence be committed" the words "According as the offence concealed is bailable or not" shall be substituted.*

(8) *In column 5 of the entry against section 363, for the words "Not bailable" the word "Bailable" shall be substituted; and in the same column of the entry against section 364, for the word "Ditto", the words "Not bailable" shall be substituted.*

(9) *In column 5 of the entry against section 477A for the word "Ditto" the word "Bailable" shall be substituted.*

(10) *In column 5 of the entry against section 495, for the words "Not bailable" the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.*

(11) *In column 5 of the entry against section 497, for the word "Bailable" the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.*

(12) In column 6 of the entries against sections 343, 346 and 357, for the words "Not compoundable," "Ditto," and "Ditto," respectively, the words "Compoundable when permission is given by the Court before which the prosecution is pending" shall be substituted; and in the same column, for the word "Ditto" against each of sections 344 and 347, the words "Not compoundable" shall be substituted.

(13) *In column 6 of the entry against section 430, for the word "Ditto" the words "Compoundable when permission is given by the Court before which the prosecution is pending" shall be substituted; and in the same column for the word "Ditto" against section 431 the words "Not compoundable" shall be substituted.*

(14) In column 6 of the entry against section 451, for the words "Not compoundable" the following shall be substituted, namely—"Compoundable when permission is given by the Court before which the prosecution is pending," and for the word "Ditto" the words "Not compoundable" shall be substituted.

(15) In column 6 of the entry against section 509 for the word "Ditto" the words "Compoundable when permission is given by the Court before which the prosecution is pending" shall be substituted; and in the same column for the word "Ditto" against section 510, the words "Not compoundable" shall be substituted.

(16) In column 7 of the entry against section 477A for the word "Ditto," the words "Imprisonment of either description for seven years, or fine, or both" shall be substituted.

(17) In column 8 of the entry against section 294, for the word "Ditto," the words "Any Magistrate" shall be substituted.

(18) In column 8 of the entry against section 317, for the word "Ditto," the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class" shall be substituted.

(19) *In column 8 of the entry against section 318, for the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class", the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.*

(20) *In column 8 of the entry against section 327, for the words "Court of Session" the word "Ditto" shall be substituted; and in the same column of the entry against section 328, for the word "Ditto", the words "Court of Session" shall be substituted.*

(21) In column 8 of the entry against section 368, for the word "Ditto", the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or a Magistrate of the first class" shall be substituted; *and in the same column of the entry against section 369 for the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class" the word "Ditto" shall be substituted.*

(22) In column 8 of the entry against section 477A, for the word "Ditto" the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class" shall be substituted.

(23) In column 8 of the entry against section 491, for the word "Ditto" the words "Court of Session, Presidency Magistrate or Magistrate of the first class" shall be substituted, and in column 8 of the entry against section 495, for the word "Ditto" the words "Court of Session" shall be substituted

(24) In the last entry in the Schedule, in column 2, for the words "less than 1 year or with fine only" the words "a term exceeding six months but less than one year" shall be substituted, and after the said entry the following entry shall be added—

If punishable with imprisonment for not more than six months or with fine only.	*Ditto.*	*Ditto.*	*Ditto.*	*Compoundable when permission is given by the court before which a prosecution is pending.*	...	*Ditto.*

[1.0.] Amendment of Schedule III, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

150. In Schedule III of the said Code—

(*i*) Under Head I (*Ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the Third class*) :—

(*1*) In item (*5*), after the word "property" the words "and to dispose of claims to attached property" shall be inserted.

(*2*) The following item shall be inserted between items (*14*) and (*15*), namely :—

"(*14a*) Power to postpone issue of process, section 202"

(*3*) To item (*18*), the words, figures and letter "and to require fresh security, section 514A" shall be added.

(*4*) After item (18), the following item shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*18a*) power to make order as to custody and disposal of property pending inquiry or trial, section 516A."

(*5*) In item (*20*), the word "perishable" shall be omitted.

(*6*) After item (*20*), the following items shall be added, namely :—

"(*21*) Power to require affidavit in support of application, section 539A ;

(22) Power to make local inspection, section 539 B."

(*ii*) From Head II (*Ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the second class*), the following item shall be omitted, namely :—

"(*3*) Power to postpone issue of process, section 202."

And item (*4*) shall be re-numbered (*3*).

(*iii*) Under Head III (*Ordinary powers of a Magistrate of the First class*):—

(*1*) Between items (*6*) and (*7*) the following item shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*6a*) Power to make orders as to local nuisances, section 133" ;

(*2*) Between items (*7*) and (*8*) the following item shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*7a*) Power to hold inquests, section 174".

(*3*) After item (*12*), the following item shall be inserted, namely :—

"(*12a*) Power to require fresh security, section 514A."

(*4*) After item (*13*), the following item shall be added, namely :—

"(*14*) Power to order released convicts to notify residence, section 565."

(*iv*) *In* Head IV (*Ordinary powers of a Sub-divisional Magistrate*) :—

(*1*) *In the headnote after the words "Sub-divisional Magistrate", the words "appointed under section 13" shall be inserted* ;

(*2*) the following items shall be omitted, namely :—

"(*4*) Power to make orders as to local nuisances, section 133" ;

"(*10*) Power to hold inquests, section 174" ;

"(*2*.) Power to order released convicts to notify residence, section 565."

(*v*) *In* Head V (*Ordinary powers of a District Magistrate in item (9) after the word "for" the words "keeping the peace or" shall be inserted.*

[Cl. 141.] Amendment of Schedule IV, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

151. In Schedule IV of the said Code—

(*i*) From the list of powers with which a Magistrate of the first class may be invested by the Local Government, the following shall be omitted, namely :—

"(*3*) Power to make orders as to local nuisances, section 133" ;

"(*6*) Power to hold inquests, section 174" ;

"(*14*) Power to order released convicts to notify residence, section 565."

(*ii*) In the list of powers with which a Magistrate of the first class may be invested by the District Magistrate, item (*3*), namely, "Power to hold inquests, section 174," shall be omitted.

(*iii*) *In the list of powers with which a Magistrate of the third class may be invested by the Local Government the following shall be omitted, namely* :—

"(*2*) *Power to make orders under section 144*";

"(*6*) *Power to commit for trial, section 206*", *and in the list of powers with which such Magistrates may be invested by the District*

Magistrate, the following shall be omitted, namely:—

"(2) Power to make orders under section 144."

[Cl. 142.] Amendment of Schedule V, Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

152. In Schedule V of the said Code—

(*i*) In Form VI—

(*a*) IN THE ORDER OF ATTACHMENT TO COMPEL THE ATTENDANCE OF A WITNESS, for the words "Proclamation was duly issued" the words "Proclamation has been or is being duly issued" shall be substituted, and the words "and he has failed to appear" shall be omitted

(*b*) IN THE ORDER OF ATTACHMENT TO COMPEL THE APPEARANCE OF A PERSON ACCUSED, for the words "Proclamation was duly issued" the words "Proclamation has been or is being duly issued" shall be substituted

(*c*) IN THE ORDER AUTHORISING AN ATTACHMENT BY THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER AS COLLECTOR, for the words "Proclamation was duly issued" the words "Proclamation has been or is being duly issued" shall be substituted, and the words "but he has not appeared" shall be omitted

(*ii*) In Forms X and XI, after the words "for the term of", wherever they occur, the words "*or* until the completion of the inquiry in the matter of now pending in the Court of," and after the words "said term," wherever they occur, the words "*or* until the completion of the said inquiry" shall be inserted

(*iii*) *After Form XI, the following Form shall be inserted, namely:—*

XIA.

Security bond under section 526, Criminal Procedure Code.

In the Court of

No.

Whereas I son of residing at have applied to the above named Court for an adjournment with a view to enable me to move the High Court for a transfer of the above $\frac{case}{matter}$ *under the provisions of section 526 (1), clause (a), of the Criminal Procedure Code, and whereas I have been required to give security in the sum of Rs. (with one surety for Rs.) I do hereby bind myself to present within 15 days from the date hereof to the High Court at an application, supported by an affidavit which shall comply with the requirements of section 526 (8), for the transfer of the above* $\frac{case}{matter}$, *and, in the event of my making default herein, I bind myself to forfeit to His Majesty the King Emperor of India the sum of Rs.*

Dated this day of

(Signature)

I son of residing at hereby declare myself surety for the above named that he shall within 15 days from this date apply to the High Court for a transfer of the above case or matter under the provisions of section 526, clause (a), and in the event of his making default herein, I bind myself to forfeit to His Majesty the King Emperor of India the sum of Rs.

Dated this day of

(*iv*) *In Form XXX (a) in the headnote, for the word "distress" the words "Attachment and Sale" shall be substituted.*

(*b*) *for the words "distress of the moveable" the words "attachment and sale of the" shall be substituted.*

(*v*) In each of Forms XXXVII and XLI, the following amendments shall be made, namely:—

(*a*) in the headnote, for the word "distress" the word "attachment" shall be substituted,

(*b*) for the words "make distress by seizure of any moveable" the words "attach any" shall be substituted,

(*c*) for the words "such distress" the words "such attachment" shall be substituted, and

(*d*) for the words "moveable property distrained," the words "property attached" shall be substituted.

[Cl. 143. VII of 1870

Repeal of section 31, Court-fees Act, 1870.

153. Section 31 of the Court-fees Act, 1870, is hereby repealed.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

A Bill to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure was introduced on the 21st March 1914, and thereafter referred to Local Governments and Administrations.

The Governor General in Council decided to remit the Bill and the various opinions received to a small Committee with a strong representation of the legal professions.

The present Bill is the result of the deliberations of this Committee and its provisions are explained in their Report printed below.

W. H. VINCENT

20th August 1917.

A. P. MUDDIMAN,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Report

of the Committee appointed to consider and revise the Criminal Procedure Code (Amendment) Bill.

The Committee assembled in Simla on 18th September, and have sat on twenty-nine days. Sir S. P. Sinha was forced to leave before our labours were finally completed. We were able, however, to revise the whole Bill while he was still with us, and it only remained to go through the various clauses again for the purposes of checking. Such further alterations as were found necessary in our draft after he had left, have been laid before him, and have his express approval.

The Bill which was submitted for our consideration was introduced in the Legislative Council in March 1914, and was circulated to Local Governments. The criticisms received were sifted and examined departmentally, and certain changes were proposed in the Bill, all of which have been carefully considered by us in the light of the opinions expressed. We have also gone through the original Bill clause by clause, and have discussed, frequently at some length, the various amendments which have been suggested.

The detailed conclusions to which we have come will be found in the revised draft of the Bill which we have prepared and the notes on clauses, which are annexed as Appendices A and B respectively.

The alterations in, and additions to, the Bill which we propose, as well as the clauses which we accept as originally drafted, are in every case our unanimous recommendations.

The most important questions with which we have had to deal appear to us to be those connected with the following subjects :—

	Section of Code.	Clause of Bill.
1. Enlargement of the powers of investigating officers	157 and 166-173 ...	25 and 29
2. Use of statements recorded by the police	162 ...	27
3. Sanctions to prosecute	195 and 476 ...	36 and 111
4. Right of reply in trials in the High Court and Sessions Courts	292 ...	67
5. Approvers	337 and 339 ...	75 and 76
6. Realization of fines	386 ...	87
7. Lunatics	Ch. XXXIV ...	104 to 110
8. Applications for transfer	526 ...	126

Some of the amendments we have proposed are necessitated by decisions of the different High Courts. Wherever a doubt has been raised as to the meaning of a particular provision of the Code, we have thought it desirable to clear the matter up by express words. Other amendments have been suggested by the criticisms received on the circulation of the Bill, and many are merely verbal alterations which require no special comment.

We recognize that some of the more important questions with which we have dealt are matters of great difficulty, and that there is much to be said on either side. We cannot claim to have provided an absolutely satisfactory solution of all the problems which have occupied the Courts since this Code was last amended, but we have aimed in every case at simplification of procedure, clearness of wording, and prevention, so far as may be, of abuses that have been disclosed. We have tried to hold the balance between the requirements of judicial efficiency and the interests of accused persons, but inclining to the latter in every case of doubt

In the revised Bill, which is Appendix A to this Report, the italics show the changes which we suggest in the original Bill.

We have also prepared a compilation of the sections of the existing Code which are affected by our amendments, showing by italics the proposed changes *in situ* for convenient reference. This has also been annexed as Appendix C.

We desire specially to acknowledge the very valuable assistance which has been rendered to us throughout by Mr. V. Dawson, I.C.S., who was deputed to act as Secretary to the Committee.

G. R. LOWNDES.
T. C. PIGGOTT.
C. A. KUMARASWAMI SASTRI.
S. P. SINHA.
J. WALKER.

23rd December, 1916.

APPENDIX B.

Notes on Clauses.

Clause 1 requires no comment.

Clause 2.—We accept the amendment of sub-section (*2*). As regards the proposed sub-section (*3*), we would confine the amendment to sections 192 and 437 (2). We think it undesirable that an Additional District Magistrate should be *judicially* subordinate to the District Magistrate, and would therefore omit the reference to sections 437 and 528, the inclusion of which would produce this result. Assuming that the Additional District Magistrate is granted full powers of a District Magistrate, he would be able under section 437 to call for the record of any case and direct a further enquiry, and could under section 528 (*1*) transfer the case to his own file.

In this connection we note that section 29 should be amended by inserting the words " section 10 and " before " section 447. " We have provided for this in clause 4A.

Clause 3.—We accept this amendment, but would restrict the appointment of Additional Chief Presidency Magistrates to persons who are already Presidency Magistrates.

Clause 4.—Is accepted.

Clause 4A.—See note to clause 2, above.

Clause 5.— Ditto.

Clause 6.—We are not satisfied that any real difficulty arises under section 40 of the existing Code. The only decision which appears to bear on the point (*Bai Harku* v. *Sitaram*, 2 Bom. Law Reporter, p. 536) does not support the Punjab Government's opinion. It will be sufficient, we think, instead of amending the section as proposed by the Bill, merely to substitute the word " appointed " for " transferred " in both places where it occurs in section 40, and to omit the words " continue to."

Clause 7.—We have revised this clause, omitting several of the sections which it was proposed to include therein.

Clause 8 (*1*) (*i*).—Is accepted.

(*ii*).—We are opposed to the inclusion of any of these sections, and would therefore reject this sub-clause. There is, as far as we know, no present necessity for the inclusion of offences relating to stamps (sections 255-264). If occasion should arise in any district, the matter could be dealt with under section 45 (*1*) (*f*) of the present Code.

(*iii*).—We have redrafted this sub-clause.

(*iv*).—Is accepted.

Sub-clause (2) is accepted.

Clause 8A.—The Committee are of opinion that an amendment is required in section 54 (*1*) *first*, to meet the case of a requisition from a police-officer to arrest a man at a distance. We think it is clear that there should be power for an investigating officer to require by telegram the arrest of a person who may, perhaps, have absconded from the place where the investigation was taking place. We, therefore, propose to add at the end of section 54 (*1*) *first* the following words, " or for whose arrest a requisition has been received from a police-officer who might lawfully have made the arrest himself."

We also propose a new sub-section (*3*) at the end of this section ; see our note to clause 9.

Clause 8 B.—We consider that a police-officer making an investigation should, no less than an officer in charge of a police-station, have power to depute a subordinate to effect an arrest under the provisions of section 56 (*1*), and we propose an amendment in this sub-section accordingly.

Clause 9.—We are of opinion that it would be unwise to empower private persons to arrest in cases which involve suspicion only, but we think that it would be desirable to confer this power specifically on village officers, and this will be effected by the new sub-section (*3*) which we have proposed to section 54 (see note to clause 8 A above). We have therefore omitted from this clause the power proposed to be conferred on private persons to arrest on suspicion only, and have also slightly altered the wording of the clause.

Clause 10.—We think that no sufficient case has been made out for the innovation proposed by this clause, and we would reject it.

Clause 11.—We have partly redrafted this clause so as to provide (*a*) for the continuance of proceedings by the legal representative of a claimant or objector who may die pending the enquiry into his claim or objection ; (*b*) for the case of claims to property in another district from that in which the order of attachment was made ; and (*c*) a period of limitation within which proceedings in a civil court to establish a claim which has been disallowed by a Magistrate must be instituted.

Clause 12.—We accept the proposal of the Bill to penalise an unreasonable refusal or neglect to attend as a search witness, but would make it a condition precedent that the person in question should have been required to attend by an order in writing from the police-officer. In order to make this clear we have, in addition to the new sub-section (*5*), made a small amendment at the end of sub-section (*1*).

We think that the power thus given to the police, practically to compel the attendance of respectable witnesses from as near as possible to the place where the search is to be effected, should go far to put an end to the objectionable practice of bringing semi-professional search witnesses from a greater distance, and will also prevent the frustration of searches by the unreasonable refusal of witnesses to attend, which, we understand, is by no means uncommon. If executive instructions are issued to the police that, with this new sub-section to back them, they are, whenever possible, to require the attendance of respectable witnesses from the *immediate* vicinity, we think that a considerable improvement will be effected.

We doubt if it would be wise to enact the new sub-section (*6*) proposed by the Bill, and we recommend that it should be omitted. We think that it will be sufficient to rely upon the law as expounded recently by the Full Bench in Madras (I. L. R. XXXIV Mad. 349) which shows that the facts with reference to a search may be proved otherwise than by the production of the search lists.

Clause 13 (*i*).—We do not like this amendment. We would, however, redraft section 106 (*1*) as shown in the amended Bill. We think that it is better to enlarge the scope of this section by including all offences under Chapter VIII of the Penal Code, than to involve the court in an enquiry whether the offence of which the accused has been convicted, though not involving a breach of the peace, was nevertheless likely to have occasioned a breach.

(*ii*).—We accept this amendment, which we think is only carrying out the intention of sub-section (*3*).

Clause 13 A.—We propose an amendment of section 107 (*4*), which is explained in our note to clause 16 (see at end).

Clause 14.—Is accepted.

Clause 15.—We agree that habitual kidnappers should be brought under this section, but doubt the necessity of any reference to abduction. We think that it is desirable to include all offences under Chapter XII of the Indian Penal

Code, and also habitual forgers. We have included "forger" in section 110 (*a*), and have rearranged (*d*) in accordance with this note.

Clause 16.—We accept the proposed amendment of section 117 (*3*), which we have renumbered as sub-section (*4*).

We have redrafted the proposed new sub-section (*5*), and would bring it in as sub-section (*3*).

We think that an amendment is also required in sub-section (*2*). Seeing that no charge has to be framed, there would appear to be no reason to allow the accused to defer his cross-examination of the prosecution witnesses, and we have accordingly provided for this at the end of the sub-section.

It has been suggested that the words "general repute" in the old sub-section (*3*) [now sub-section (*4*)] require elucidation. We are not prepared, however, to attempt this either by definition or by an illustration. We would, however, omit the words "or otherwise," which follow "general repute." Consequent upon the renumbering of the sub-sections which is referred to above, sub-section (*4*) will now become sub-section (*5*).

In this connection we also recommend an amendment of section 107 (*4*), as we think that the powers conferred by the sub-section as it stands are unnecessarily wide. We think that it will be sufficient that the Magistrate should have power to detain the accused in custody "pending further action by himself under this Chapter," and we have made this change by clause 13A.

Clause 17.—We think that it would be a mistake to attempt any definition of unfitness for the purpose of acceptance as a surety, and we recommend that section 122 [in the Bill 122 (1)] should be left unaffected, except by adding at the end the words "for the purposes of the bond."

We accept the principle of the new sub-section (2) proposed by the Bill, but we think that the enquiry should be held upon oath, and that the Magistrate should be bound to record the substance of the evidence adduced before him. We propose however to redraft this sub-section, putting it partly as a proviso to the existing section 122 [now 122 (*1*)], and partly as sub sections (*2*) and (*3*) (see in our redraft of the Bill).

We also think that there should be a general right of appeal against the rejection of a surety in such proceedings, and that provision should be made for requiring fresh security when a surety either dies or becomes insolvent, but in no other case. We have provided for these recommendations by section 406A (see c. 94) and section 514A (c. 121).

Clause 18.—We accept this clause, with two small additions which require no comment, but would renumber it as sub-section (*3*B). We think that where security has been demanded from two or more persons, some or one of whom only may be ordered to give security for more than a year, all the parties from whom security is demanded (unless any of them prefer to give the security) should be dealt with by the Sessions Judge. We have inserted a new sub-section (*3*A) to provide for this, and would bring in sub-section (*3*A) of the original Bill after it as (*3*B).

Clause 19.—We agree to the first amendment proposed by this clause, but would reject the second. We have enlarged the term "building" to include a tent or other structure.

We agree to the inclusion of dangerous animals in the section, and would also refer to dangerous trees.

The section also requires certain other small amendments, and we have therefore thought it desirable to redraft it generally.

Clause 20.—We would reject this clause, but would propose in lieu thereof an amendment of section 135.

We think that the only question to be left to the jury should be whether the measures directed by the Magistrate to be taken are reasonable and proper, and in view of the decision in I. L. R. XXX All. 364, we think it desirable that this should be made clear.

If the person against whom the order is made denies the existence of a public right over any way, river, etc., we think that this question should be decided by the Magistrate, and that his decision should be final for the purposes of this Chapter.

We also think that it should be made clear that a party may both dispute the public right and at the same time, in the alternative, claim that the question whether the measures directed are reasonable or not should be referred to a jury.

A small amendment is also required in section 135 (*a*) by reason of the amendments we have proposed in section 133.

Our recommendations under this clause have necessitated a further breaking up of the section, as shown in our redraft of the Bill.

Clause 20A.—We do not think that powers under section 144 should be granted to a Magistrate of the third class, and we have provided for this by a small amendment in section 144 (*1*). See also clause 44 amending section 206 (*1*) in the same way.

Clause 21.—It has been suggested that the whole of Chapter XII might be omitted from the Code, but we are not prepared to recommend this.

Section 145 (*1*).—We do not agree to the proposed substitution of "may" for "shall" in this sub-section. We think that under the circumstances supposed the making of an order should be, as it is now, imperative. We propose however to insert the words "Presidency Magistrate" in the first part of the this sub-section.

Section 145 (*6*).—We accept the amendment proposed by sub-clause (*2*) of the Bill. We think that this is a mere logical carrying out of the amendment made in 1898.

We also think that this sub-section should apply not only to the case of a party in actual possession, but also to one who is to be treated as being in possession under the proviso to sub-section (*4*), and we have amended sub-section (*6*) in this sense.

Section 145 (*7*).—We have expanded this sub-section, which deals with the death of a party while the proceedings are pending, in accordance with sub-clause (*iii*) of the Bill.

Section 145 (*8*).—[Sub-clause (*iv*) of the Bill]. We accept this amendment, with the omission of the words "or that such an order will be to the benefit of the parties," which we think would often allow too wide a discretion to the Magistrate.

Clause 21A.—We recommend the addition of a proviso to section 146 (*2*), to meet the case of an overlapping appointment of a receiver by the civil court.

Clause 22.—We have largely redrafted section 147 as is done by the Bill, and the further amendments we propose require no further comment.

Clause 23.—We accept this clause, but would make a further addition to section 148 (*3*), specifying what costs may be awarded.

Clause 24.—We are not prepared to accept the amendment proposed by this clause. The difficulty suggested by I. L. R. XXVI Bombay at page 157 will, we think, be met by the amendment which we propose in section 191 (*b*) (see clause 34 B).

Clause 25.—Section 157 (*1*).—We accept the amendment proposed by sub-clause (*i*) of the Bill.

In view of certain further amendments which we recommend in this Chapter in the direction of increasing the powers of an investigating officer, as distinct from an officer in charge of a police-station [see the definition in section 4 (*l*)(*p*)], we propose to confine the term "subordinate officers" in this sub-section to officers not below the rank of a sub-inspector. This is in accordance with the recommendation of the Police Commission.

[*Section 157 (2)*].—We accept the amendment proposed by sub-clause (*2*), but would leave it to the local Government to prescribe the manner in which the communication shall be made.

Clause 26.—We accept the principle of this clause, but would leave it to the local Government to prescribe the rank of the police-officer.

Clause 27.—The amendment of section 162 has been discussed at great length by the Committee. It has been the subject of amendment before, and of constant difficulty in the courts. We therefore propose to recast the section, and we think that a note as to its previous history will be instructive.

2. Under the original Code of 1861 (section 145), a police-officer could examine potential witnesses and reduce their statements to writing, but *the writing* was not to be part of the record or used as evidence. The Code of 1872 maintained the above provisions, merely adding (section 119) that no person when examined by the police should be bound to answer incriminating questions. The only material change made by the Code of 1882 (section 162) was that, instead of the provision that the statement when so reduced to writing should not be used as evidence, it was provided that no statement made by a witness if reduced to writing should be used as evidence *against the accused*, thus making it clear that the provision in question was intended for the benefit of the accused.

3. The new section did not lay down in terms that the accused might not use the written record of a witness' statement for the purposes of his defence, and indeed it rather suggested that he was entitled to do so. Accordingly cases occurred in which the accused demanded to see the statements which the police had taken down, in order that he might use, for the purposes of his defence, anything that appeared therein to his advantage, and the Calcutta High Court ruled that he was entitled to do so. The Allahabad High Court, on the other hand, held that the writings in effect formed part of the police-diary, and were therefore privileged from inspection, and this was the position which stood to be dealt with when the Amending Act of 1898 was under consideration. There was evidently a good deal to be said on both sides, as will appear from the report of the Select Committee on the Bill which is quoted *in extenso* below. The Bill as introduced proposed to adopt the Allahabad view, and put statements of witnesses when recorded by the police under section 161 on the same footing as police-diaries, and would only allow them to be used to the same extent as such diaries under section 172, *i.e.*, in effect enacting that the accused should not have access to them at all, unless the police-officer used them for the purpose of refreshing his memory, in which case the accused would be entitled to see them and cross-examine on them.

4. The present section 162, which was embodied in the Act of 1898, was the result of a compromise in the Select Committee, whose report was in the following terms:—

> "*Clause 162.*—This clause, as drafted, proposed to affirm the decision of the Allahabad High Court, which was in conflict with the decision of the Calcutta High Court. The Governments of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, Madras, Bombay and Burma and most of the authorities consulted approve the decision of the Allahabad High Court, but the question involved (namely, whether the accused is entitled to inspect statements taken down by the police under section 161) is full of difficulty. In the first place it is essential in the interests of public justice, that the sources of

police information should be kept secret. If the names of informers or detectives and the nature of their information be disclosed, the detection of crime would be seriously crippled. In the second place, it is unfair to a witness that his evidence should be discredited on the strength of an alleged statement made to a policeman, which he may have had no opportunity of verifying or correcting. Such statements must necessarily be often taken down hurriedly and may be incorrectly copied out. They are not taken down as depositions, or with regard to the rules of evidence, but merely to aid the police in the course of their investigation. But, in the third place, it may be most important for the accused to show that a witness called for the prosecution is telling a story substantially different from that which he told when first questioned by the police. We have endeavoured to reconcile these conflicting interests by reverting to the language of the Codes of 1861 and 1872, and adding a proviso compelling the Court, on the application of the accused, to refer to such statements, and then empowering it in its discretion to allow him to have copies of them. We then provide for the mode in which these statements are to be used. It is clear that a witness ought not to have his credit impeached on the strength of a statement alleged to have been made to a policeman, unless and until it is shown that he has made that statement."

5. The result was not altogether a happy one. It will be noticed that the section deals mainly with the *writing*, and enacts that it shall not be used as evidence, with a proviso that the Court may in its discretion direct the accused to be furnished with a copy of it—presumably only in order that the accused may know that there is something in the writing which may help his defence—and goes on to say that the statement (*i.e.*, what the witness said to the police-officer) may be used in the ordinary course to impeach the credit of the witness, obviously implying that for this purpose it must be duly proved.

6. It seems clear that all that the amendment of 1898 intended to effect was to make it clear that the accused had no right to call for or see the record of any statements taken down by the police under section 161, unless the Court thought that in the interests of justice he should be allowed to do so. It did not purport to deal with, and has left untouched, the further question whether or not a statement made by a witness under section 161, as apart from the written record of the statement, might be used by the prosecution for the purpose of corroborating one of their witnesses under section 157 of the Evidence Act, and this is at all events one of the principal difficulties with which we have to deal now.

7. The re-draft of the section which we propose will make it clear that the statements taken down under section 161 (and not merely the written records of such statements) are not to be used in any way or for any purposes except as allowed by the proviso. Having regard to the fact that the making of such statements is compulsory under section 161, and to the way in which, and the circumstances under which, they are usually recorded, we do not think that they are of any corroborative value where the witness merely repeats the same statement in Court, and that they ought not therefore to be allowed to be used for the purpose of corroboration under section 157 of the Evidence Act. If the really material fact to the prosecution is that *a statement* was made to the police on a particular date or at a particular place, this fact will of course still be proveable in the ordinary course, and it will be open to the Courts or to a jury to make any proper deduction from this fact and the action which was taken on it. The amendment will also, we think, make it clear that if the accused wishes to rely on anything in the previous statement of a witness to the police, of which he has been allowed by the Court to have a copy, he will have to prove it in the ordinary way. If the witness admits this in cross-examination, it will of course be sufficient; if he denies the contradiction, and the police officer who took it down is called by the prosecution, the previous statement of the witness on the point may be proved by him; if he is not called by the

prosecution, the Court would no doubt itself in most cases call him, or if the accused is calling evidence in support of his defence, it may be worth his while to call the police-officer himself. But it is clear that unless the previous contradictory statement is proved in some way in accordance with law, it ought not to depreciate the witness' statement on oath. It will be observed that under our amendment, if any part of the previous statement of the witness is used for the purposes of cross-examination by the accused, any other part of it may be used by the prosecution within the proper limits of re-examination. This is, we think, the only way in which the previous statement ought to be allowed to be used by the prosecution.

Clause 28.—We accept this clause with a slight verbal alteration.

We also propose a small amendment in section 165 (*3*), to provide that the thing for which search is to be made shall be specified as far as possible.

Clause 29.—We accept this clause with some verbal alterations.

We have proposed an additional amendment in section 166 (*1*) and (*3*), in order to make the provisions of this section available also to an investigating officer who is already invested with the ordinary powers of search under s. 165.

We also propose a similar amendment in sections 157, 169, 170, 171 and 173.

Clause 30.—We think that the amendment proposed by this clause will be better effected as shown in our re-draft.

Clause 31.—See our note to clause 29. In this case we think that the investigating officer may be substituted for the officer in charge of the police-station.

The provisions of sections 169 and 170 are, we think, intended to apply only in the case where an investigation has been completed, and we propose to make this clear by an amendment in the first line of the sections.

Clause 31A.—Here again in the proviso we think that the investigating officer may be substituted for the officer in charge of the police-station.

Clause 32.—We accept this clause with a similar substitution to that in the preceding one, and a verbal alteration in the new sub-section (*1*) (*b*).

Clause 33.—Is accepted.

Clause 34.—We accept this clause, but would enlarge the enumeration of offences to include the possession of stolen property. This will also cover the case of extortion: see the definition in section 410, I. P. C.

Clause 34A.—Certain decisions of the Madras High Court seem to make it doubtful whether section 188 is subject to the provisions of sections 179-184, and we think it is desirable to clear this up. We are not satisfied that this was the intention of section 188, and in our opinion it is safer, when a man is tried in British India in respect of an offence committed in a Native State, to require the Political Agent's certificate in every case. The amendment which we propose will make this clear.

Clause 34B.—See our note to clause 24. We do not think that the term "police-report" in section 190 (*1*) (*b*) was intended to be a technical expression, but was used to cover any report made by a police-officer, and our amendment will make this clear.

Clause 35.—It is suggested that section 192 (*2*) might be amalgamated with section 528, but we see no reason to accept this suggestion, and we think that it is a mistake to alter the arrangement of sections, with which Magistrates and legal practitioners have been long familiar, without actual necessity.

We also think that there is no necessity to bring in a Chief Presidency Magistrate in section 192 (*2*), as his powers are already sufficiently provided for by section 21 (*1*), especially having regard to the amendment we have already proposed for appointing Additional Chief Presidency Magistrates; see clause 3.

We would therefore reject this clause of the Bill.

We propose, however, to omit from section 193 (*2*) the words "in the case of Assistant Sessions Judges." The section, as it stands at present, makes a distinction between Additional Sessions Judges and Assistant Sessions Judges, only allowing transfers by the Sessions Judge in the case of the latter. It has been brought to our notice that in the Bill which resulted in the Amending Act of 1898 it was proposed that the Sessions Judge should have power to transfer to both Additional and Assistant Sessions Judges, and there is nothing in the Report of the Select Committee to indicate why the power was eventually limited to the case of Assistant Judges only. Considerable inconvenience has been felt owing to this limitation, which we propose to remedy by the omission of the words referred to above, and we think that this amendment may come in here as clause 35.

Clause 36.—The provisions of section 195 cause constant and great difficulty, and various amendments have been suggested which we have considered at length. We have no doubt that it will not be possible to remedy the evils which are connected with this section so long as private individuals are allowed to prosecute for offences connected with the administration of justice. In our opinion the only effective way of dealing with this section is to allow prosecutions to be launched only by the Court, or in exceptional cases by the Local Government, who will no doubt before long be represented in such matters in many provinces by a Director of Public Prosecutions.

We see no reason why either the Court or the Local Government in such cases, where it is of opinion that the interests of justice require that an enquiry should be made into any offence of this nature, should not file a complaint exactly in the same way as a private individual would do in other cases; and our proposals in connection with this section and the enlargement of section 476 involve the adoption of this principle. In our view, section 195 should bar the cognizance by any court of offences of this nature except upon such complaint, while the procedure to be followed when either the Court or the Local Government desires to prosecute should be prescribed by section 476.

The adoption of this principle will at all events get rid of the objectionable practice of keeping a sanction, which has been granted to a private individual, hanging over the head of the accused person for a period of six months, which is frequently utilised for the various purposes of black-mail. In the case of a complaint by a Court or the Local Government, we do not think that it will be necessary to prescribe any limit of time.

It will also, in our opinion, be a distinct advantage to get rid altogether of the term "sanction" in connection with these prosecutions, a result which will be affected by the amendments we propose.

It will be observed that the actual changes in section 195 are not extensive. Sub-sections (*4*), (*5*) and (*6*) will be omitted, inasmuch as the procedure in connection with these complaints will now be fully provided for by our amendments to section 476. We think that sub-section (*7*) will come in best after the definition of the term "court" by sub-section (*2*) (in which we have proposed a slight verbal amendment); and sub-section (*3*) will be renumbered (*4*).

The amendments which we propose in section 476 are dealt with in our note to clause 111.

We recognise that section 195 (*1*) (*a*) stands on a somewhat different footing from (*b*) and (*c*), but we think that there is no reason to retain even in it any reference to a sanction, as prosecutions under (*a*) can reasonably be launched in all cases on the direct complaint of a public servant.

Clause 37.—We recognise the difficulty that has led to the proposed amendment, but we think that it may be better met by leaving sections 196 and 196-A as they stand and inserting a new section 196-B immediately after them, as is proposed by our amendment. This new section will allow a preliminary enquiry to be made in cases covered by sections 196 and 196-A by a police officer not below the rank of an inspector, and this should, we think, be sufficient to meet the difficulty which has been referred to.

Clause 38.—Is accepted.

Clauses 39 and 40.—We have redrafted the provisos proposed by these clauses to sections 198 and 199. We think that the proviso to section 198 should include the case of a purdah woman, and that the reference in each case to a minor should be confined to persons under the age of 18 ; see the provisions of the Indian Majority Act, IX of 1875.

We have also added a new section 199A to safeguard the rights of a legally appointed guardian.

Clause 41.—We accept the principle of this clause, but would require the complaint by a public servant to be signed by him in order to attract the operation of the clause.

Having regard to our proposals with reference to sections 195 and 476, we would add to this clause a provision that in the case of a complaint under section 476 the examination of the complainant shall be dispensed with.

Clause 42.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause, but would bring in the new sub-section (*4*) as (*2*A).

We have made another small amendment in section 202 (*1*), to cover cases which have been transferred to a Magistrate under section 192, as well as cases of which he has taken cognizance himself.

It has been suggested that a Magistrate should also be empowered if necessary to order a second inquiry or investigation, if the first proves to be insufficient, but we are not prepared to recommend an amendment to this effect.

Clause 43.—We have redrafted the proposed amendment.

Clause 44.—After considering the difficulties which this clause is intended to meet, we think on the whole that the form of words at present appearing in section 209 (*1*) is at least as clear as that proposed to be substituted for it. The wording of the Code may not be ideal, but it is, we think, reasonably clear, and we are not prepared to suggest any amendment, and would reject this clause of the Bill.

A small amendment is, however, required, we think, in section 206 (*1*), and we would bring this in here as clause 44. The amendment we propose is on the same lines as that of section 144 (*1*)—see our note to clause 20A.

Clause 45.—We would reject the amendments proposed by the Bill. With reference to the amendments of section 210 (*1*), see our note to the preceding clause. With reference to the proposed new sub-section (*1*A) we think that provision for this already exists under the last words of section 209 (*1*).

We would, however, propose a verbal amendment in section 210 (*2*), to meet a suggestion of the Bengal Government. This can come in as clause 45 of the revised Bill.

Clause 46.—We reject this amendment : see our note to clause 44.

Clause 47.—We think that supplementary witnesses should only be examined by a Magistrate other than the committing Magistrate in the case of the absence of the latter, and we have provided for this in our redraft of the clause.

We accept the second amendment made by this clause, which is desirable in the interests of the accused.

Clause 48.—We accept this amendment, but have inserted the words " or to punishment of a different kind " after the words " enhanced punishment. " This, we think, is required.

See, in connection with this clause, clause 56A.

Clause 49.—Instead of the illustration proposed by this clause, which we do not like, we have inserted words in section 234 (*1*) which will at all events make it clear that an accused person may be charged at one trial with three offences of the same kind though committed against different persons. The addition will, we think, cover the difficulty which has been referred to, in most cases.

We have also added a proviso to section 234 (*2*), which we think is required. Sections 379 and 380, Indian Penal Code, refer to theft and theft in a building

which should clearly be treated as offences of the same kind, and we think that it should be provided specifically that an attempt to commit an offence, where such an attempt is penalized by any law, is of the same kind as the actual offence.

Clause 50.—We accept this amendment : see clause 51 (*2* A), where the provision struck out here is re-enacted.

Clause 51.—See last clause.

Clause 52.—We accept this clause with certain verbal modifications, and have added a new sub-section dealing with offences under sections 411 and 414, I. P. C.

Clause 53.—We accept this amendment which is, we notice, only reverting to the wording of the 1872 Code.

Clause 54.—The difficulty intended to be dealt with by this clause rests upon the words " process to compel the attendance," as seems clear from the Calcutta decisions. We think that the only alteration really required is to substitute for the words referred to above the simpler expression " a summons to any witness directing him to attend, etc." This, we think, will make section 90 clearly applicable, which is, in our opinion, all that is required.

We have also made a verbal amendment at the beginning of section 244 (*1*).

Clause 55.—We accept this amendment; see also clause 58 where the same amendment is to be made.

Clause 56.—We accept the amendments proposed, with two alterations. (*i*) We would make it clear that an accusation to come within section 250 must be false as well as either frivolous or vexatious; and (*ii*) we would increase the limit of compensation from Rs. 50 to Rs. 100. We think that this increase is amply justified by present-day conditions. We do not think that this increase will, having regard to the provisions of section 404, make orders under section 250 appealable where they are not so at present.

We have expanded and recast sub-section (*5*), and would bring it in as a new sub-section (*2* C).

The amendment which we propose at the end of sub-section (*4*) is to provide for cases in which, though there cannot be an appeal, the acquittal or discharge of the person to whom compensation has been awarded may be set aside in revision. The period of one month which we have allowed should be ample to admit of application being made to the superior court.

Clause 56A.—We think that this addition is necessary after section 255, to provide for a case where previous conviction is also charged. Definite provision is made for this in the case of trials before a Court of Session (see s. 310), but it does not seem to have been provided for by the Code in the case of a Magistrate's trial.

Clause 57.—We think that merely to insert the word " forthwith ", as proposed by this clause of the Bill, might in some cases cause hardship to the accused. We think that the ends of justice will be sufficiently met if he is required to state, " either forthwith, or if the Magistrate thinks fit, at the commencement of the next hearing of the case," whether he wishes to cross-examine or not. It may happen that up to the time of a charge being framed the accused is not professionally represented, and it seems reasonable in such a case that he should be given until the next hearing to engage a pleader and decide what witnesses he will cross-examine.

Clause 58.—Is accepted.

Clause 59.—We think that no useful result follows from attempting, in ordinary complaint cases, to force the complainant to go on against his will. We would therefore omit the words " and the offence may be lawfully compounded " in section 259, as has been suggested by the Bengal Government. We think that the requirements of justice will be sufficiently safeguarded by the discretion which is already vested in the Magistrate under the section.

The amendment we propose will take the place of that intended by the original Bill.

Clause 60 —This clause proposes to add certain offences to the list of those which can at present be tried summarily. Offences under section 223 and 225A, I. P. C., involve proof of negligence, and we doubt if a question of this sort should be made the subject of summary trial. Offences under section 509, which the Bill proposes to bring under this category, are also, we think, unsuited to this mode of trial.

On the other hand we think that, of many additions which have been suggested, that of the offence of attempted suicide under s. 309, which is usually not of a serious nature, might well be included in this section. This however is the only amendment which we are prepared to support under this clause.

Clause 61.— We agree to the inclusion under section 261 (*a*) of offences under section 504, as proposed by the Bill. This section deals with the summary powers of second and third class benches only, and we think that the second amendment proposed by this clause, which would include all offences against laws other than the Penal Code punishable only with fine or one month's imprisonment, partakes of the nature of a leap in the dark. We do not think, for instance, that offences under the excise acts or against forest laws should be dealt with under this section, and without a detailed examination of the statute book generally it is impossible to say what offences under other acts would be suitable for inclusion. If it were thought desirable in a particular case, the matter could be dealt with by amendment of the particular act. We prefer, therefore, to leave the section as it is in this respect. We propose, however, to add at the end of section 261 (*b*) the words "with or without fine," which are clearly desirable.

Clause 61A.—This amendment supplies what appears to have been an accidental omission in the amending Act of 1898, which added the words "and in Chapter XVIII" at the beginning of the section.

Clause 62.—We accept the principle of the proposed amendment, but we think that the third proviso to section 176, with which the clause deals, should be brought into line with similar amendments which we are proposing in sections 315 and 316 (see clauses 73 and 74). It is true that the Chief Court of the Punjab does not ask to be brought under this section, but seeing that by the time this Bill can be passed, the Punjab will in all probability have, or be on the verge of having, a High Court of its own, we think that there is no necessity specifically to exclude it from an amendment which is otherwise desirable.

Clause 63.—We are not prepared to support the innovation proposed by this clause, which we think is dangerous, and we should prefer its omission.

Clause 64.—This is on the same footing as the preceding clause, and we would reject it.

Clause 65.—We have discussed this clause in connection with clause 47, and we recommend that it should be omitted from the Bill. The proposal is that no witness should be examined in a Sessions Court who had not been previously examined before the Magistrate, either at the original inquiry, or under section 219. It happens not infrequently that a person is named for the first time during the cross-examination in the Sessions Court whom it is obviously desirable that the prosecution should call, and we think that it would be altogether against the interests of justice that the Code should make this impossible.

Clause 66.—We think that the purposes of this amendment would be better served by declaring that the depositions with which section 288 deals should be treated as evidence in the case "for all purposes."

We have also made another small amendment in the section, to cover the case of evidence recorded by a Magistrate other than the committing Magistrate: see our amendment in clause 47.

Clause 67.—We are of opinion that, in any trial before a High Court or Court of Session, the defence should have the last word, unless any witness has actually been examined by the accused, or any of the accused,

on his own behalf. This question has been much discussed in High Court trials, and the principle which we recommend has received general acceptance. The section has been amended before, but the doubt still exists, and we think that the law on the subject should be made perfectly clear.

We are not prepared to accept the proposals contained in this clause of the original Bill.

Clause 68.—Is accepted.

Clause 69.—We accept this clause with some verbal alterations.

We think, however, that a further amendment is required in section 307, to provide for the case of a person who is also charged with a previous conviction under section 310. It seems obvious that if the Judge disagrees with the verdict of the jury on the principal charge, and submits the case to the High Court, it is desirable that the record should be complete. We propose therefore to insert at the end of section 307 (*1*) a provision for the trial of the further charge under section 310.

Clause 70.—We think that the power of questioning the assessors should be confined to ascertaining what their opinions really are, and that scope should not be allowed for their cross-examination. We have redrafted the first part of the clause in this sense.

We accept the amendment proposed by the latter part of the clause.

Clause 71.—We have largely remodelled this clause, but without material alteration. The word " until " at the end of (*a*) clearly ought to be " unless and until " as in the existing section, and the first part of (*b*) has already been provided for by our redraft of clause 69.

Clause 72.—We accept the clause as drafted, with the substitution of " may " for " shall. "

Clause 73.—We think that the restriction of section 315 to Presidency towns is probably a survival from the time when High Courts existed only in such towns. It is clearly necessary now to make provision for the summoning of jurors for trials in every High Court, and we think that the most convenient form of amendment is that proposed in our revised Bill.

We accept the amendment proposed by the latter part of this clause.

Clause 74.—Our redraft of this clause is in accordance with clauses 62 and 73.

Clause 75.—We have discussed this clause at great length, and were at first disposed to remodel the whole procedure under sections 337 and 338, but eventually we came to the conclusions which are embodied in our present redraft. The principal alterations which we propose are as follows :—(i) We would make section 337 applicable in the case of any offences punishable with imprisonment up to 7 years, in addition to those triable exclusively by a Court of Session or High Court ; (ii) we would restrict the power of granting a pardon to Sub-Divisional Magistrates and in certain cases to Magistrates of the first class ; and (iii) we would provide that every case in which an approver is examioned before the Magistrate should, if a *prima facie* case is made out, be committed for trial to the Court of Session or High Court, or transferred to a Magistrate with powers under section 30.

We have split up section 337 (*4*), the first part of it coming in more appropriately at the end of sub-section (*1*), and the latter part being unnecessary in view of our new sub-section (*2* A).

We have also thought it desirable to make it clear that sub-section (*2*) applies to the Court of the Magistrate holding the original enquiry. It may happen that the approver's deposition before the Magistrate is not in accordance with previous statements which he may have made to the prosecution, and on the strength of which the conditional pardon was granted. In such a case the prosecution are obviously entitled to exercise a discretion as to calling him at the trial.

Clause 76.—This clause deals with the prosecution of an approver who has broken the conditions of his pardon. We accept the principle of the first amendment proposed by the Bill, which provides that the approver when so tried may plead that he has complied with the conditions of the tender.

We think, however, that it should be for the prosecution to decide whether he should be so prosecuted, and we would reject the proposals of the second and third sub-clauses, which provide that no such prosecution should be launched without the sanction of the Magistrate by whom the pardon was granted.

We are also of opinion that an approver should always be tried separately from the other accused, and we would make it clear that it will be for the prosecution to prove affirmatively that the conditions of the tender have been broken.

We have redrafted the clause on these lines.

Clause 77.—Is accepted.

Clause 78.—This clause proposes to extend the offences which are compoundable with the permission of the Court. We think that it would be a mistake to include among them either bigamy (section 494, Indian Penal Code) or cheating (section 417, Indian Penal Code) and we propose to omit the references to these sections.

We agree to the inclusion of the other offences referred to in the clause, and would also add offences under section 430, Indian Penal Code (mischief in connection with waterworks).

We think that the scheduling of these offences on the lines of section 345 (1) is an improvement.

We accept the amendment proposed by the new sub-section (2A), but would renumber it as sub-section (4).

We have redrafted the proposed amendment of section 345 (4) on the lines of our amendment of section 198; see clause 39; and have renumbered this sub-section as (3A).

We have also made a small verbal amendment in section 345 (1), substituting "specified" for "described," and have added explanatory words at the end of sub-section (6).

Clause 79.—Is accepted.

Clause 80.—We have altered the wording of the first part of the amendment proposed by the Bill on the lines of section 209 (1); see our note to clause 44.

We have also slightly altered the wording of the second part of this clause to provide for the power of discharge, and have proposed a verbal alteration in the proviso to section 348.

Clause 81.—We have slightly altered the wording of this clause.

Clause 82.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill.

We also propose a small addition at the end of section 350 (2), and have added a new sub-section (4) to deal with the case of the absence from a bench of Magistrates of one member who was sitting at the previous hearing of the case.

Clause 83.—There has been a considerable body of opposition to the amendment proposed by this clause, and, after careful consideration of the various interests involved, we have come to the conclusion that the clause should be omitted.

Clause 84.—We accept the amendments proposed by the Bill, the second of which, we think, only expresses what would seem to be the existing law.

We also think that the opening words of section 362 (1) require amendment. As the section stands, it seems to imply that a Presidency Magistrate, before he commences his enquiry, must make up his mind as to, at all events, the maximum limit of the sentence which he will impose. We think that the sub-section

would read better as follows : " In every case tried by a Presidency Magistrate in which an appeal lies, such Magistrate shall either take down the evidence of the witnesses with his own hand or.....": compare the wording of section 264.

We are also of opinion that the whole question of the powers of Presidency Magistrates requires reconsideration, though we recognize that this is outside the scope of the present reference to us. The procedure to be adopted under this section is evidently intended to approximate to that prescribed by Chapter XXII for summary trials, but the offences to which it applies may be of a much more serious character, and apart from the exigencies of business in a Presidency Town, we can see no reason why Presidency Magistrates, who are not in most cases persons of exceptional capacity or experience, should be entrusted with any wider powers than those of ordinary first class Magistrates.

Clause 85.—We accept this amendment, which would make it compulsory upon High Courts to prescribe by rules the manner in which evidence should be taken down The section will not, of course, limit the discretion of the High Court as to what form the rules should take.

Clause 86.—In lieu of the amendment proposed by the Bill, we would add a further proviso at the end of section 367, allowing the judgment of a High Court or Court of Session, or of any Magistrate empowered by the Local Government in this behalf, to be taken down from the dictation of the presiding officer. This will, we think, meet all reasonable requirements.

Clause 86A.—We think that in confirmation cases, where the Judges hearing the case are equally divided, it may not always be sufficient to refer the case to another Judge by whose opinion it is to be decided. We think that it should be within the power of any of the Judges before whom the case was originally heard in the High Court to insist upon a re-hearing before themselves and the additional Judge. As in some cases this may not be feasible, we would allow the Chief Justice in any such case to direct a re-hearing before three other Judges. This of course would only be practicable when the strength of the Court permitted of it.

This amendment is on the same lines as our proposals under clause 99.

Clause 87.—We agree to the substitution of the word " attachment " for the word " distress " in section 386, as we think it is more appropriate.

We also agree to the renumbering of this section so amended as 386 (1), and to the new sub-section (2) proposed by the Bill. We would however retain the words " movable property " in sub-section (1), and in lieu of making immovable property liable to attachment and sale under this sub-section, we would add a proviso after sub-section (2), to enable a fine to be realised through the Collector as if the order was a decree of a civil court. We can see no reason why a property owner who may be able to conceal his movables should not be forced to pay a fine which has been inflicted upon him by a criminal court, just as much, and by the same process, as a civil debt. It seems to be recognized that the liability is so enforceable by section 70, Indian Penal Code, and the decision in Emp. *v.* Sitanath Mitra, I.L.R. XX Cal., 478, and we think that this should be made clear by the section under consideration. The proper person to effect such realisation is, we think, the Collector of the district, who will be treated as the decree-holder.

Clause 88.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill, and have made another verbal amendment in section 387 which is, we think, required owing to the splitting up of section 386.

Clause 89.—Is accepted.

Clause 90.—We accept the amendment proposed, but would limit the amount of the fine to Rs. 500.

Clause 91.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill.

The object of an order of committal or of detention under section 123 is to keep the person concerned out of mischief, and this result is sufficiently attained

if he is undergoing imprisonment on any charge. We think therefore that there is no reason why imprisonment for a subsequent offence should not ordinarily be made to run concurrently with the committal or detention under section 113.

Clause 92.—The first amendment proposed by this clause would necessitate sending up to Government the record of any trial which might be required for the purpose of dealing with a petition for mercy under section 401. Objection has been taken to the inconvenience of this, and we think that it will be sufficient to require a certified copy of the record to be furnished.

It is well known that in the case of proceedings in a High Court the Judges object to their notes being treated as part of the record, and we have therefore referred in our proposed amendment of section 401 (2) to " a certified copy of the record of the trial, *or of such record thereof as exists.*"

We think in cases where it is necessary, in considering such a petition, for Government to know, as it frequently may be, the nature of the evidence given at a trial in a High Court, we can safely trust to the courtesy of High Court Judges to furnish a copy of their notes.

We have made a verbal alteration in the explanation proposed by the Bill for insertion at the end of section 401, and have also made a formal amendment in section 401 (5) in view of the special delegation to the present Governor General of His Majesty's prerogative of pardon.

Clause 93.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill, but would refer in the new sub-section (2) of section 402 to section 54, Indian Penal Code, as well as section 55.

Clause 94.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill with a slight alteration in the wording of the new proviso : see section 123 (3A), clause 18 of the Bill as amended by us.

Clause 94A.—The new section 406A provides for an appeal against the rejection of a surety under section 122 : see the last paragraph of our note to clause 17.

Clause 95.—Is accepted.

Clause 96.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause, but would make an additional amendment in (*a*) of the proviso to section 408, to provide for the case where one out of a number of persons tried jointly may claim his right, as a European British subject, of appealing to the High Court. In this case we think that the appeal of all the other persons tried with him should also be heard by the same court.

Clause 97.—In lieu of the proposed proviso to section 413, we propose a new section 415A, with only a slight difference in wording.

Clause 98.—Is accepted.

Clause 99.—We prefer to retain section 429 in its existing form, but would add a proviso on the lines of our amendment of section 378, clause 86A of the amended Bill : see our note to this clause.

Clause 100.—We are not prepared to omit the words "empowered by the Local Government in this behalf," as proposed by the first sub-clause. We think it would be unwise to extend the power to call for and examine records to all Sub-divisional Magistrates, particularly in view of the additional powers now proposed to be conferred on revisional courts, which we are prepared to accept if the first part of sub-section (1) is left in its present form.

We have remodelled the wording of the amendment proposed in section 435 (3). In view of our enlargement of section 476 (which we agree should be included in this sub-section) we think that a reference is also advisable to sections 476A and 476B. We have given a limited power of appeal under these sections, and would exclude them definitely from the revisional jurisdiction.

We have slightly altered the wording of the explanation which it is proposed to add at the end of section 435.

Clause 101.—We think that the point involved is possibly a doubtful one and had better be cleared up. We accept the amendment proposed.

Clause 102.—Is accepted.

Clause 103.—In order to provide for the absence of a Sessions Judge, we think it is necessary to empower him to make a general order authorising the Additional Sessions Judge to exercise all his powers We have provided for this specifically in our amended clause.

Clause 104.—Is accepted.

Clause 105.—We accept this clause with a slight verbal alteration.

Clause 106.—We accept the first amendment proposed by this clause.

We think that when a person has once been ordered by a Court to be detained as a lunatic, the place and method of his detention, and the provisions for his care, periodical examination, release, etc., should be a matter for the Local Government and not for the courts, and we propose to amend this and the following sections on these lines.

The provisions of the Code deal with two separate cases: (1) the case of a person who cannot be tried for the offence charged against him, because he is found to be incapable of pleading to the charge, and as he may subsequently become capable of pleading, provision has to be made for his custody while the incapacity lasts, and also for his being brought up again when it has ceased; (2) the second case to be provided for is that of a person who has been tried for the offence charged against him, and has been acquitted on the ground that at the time the act was done by him he was insane within the meaning of section 84, Indian Penal Code.

The preliminary question under case (1), namely, whether the person charged is capable of pleading, is dealt with by sections 464 and 465. Section 466 deals with his disposal, which may either be by release on security, or by an order for detention.

Our amendments to clause 106 [section 466 (2)] provide that a Magistrate or court making a detention order in such a case, shall report the action taken to the Local Government, who may, in their executive capacity, vary the order as circumstances may require. We have also made it clear that a detention order must be in accordance with the rules made under the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912.

Section 468 provides for the lunatic being brought up again for trial if he appears to have recovered; section 473 provides for his being so sent up by the inspecting authorities if he is detained in a jail or asylum; section 475 provides for his release by the Local Government upon security, and for his being brought up again if certified by the executive authorities to be capable of pleading.

Case (2) (acquittal on the ground of lunacy) is provided for by section 471. Here again the court may either release him on security, or order his detention according to the Lunacy Rules, reporting the action taken to the Local Government, who by section 471 (2) will have power to vary the order; section 474 will provide for his release by executive authorities, or for the examination of the lunatic by a commission; and section 475 for his being handed over to friends by the Local Government upon security.

Clauses 107-110.—The amendments which we propose in these clauses (including a new clause 108A) are, we think, sufficiently explained by the preceding note. Parts of section 471, and section 472, have already been repealed by the Indian Lunacy Act, 1912, and the Repealing and Amending Act, 1914.

Clause 111.—We have redrafted section 476 and added two new sections 476A and 476B, in accordance with our note to clause 36 (s. 195). These new clauses lay down the procedure to be followed in the case of all complaints by a court in respect of offences referred to in section 195 (*b*) and (*c*): [see also proviso (*aa*) to section 200 of the amended Bill].

Section 476 (1) provides that the complaint is to be made to the nearest first class Magistrate having jurisdiction—a term which is also to include a Chief Presidency Magistrate. Sub-section (2) applies the ordinary procedure upon complaint: and sub-section (3) gives the Magistrate power to adjourn the case where an appeal is pending.

Section 476A allows the complaint to be made either by the Court before which the offence is alleged to have been committed, or by a superior Court as defined in section 195 (3), and either on its own motion or upon the application of a party.

The explanation to this section makes it clear that such application may be made in any criminal proceedings by the Crown.

Section 476B gives a limited right of appeal to either party to the superior Court. The substitution of a complaint by a court for the old "sanction" proceedings makes it unnecessary to give the persons sought to be charged any further right of appeal. No such right exists in the case of an ordinary complaint, and if the superior court, as defined in s. 195 (3), declines to interfere, we think that there is no reason why the matter should not be investigated in the ordinary course. The same limited right of appeal against a refusal on the part of the subordinate court to make a complaint, may, we think, be accorded to a party interested, to meet the case of a perverse refusal to prosecute by the subordinate court.

For the reasons indicated above we think that the revisional jurisdiction of the courts should also be excluded: see our note to clause 100 [s. 435 (3)].

Clause 112.—This clause proposes various amendments in section 488, which deals with maintenance applications.

The first proposal is to increase the monthly maximum allowable from Rs. 50 to Rs. 100. This is in our opinion undesirable. We think that in cases where over Rs. 50 a month is required for the maintenance of a deserted wife or children, the claimants may be left to their ordinary civil remedy, and that the summary procedure provided by this section should be confined to petty cases.

We agree to the omission of the word "wilfully" in sub-section (3), but would supply its place by the words "without sufficient cause."

We would reject the further amendment proposed in this sub-clause, which has been the subject of some adverse comment.

We accept the further proviso to this sub-clause, as we think that some period of limitation is required for the recovery of outstanding arrears. The period of one year proposed by the Bill is, we think, reasonable.

We are entirely against the substitution of the expression "at any time commits adultery" for "is living in adultery" in sub-section (4), and the corresponding amendment in sub-section (5). The fact that a woman is "living in adultery" would in most cases be a matter of some notoriety, and would ordinarily be capable of easy proof, whereas to allow a husband, from whom maintenance is claimed under this section, to set up in answer to the claim a charge of misconduct in an isolated case (which may quite possibly have been due to destitution) would involve the Magistrate in a detailed enquiry of a very undesirable kind, and might frequently deter a perfectly innocent woman from claiming the benefit of the section.

We agree that it is desirable to get rid of the reference to the person from whom maintenance is claimed as an "accused." Sub-section (7) is now unnecessary (see clause 77 of the amended Bill), and we have omitted it.

Clause 113.—The amendment proposed by this clause will now be unnecessary.

Clause 114.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill which is necessitated by the decision in I. L. R. XXXIX Cal. 164. We have no doubt that

cases under the Extradition Act should be excluded from the provisions of section 491, and it is clear that this was the intention of the framers of the Act.

Clause 115.—We accept the first amendment proposed by the Bill, and the principle of the second amendment, but having regard to the fact that the Police Act, 1861, does not apply to all Provinces, we have thought it better to put the proposed amendment in a different form.

Clause 116.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause, with a slight verbal alteration in the first of them.

We also propose to omit at the commencement of section 494 the words "appointed by the Governor-General in Council or the Local Government". This will confer the power of withdrawal on any Public Prosecutor as defined in section 4 (1), and will, we think, meet a difficulty which has been noticed by the Bombay Government.

Clause 116A.—We think that a small amendment is required in section 496, in view of our amendments in sections 107 (4) and 117 (3) : see clauses 14 and 16 of the amended Bill.

Clause 117.—We accept the proviso to section 497 (1) proposed by this clause, but would substitute for the word "minor" the words "any person under the age of 16". We do not think that any minor over this age need be released merely on account of youth ; and see our note to clause 39.

Various other suggestions have been made for the amendment of this section which we have considered, but we are not prepared to recommend the adoption of any of them.

Clauses 118 and 119.—Are accepted.

Clause 120.—We agree to the amendment of section 514 (6) proposed by the Bill, with a verbal alteration in sub-section (3).

We have redrafted the proposed new sub-section (7). We think that proof of the conviction should be conclusive as to the breach, except where such conviction has proceeded solely on a plea of guilty, in which case we think that the surety should be allowed affirmatively to disprove the guilt of his principal, though no doubt such cases would be rare.

Clause 121.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill, but would make it cover also the case of a surety who becomes insolvent ; see our note to clause 17 (at end).

We have also added a new section 514B, to provide for the case of a bond being required from a minor.

Clause 122.—We accept this clause with a small verbal alteration.

Clause 123.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause with certain minor alterations.

We prefer the term "delivery" to "restoration" ; and we think that in section 517 (3) it will be sufficient to allow one month for the presentation of an appeal, or an application for revision where this is allowed.

Clause 124.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause with slight verbal alterations, and substituting a period of one month for six months from the date of the conviction, as the time within which an application for restoration must be made. We do not think that an order of restoration need be made simultaneously with the conviction, but we think that any application for such an order should be made promptly, and that one month is sufficient time to allow for this purpose

Clause 125.—We would substitute Rs. 1. for Rs. 20 in this clause, and would omit the words "or that it is of such a nature that it cannot be identified by the owner", as we think that the opinion of the Magistrate on the latter question might not be reliable.

We have also made another small verbal addition to the section (525).

Clause 126.—(*i*) We accept this sub-clause with a slight verbal alteration.

(*ii*) There is no doubt that some of the provisions of section 526 are subject to constant abuse, and that a party, against whom a criminal case is apparently going, will frequently apply for a transfer on manifestly insufficient grounds. We are also satisfied that advantage is frequently taken of the section to obtain an adjournment, which would otherwise be refused, without the least intention of making any application to the High Court. It is reported to us, for instance, that in the Dacca Division during three years adjournments were obtained in no less than 125 cases, in which no attempt was made to move the High Court. It is clear to us therefore that the section should contain some safeguards against such abuses, and we think that the provisions of this sub-clause require considerable modification. We fully recognise that there are cases in which it is eminently desirable, in the interests either of the accused or of the prosecution, that the inquiry or trial should be adjourned, in order that application may be made to the High Court for a transfer. We think, in the first place, that it should be sufficient to give notice that such an application is to be made before the commencement of the day's hearing in any trial or enquiry, or before the commencement of the hearing of any appeal, and that in such case an adjournment should be granted to enable the application to be made "before the accused is required to enter upon his defence or before the appeal is heard."

We would also penalise an improper application by making the applicant liable for costs (see our new sub-section 6A).

In the next place, we think that, if in any case in which the accused has entered on his defence, he thinks that the court is showing partiality to the prosecution, he should be entitled to an immediate adjournment in order to apply for a transfer, but that in such a case he should be required to enter into a bond with, if necessary, one surety, binding him to make such application within 15 days, and to support it by an affidavit by himself or by his pleader, setting out fully the grounds upon which the application is made.

We think that it is only by a provision of this nature that the abuses to which we have referred above, can be remedied. There will be no hardship in the exaction of such a bond in the case of any genuine application for a transfer, as the conditions of the bond will only be that the application shall be made and the grounds stated on affirmation.

Clause 127.—Is accepted.

Clause 128.—We accept the amendment proposed by the Bill, with the addition of certain words in the new sub-section (2A), to cover the case of a transfer.

It has been suggested that section 528 (3) should also be amended, as in its present form it requires the Magistrate to record his reasons for transfer in merely routine cases, and it is said that this causes unnecessary labour. The requirements of the section, however, would be sufficiently met in such cases by a formal note, and in all other cases it is clear that there ought to be a record of the Magistrate's reasons. We doubt, therefore, if any amendment of this sub-section is really required.

Clause 129.—We accept the principle of this clause, but having regard to our amendments in section 195 (*c*. 36), and section 476 (*c*. 111), section 537 (*b*) should now run "of any irregularity in any order under section 196 or section 196A, or in any proceedings taken under section, 476, 476A or 476B."

We also think that the illustration to section 537 should be omitted as inappropriate.

Various other suggestions have been made for the amendment of this section which we are not prepared to accept.

Clause 129A.—We propose to substitute the word "attachment" for the word "distress" in this section. A similar amendment has been made in sections 386 and 387 : see clauses 87 and 88 of the amended Bill.

Clause 130.—We accept the principle of the proposed new section 539A, but would make several minor amendments in it, and would partly rearrange the section.

We think that the provisions of the section should apply to all criminal proceedings, including appeals. We would allow the applicant to give evidence by affidavit, and would leave the Court a discretion to require this to be done in any case, provided that no accused person should be compelled to make an affidavit himself. The other changes we have made in the section are merely verbal.

We accept the principle of the new section 539B, but think that it requires some modification.

We are of opinion that the Judge or Magistrate should only view the *locus in quo* for the purpose of properly appreciating the evidence given at the trial, and that, in the case of a trial by jury or with assessors, the Judge should only view if the jury or assessors do the same under section 293.

We also think that notice should be given to the parties of the intention of the Judge or Magistrate to visit the *locus*.

We would also add a sub-section providing that the memorandum to be made by the Judge or Magistrate shall form part of the record of the case, and that a copy of it may be furnished to both sides.

The other alterations which we have made in this new section are purely formal.

Clause 131.—We accept the principle of the new section 540A, but have redrafted it. Our sub-section (1) provides for the case of an accused who is represented by a pleader, and whose personal attendance can be dispensed with. Sub-section (2) provides for the case of an accused who is not so represented, or whose continued personal attendance may be necessary, and allows the Court in such a case either to adjourn the trial of all the accused, or to order the particular accused to be tried separately.

Clause 132.—Is accepted.

Clause 133.—We accept the amendments proposed by this clause with minor verbal alterations in the new sub-clause (*c*).

The reference to stolen property should cover "retaining" as well as "receiving": see section 411, I. P. C. We think that the reference to a "*bonâ fide* purchaser" conveys all that is necessary.

Clause 134.—We accept the amendment proposed by this clause, but have added a new sub-section 546A (2), to enable an order under this section to be made by a High Court in revision.

Clause 134A.—We think that a small amendment is required in section 547, as the Code already contains various provisions for the recovery of *e.g.*, costs [section 148 (3)], compensation [section 250 (2)], maintenance [section 488 (3)], as if they were fines. We propose therefore to amend section 547 by inserting after the words "under this Code" the words "and not otherwise specifically provided for."

Clause 135.—We accept the new sub-sections 559A (1) and (2) with verbal alterations, and have added a new sub-section (3), to cover the case of Additional and Assistant Sessions Judges.

Clause 136.—We think that it will be sufficient by the new section 561A to recognise the inherent powers of the High Court in this direction.

Clause 137.—We have made several alterations in the new section 562 proposed by the Bill.

We have substituted the words "imprisonment for not more than three years" for the words "not more than three years' imprisonment and fine".

We have added to the sections of the Penal Code enumerated in sub-section (1), sections 380 (theft in a dwelling house) and 420 (cheating and dishonestly inducing delivery of property), which we think may be appropriately included.

The other alterations which we have made are merely verbal.

Clause 138.—We accept generally the provisions of section 565 as redrafted by the Bill. Sub-section (1) (*a*) proposes to bring certain new offences under the operation of the section. With regard to section 489A to 489D, I. P. C. (offences connected with currency notes, etc.), we have no doubt of the desirability of their inclusion. Section 215 (taking a gift to help recover stolen property, etc.), stands on rather a different footing, but having regard to the recommendations of the Police Commission (paragraph 136 of the Report), we would agree to its inclusion.

In sub-section (5) we would limit the punishment to three months' imprisonment $\frac{\text{and}}{\text{or}}$ a fine of Rs. 500, which should, we think, be sufficient.

We have also made one or two other minor alterations in the section, and have added a new sub-section (6), providing for the place of trial of a person charged with a breach of the rules.

Clause 139.—We have considered in detail the amendments proposed in Schedule II, and accept the greater part of them.

We are, however, unable to agree to some of the proposals to make offences at present triable exclusively by the Court of Sessions also triable by Magistrates: see items 18 to 24.

We also dissent from the proposal to make offences under section 341, I. P. C., non-cognizable.

We have made a few additions to the existing category of bailable offences: see items 8A to 8E, and have also amended the last item in the Schedule: see clause 78, new sub-section (2A) to section 345.

Clauses 140 and 141.—We have proposed certain amendments in Schedules III and IV which require no special comment, being merely consequential.

Clause 142.—We have inserted a new form of bond, for use under section 526.

Clause 143.—Is accepted.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 26th November 1917.*

PERSIAN GULF.

LINGEH—POSITION OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY MASTS.

New British Consolate and Flagstaff.

No. 308 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 168M. of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) The position of the South-western Mast.
At a distance of about 6¼ cables 342½° (N. 19½° W. Mag.) from Custom House.
Lat. 26° 33′ 34″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 23″ E. } On a plan of Chart No. 3380.

(*b*) The North-eastern Mast is lying at a distance of about ¼ a cable 45° (N. 43° E. Mag.) from (*a*).
The Masts are 288 feet apart and bear 45° (N. 43° E. Mag.) and 225° (S. 43° W. Mag.) from each other.

Height.—The South-western and the North-eastern Masts are 156 and 152 feet high, respectively.

(*c*) The position of the New British Consolate and Flagstaff.
At a distance of about 3¼ cables 14½° (N. 12½° E. Mag.) from Custom House.
Lat. 26° 33′ 16″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 42″ E. } On plan of Chart No. 3380.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No. 3380, Plans in the Persian Gulf.
„ 35, Basidu and its approaches.
„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 228.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 9th October 1917.

PERSIAN GULF—KISHM ISLAND.

Existence of a rock East of Ras Tarkun.

No. 309 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 169M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles 83° (N. 81° E. Mag.) from Ras Tarkun.
Lat. 26° 38′ 8″ N.
Long. 55° 38′ 20″ E. } Approximately on Chart No. 753.

Details.—A rock is reported to exist in the above position, having a least depth of 5 feet at L.W.O.S.
The rock is 100 yards long and 20 yards wide, extending in the directions of 337½° (N. 24½° W. Mag.) and 157½° (S. 24½° E. Mag.), with a depth of 12 feet close to it.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No. 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 214.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

ARABIAN SEA—MAKRAN COAST.

Jashk—Removal of Wireless Telegraphy Station.

No. 310 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 170M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 38′ 20″ N.
Long. 57° 45′ 37″ E. } Approximate.

Description.—Two conspicuous Wireless Masts, referred to on page 191, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915.

Remarks.—The position of these two Masts is not shown on a New Chart No. 145, the Persian Gulf Pilot is to be corrected accordingly.

Chart affected.—No. 145, Plans on Makran Coast.
„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 191.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

INDIA WEST, BOMBAY COAST.

"Whale reef" buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 311 (first publication).—With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners No. 163 of 1917, the Bombay Government has given further Notice No. 1577, dated the 5th November 1917, that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the south-west monsoon was replaced in position on the 22nd October 1917.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN, NEW HEBRIDES—AMBRYM ISLAND.

Dip Point Anchorage—Caution.

No. 312 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 987 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Sealark hill, Lat. 16° 13′ S., Long. 167° 56′ E.

Caution.—The entrance to the small harbour situated southward of Sealark hill is completely closed, and a note "*Entrance silted up (1917)*" is to be inserted on the Charts.

Charts affected.—No. 856, Plan of Dip Point anchorage.
„ 2225, Ambrym island.
„ 1573, Malekula island (southern part).
„ 1570, Malo island to Efate island.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 356; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—British Residency, Vila. (*H. 5585/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—JIDDA APPROACH.

Mismari Reef—New Beacon erected.

No. 313 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 989 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the centre of the reef.
Lat. 21° 19′ 10″ N., long. 39° 01′ 00″ E.

Description.—A coral and stone mound about 10 feet high, white in colour.

Remarks.—The former beacon, which had disappeared, is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 320; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5549/17.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

River Pungue Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 314 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 993 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 20 miles south-eastward from Macuti point light.
Lat. 20° 05′ 30″ S., long. 35° 08′ 15″ E., on chart No. 648.

Details.—A shoal patch, which nearly dries at low water, has been reported to exist in the above position.

Note.—The shoal is to be marked "*Reported (1917) (posn. approx.)*" on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean, southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III. 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4631/17.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Caution.

No. 315 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 995 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Fremantle, lat 32° 03½′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Caution.—Until further Notice, vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle are cautioned not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5708-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Point Gellibrand Lighthouse—Alteration in Fog-Signals.

No. 316 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1020 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about half a mile south-eastward from Point Gellibrand.

Lat 37° 52¾′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Details.—The fog-signals at this lighthouse have been altered and are now as follows :—

(*a*) A siren operated with compound air, giving *one* blast of four seconds' duration *every five minutes.*

(*b*) A rocket fired *every thirty minutes.*

(*c*) A submarine bell sounded as hitherto.

Remarks.—In the event of the siren becoming disabled, a rocket will be fired every ten minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra, and Melbourne.

„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2468.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 456; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 12 of 1917. (*H. 5552-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Sorrento Jetty Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 317 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1026 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At the outer end of Sorrento jetty.

Lat. 38° 20¼′ S., long. 144° 44¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W.R.G., ev. 3 sec.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing every three seconds* with *white, red,* and *green* sectors.

Remarks.—To enable vessels up to 7 feet draught to make Sorrento jetty, narrow sectors of *white* light will be shown to the northward between the buoys marking the entrance channel off Point King and to the eastward over a safe course from Canterbury jetty to Sorrento. On either side of the *white* sectors the light will show *green* on the starboard and *red* on the port side when approaching Sorrento jetty by the abovementioned channels.

Note.—The sectors referred to above are not to be shown on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI., 1917, No. 2429.
Australia Directory, Vol. I., 1907, page 438.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 6 of 1917. (*H. 3721/17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE, SOUTH CHANNEL.

Portsea—Amended Depth on Shoal north-westward of.

No. 318 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of Portsea jetty light, and about 7¼ cables northward of the Boundary flagstaff
Lat. 38° 18¼′ S., long. 144° 42¼′ E.

Depth.—28 feet instead of 23 feet.

Remarks.—Vessels are advised to round the Portsea light buoy at a distance of about one cable.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. I., 1907, page 441.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 13 of 1917. (*H. 5553/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 319 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1032 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles, westward, from Abú Matna,
Lat. 18° 53′ 15″ N., long. 41° 07′ 30″ E.

Description.—A 2-fathom coral patch, about half a cable in extent.

Note.—This shoal, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock, with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 8*c*, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 344.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5581/17.*)

PERSIAN GULF ENTRANCE.

Shoal Depth reported.

No 320 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1037 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (*approximate*).—Lat. 26° 08′ 45″ N., long. 56° 50′ 15″ E.

Details.—A shoal depth of 9¼ fathoms has been obtained in the above position, surrounded by depths of over 40 fathoms.

Note.—A note, "*Probably less water* (*1917*)," is to be inserted on the charts against the shoal depth mentioned above, together with the note "*posn. approx.*"

Charts affected.—No. 753, Entrance of the Persian gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian gulf, eastern sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 195.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5631/17.*)

BORNEO. NORTH COAST.

Sipindung—Beacon established south-westward of.

No. 321 (*first publication*).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the 2-fathom patch situated about 1¼ miles, south-westward, of Sipindung.
Lat. 6° 50′ 54″ N., long. 117° 32′ 30″ E.

Description.—Not stated.

Charts affected.—No. 1650, Mallawallé island to Lankayan.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 967, Paláwan island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I., 1911, page 161.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Sandakan. (*H. 5723/17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—MIHARA SETO.

Aogi Seto—Existence of a Rock.

No. 322 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of 6$\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 290° (*N. 65° W. Mag.*), from Konejima lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 20½′ N., long. 133° 03¼′ E.

Description.—A pinnacle rock, over which there is a depth of 2¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—The above rock is to be substituted for the 5-fathom rock shown on the charts.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3325, Channels between Neko seto and Mekari seto.
„ 2875, Niakai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 345.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 178 of 1917. *(H. 5784/17.)*

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR, R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 17th November 1917.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel—Storm Warning Signals.

No. 304 (second publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum, has given Notice, dated 23rd July 1917, that the Madras Cyclone Code, as published on page 260 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* No. 9, dated 29th February 1916, has been adopted in this State, and will be brought into force at the Ports of Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel at a date to be notified later. Copies of the Code may be seen at any of the above Port Offices.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Port limits of Quilon.

No. 305 (second publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum, has given Notice, dated the 11th August 1917, that the limits of the Quilon Port have been fixed as follows :—

East.—So much of the foreshore as lies between the north and south boundary pillars and within 50 yards of high water.

North.—A line drawn west-south-west from the north boundary pillar until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

South.—A line drawn from the south boundary pillar west-south-west until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

West.—A line cutting the north and south boundary lines and with Tangacherry lighthouse bearing north.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST—COLACHEL.

Patna Rock Red Buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 306 (second publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, Alleppey, has given Notice, dated the 19th September 1917, that the Patna Rock Red Buoy has been replaced.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Quilon—Buoys replaced.

No. 307 (second publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, Alleppey, has given Notice dated 12th October 1917, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¼ cables.

Black buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. ¼ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of the Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart (No. 750) of the Quilon Road, with reference to these buoys.

The 12th November 1917.

GULF OF ADEN.

Port of Aden—Alteration in Examination Anchorage.

No. 300 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 960 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Pinnacle rock, lat. 12° 45¼′ N., long. 44° 55½′ E.

Alteration.—The position of the Examination anchorage in the outer harbour has been altered, and the anchorage is now defined as follows :—

Limits :

(*a*) *On the North.*—By a line drawn from the summit of Pinnacle rock, in a 70° (*N. 71° E. Mag.*) direction towards Ras Tarshein, for a distance of 9$\frac{1}{10}$ cables.

(*b*) *On the South.*—By a line drawn from the summit of Jezirat Salil, in a 53° (*N. 54° E. Mag.*) direction towards Ras Tarshein, for a distance of 19 cables.

(*c*) *On the East.*—By a line joining the eastern extremities of limits (*a*) and (*b*).

Variation.—1° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3660, Aden harbour.
„ 7, Aden harbour and approaches.

Publication.—Red Sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 405 ; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. (*H. 5367/17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—NEGROS ISLAND, SOUTH-EAST COAST.

Apo Island Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 301 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 961 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 9° 05′ N., long. 123° 16½′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl., *ev. 5 sec., 428 ft., vis. 16 m.* (U).

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from alternating fixed and flashing white and red to *flashing white every five seconds.*

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2578, Eastern part of the Sulu or Mindoro sea.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manilla.
„ 1263, China sea.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1171.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 375.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1957 of 1917. (*H. 5426/17.*)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS—SULU ARCHIPELAGO.

Pearl Bank—Light established.

No. 302 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 969 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 5° 50′ 15″ N., long. 119° 44′ 30″ E., on chart No. 1868.

Abridged description.—(U) Lt. Fl., *ev. 6 sec., 65 ft., vis. 13 m. (posn approx.)*

Characteristics :

Character.—A *flashing white* light *every six seconds.*

Elevation.—65 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles.

Structure.—White circular steel tower, 60 feet in height.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 1868, Taganak to TawiTawi.
„ 928, Sulu archipelago.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago, and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 943, Molucca passage to Manila.
„ 2660*b*, China sea, southern portion—eastern sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 1137.
Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 296.

Authority.—U. S. A. Hyd. Office Notice No. 1955 of 1917. (*H. 5424/17.*)

BAY OF BENGAL.

HUGLI RIVER—GABTOLA CHANNEL

Gabtola—Light-vessel established.

No. 303-I (third publication).—

Position.—Lat. 21° 48′ 51″ N., long. 88° 02′ 43″ E.

Details.—The light-vessel is stationed at the head of the Gabtola Channel with Kaukhali (Cowcolli) lighthouse bearing 283°, distance 5¾ miles, in about 19 feet of water.

She is an attended light-vessel with one lantern mast without any day distinguishing symbol. The Hull is painted red with the name of the Station in white letters on her side.

At night it displays a fixed white light, 44 feet above the water, visible in clear weather 12 miles and it also carries a riding light on the forestay 6 feet above the rail.

Remarks.—The light-vessel has been placed as an experimental measure only. For the present, this light in common with all the other Hugli lights is not being exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 136, Hugli river.

„ 814, The Sandheads.

„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

„ 829, Cocanada to Bassein river.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 300.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator, Port of Calcutta, Notice dated 8th November 1917.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT ON FOREST ADMINISTRATION IN THE PRESIDENCY OF BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30TH JUNE 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Forest Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 3RD DECEMBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 8148 For.

READ—

The Annual Progress Report on Forest Administration in the Presidency of Bengal for the year ending 30th June 1917.

Read also—

The corresponding report of the previous year and the Government Resolution thereon.

SIR HENRY FARRINGTON was in charge of the Bengal Forest Circle throughout the year. He was on tour for 298 days and inspected all the Forest Divisions

2. **Changes in area and in administration.**—There was a change in the actual areas of the reserved forests under the Forest Department due to the inclusion of 10,897 acres in the Darjeeling, Kurseong and Buxa Forest Divisions. Areas excluded were 26 acres, and those transferred to the charge of the Public Works Department, Education Department and the Darjeeling-Himalayan Railway, without being disforested, amounted to 32 acres.

There was no change in the area of the protected forests under the Forest Department.

3. **Reservation and Demarcation.**—The only settlement work completed during the year was in respect of 5 acres in the Mana block of the Latpanchor Reserve in the Kurseong Forest Division.

The demarcation work in the Chittagong Forest Division was completed during the year. No progress was, however, made in the Chittagong Hill Tracts Division, and the Governor in Council desires that this important work should be expedited.

4. **Working-plans.**—A revised working-plan for the Kurseong Forest Division is under preparation. An amendment to the Darjeeling working plan was sanctioned during the year whereby 270 acres were transferred to the Coppice Working Circle to meet the heavy demand for fire-wood and charcoal in the vicinity of Kurseong. Certain amendments to the working-plan for the reserved forests in the Buxa Division were also sanctioned to meet the demand for fuel. The Governor in Council notices with interest the experiments which are being conducted by the Forest Department with sowings of *sal* in accordance with the decision to adopt the policy of artificial regeneration of *sal* in land cleared for the purpose. The deviations from the sanctioned working-plans have been sufficiently explained by the Conservator in his report.

5. **Communications and Buildings.**—Twelve miles of cart roads, 23 miles of bridle-paths and 5 miles of foot-paths were constructed during the year. The total expenditure on communications amounted to Rs. 22,675 against Rs. 25,500 in the previous year.

The total expenditure on new buildings and repairs amounted to Rs. 34,776 against Rs. 28,949 in the previous year.

6. **Protection.**—There was an increase in the total number of forest offences reported during the year, the number being 2,642 against 2,351 in the previous year. There was an increase of 129 offences in the Chittagong Division.

The area in which fire protection was attempted during the year comprised 368.983 acres and the percentage of successful protection was 97·7. The cost per square mile was Rs. 7-7 against Rs. 10-8 in the previous year. The area burnt over amounted to 8,290 acres against 5,468 acres in the previous year. The increase is due to the occurrence of three big fires in the Buxa Division. One of these involved the burning of 4,100 acres of hill forests by a fire crossing from Bhutan. In 14 out of 40 cases the causes of the fires were undetected.

There was no change in the area open to grazing. The number of cattle impounded during the year was 5,226 against 4,778 in the previous year, and 3,807, the average for the last three years. The increase was in the Buxa and Chittagong Divisions, and was due to the improved patrol work done by the forest subordinates, and in Buxa to the presence of many Nepalese *goalas* from Assam.

In Kurseong observations on the spread of the *sal* root fungus were continued. The fungus plots in the Jalpaiguri Division were inspected at intervals throughout the year by the Divisional Forest Officer, and the changes in the plots were reported to be very slight. In the Buxa Forest Division the fungus observation plots were twice inspected during the year and the results recorded. Mr. Shaw, the Imperial Mycologist, paid visits to Rajabhatkhawa in connection with his investigation of the fungus. The investigation has not yet been completed. The damage done by the teak-borer to the teak plantation in the Chittagong Hill Tracts during the year was not greater than in previous years. Unfortunately the Forest

Zoologist was unable to pay a visit to the plantations to investigate the life-history of the insects.

7. **Exploitation.**—Minor forest produce continued to be disposed of generally under permits at fixed rates.

The revenue from *golpatta* rose from 1¼ lakhs to over 1½ lakhs owing to the more extensive use of this material for roofs on account of the stoppage of the import of corrugated iron sheets.

During the year a lease for five years was granted to Mr. C. T. Grenon of Calcutta for the collection in the Sundarbans Division of Hantal leaves (*Phoenix paludosa*), Bhola fibre (*Hibiscus tiliaceus*), and Dhani grass (*Oryza sativa and coarctata*) to be used for manufacture of paper. It is reported that the scheme for exploiting cane on a four-year rotation in the Buxa Forest mentioned in last year's Resolution has worked satisfactorily.

Last season's Khedda operations conducted under agreement by Babu Kamala Kanta Bhattacharyya in the Kalimpong and Kurseong Forest Divisions resulted in the capture of 32 elephants. In Chittagong Munshi Osi Meah captured 19 elephants. During the year Khedda operations were also conducted by the Forest Department on a small scale in the Buxa Division. The results of the operations were satisfactory. Out of 14 elephants captured 12 were sold and only 2 died. The sale proceeds amounted to Rs. 14,547 against an expenditure of Rs. 8,680,

8. **General.**—The number of persons reported to have been killed by tigers in the Sundarbans was 19 against 60 in the previous year and 86, the average of past five years. The number of tigers killed during the year was 48.

The provisions of the Wild Birds and Animals Protection Act, 1912 (VIII of 1912), were extended to the Chittagong Hill Tracts during the year.

The scheme mentioned in last year's Resolution for the enlargement of the Kurseong Forest School has been abandoned as it has been decided that students for the Rangers Service course shall, as before, be sent to the Imperial Forest College at Dehra Dun for training.

In accordance with the suggestions made by the Inspector-General of Forests during his tour of inspection in 1915, proposals for strengthening the controlling staff of the Forest Department of the province were submitted to the Government of India during the year.

9. **Financial results.**—The results of the year's working were satisfactory. The total revenue increased from Rs. 11,74,795 in 1915-16 to Rs. 14,33,555. It is, however, a little less than the average of the previous five years. There was a slight increase in the expenditure, the amount being Rs. 6,29,153 against Rs. 5,90,843 in the preceding year. The surplus amounted to Rs. 8,04,402 against Rs. 5,83,952 in 1915-16 : the average surplus of the five years prior to the war was Rs. 8,18,301. All the divisions except Darjeeling and Jalpaiguri contributed to the increase in revenue.

10. The thanks of the Governor in Council are due to Sir H. A. Farrington for his careful and efficient management of the department during the year. His Excellency in Council notices with pleasure the Conservator's appreciation of the good work done by officers of the department during the year.

ORDER.—Ordered that this Resolution be published in the Gazette and that a copy, with a copy of the report, be submitted to the Government of India.

By order of the Governor in Council.

L. BIRLEY,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT ON THE WORKING OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES IN BENGAL FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Agriculture Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 3RD DECEMBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 8155 Agri.

READ—

The Report on the working of Co-operative Societies in Bengal for the year ending the 30th June 1917.

THE year ending the 30th June 1917 was, on the whole, a year of agricultural prosperity in Bengal, and it has been marked by acceleration in the development of the co-operative movement. The year's increase was, in the number of societies 843, in the number of members 21,615, and in the working capital 27 lakhs, compared with 251 societies, 14,717 members and 15 lakhs, the increase of the previous year. The reserve funds have increased from 8½ lakhs to 10⅔ lakhs.

2. The outlook is promising, but the Registrar has not omitted to draw attention to weak points; and the details of his report demonstrate clearly the truth of his contention that further development on a sound basis requires an increase in the strength of organizers, both official and non-official. The careful selection and instruction of office-bearers at the time of the formation of new societies, the relentless pursuit of those office-bearers who have been found guilty of dishonesty, the continuous supervision of societies which show tendencies to slackness, and the thorough audit of every society constitute a task which throws an ever-increasing burden on those on whom the movement relies for its success. Co-operation in Bengal is no longer in its infancy; and while the Governor in Council realises that for some time to come the Registrar will necessarily require a substantial staff of trained subordinates throughout the Presidency, it has become evident that the staff paid by Government cannot be indefinitely increased in proportion to the increase in the number of societies, and that the movement can afford and will be obliged to bear a substantial share of the financial burden. The Provincial Co-operative Conference which met in February 1917 accepted the principle that every well-established society should contribute to the cost of audit, and during the year under review a scheme was worked out which will provide for an immediate addition to the staff of 14 auditors who will be paid for by societies. This will make provision for the regular audit of all societies, which is the first necessity and is required by law. The extent to which the number of Government Inspectors can be increased is now under the consideration of Government, but it has become apparent that as the movement expands it will have to contribute more largely than in the past to the cost of general supervision as well as of audit.

3. In reviewing the report of the year 1915-16 the Governor in Council remarked on the substantial assistance which was given by Co-operative Societies during the period of distress which prevailed in Tippera district in 1915, and he remarked that the results of the year 1916-17 would indicate whether the public had been well-advised in placing confidence in the societies. He has, therefore, examined with interest the statistics which concern the societies in this district: the amount repaid by members of

Agricultural Societies during the year 1916-17 was Rs. 1,83,845 against Rs. 69,579 repaid during 1915-16, but the overdue loans have increased from Rs. 1,02,788 at the end of 1915-16 to Rs. 1,15,371 at the end of 1916-17. The increase in the total of repayments is substantial, and the amount repaid represents nearly half of the total amount outstanding against members at the end of 1915-16. On the other hand, the amount of overdue loans is excessive, and in view of the fact that agricultural conditions were generally favourable in Tippera district in 1916-17, the Governor in Council considers it to be a disappointing result that the amount of overdue loans has not been substantially reduced.

4. For financial reasons no progress was made during the year with the scheme for a Provincial Bank, but, as the Registrar has observed, the business of financing Central Banks with deposits made by residents of Calcutta has grown to such an extent as to necessiate proper machinery for its control. The Governor in Council has under consideration a scheme for a Provincial Federation of Central Banks which is intended to provide this machinery without making any attempt to attract large quantities of new capital which are more urgently needed for other purposes.

5. The number of Central Banks has increased from 39 to 47: the present policy of the Department is not to encourage the formation of new rural societies except in areas in which there is a Central Bank to which they can be affiliated, and thereby to minimise the danger of making a bad start on account of inadequate control. Consequently there has been very little progress in the seven districts which were mentioned in last year's report as being backward in co-operation, because none of them yet has a Central Bank. The working capital of Central Banks has increased from 46½ to nearly 59 lakhs; their reserve funds from Rs. 1,11,901 to Rs. 1,46,008; and the paid-up share capital from 6½ to 8¾ lakhs. The appointment of paid Secretaries in four more Central Banks is a step in the right direction towards improving the control of these banks over their affiliated societies. The Governor in Council agrees with the Registrar's opinion that it is essential that societies should realise their own responsibilities in respect of punctual collection of dues and should not expect this work to be done for them by Government Inspectors.

6. The Registrar gives a somewhat depressing account of the work of supervisional unions, the number of which has increased from 12 to 13. Rural societies show no inclination to form unions with a view to guaranteeing one another's loans, and there is a dearth of suitable men outside the headquarters of districts and subdivisions to take up the work of managing unions.

7. The number of agricultural societies has risen from 2,067 to 2,857; the membership from 94,074 to 110,961; and the working capital from 57 to 67 lakhs. Loans issued to members rose from 17 to 26½ lakhs and loans repaid by members from 14 to 18¾ lakhs, but there are 17 lakhs of overdue loans which represent 30·8 per cent. of the loans outstanding, the percentage of overdue loans in the previous year having been 26·6. The Central Banks should give their unremitting attention to the enforcement of punctuality in repayment, and to the substitution of honest men for the office-bearers who have brought discredit to the movement in certain areas. Among the societies of special types the Khelar Irrigation Society in Midnapore district has had a successful year and the Governor in Council hopes to see this beneficial form of co-operation imitated elsewhere.

8. The Departments of Agriculture and Co-operation have held several joint conferences at which practical schemes for spreading agricultural improvements were discussed. Their joint efforts have been largely devoted to the extension of potato cultivation. The collection and distribution of selected potato seed, and the realisation of its value from cultivators scattered over many districts is by no means a simple problem: the attempt to organize this business has proved a heavy burden to the officers of the departments. The extensive use of manures in the future depends largely on the joint efforts of the two Departments, because the use of expensive manure involves purchase on credit.

9. The Governor in Council endorses the Registrar's remarks about the value of the Provincial Co-operative Conference which was held in February 1917 : apart from the benefit which the members derive from the discussion of practical difficulties, the Conference affords a convenient opportunity for the co-operators of the Presidency to make their views known to Government and their unanimous desire to have the Public Demands Recovery Act extended to the recovery of dues from societies under liquidation has found expression in a Bill which is now before the Legislative Council.

10. Rai Jamini Mohan Mitra Bahadur relinquished the charge of the Department at the end of the year under review. He entered the Department in November 1907 in the capacity of Personal Assistant to the Registrar and he became Registrar on the 27th June 1912. During his five years' tenure of the office of Registrar he saw the co-operative movement in Bengal advance from the stage of experiment to that of assured success : this development has been due in no small degree to the labours of Mr. Mitra and to the confidence which his enthusiasm inspired, and, in the opinion of the Governor in Council, Bengal owes him a lasting debt of gratitude. Mr. J. T. Donovan, I.C.S., succeeded Mr. Mitra at the end of the year, after assisting Mr. Mitra for a period of seven months · he had previously been closely associated with co-operative work for four years while engaged in district work, and he spent part of his leave in 1916 in studying the co-operative movement in Ireland : his interesting report shows that he has realised the magnitude of the task before him.

The Governor in Council desires once more to express his grateful acknowledgment of the valuable assistance rendered by numerous official and non-official workers whose services have been mentioned by the Registrar, and he is pleased to notice the prominence of Maharaja Kshaunish Chandra Ray Bahadur of Krishnagar, amongst active patrons. There is no limit to the demand for such workers, and there is no sphere of civic service in which hard work earns a more certain reward in the consciousness of participation in the advancement of the country.

By order of the Governor in Council,

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF THE YEAR 1917-18.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Separate Revenue Branch (Salt.)

No. 2686S.R.

Dated Calcutta, the 30th November 1917.

THE following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of the year 1917-18, comprising the months of July, August and September 1917, in the Presidency of Bengal, is published for general information.

2. The quantity of salt of every description cleared during the quarter amounted to 1,932,236 maunds (including 1,544,671 maunds issued under the credit system), as compared with 2,064,019 maunds (including 1,406,671 maunds issued under the credit system) in the previous quarter and 2,655,202 maunds (including 1,768,735 maunds issued under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The net amount of duty levied was Rs. 23,18,574 (including Rs. 18,41,228 adjusted under the credit system), as against Rs. 26,46,672 (including Rs. 19,71,704 adjusted under the credit system) in the previous quarter, and Rs. 30,34,977 (including Rs. 20,03,629 adjusted under the credit system) in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

3. The subjoined table I shows in detail the importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter, compared with the figures of the corresponding quarters of the two previous years :—

TABLE I.

Whence imported.	1915-16.		1916-17.		1917-18.	
	SECOND QUARTER.		SECOND QUARTER.		SECOND QUARTER.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom	1,273,263	698,101	942,776	619,934	142,929	24,161
Hamburg and Bremen ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said	667,490	741,214	513,060	552,019	650,611	586,989
Spain	531,525	458,402	196,000	166,232	...	134,920
Salif	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aden	567,336	426,415	371,595	560,410	589,007	586,434
Rock Salt	...	...	..	...	...	...
Bombay	44,534	101,592	...	471	...	542
Massowah	440,100	395,960	381,418	258,686	304,890	283,902
Madras, Cocanada, Vizagapatam, Masulipatam, etc.	26,400	26,400	48,278	48,276	2,904	....
North Africa (Tunis), Egypt, etc.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Australia (Victoria) and Straits Settlements.	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States of America (Atlantic coast).	...	...	...	4	...	...
United States of America (Pacific Coast).	...	...	...	1	...	...
Ceylon	...	...	...	...	...	16
Total ...	3,550,648	2,848,084	2,453,127	2,206,033	1,690,341	1,616,964*

* Inclusive of 1,544,671 maunds of salt issued under the credit system. Besides this quantity 10,184 maunds of salt were issued under the credit system to inland bonded warehouses.

Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year and the same quarter of 1915-16, importations were less by 31·1 and 52·4 per cent., respectively, and clearances were less by 26·7 and 43·2 per cent., respectively. As compared with the corresponding period of the previous year, the increased imports from Port Said and Aden, and decreased imports from the United Kingdom, Madras and Massowah are specially noticeable. There were no imports during the quarter from Spain.

4. Table II shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter as compared with the preceding four quarters :—

TABLE II.

Where stored.	Second quarter of 1916-17.	Third quarter of 1916-17.	Fourth quarter of 1916-17.	First quarter of 1917-18.	Second quarter of 1917-18.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government Salt *golas*.	1,899,448	1,277,827	963,047	660,583	581,243
Chittagong Salt *golas*	555,162	279,902	231,801	306,702	62,183
Narayanganj (private bonded Salt warehouses).	40,225	37,630	35,590	23,315	1,615
Bhairab Bazar (private bonded Salt warehouses).	11,430	9,988	5,965	2,229	...
Jhalakati (private bonded Salt warehouses).	55,969	46,188	16,170	27,290	31.312
Madaripur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	510	3,540	810	825	...
Chandpur (private bonded Salt warehouses).	23,175	29,570	...	5,630	3,923
Total ...	2,585,919	1,684,645	1,253,383	1,026,574	680,276

5. The figures showing the despatches of salt from Calcutta by different routes during the quarter under report will be published as usual in the *Calcutta Gazette* by the Director of Statistics with the Government of India when they are available.

6. The quantity of salt despatched during the quarter by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar was *nil* as in the previous quarter and in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

7. The quantity of saltpetre salt excised in the refineries of Bengal during the quarter amounted to 209 maunds as compared with *nil* in in the previous quarter and 10 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt during the quarter for the port of Calcutta, according to the published market reports, amounted to *nil*.

9. Table III shows the average wholesale prices* per 100 maunds of salt at the port of Calcutta during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE III.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1917.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1917.	Fortnight ending the 15th August 1917.	Fortnight ending the 31st August 1917.	Fortnight ending the 15th September 1917.	Fortnight ending the 30th September 1917.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Spanish *karkuch*	170 0 0	170 0 0	175 8 0	...	201 0 0	...
Port Said *karkuch*	...	...	164 12 0	...	...	...
Port Said crushed	201 0 0	199 0 0	...	225 0 0	231 0 0	243 6 4
Aden crushed ...	199 0 0	199 0 0	227 4 0	225 0 0	236 0 0	242 8 0
Salif crushed ...	...	...	...	...	231 0 0	243 6 4
Madras salt ...	98 8 0	96 0 0	98 8 0	102 0 0	103 0 0	107 0 0

* The prices are exclusive of the Port Commissioners' special toll of 4 annas per ton and Customs duty of Re. 1-4 per maund.

10. The subjoined table IV shows the average wholesale prices per 100 maunds of salt at the port of Chittagong during each fortnight of the quarter :—

TABLE IV.

Description of salt.	Fortnight ending the 15th July 1917.	Fortnight ending the 31st July 1917.	Fortnight ending the 15th August 1917.	Fortnight ending the 31st August 1917.	Fortnight ending the 15th September 1917.	Fortnight ending the 30th September 1917.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
Aden ...	196 14 0	225 0 0	262 8 0	287 8 0	290 10 0	331 4 0
Spanish ...	206 4 0	237 8 0	275 0 0	293 12 0	296 14 0	337 8 0
Port Said ...	206 4 0	225 0 0	250 0 0	275 0 0	287 8 0	325 0 0

11. Table V below shows the quantities of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at the port of Chittagong and at the several inland warehousing stations :—

TABLE V.

Port or station.	Description of salt.	Admitted into bond.		Cleared from bond and shipboard.	
		Second quarter of 1916-17.	Second quarter of 1917-18.	Second quarter of 1916-17.	Second quarter of 1917-18.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Chittagong ...	English *panga*	...	...	...	1
	Aden ...	124,042	...	69,622	85,358
	Hamburg ...	...	...	...	...
	Spanish ...	149,580	...	117,399	22,627
	Port Said ...	153,937	...	101,580	125,805
Narayanganj	English *panga*	64,996	...	50,010	14,916
	Aden ...	2,500	...	2,500	5,382
	Spanish ...	5,600	3,600	4,950	5,161
	Port Said ...	13,000	7,000	8,820	5,500
	Massowah ...	...	...	1,100	...
Jhalakati ...	English *panga*	54,800	29,942	47,468	9,294
	Spanish ...	...	...	...	1,041
	Massowah ...	3,100	...	3,069	...
	Port Said ...	...	12,100	650	16,491
Bhairab Bazar	English *panga*	10,000	...	14,500	1,629
	Spanish ...	...	...	...	...
Madaripur ...	English *panga*	...	...	1,000	...
	Massowah ...	...	...	480	...
	Spanish ...	...	...	...	780
Chandpur ...	Aden ...	...	8,200	...	8,118
	Port Said ...	18,900	11,100	26,021	12,869
	Total ...	599,855	71,942	449,169	315,272

As compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year, the quantities admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard were less by 88·0 and 29·8 per cent., respectively.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 3rd December 1917.

Summary.—The week was rainless. The harvesting of winter paddy is in full swing. Outturn is reported to be good. The sowings of wheat, gram and summer rice have commenced. Tobacco seedlings are being transplanted. Cattle-disease is reported from seven districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 4 per cent. from that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sugarcane and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	11 7/8	10	
	Barrackpore	Nil	8¾	8 5/16	
	Barasat ...	Nil	10	10	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	11	9½	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather cloudy. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	9	9½	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	10½	10½	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	13	13	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	10½	10½	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	12¾	11½	
	Kandi ...	Nil	12	12	
4	Jessore ..	Nil	10	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	15	12	
	Narail ...	Nil	13	13	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	13 5/16	10⅞	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	13	12	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Morrelganj in Bagerhat subdivision.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	13	11	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	14	11	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are going on. Sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ausgram and Salanpur.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	12⅓	11½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10⅞	10½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	12	11½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease.
	Rampurhat	Nil	12	12	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14	14	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 1/16	9 1/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of the standing crops are excellent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	9⅛	10	
	Contai ...	Nil	12	12	
10	HOOGHLY ..	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospect of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease is reported from Pandua thana.
	Serampore ...	Nil	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Standing crops are doing well. The harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter rice has begun. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	10	9	
	Nator ...	Nil	10	7½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10 3/16	10 3/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced in places. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	9½	9½	
	Balurghat ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	(*n*)	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9½	9	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Harvesting of winter rice has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	0·07	8	8	Weather clear. Winter rice, *marua*, and cardamom are being harvested. Wheat, barley and mustard are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	10	10	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	8	7	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	9	8½	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8	8	
	Gaibandha...	Nil	8½	8½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	12	9½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	12	13	Weather cool and pleasant. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	9	7½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy, transplanting of tobacco seedlings and sowing of wheat are in progress. Washing of jute is nearly finished. Condition and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	11	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Outturn is excellent. Sowing of *boro* paddy has commenced. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is decreasing in the interior.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	10	10	
	Narayanganj	Nil	10½	9½	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	10	9½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	8¾	8¾	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	11	9	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8½	8	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	12½	12	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12 3/8	12	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	11	10	
	Gopalganj†...	Nil	13	13	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	10	7½	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas of Bhola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	(n)	8	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	(n)	7½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	(n)	8	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	10½	10½	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of early winter paddy continues. Outturn is good. *Panga* salt is selling at 5 and 4 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10	8	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	12	13	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent, except in parts of Brahmanbaria subdivision from where damage by insects is reported. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of *aman* paddy are in progress. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	10⅓	10	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	10	10	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee. Cattle-disease is reported from thanas Coinpanyganj and Sudharam.
	Feni ...	Nil	13	14	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Prospects of winter paddy are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops continues. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

S. MILLIGAN,

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.						Retail price per seer.					
	From—			To—			From—			To—		
Rice—	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	3	0	3	0
„ medium ...	5	10	0	6	0	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4	5	0	4	13	0	0	2	0	0	2	3
„ medium ...	5	0	0	5	2	0	0	2	3	0	2	9
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4	7	0	4	14	0	0	2	1½	0	2	6
„ medium ...	5	1	0	5	4	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....			.....			0	2	3	0	2	6
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....			.....			.....			.....		
(vi) Kajla	3	7	0	3	9	0	0	2	0	.....		
Wheat, Dudhia	5	6	0	5	7	0	.....			.....		
„ Gangajali	.....			.....			.....			.....		
„ Jamali	5	3	0	.....			.....			.....		
Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3	8	0	3	12	0	0	1	6	0	2	0
„ dal	4	0	0	4	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Mung „ (Hari)	5	14	0	6	8	0	0	2	9	0	3	6
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	6	0	3	0
Arhar „	3	12	0	5	12	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Masur „ (split)	4	4	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	3	0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5	4	0	5	12	0	0	2	6	0	3	3
Kalai „	5	8	0	5	14	0	0	2	6	0	2	9
Salt	5	14	0	6	7	0	0	3	0	.....		
Sugar (brown Java) ...	11	8	0	.....			0	5	0	.....		
Gur, Bheli	7	0	0	7	4	0	0	4	0	.....		
„ Bhursut	..	...		.....			0	4	0	.....		
Milk	10	0	0	10	8	0	0	4	0	0	5	0
Mustard oil	16	12	0	18	8	0	0	7	0	0	8	0
Flour (country)	6	10	0	7	12	0	0	2	9	0	3	3
Ata No. 3	4	4	0	4	15	0	} 0	2	0	0	3	3
„ „ 2½	5	6	0	5	12	0						
„ „ B	7	10	0	8	0	0						
Suji	7	6	0	8	4	0	0	3	0	0	3	6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.). ...	71	0	0	72	0	0	2	0	0	.....		
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	61	4	0	63	8	0	1	12	0	1	14	0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.) ...	55	8	0	56	9	0	...	..		.....		
Maize	2	4	0	2	10	0	.....			.....		
Potato	5	12	0	7	12	0	0	2	6	0	4	0
Patal	.....			.....			0	4	0	.....		
Brinjal	4	0	0	4	8	0	0	2	0	0	2	6
Onion	3	2	0	4	4	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Fish, Rahu	15	0	0	18	0	0	0	10	0	.....		
Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....			.....			0	8	0	0	10	0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....			.....			0	2	6	0	4	0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Tal-tolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 of population per annum.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan.	1	Burdwan ...	718,380	725,805	1,444,185	3,455	29·11	29	59	·50	15	·13	...	...	2,459	20·72
	2	Birbhum ...	488,931	467,411	956,342	2,000	26·26	74	6	·07	1	·01	...	...	1,278	16·78
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	3,179	24·51	3	73	·82	2	·02	...	...	1,551	17·45
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	4,716	20·95	200	153	·83	7	·03	...	...	3,530	15·68
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	468,970	472,645	938,615	2,034	26·37	6	230	2·85	...	...	...	...	1,589	20·34
	6	Howrah ...	368,595	372,124	741,719	1,301	21·34	6	344	4·00	...	...	...	...	463	7·58
Total of Division for month.			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	16,685	24·25	317	755	1·17	25	·04	...	...	10,869	16·77
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						15,098	23·32	219	50	·77	108	·16	...	...	11,709	18·14
Presidency.	7	24-Parganas ...	970,850	914,749	1,885,599	3,901	25·17	93	24	·15	18	·12	...	..	1,764	11·38
	8	Nadia ...	765,499	756,429	1,521,928	5,949	46·75	147	29	·22	...	...	...	...	3,706	29·63
	9	Murshidabad ...	635,385	653,506	1,288,791	4,289	40·49	253	50	·47	2	·02	...	...	3,060	28·89
	10	Jessore ...	889,399	847,767	1,737,066	4,263	29·86	306	19	·13	...	...	...	...	2,578	18·05
	11	Khulna ...	698,187	644,392	1,337,579	2,548	32·25	180	42	·38	...	...	...	...	1,930	13·83
Total of Division for month.			3,954,130	3,816,824	7,770,954	21,948	34·36	847	164	·26	20	·03	...	...	13,628	19·77
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						14,533	22·82	606	190	·29	47	·07	...	...	10,344	16·08
Rajshahi.	12	Rajshahi ...	737,640	711,280	1,448,920	3,279	27·53	258	23	·19	...	...	...	...	2,479	20·81
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,690	1,671,918	4,061	30·70	194	10	·07	30	·22	...	...	4,144	30·16
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,661	408,214	890,895	2,695	38·80	205	10	·14	25	·48	...	...	1,817	24·81
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,337	113,684	240,971	825	41·65	44	2	·10	...	...	...	...	519	26·20
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,308	1,124,693	2,368,901	5,837	30·24	428	29	·15	44	·23	...	...	4,384	22·00
	17	Bogra ...	495,020	475,346	970,366	2,044	25·62	195	5	·06	2	·02	...	...	1,368	17·11
	18	Pabna ...	700,399	684,236	1,384,635	3,338	29·33	232	4	·03	55	·47	...	...	2,358	20·68
	19	Malda ...	477,714	485,081	962,795	3,347	42·30	127	5	·03	6	·08	...	...	2,444	30·89
Total of Division for month.			5,145,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	25,496	31·21	1,618	88	·11	170	·21	...	...	20,405	24·98
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						21,931	26·94	1,395	27	·03	24	·02	...	...	18,096	22·21
Dacca.	20	Dacca ...	1,295,861	1,428,114	2,723,975	6,195	26·69	422	12	·05	4	·02	...	...	2,196	9·46
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,699	2,133,644	4,404,343	9,018	24·15	635	21	·05	31	·08	...	...	4,691	12·55
	22	Faridpur ...	1,066,393	1,023,317	2,089,710	5,384	31·34	288	24	·13	6	·03	...	...	2,133	12·41
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,313,840	1,167,733	2,480,293	3,796	19·40	115	3	·01	...	...	...	...	1,923	9·83
Total of Division for month.			5,935,323	5,752,008	11,698,321	24,393	25·37	1,430	59	·06	41	·04	...	...	10,943	11·38
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						23,516	24·52	1,316	50	·05	41	·04	...	..	11,101	11·57
Chittagong.	24	Chittagong ...	701,960	773,329	1,475,289	3,837	31·64	316	...	...	3	·01	...	...	2,537	20·92
	25	Noakhali ...	641,532	653,549	1,295,081	2,697	25·34	226	1	·01	7	·07	...	...	1,251	11·75
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	4,434	24·73	343	2	·01	...	...	...	...	2,111	10·83
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.													Not under	
Total of Division for month.			2,552,134	2,590,660	5,142,804	10,968	25·95	885	3	·01	9	·02	..	...	5,899	13·96
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						12,050	28·58	919	50	·11	3	·01	...	...	5,759	13·66
Total of month for Bengal			21,501,030	20,930,976	42,431,996	98,489	28·25	5,103	1,067	·31	265	·08	...	...	60,734	17·43
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						87,103	25·04	4,457	817	·23	226	·06	...	...	56,908	16·36
Increase + or Decrease -						+11,386	+3·21	+646	+250	+·08	+39	+·02	...	...	+3,826	+1·06

REMARKS.—The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons.

CALCUTTA,
The 29th November 1917.

of Bengal, for the month of September 1917.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.				No.	DISTRICTS
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
62	·53	15	·13	58	·49	542	4·57	1,611	1,600	3,211	27·05	1,660	1,477	3,137	26·66	1	Burdwan.
10	·13	4	·05	40	·52	202	2·65	813	728	1,541	20·24	1,070	960	2,030	26·73	2	Birbhum.
32	·37	4	·05	40	·46	437	4·92	1,120	1,020	2,140	24 08	1,292	1,091	2,383	26·88	3	Bankura.
138	·57	14	·06	113	·50	794	3·53	2,437	2,302	4,739	21·06	2,763	2,475	5,238	23·42	4	Midnapore.
103	1·34	18	·23	77	1·00	395	5·12	1,224	1,158	2,382	30·88	1,037	892	1,919	24 94	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
321	3·79	34	·56	49	·80	248	4·07	644	624	1,368	20·80	870	807	1,077	17·14	6	Howrah.
566	·88	89	·14	377	·58	2,618	4·05	7,849	7,432	15,281	23·62						
488	·75	89	·13	374	·57	2,559	3·96	8,422	7,402	15,824	24·52						
58	·34	21	·14	122	·86	445	2·87	1,386	1,071	2,457	15·85	1,544	1,260	2,804	18·14	7	24-Parganas.
10	·08	4	·03	115	·92	878	6·96	2,542	2,405	4,737	37·87	1,555	1,436	2,991	23·97	8	Nadia.
10	·09	5	·05	81	·76	614	5·80	1,987	1,855	3,822	36·08	1,477	1,401	2,878	27·24	9	Murshidabad.
7	·05	5	·06	105	·73	406	2·84	1,598	1,525	3,123	21·87	1,593	1,178	2,771	18·05	10	Jessore.
46	·42	4	·04	78	·71	673	6·12	1,314	1,149	2,463	21·49	1,186	1,097	2,283	20 82	11	Khulna.
126	·20	43	·07	511	·80	3,011	4·71	8,497	8,005	16,502	25·84						
85	·13	55	·08	495	·77	2,411	3·78	7,155	6,372	13,527	21·23						
2	·02	2	·02	86	·72	327	2·75	1,970	1,949	3,919	32·91	1,833	1,777	3,610	30 39	12	Rajshahi.
3	·02	2	·01	65	·46	90	·65	2,267	2,075	4,342	31·60	2,047	1,850	3,897	28·43	13	Dinajpur.
153	2·09	12	·16	16	·22	152	2·08	1,129	1,066	2,195	29·98	1,177	1,110	2,287	31·31	14	Jalpaiguri.
84	4·24	5	·26	6	·31	151	7·62	403	365	767	38 72	433	386	819	41·46	15	Darjeeling.
8	·02	2	·01	46	·24	137	·70	2,308	2,239	4,547	23·35	2,318	1,996	4,314	21 70	16	Rangpur.
7	·08	5	·06	50	·62	147	1·84	825	756	1,581	19 82	930	804	1,734	21·79	17	Bogra.
11	·09	4	·03	66	·58	166	1·46	1,412	1,245	2,657	23·35	1,051	892	1,943	17·12	18	Pabna.
1	·01	1	·01	56	·71	336	4·25	1,471	1,376	2,847	35·98	1,011	845	1,856	23·51	19	Malda.
266	·33	33	·04	389	·48	1,506	1·84	11,764	11,091	22,855	27·98						
221	·27	50	·06	411	·50	1,533	1·88	10,700	9,660	20,360	24·99						
111	·48	11	·05	82	·35	819	3·53	1,726	1,609	3,335	13·94	1,773	1,446	3,219	13 90	20	Dacca.
63	·17	24	·06	98	·26	989	2·73	3,166	2,729	5,915	16·33	3,245	2,660	5,906	16·35	21	Mymensingh.
59	·22	6	·03	130	·69	542	3·15	1,667	1,503	3,170	18·70	1,553	1,381	2,934	17 13	22	Faridpur.
31	·16	4	·02	136	·70	815	4·16	1,825	1,283	2,908	14·86	1,938	1,599	3,537	18 43	23	Bakarganj.
244	·25	44	·05	434	·45	3,163	3·29	8,104	6,824	14,928	15·53						
231	·23	80	·08	499	·52	3,884	3·84	8,370	7,086	15,456	16 32						
12	·10	1	·01	116	·96	85	·70	1,309	1,304	2,753	22·70	1,293	1,299	2,594	21 45	24	Chittagong.
7	·07	...	...	99	·93	253	2·47	822	806	1,628	15·29	868	869	1,737	16 55	25	Noakhali.
38	·34	11	·05	109	·55	588	2·86	1,515	1,343	2,858	14·65	1,635	1,305	2 903	14 21	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
87	·21	12	·03	323	·76	906	2·14	3,696	3,543	7,239	17·13						
70	·16	20	·04	311	·73	1,036	2·45	3,818	3,436	7,254	17·20						
1,591	·37	220	·06	2,034	·58	11,204	3·21	39,210	36,695	76,805	22·03						
1,065	·31	274	·07	2,090	·60	11,221	3·22	38,665	33,956	72,621	20·83	38,665	33,956	72,621	20·83		
+308	+ 06	+54	+·01	-56	-·02	-17	-·01	+1,245	+2,039	+4,184	+1·15						

Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
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Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN	1	Burdwan	20,527	15,394	35,921	25	8·47	...	1	·34	...	...	...	...	26	8·81
	2	Kalna	4,521	4,082	8,603	11	15·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	12·73
	3	Katwa	3,469	3,445	6,904	6	10·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·76
	4	Dainhat	3,534	2,808	6,342	7	15·94	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	15·94
	5	Raniganj	8,417	7,080	15,497	41	32·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	18·06
	6	Asansol	12,486	9,433	21,919	48	26·64	...	1	·56	...	...	...	...	9	5·00
BIRBHUM	7	Suri	4,907	4,224	9,131	8	10·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·33
BANKURA	8	Bankura	12,156	11,297	23,453	36	18·68	...	4	2·08	...	...	...	...	11	5·71
	9	Vishnupur	10,026	10,452	20,478	39	23·17	...	2	1·19	...	...	...	...	13	7·73
	10	Sonamukhi	6,294	7,081	13,375	18	16·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·50
MIDNAPORE	11	Midnapore	17,577	15,163	32,740	35	13·01	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	7·06
	12	Ghatal	6,216	5,848	12,064	20	20·17	2	1	1·01	...	...	...	...	13	13·11
	13	Kharar	4,714	4,125	8,839	10	13·76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	16·52
	14	Chandrakona	4,034	4,087	8,121	10	14·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	10·49
	15	Ramjibanpur	4,224	4,257	8,481	26	37·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	15·78
	16	Khirpai	2,394	2,211	4,605	2	5·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	23·78
	17	Tamluk	4,358	3,695	8,050	13	19·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·53
HOOGHLY	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,917	13,099	28,916	78	32·82	...	1	·42	...	...	...	...	25	10·52
	19	Bansberia	3,443	2,665	6,108	13	25·90	...	2	3·98	...	...	...	...	2	3·98
	20	Arambagh	4,061	3,987	8,048	11	16·63	...	1	1·51	...	...	...	...	8	12·09
	21	Serampore	16,639	12,439	29,078	56	21·44	1	1	·37	...	...	...	...	12	4·55
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,794	6,792	17,586	45	31·26	...	3	2·08	...	...	...	...	7	4·86
	23	Uttarpara	4,412	2,961	7,373	13	21·45	...	1	1·65	...	...	...	...	1	1·65
	24	Kotrung	6,103	2,471	8,574	13	24·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·40
	25	Baidyabati	11,792	8,724	20,516	36	21·35	1	4	2·37	1	·59	...	...	15	8·90
	26	Bhadreswar	15,863	8,491	24,353	35	17·48	...	2	1·00	...	...	...	...	9	4·50
HOWRAH	27	Howrah	114,629	64,560	179,189	411	27·88	18	13	·88	...	...	...	...	102	6·92
	28	Bally	14,217	8,177	22,394	47	25·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	8·15
24-PARGANAS	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	90	22·73	9	4	1·01	...	...	...	...	35	8·84
	30	Manicktala	31,735	22,032	53,767	60	13·58	13	10	2·26	...	...	...	...	38	8·15
	31	South Suburban	17,693	13,850	31,543	58	22·38	1	2	·77	...	...	...	...	20	7·71
	32	Tollygunj	11,193	7,250	18,443	31	20·46	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8·58
	33	Garden Reach	27,665	17,630	45,295	74	19·87	3	1	·27	...	...	...	...	20	5·37
	34	Budge-Budge	11,529	6,453	17,982	30	20·30	...	1	·67	...	...	...	...	3	2·03
	35	Baranagar	14,982	10,913	25,895	56	16·91	1	13	6·11	...	...	...	...	17	7·98
	36	Kamarhati	11,243	6,772	18,015	37	24·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·08
	37	Bajpur	5,762	5,845	11,607	35	36·69	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	13·63
	38	Baruipur	3,907	2,468	6,375	3	5·73	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	39	Jaynagar	4,631	4,614	9,245	15	19·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7·89
	40	North Dum-Dum	5,151	3,714	8,865	15	20·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·12
	41	South Dum-Dum	7,760	5,114	12,874	16	15·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5·67
	42	South Barrackpore	2,988	2,043	5,031	8	19·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9·67
	43	Barrackpore	11,397	6,944	18,301	20	13·30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·55
	44	Panihati	6,339	4,779	11,118	23	25·19	...	3	3·28	...	...	...	...	7	7·66
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	27	20·38	...	1	·75	...	...	...	...	16	12·08
	46	Titaghar	31,325	13,946	45,171	76	21·09	9	1	·27	...	...	...	...	30	13·47
	47	Garulia	7,876	3,704	11,580	13	12·61	...	1	1·05	...	...	...	...	3	3·15
	48	Naihati	11,685	6,834	18,519	65	42·07	1	1	·67	...	...	...	...	7	4·67
	49	Halisahar	8,871	5,052	13,423	25	22·66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	9·97
	50	Bhatpara	34,739	15,675	50,414	73	17·38	...	2	·48	...	...	...	...	11	2·65
	51	Barasat	4,731	4,059	8,790	12	16·61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	23·53
	52	Gobardanga	2,533	2,537	5,070	5	19·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	16·80
	53	Basirhat	9,317	8,514	18,331	43	27·88	1	3	1·99	...	...	...	...	15	9·96
	54	Badiria	7,056	6,622	13,680	20	17·79	...	2	1·79	...	...	...	...	4	3·56
	55	Taki	2,627	2,575	5,202	9	21·05	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	11·69
CALCUTTA	56	Calcutta	607,674	388,393	996,067	1,534	20·69	99	49	·67	1	·01	3	·04	247	3·35
NADIA	57	Krishnagar	11,787	11,708	23,475	35	18·14	...	1	·51	...	...	...	...	28	14·51
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	5,851	6,689	12,480	20	19·50	1	2	1·95	...	...	...	...	13	12·67
	59	Ranaghat	5,210	4,640	9,850	20	24·79	...	3	3·71	...	...	...	...	15	18·53
	60	Birnagar	1,301	1,353	2,654	2	9·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9·17
	61	Santipur	13,186	14,517	26,703	64	29·62	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	11·40
	62	Chakdaha	2,469	2,462	4,931	5	12·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	14·80
	63	Kushtia	3,566	2,539	6,095	11	21·96	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·98
	64	Kumarkhali	1,781	1,988	3,769	4	12·91	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	32·28
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	13	26·53	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4·08
MURSHIDABAD	66	Berhampore	14,302	11,861	26,163	62	28·85	4	3	1·39	...	...	...	...	34	15·82
	67	Murshidabad	6,259	6,410	12,669	31	29·77	...	3	2·88	...	...	...	...	19	18·25
	68	Azimganj	6,725	5,602	12,327	27	26·65	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	14·80
	69	Kandi	6,212	6,426	12,638	30	19·25	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	13·46
	70	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	28	35·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	30·93
	71	Dhulian	6,016	4,782	8,798	33	48·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	14·66
JESSORE	72	Jessore	5,604	3,307	8,911	3	4·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5·46
	73	Kotchaudpur	4,286	3,792	8,078	24	36·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	25·60
	74	Maheshpur	2,103	2,108	4,211	6	17·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8·67
KHULNA	75	Khulna	7,993	5,015	13,008	18	16·65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9·36
	76	Satkhira	5,803	5,100	10,903	15	14·51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10·04
	77	Debhatta	2,807	2,582	5,389	7	16·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4·60

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								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
24	8·13	2	·68	2	·68	19	6·44	46	28	74	25·06	37	28	65	22·07	1	Burdwan.
3	4·24	1	1·41	...	...	3	2·83	8	7	15	21·21	8	4	12	17·01	2	Kalna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5	8·81	3	4	6	10·57	5	2	7	12·36	3	Katwa.
2	4·56	1	2·28	1	2·28	2	4·56	9	5	13	29·61	5	3	8	18·27	4	Dainhat.
16	12·56	...	...	...	...	9	7·07	26	22	48	37·68	7	14	21	16·53	5	Raniganj.
4	2·22	...	...	...	...	24	13·32	24	14	38	21·09	9	6	15	8·34	6	Asansol.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1·33	5	2	7	9·35	7	Suri.
6	3·11	3	1·56	1	·52	14	7·26	33	17	50	20·23	21	15	36	18·72	8	Bankura.
4	2·38	2	1·19	2	1·19	6	4·75	19	12	31	18·42	6	7	13	7·74	9	Vishnupur.
...	...	4	3·67	...	...	...	...	8	2	10	9·17	7	7	14	12·86	10	Senamukhi.
13	4·83	5	1·86	2	·74	17	6·32	31	25	56	20·21	26	20	46	17·14	11	Midnapore.
3	3·03	...	...	1	1·01	...	...	6	12	18	18·15	16	11	27	27·30	12	Ghatal.
3	4·13	1	1·38	...	...	...	...	6	10	16	22·02	3	2	5	6·90	13	Kharar.
3	4·49	3	4·49	1	1·50	3	4·49	6	11	17	25·47	9	12	21	31·54	14	Chandrakona.
2	2·87	1	1·43	...	...	3	4·30	13	4	17	24·39	4	10	14	20·13	15	Rampbanpur.
...	...	...	...	1	2·64	...	...	2	8	10	26·42	7	1	8	21·19	16	Khirpai.
1	1·51	...	...	...	...	3	4·53	3	4	7	10·58	6	5	11	16·67	17	Tamluk.
6	2·52	7	2·95	2	·84	11	4·63	28	24	52	21·88	26	23	49	20·67	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
1	1·99	2	3·98	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	13·94	3	1	4	7·98	19	Bansberia.
5	4·54	2	3·02	...	...	10	15·12	12	12	24	36·28	3	10	13	19·70	20	Arambagh.
18	4·93	4	1·52	2	·76	17	6·45	37	28	49	18·56	36	33	69	26·14	21	Serampore.
5	3·47	3	2·08	...	...	7	4·86	13	13	26	17·37	17	9	26	16·10	22	Bishra-Konnagore.
1	1·65	2	3·30	...	...	2	3·30	4	3	7	11·55	8	5	13	21·51	23	Uttarpara.
...	...	2	3·70	...	...	2	3·70	5	3	8	14·81	5	3	8	14·84	24	Kotrung.
2	5·34	2	1·17	...	...	4	2·37	16	19	35	20·78	10	13	21	14·43	25	Paldyahati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·00	17	8	15	7·49	13	13	26	13·01	26	Bhadreswar.
30	4·07	29	4·00	7	·47	109	7·39	190	161	350	23·74	172	135	307	20·20	27	Howrah.
6	3·26	2	1·09	1	·54	8	4·35	18	14	32	17·39	18	16	34	17·92	28	Sally.
6	1·52	16	4·04	...	...	25	6·31	48	38	86	21·72	46	48	94	23·80	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
17	3·88	21	4·75	1	·22	35	7·92	66	74	120	27·15	49	86	135	43·64	30	Manicktala.
6	2·32	3	1·15	2	·77	10	3·86	25	18	43	16·59	21	22	43	16·63	31	South Suburban.
4	2·64	4	2·64	...	...	...	...	15	6	21	13·86	19	11	30	19·65	32	Tollygunj.
14	3·76	10	2·68	1	·27	22	5·91	40	28	68	18·26	30	27	57	15·35	33	Garden Reach.
5	3·38	4	2·71	1	·67	6	4·06	9	11	20	13·53	2	3	5	3·38	34	Budge-Budge
11	5·17	3	1·41	...	...	15	7·05	30	29	59	27·72	23	25	48	22·61	35	Baranagar.
14	9·45	...	...	...	...	5	3·38	17	11	28	18·91	9	12	21	14·42	36	Kamarhati.
...	...	3	2·09	...	...	5	5·24	11	9	20	20·96	13	15	28	29·43	37	Rajpur.
2	3·82	1	1·91	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	5·73	7	3	9	17·22	38	Baruipur.
4	5·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	10	13·16	10	12	22	49·03	39	Jayanagar.
3	4·74	...	...	...	...	4	5·49	7	2	9	12·35	5	5	10	13·76	40	North Dum-Dum.
1	·95	1	·95	...	...	2	1·89	5	5	10	9·45	13	10	23	20·84	41	South Dum-Dum.
1	2·42	1	2·42	...	...	...	...	4	2	6	14·51	7	3	10	24·24	42	South Barrackpore.
1	·66	...	...	1	·66	2	1·33	6	7	11	7·31	4	4	8	5·33	43	Barrackpore.
3	2·19	4	3·48	1	1·09	4	4·38	7	14	20	21·89	9	10	19	20·56	44	Panihati.
5	3·77	1	·75	1	·75	5	3·77	16	13	29	21·88	11	9	20	15·13	45	North Barrackpore.
10	2·69	1	·26	1	·26	12	3·23	41	34	75	20·20	33	14	46	12·42	46	Titaghar.
...	...	...	...	1	1·05	...	...	3	3	6	6·25	5	5	10	10·53	47	Garulia.
2	1·34	...	...	1	·67	8	5·34	7	12	19	12·69	3	12	15	10·04	48	Naihati.
1	·91	1	·91	1	·91	...	...	7	7	14	12·69	5	5	10	9·05	49	Hatisahat.
4	·97	2	·48	...	...	8	1·93	14	13	27	6·52	23	19	44	10·64	50	Bhatpara
1	1·38	...	...	1	1·38	...	...	12	7	19	26·30	10	4	14	19·43	51	Baraset.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	7	16·80	8	4	12	28·87	52	Gobardanga.
1	·66	...	...	...	...	3	3·98	12	13	25	16·60	17	24	43	28·61	53	Bazirhat.
...	...	3	2·67	...	...	3	2·67	8	4	12	10·67	8	12	17	15·16	54	Baduria.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	11·69	2	6	8	16·76	55	Taki
107	2·81	100	4·06	39	·53	764	10·37	945	664	1,609	21·85	903	704	1,609	21·90	56	Calcutta.
6	3·11	...	...	...	...	4	2·07	21	18	39	20·21	9	8	17	8·83	57	Krishnagar.
3	2·82	...	...	1	·97	6	5·85	13	13	26	24·37	13	11	23	21·46	58	Nadia or Nabadwip.
4	4·94	1	1·24	...	...	5	6·18	13	10	23	34·59	5	6	11	17·34	59	Ranaghat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	9·17	...	4	4	18·33	60	Birnagar.
5	1·37	3	·91	...	...	14	6·38	14	30	44	20·05	25	17	42	19·18	61	Santipur.
2	4·93	1	2·46	...	...	1	2·46	5	4	10	24·67	4	2	6	14·84	62	Chakdaha.
...	...	1	1·99	1	1·99	2	3·99	3	6	9	17·97	2	3	5	10·00	63	Kushtia.
...	...	...	...	1	3·22	...	...	6	5	11	35·51	1	4	5	16·18	64	Kumarkhali.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·04	1	2	3	6·12	2	1	3	6·13	65	Meherpur.
13	5·56	1	·46	2	·93	15	6·93	33	35	67	31·18	13	13	26	11·19	66	Berhampur.
8	2·46	3	1·92	...	...	4	3·64	15	16	31	29·77	13	13	25	24·07	67	Murshidabad.
1	·98	...	...	...	...	2	1·97	10	8	18	17·71	9	6	15	14·64	68	Aslamganj.
...	...	1	·96	1	·96	6	5·78	13	9	22	21·18	11	11	22	41·33	69	Kandi.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	12	29	30·93	9	8	17	18·16	70	Jangipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	10	14·66	9	6	15	22·05	71	Dhulian.
1	1·36	...	...	...	...	5	6·82	6	4	10	13·65	4	1	5	6·84	72	Jessore.
2	3·01	...	...	...	...	1	1·50	10	10	20	30·13	8	2	10	15·10	73	Kotchandpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	8·67	2	...	2	5·79	74	Maheshpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·87	7	5	12	11·23	7	6	13	12·20	75	Khulna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·23	4	7	11	17·28	3	3	6	9·71	76	Satkhira.
...	...	2	4·60	1	2·30	7	16·10	4	8	12	27·60	5	6	11	25·37	77	Debhatta.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal

District.	Number.	Town	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS.							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
RAJSHAHI	78	Rampur-Boalia	13,057	10,349	23,406	78	40·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·84
	79	Nator	4,509	3,742	8,251	5	7·37	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	11·80
DINAJPUR	80	Dinajpur	9,648	6,297	15,945	10	7·83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·29
JALPAIGURI	81	Jalpaiguri	7,547	4,218	11,765	11	11·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·20
DARJEELING	82	Darjeeling	11,631	7,374	19,005	27	17·28	1	...	...	2	1·28	...	...	9	5·76
	83	Kurseong	3,126	2,448	5,574	15	32·74	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	10·91
RANGPUR	84	Rangpur	10,509	5,920	16,429	7	5·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8·89
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,289	3,824	9,113	7	9·35	...	2	2·67	...	...	...	...	9	12·02
	86	Sherpur	3,217	1,871	4,088	13	38·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	17·86
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,056	9,218	19,274	13	8·21	...	6	3·79	...	...	...	...	8	5·05
	88	Sirajganj	13,236	11,541	24,777	35	17·19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5·89
MALDA	89	English Bazar	7,697	6,625	14,322	37	22·94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	18·69
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	13	42·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	12·98
	91	Nawabganj	11,189	12,200	23,389	54	28·17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	6·26
DACCA	92	Dacca	63,091	45,460	108,551	207	33·29	15	1	·11	...	...	...	...	65	7·29
	93	Narayanganj	15,738	9,138	27,876	59	25·75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	6·98
MYMENSINGH	94	Mymensingh	13,462	6,391	19,853	20	12·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7·35
	95	Muktagachha	3,922	2,683	6,605	18	33·38	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·85
	96	Netrakona	3,018	2,722	13,740	4	3·54	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3·54
	97	Jamalpur	11,726	9,381	21,109	67	38·62	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	10·37
	98	Sherpur	8,516	7,075	15,591	48	37·46	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6·24
	99	Kishorganj	9,508	8,518	18,026	48	32·40	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·08
	100	Bajitpur	5,447	5,386	10,833	14	15·72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·74
	101	Tangail	8,493	7,369	15,862	29	21·56	...	1	·74	...	...	...	...	11	8·18
FARIDPUR	102	Faridpur	8,017	5,114	13,131	21	19·46	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9·27
	103	Madaripur	10,549	8,524	19,073	55	35·08	3	9	5·74	...	...	...	...	7	4·47
BAKARGANJ	104	Barisal	15,488	6,985	22,473	90	48·73	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	4·87
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	4	8·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	106	Nalchiti	1,454	499	1,953	1	6·23	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	12·46
	107	Pirojpur	6,823	5,473	11,996	10	10·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4·06
	108	Patuakhali	3,936	2,279	6,217	4	7·83	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·87
CHITTAGONG	109	Chittagong	18,779	9,987	28,766	117	49·48	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	12·68
	110	Cox's Bazar	2,102	2,270	4,372	13	36·13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8·34
NOAKHALI	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	8	13·89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·94
TIPPERA	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	22,692	49	26·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·15
	113	Brahmanbaria	11,671	10,824	22,495	52	28·38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4·37
	114	Chandpur	9,062	3,655	12,717	15	14·35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2·87
Total of month			1,781,610	1,125,741	2,907,351	5,166	21·62	290	163	·68	4	·02	2	·01	1,614	6·75
Total of corresponding month of previous year						4,522	18·97	209	119	·46	9	·03	...	...	1,494	6·26
Increase + or decrease −						+644	+2·65	+20	+52	+·22	−5	−·01	+3	+·01	+120	+·49

REMARKS.

The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table remains incomplete.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th November 1917.

for the month of September 1917—concld.

REGISTERED

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.				No.	Town.
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.		
4	2·08	...	...	1	·52	12	6 24	17	17	34	17 67	11	6	17	8 86	78	Bampur-Sonila.
3	...	1	1·47	...	...	4	5 90	8	5	13	19 17	9	7	16	23 65	79	Nator.
2	1·52	...	...	...	...	2	1·52	3	4	7	5·34	4	4	8	6 12	80	Dinajpur.
2	2·07	1	1·03	1	1 03	3	3 10	11	2	13	13·44	17	2	19	19 70	81	Jalpaiguri.
5	3·20	9	5·76	1	·64	9	5 76	22	13	35	22·40	18	12	30	19 25	82	Darjeeling
4	3·73	5	6·55	...	...	3	4·37	8	6	14	30 55	12	9	21	45 96	83	Kurseong
6	4·44	1	·74	...	...	5	3·70	12	12	24	17·77	16	6	22	16 33	84	Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	1	1·34	...		7	5	12	16 02	5	4	9	12 04	85	Bogra.
1	2·98	1	2 98	...	...	2	5·95	4	6	10	29·76	5	2	7	20·89	86	Serpur
1	·63	...	...	1	·63	1	·63	9	8	17	10·73	9	10	19	12·02	87	Pabna
...	...	1	·49	...	...	3	1·47	9	7	16	7·86	1	3	4	1 96	88	Sirajganj.
2	1·70	1	·84	...	...	3	2·55	10	18	24	23·79	8	2	10	8 51	89	English Bazar
1	3·44	...	...	...	...	4	12·98	5	4	9	29 20	2	6	8	26 02	90	Malda.
2	1·04	...	...	...	...	9	3 13	10	10	20	10 43	13	4	17	5·69	91	Nawabganj.
12	1·34	3	·34	2	·22	92	10 31	104	71	175	19·61	117	84	201	22·59	92	Dacca.
1	·43	...	...	2	·87	16	6·55	18	16	34	14·64	15	13	28	11·45	93	Narayanganj.
5	1·84	...	...	...	...	7	4 29	14	8	22	13·48	8	9	17	10 44	94	Mymensingh.
...	...	1	1·85	2	3·71	7	12 98	9	2	11	20 40	4	3	7	13·02	95	Muktagachha
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·31	6	4	10	6 85	4	3	7	6 21	96	Netrakona.
...	...	1	·58	1	·58	4	5·19	14	15	29	16·71	10	6	16	9 24	97	Jamalpur.
1	·78	1	·78	...	...	4	6 24	9	9	18	14·05	11	6	17	13 30	98	Sherpur.
2	1·36	...	...	1	·67	3	5·40	14	6	20	13·50	6	3	9	6 09	99	Kishorganj
...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5 74	5	7	12	13 44	3	4	7	7·88	100	Bajitpur.
...	...	1	·74	1	·74	1	·74	7	8	15	11·15	11	6	17	12·67	101	Tangail.
1	·93	...	...	...	...	4	3·71	10	5	15	13·90	8	2	10	9 29	102	Faridpur.
4	2·55	1	·63	...	...	10	6 38	16	15	31	19·77	22	19	41	26 22	103	Madaripur.
2	1·08	...	...	...	...	4	2·17	6	9	15	8·12	9	4	13	7 05	104	Barisal.
3	4 07	1	2 03	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6 10	1	2	3	6·12	105	Jhalakati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	12 46	...	1	1	6·24	106	Nalchiti.
2	3·04	...	...	1	1 01	4	4·06	6	6	12	1·.·17	4	1	5	5·02	107	Pirojpur.
...	...	2	3·91	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	9 78	3	5	8	15·69	108	Patuakhali.
8	3·38	2	·84	...	...	33	9·30	35	27	62	26·22	18	17	35	14·84	109	Chittagong.
2	5·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	13 90	3	2	5	13·93	110	Cox's Bazar.
2	3 47	...	...	...	...	3	5·40	4	5	9	15·62	4	4	8	13 92	111	Sudharam.
...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4 29	1	11	12	6 43	5	2	5	2 68	112	Comilla.
2	1·09	5	2 71	...	...	13	7·09	16	13	29	15 48	4	14	18	9·84	113	Brahmanbaria.
2	1·91	...	...	...	...	2	1 91	3	4	7	6·70	8	5	13	12 47	114	Chandpur.
638	2·61	581	2·22	97	·41	1,366	5·64	2,533	2,097	4,630	19·33						
561	2 35	519	2·17	116	·49	1,459	6 12	2,355	1,916	4,271	17 92	2,355	1,916	4,271	17·92		
+81	+·26	+12	+ 05	-21	-·08	+127	+·52	+178	+181	+359	+·141						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases and in a few instances are obviously

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CALCUTTA TRADE FLUCTUATIONS.

THE following tables are intended to show the trade of the Calcutta Block* in certain selected articles during the months of April to September, 1917, by all routes, *i.e.*, by rail, river, canal, road, and sea. The statistics have been compiled from returns furnished by the Collector of Customs, Calcutta, Railway Audit Offices, Steamer Companies, the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, the District Magistrates of the 24-Parganas and Howrah, and the Assistant Engineer, Calcutta Canals.

General Summary.

Imports.—The imports of rice, including paddy†, into Calcutta by rail, river canal, road, and sea (coastwise) during April to September, 1917, amounted to 5,298,000 maunds as against 7,854,000 maunds in the corresponding period of the preceding year—a decline of 32 per cent. There was a decrease (24 per cent) in the imports of coal and coke (41,955,000 maunds as against 55,138,000 maunds last year). The imports by rail, river, road, and sea (coastwise) of Indian cotton piece goods showed an increase of 2 per cent, the total value amounting to Rs. 2,13,09,000 as against Rs. 2,08,21,000 in 1916. The imports of raw jute amounted to 1,492,000 bales as against 1,844,000 bales—a decrease of 19 per cent. The importations of gunny bags also showed a slight decrease, 211 million bags as against 212 millions in the preceding year. The quantity of indigo imported by all routes during April to September, 1917, fell by 15 per cent (1,700 maunds as against 2,000 maunds last year). The total imports of oilseeds (linseed and rape and mustard seed) decreased by 50 per cent (2,543,000 maunds as against 5,144,000 maunds). There was a slight increase (2 per cent) in the imports of sugar (346,000 maunds as against 338,000 maunds), but there was a decrease (3 per cent) in the case of tea (1,387,000 maunds as against 1,428,000 maunds.)

Exports.—The exports of cotton piece goods, foreign, from Calcutta by all routes during April to September, 1917, increased by 13 per cent (Rs. 11,80,80,000 as against Rs. 10,41,04,000 last year). The exports of gunny bags (excluding exports by sea to foreign countries) decreased from 48 million bags to 47 million bags. The shipments of gunny bags to other Indian ports also decreased by 1,413,000 in number in the period under review (11,362,000 as against 12,775,000). The quantity of kerosene oil despatched from Calcutta and Budge-Budge by internal routes and by sea (coastwise) decreased from 2,987,000 maunds to 2,883,000 maunds.

* The Calcutta block consists of the town of Calcutta with Howrah and Kidderpore Docks.
† One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

TABLE I

Trade of Calcutta in certain selected Articles for the six months of April to September, 1917, compared with the corresponding period of 1916.

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		By rail, road, river, canal and sea (coastwise) (a)		By sea (foreign and coastwise)	
		April to September 1917.	April to September 1916.	April to September 1917	April to September 1916
Food-grains—					
Rice	Mds	4,784,982	7,052,878	22,360	33,310
Paddy	,,	820,345	1,281,039	.....	.....
Total (in rice) (b)	,,	5,237 885	7,853,540	22,360	33,310
Wheat	,,	5,783,221	2,781,700	23,998 (c)	59,513 (c)
Wheat flour	,,	104,685	135.791	151,513	111,800
Gram and pulse	,,	2,934,588	2,667,957	209,227	213,413
Other food-grains	,,	271,077	319,323	17,911	15,141
Total food-grains	,,	14,411,156	13,778,211	430 918	432,176
Coal and coke	,,	41,954,818	55,137,867	9.563,684	18,849,640
Cotton, raw	...Bales	86,022	74,163	29,818	44,414
,, twist and yarn, Indian	Mds	230,396	191,123	62,618	47,393
,, piece goods, Indian	Rs	2,13,09,040	2,06,20,998	17,99,047	5,83,206
Indigo	Mds	1,742	2,005	14,538	6,311
Jute, raw	...Bales	1,491,653	1,844,185	401,817	750,085
,, gunny bags	No.	211,707,762	212,385,178	11,361,633 (c)	12,775,413 (c)
Lac	Mds	292,670	277,498	196,382	294,815
Oilseeds—Linseed	,,	788,672	2,515,251	475,413	1,940,455
,, —Rape and mustard	,,	1,784,340	2,628,845	121,129	2,304
Silk, raw	,,	2,003	2,350	2,350	2,179
Sugar—Refined	,,	146,363	93,650	2,136	7,160
,, —Unrefined	,,	199,419	244,218	1,808	7,795
Tea (Indian)	,,	1,386,980	1,427,594	9,482 (c)	8,627 (c)
Tobacco, unmanufactured	,,	429,072	521,872	110,898	93,338
,, manufactured	,,	32,702	40,195	2,703	2,185

		IMPORTS		EXPORTS	
		By sea (foreign and coastwise) (d)		By rail, road, river, canal and sea (coastwise)	
		April to September 1917.	April to September 1916.	April to September 1917	April to September 1916
Cotton twist and yarn—Foreign	Mds	34,337	54,460	97,081	190,380
,, ,, —Indian	,,	1,129	14,573	210,296	196,262
Cotton piece goods—Foreign	Rs	11,25,31,033	11,50,71,902	11,50,20,047	10,41,04,146
,, ,, —Indian	,,	82,333	86,373	1,11,80,936	1,00,47,036
Kerosene oil (e)	Mds	2,440,765	2,036,005	2,833,134	2,946,577
Salt	,,	3,567,767	5,690,166	3,442,496	4,896,609
Gunny bags	No.	.....	.....	47,351,504	48,356,203

(a) The imports by sea are imports from other Indian ports only, exclusive of foreign imports.
(b) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(c) Represents trade by sea (coastwise) only.
(d) The imports by sea include imports from other Indian ports, together with imports from foreign countries.
(e) Including figures of Budge-Budge trade.

TABLE

Imports of Principal Articles into the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River,

Whence imported	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b) (c)
	Rice and paddy			Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
	Rice	Paddy (a)	Total (in rice)									
BENGAL:	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
Burdwan	62,103	376,034	297,124	1,977	2,797	21,891	164	323,453	15,951,273	12	1	3,929
Birbhum	456,500	44,460	484,288	6,152	10	1,286	.....	491,836	.....	29	24	.....
Bankura	2,791	3,616	5,051	424	8	356	.....	5,839	.....	3	389	10,758
Midnapur	452,222	25,286	468,026	.....	33	2,229	24	470,311	2,217	37	766	18,930
Hooghly	289,785	128,965	370,388	90	179	10,542	46	381,245	15,934	1,703	41,112	4,91,919
24-Parganas	865,180	55,575	918,634	109	.....	6,049	3,467	928,259	36,615	453	49,015	8,90,800
Nadia	40,904	1,439	41,833	86,124	.....	449,518	1,334	528,708	.....	437	388	43,910
Murshidabad	51,119	28	51,137	135,665	24	145 445	13,799	335,370	.....	18	39	2,913
Jessore	5,741	.....	5,741	2,125	.....	121,949	943	130,758	.....	732	6	.....
Khulna	1,835	61,120	40,035	413	.....	8,421	499	49,370	.....	162	4	2,435
Rajshahi	85	.....	84	87	.....	750	87	1,007	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dinajpur	495	10,349	6,963	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,963	.....	3	.....	265
Jalpaiguri	426	116	498	.....	.....	.....	.....	498	.....	.....	.....	434
Darjeeling	23	101	50	.....	.....	13	.....	99	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	3,981	306	4,172	.....	.....	59	.....	4,231	.....	1,313	6	.....
Bogra	309	3,699	2,621	4	2	384	.....	3,011	.....	1	10	265
Pabna	453	.....	453	23,729	13	1,956	.....	26,150	.....	5	14	584
Malda	346	.....	346	25,665	1,514	1,507	403	29,435	.....	.....	4	.....
Cooch Behar	20	99	82	.....	.....	588	.....	670	.....	1	.....	.....
Dacca	52	153	128	39	88	2,899	.....	3,154	.....	6,789	.....	9,228
Mymensingh	440	317	628	.....	.....	2,583	377	3,598	.....	97	33	2,257
Faridpur	46	.....	46	29,079	103	36,173	167	65,567	.....	906	243	939
Bakarganj	122,704	48	122,734	.....	3	92	155	122,979	.....	5	64	473
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	109	1,700	1,171	.....	10	1	28	1,710	.....	2	.....	.....
Noakhali	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	11	227
Chittagong	6	11	13	.....	55	697	.....	765	.....	16,284	.....	4,034
Chittagong Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	366	34	1,913
Total of Bengal ...	2,357,623	743,473	2,822,293	361,684	4,841	814,975	20,893	3,924,686	16,006,039	28,353	91,453	9,90,007
OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES:												
Bihar and Orissa ...	267,235	67,403	309,362	1,948,365	3,669	837,968	133,305	3,232,669	25,948,779	942	1,103	33,123
Assam	165	56	198	59	4	489	.....	750	.....	1,303	174	5,716
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	5,349	.....	5,349	2,945,107	68,114	1,171,434	11,526	4,201,530	.....	5,922	9,259	2,36,315
Punjab	7,704	.....	7,704	16,013	26,809	4,564	5,811	60,901	.....	1,346	129	10,196
Sind and British Baluchistan.	70	.....	70	.....	.....	96	2	168	.....	.....	21	.....
Central Provinces and Berar.	28,567	2,637	30,315	1,162,610	972	66,622	1,955	1,262,614	.....	10,557	17,887	11,66,636
Bombay	22,436	.....	22,436	1,951	5	15	1	24,408	.....	18,421	72,010	1,81,79,997
Madras	20,639	396	20,866	795	344	5,065	965	27,955	.....	17,818	28,856	2,85,768
Burma	2,065,599	6,231	2,069,535	.....	.....	19,965	94,725	2,184,215	.....	6,770	1,108	.....
Rajputana and Central India.	2,440	.....	2,440	146,737	27	29,819	1,894	180,917	.....	188	166	2,34,954
Nizam's Territory ...	77	.....	77	.....	.....	3,376	.....	3,453	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,386	84,925
GRAND TOTAL { 1917	4,764,962	820,345	5,397,985	5,788,231	104,685	3,964,588	271,077	14,411,186	41,954,818	86,023	239,267	2,13,36,607
1916	7,052,878	1,281,089	7,853,540	2,791,760	135,791	2,687,957	319,323	13,778,211	55,137,867	74,163	184,250	2,07,65,625
1915	11,296,529	3,224,829	13,212,046	4,471,334	180,747	2,710,009	401,939	21,046,075	55,043,542	96,265	157,598	77,87,960

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise)
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter

II

Canal, and Sea (Coastwise) in the six months of April to September, 1917.

Indigo	Jute		Lac	Oilseeds		Silk, raw	Sugar		Tea, Indian	Tobacco		Whence imported
	Raw(d)	Gunny-bags(e)		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured	
Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	BENGAL
.....	551	101,647	74	1,944	1,592	4	.....	1,397	3	28	23	Burdwan
.....	.....	28,618	630	524	247	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	Birbhum
.....	.....	27,183	79	.....	398	.....	.....	11	.....	131	136	Bankura
.....	630	122,697	93	3,595	65	28	.....	29,283	17	76	29	Midnapur
.....	9,718	66,880,535	19	1,491	563	5	23	30,967	.....	16,183	4,708	Hooghly
.....	63,920	143,813,446	.....	750	.....	.....	7,546	36,314	.....	3,300	5,633	24-Parganas
.....	12,733	199,420	.....	38,641	442	43	68	7,038	.....	7,093	145	Nadia
.....	15,017	29,737	1,345	19,353	466	1,480	30	64	.....	138	.....	Murshidabad
.....	13,400	72,539	.....	1,449	.....	.....	.....	40,176	.....	1,315	2	Jessore
.....	20,417	26,609	.....	1,675	.....	.....	160	11,735	.....	240	.....	Khulna
.....	51,696	1,927	.....	1,610	58	21	.....	.....	.....	23	4	Rajshahi
.....	15,270	196,759	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,504	.....	Dinajpur
.....	20,585	59,163	.....	3	957	.....	.....	.....	419,714	29,099	.....	Jalpaiguri
.....	602	95,489	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	147,042	.....	.....	Darjeeling
.....	199,148	89,257	.....	110	589	.....	2	11	10,473	104,843	2	Rangpur
.....	77,661	11,398	.....	196	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Bogra
.....	119,008	8,446	.....	2,930	5,902	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Pabna
.....	10,936	1,722	.....	1,911	2,410	179	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Malda
.....	21,818	410	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,315	31,335	.....	Cooch Behar
.....	292,451	58,819	.....	1,187	49	.....	20	460	.....	.....	3	Dacca
.....	184,105	24,313	.....	2,569	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	480	.....	Mymensingh
.....	173,969	30,532	.....	750	279	.....	.....	650	.....	.....	6	Faridpur
.....	9,938	15,040	.....	638	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	1	Bakarganj
.....	28,421	72,468	.....	4,132	.....	.....	.....	.....	804	11	.....	Tippera including Hill Tippera
.....	904	861	.....	1,946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Noakhali
.....	28	15,047	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,347	.....	4	Chittagong
.....	.....	3,198	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	.....	Chittagong Port
.....	1,342,936	210,991,890	2,145	86,745	14,049	1,760	7,800	188,125	588,847	200,875	19,701	Total of Bengal
												OTHER PROVINCES AND PLACES.
1,387	104,790	195,101	166,185	567,250	82,029	16	1,361	19 061	1,649	114,001	16,060	Bihar and Orissa
.....	43,927	239,439	5,869	17,872	66,767	60	65	507	792,087	1,164	17	Assam
404	.....	61,703	87,846	113,450	881,260	.....	1,844	6,833	152	410	348	U. P. of Agra and Oudh
.....	.....	3,196	.....	.....	345,765	29	1	.....	154	19	4	Punjab
.....	.....	738	.....	.....	33,471	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	Sind and British Baluchistan
.....	.....	70,110	17,607	1,332	108,997	.....	.....	.....	6	630	238	Central Provinces and Berar
.....	.....	3,812	.....	.....	8,679	132	2,757	1	33	11,506	264	Bombay
80	.....	30,340	1,683	466	39,294	6	100,428	10,330	3 930	89,186	347	Madras
1	.....	6,850	5,467	.....	.....	.....	32,087	4,843	115	6,724	1,343	Burma
.....	.....	4,879	6,448	1,567	172,029	.....	.....	19	7	195	2	Rajputana and Central India
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Nizam's Territory
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,455	Mysore
1,742	1,491,653(f)	211,707,765	292,670	788,872	1,754,340	2,003	146,868	199,419	1,356,960	425,072	32,703	1917
2,006	1,544,185	212 385,178	277,493	2,515,251	2,628,845	2,350	93,850	244,218	1,437,591	531,872	40 198	1916 GRAND TOTAL
794	2,775,864	162,636,872	300,154	1,631,925	1,818,184	2,071	89,119	218,219	1,742,884	358,117	41,879	1915

(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta Block which are 1,591,357 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 20,474 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth 2 yards=1 bag
(f) Of this, 834,096 bales came by rail, 630 319 bales by river, 27,351 bales by road, and 5,885 bales by se

TABLE III

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. II were imported into the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September, 1917.

Routes		Food grains: Rice	Paddy (a)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton, twist and yarn, Indian (b)	Cotton piece-goods, Indian (b)(c)	Indigo
		Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	545,650	502,647	4,334,531	99,629	2,007,111	134,290	29,681,744	2,898	9,675	5,15,702	1,494
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	398,410	81,394	175,065	2,193	448,511	14,833	3,516,343	1,440	86,791	72,19,290	197
	A.-B. Railway..	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	49	117	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway....	366,718	45,227	1,189,608	689	85,644	2,868	8,711,951	34,219	101,580	1,35,74,610	.....
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	424	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	571	1,071	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	7	33,234	.....
,, river steamer		103,533	4,348	30,039	1,983	65,127	19,046	.....	11,997	480	30,580	.....
,, boat		813,883	153,067	53,948	211	322,631	1,757	357	10,562	41,651	3,42,000	.....
,, road		447,866	18,551	.....	.....	5,560	3,467	44,423	444	18,826	5,20,877	.....
,, sea		2,109,301	13,939	.....	.....	19,973	94,736	.....	17,415	.....	.....	51
Total ...	1917 ...	4,784,932	820,245	5,783,221	104,685	2,954,585	271,077	41,954,818	86,022	229,267	2,12 26,507	1,742
	1916 ...	7,052,878	1,281,059	2,781,700	135,791	2,687,957	319,223	55,137,867	74,163	184,380	2,07,65 625	2,006
	1915 ...	11,296,828	3,234,829	4,471,334	180,747	2,710,009	401,939	55,043,542	96,365	187,598	77,37,960	794

Routes		Jute: Raw(d)	Gunny bags(e)	Lac	Oilseeds: Linseed	Rape and mustard	Silk, raw	Sugar: Refined	Unrefined	Tea, Indian	Tobacco: Unmanufactured	Manufactured
		Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway ...	50,962	321,440	131,884	680,639	1,841,531	669	1,082	24,157	581	65,572	9,126
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)	784,437	2,027,268	14,104	56,040	15,870	513	163	35,185	591,102	292,925	174
	A.-B. Railway...	34	112,627	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	148,334	.....	.....
	B.-N. Railway...	2,480	298,591	139,443	6,317	139,193	113	39,968	18,065	5,339	33,724	4,564
	D.-S. Railway...	.....	1,968	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	146,532	.....	.....
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Seakhala Light Railways	184	32,564	.....	24	.....	.....	1	19	.....	23	18
,, river steamer		523,991	473,919	1,470	23,539	56,939	684	1,457	1,365	494,934	4,486	7,108
,, boat		96,238	205,442,011	.....	21,223	807	.....	364	83,812	.....	19,035	190
,, road		27,351	2,981,897	.....	463	.....	.....	7,846	38,695	.....	4,580	10,181
,, sea		5,985	15,488	5,743	378	.....	23	96,362	1,121	118	6,738	1,411
Total ...	1917 ...	1,491 653	211,707,763	292,670	788,572	1,754,340	2,003	146,383	199,419	1,386,980	425,073	33,702
	1916 ...	1,544,186	212,386,178	277,493	2,515,751	2,628,845	2,350	93,660	244,218	1,427,594	521,872	40,198
	1915 ...	2,775,664	162,636,579	300,154	1,834,925	1,818,154	2,071	89,119	219,219	1,742,854	388,117	41,879

(a) One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
(b) Excluding trade by sea (coastwise).
(c) The value rates are fixed quarterly, and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
(d) Excludes imports into the mills outside the Calcutta block, which are 1,591,357 bales, but includes imports into the Kidderpur Docks, namely, 20,574 bales.
(e) Including gunny cloth, 3 yards = 1 bag.

TABLE IV

Imports of certain Articles into the port of Calcutta by Sea (Foreign and Coast-wise) in the six months of April to September, 1917

	Cotton Twist and Yarn		Cotton Piece-goods		Kerosene oil	Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		
	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds	Mds
From Foreign Countries*	34,102	.....	11,23,89,246	.....	360,692	3,456,061
Coastwise—						
From British Ports in—						
Bihar and Orissa	.....	37	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	.....	1,021	18,002	66,021	.....	10,084
Madras	.....	.....	... ..	... .	.....	101,612
Burma	235	81	1,23,790	16,512	2,080,076	... ..
Total ...	235	1,129	1,41,792	82,533	2,080,076	111,696
Grand Total ... 1917 ...	34,337	1,129	11,25,31,038	82,533	2,440,768	3,567,757
Grand Total ... 1916 ...	54,460	14,873	11,60,71,952	55,373	2,034,005	5,690,165
Grand Total ... 1915 ...	71,163	18,434	10,58,99,370	2,43,763	2,779,276	6,961,844

* Publication of detailed figures has been temporarily discontinued.

TABLE V

Exports of Principal Articles from the port of Calcutta by Sea (Coastwise and to Foreign Countries) in the six months of April to September, 1917.

	FOOD-GRAINS								Coal and coke	Cotton, raw	Cotton twist and yarn, Indian	Cotton piece-goods, Indian
	Rice	Paddy	Total (in rice)	Wheat	Wheat flour	Gram and pulse	Other food-grains	Total				
Coastwise—	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	Mds	Rs
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	97	.....	97	.....	45	42	4	188	.....	1	490	740
Bihar and Orissa	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	1,081	.....	1,108	17,368	.....	1,368	.....
Bombay ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras ...	15,391	.....	15,391	268	13	47,148	.....	63,014	313,328	.....	729	25,800
Burma	6,672	.....	6,672	29,645	151,438	160,956	17,907	366,608	4,067,084	680	36,518	16,98,203
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87,657	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	22,360	.....	22,360	29,908	151,513	209,227	17,911	430,918	4,485,407	681	39,105	17,24,443
To Foreign countries †	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,108,277	28,637	23,513	74,604
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	22,360‡	..... ‡	22,360‡	29,908‡	151,513‡	209,227‡	17,911‡	430,918‡	9,593,684	29,318	62,618	17,99,047
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	31,310	.....	32,310	59,513	111,803	213,412	15,141	432,176	18,849,640	44,414	47,392	5,83,206
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	138,180	7,179	132,645	31,529	142,642	233,287	20,034	610,037	24,879,039	55,427	60,142	6,14,756

	Indigo	JUTE		Lac	OILSEEDS		Silk, raw	SUGAR		Tea (Indian)	TOBACCO	
		Raw	Gunny-bags*		Linseed	Rape and mustard		Refined	Unrefined		Unmanufactured	Manufactured
Coastwise—	Mds	Bales of 400 lbs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
To British Ports in—												
Bengal	...	.....	476	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,040	212	4	337	4
Bihar and Orissa	...	.....	16,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	399	.....	.....	433	99
Bombay ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	272	.....	.....
Madras ...	...	.....	639,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	1,311	.....	4
Burma ...	...	56	10,698,407	48	8	916	54	597	1,593	7,886	110,129	2,596
To Indian Ports, not British—												
Pondichery ...	...	.....	4,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	...	56	11,361,833	48	8	916	54	2,126	1,805	9,482	110,898	2,703
To Foreign countries †	14,536	401,761	.....	196,334	475,405	120,213	2,396	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRAND TOTAL 1917 ...	14,536	401,817	11,361,833‡	196,382	475,413	121,129	2,450	2,126‡	1,805‡	9,482‡	110,898‡	2,703‡
GRAND TOTAL 1916 ...	8,311	780,085	12,775,612	294,815	1,940,455	3,304	3,179	7,160	7,795	8,627	93,338	2,135
GRAND TOTAL 1915 ...	2,191	1,108,889	19,628,149	272,949	1,607,814	1,974	1,969	12,527	6,323	8,092	114,239	2,687

* Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag
† Publication of figures under food-grains, gunny-bags, sugar, tea and tobacco, as also of detailed figures under other heads, has been temporarily discontinued
‡ Represents trade by sea—coastwise only

TABLE VI

Exports of certain Articles from the Calcutta Trade Block by Rail, Road, River, Canal, and Sea (coastwise) in the six months of April to September, 1917.

Whither exported	Cotton twist & yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny bags †	Kerosene oil		Salt
	Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge‡	
Bengal	Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
Burdwan	259	4,752	23,70,623	99,288	597,404	25,086	72,613	93,294
Birbhum	108	6,518	9,46,737	53,212	347,188	93	26,986	54,399
Bankura	347	3,338	3,76,707	956	2,460	128	.....	14,069
Midnapur	6,113	8,813	13,53,302	1,19,371	92,345	1,570	51,542	124,834
Hooghly	1,985	339	8,17,874	1,52,408	344,814	29,175	98,970	89,530
24-Parganas	2,058	2,609	7,04,782	3,42,052	513,333	63,479	97,727	137,126
Nadia	2,013	13,131	27,48,733	1,93,797	283,962	2,336	49,139	140,986
Murshidabad	531	5,026	17,83,400	29,686	200,531	2,507	62,811	156,916
Jessore	2,033	4,682	13,17,295	1,50,928	33,136	6,971	33,116	92,783
Khulna	1,978	1,242	8,10,837	1,11,649	33,800	17,726	49,914	73,838
Rajshahi	39	891	13,05,894	2,53,810	35,957	4,627	11,583	53,507
Dinajpur	57	983	13,11,814	1,13,049	116,030	389	33,306	76,135
Jalpaiguri	103	1,269	10,25 498	97,424	82,287	6,776	33,399	57,749
Darjeeling	13	1,561	12,54,468	92,180	20,459	173	19,638	38,634
Rangpur	297	850	32,44,393	2,24,041	91,678	5,303	84,663	159,393
Bogra	545	762	19,65,884	3,26,602	37,474	111	33,884	92,692
Pabna	2,762	5,457	19,13,679	2,47,348	53,095	598	124,065	137,892
Malda	46	3,963	11,43,924	1,04,754	65,108	4	1,820	37,045
Cooch Behar	.....	320	8,36 588	44,996	33,293	1,082	13,461	23,762
Dacca	13,458	11,816	46,15,305	2,92,113	95,858	398	231,165	276,457
Mymensingh	4,199	2,333	15,17,167	15,21,065	36,941	391	44,237	158,660
Faridpur	7,847	1,234	13,13,294	1,73,794	116,809	5,410	44,851	151,078
Bakarganj	11,623	173	9,76,962	5,10,705	201,843	1,703	33,025	134,717
Tippera (including Hill Tippera)	2,672	6,193	17,20,330	19,965	43,542	356	1,041	49,943
Noakhali	3,540	2,967	6,19,563	1,17,036	24,663	4	.....	519
Chittagong	3,398	341	2,65,578	65,943	53,833	391	.....	6,378
Chittagong Port	475	3,063	8,27,469	65,966	1,927	5	.....	1,427
Total of Bengal	68,488	95,599	3,99,17,935	55,15,136	3,472,680	176,843	1,949,776	2,471,373
Other Provinces and Places								
Bihar and Orissa	4,394	59,617	2,99,98,669	19,77,229	4,241,646	9,864	644,739	703,362
Assam	8,545	7,153	69,53,773	9,65,604	236,364	8,910	40,059	364,306
U. P. of Agra and Oudh	933	1,277	2,02,56,594	7,54,238	4,567,113	1,496	632,308	3,038
Punjab	4,302	1,683	1,37,23,423	43,276	5,969,221	97	46,328	46
Sind and British Baluchistan	33	.....	1,62,027	.....	2,258,485	.....	699	.....
Central Provinces and Berar	230	848	6,07,199	27,928	2,006,745	1,387	11,893	1,555
Bombay	1,690	445	47,55,380	13,422	2,351,536	.....	.....	.....
Madras	7,351	6,839	9,82,595	1,45,981	3,936,592	734	.....	455
Burma	723	36,518	10,93,371	16,96,203	10,698,407	.....	.....	89
Rajputana and Central India	65	27	5,31,357	33,654	1,124,917	680	17,665	.....
Nizam's Territory	397	.....	2,66,988	6,920	133,127	.....	.....	.....
Mysore	.....	.....	.....	.....	229,395	.....	.....	250
Pondichery	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 500	.....	.....	.....
Port Blair	.....	490	3,790	740	476	.....	94	1
Grand Total 1917	97,081	210,396	11,80,80,047	1,11,80,936	47,231,504	199,973	3,683,161	3,443,495
Grand Total 1916	100,340	196,952	10,41,01,146	1,00,47,036	43,336,203	257,111	2,739,486	4,896,609
Grand Total 1915	139,640	201,233	9,63,06 764	76,19,809	42,889,240	315,412	2,673,122	5,204,626

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.
‡ The exports of Kerosene oil from Budge-Budge to Calcutta in the six months of April to September, 1917, were 436,178 mds. as against 533,464 mds. and 830,000 mds. in the corresponding periods of 1916 and 1915, respectively.

TABLE VII

Statement of the Routes by which the Articles enumerated in Table No. VI were exported from the Calcutta Trade Block in the six months of April to September, 1917.

Routes			Cotton twist and yarn		Cotton piece-goods*		Gunny-bags†	Kerosene oil		Salt
			Foreign	Indian	Foreign	Indian		From Calcutta block	From Budge-Budge	
			Mds	Mds	Rs	Rs	No	Mds	Mds	Mds
By rail	E. I. Railway	...	3,591	38,444	3,25,85,087	12,13,498	6,150,738	31,046	710,705	349,399
	E. B. Railway (including B. C. Railway)		2,440	45,464	2,30,48,527	26 85,536	1,376,288	18,188	498,425	1,148,259
	A.-B. Railway	...	2,392	13,371	45,72,981	1,78,654	32,923	2,273	373	50,049
	B.-N. Railway	...	2,411	40,112	28,98,311	1,95,283	1,970,542	8,016	7,835	301,304
	B. and N.-W. Railway		249	3,671	1,86,32,057	7,53,455	1,890,920	677	416,154	69,300
	O. and R. Railway	...	380	184	30,99,224	1,12,304	1,272,189	618	260,418	289
	Howrah-Amta and Howrah-Sankhala Light Railways		1,121	... ...	3,02,137	.....	14,022	3,156	.....	10,627
	N.-W. Railway	...	2,082	1,690	21,83,329	27,121	7,616,525	97	18,159	.....
	G. I. P. Railway	...	1,828	316	52,70 429	30,528	8,962,190	111	9,916	16
	B. B. & C. I. Railway		100	187	4,77,656	2,226	1,064,442	89	4,852	.....
	M. & S. M. Railway	...	6,079	1,941	6,51,663	58,460	2,973,566	.....	.....	475
	S. I. Railway	...	95	244	8,025	2,105	376,708	.....	.....	.....
	J. B. Railway	...	2	...	1,04,954	297	13,915	10	.....	.....
	N. G. S. Railway	...	327	...	2,68,934	6,520	94,710	.....	.....	.....
	Other Railways	...	40	24	2,09,291	49,673	109,921	1,603	20,134	10,565
,, river steamer		... ...	63,495	25,920	2,13,65,308	36,03,399	1,537,049	13,342	521,691	886,588
,, boat	.. ..	...	7,705	306	5,45,900	1,30,500	116,716	46 412	203,114	526,112
,, road	... ...	...	944	307	7,32,194	4,06,934	427,607	74,169	4,240	78,581
,, sea	... ...	...	1,790	39,105	11,36,040	17,24,443	11,261,533	.....	7,155	11,931
Total		1917 ...	97,081	210,296	11,80,80,047	1,11,80,936	47,351,504	199,973	2,653,161	3,442,495
		1916 ...	100,380	196,952	10,41,04,146	1,00,47,036	48,356,203	257,111	2,729,466	4,996,608
		1915 ...	139,640	201,232	9,65,06,764	76,18,809	43.859,240	315,412	2,673,122	5,294,626

* The value rates are fixed quarterly and the monthly valuation is made at the value rates of the preceding quarter.
† Including gunny cloth, 2 yards = 1 bag.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS, INDIA,
December 3, 1917.

G. FINDLAY SHIRRAS,
Director of Statistics.

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 24th November 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remark
18th Nov. 1917	At low tide.	58·4	Not connected with mean sea-level.	56·2	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
19th " "	Ditto	57·9		55·7	
20th " "	Ditto	57·7		55·6	
21st " "	Ditto	57·5		55·5	
22nd " "	Ditto	57·2		55·5	
23rd " "	Ditto	57·0		55·5	
24th " "	Ditto	56·8		55·6	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st "	1911	68·46	
13th "	1912	67·16	
31st "	1915	69·7	
18th "	1916	68·1	
12th "	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide
13th "	1908	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th "	1914	50·6	
22nd February	1915	50·8	
16th "	1916	50·6	
8rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 28th November 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 1st December 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
	A.M.				
25th Nov. 1917	7-0	11·3	11·3	11·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
26th " "	7-0	11·0	11·0	11·1	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
27th " "	7-0	10·8	10·8	11·0	
28th " "	7-0	13·6	13 6	10·9	
29th " "	7-0	13·5	13·5	10·8	Its reduced level is 22·41.
30th " "	7-0	13·3	13 3	10·6	Goalundo ghat shifted from Fakirabad on 27th November 1917 to old Goalundo Ghat and readings taken from the old ghat from 28th November 1917.
1st Dec. "	7-0	13·1	13·1	10·5	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	... 1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest "	... 25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto "	... 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto "	... 25·68 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest "	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto "	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 2nd December 1917.

D. C. SENGUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of Weekly Gauge Readings on the River Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 1st December 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero, *minus* sign for those below zero R. L. of zero =45·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1917.					
25th November	7 A M	4·10	49 50	48·80	R. L. of gauge post is 45·40.
26th ,,	7 ,,	4·00	49 40	48 60	B. M. on College step is 69·74
27th ,,	8 ,,	3·80	49 20	48 50	
28th ,,	8 ,,	3·60	49 00	48 30	
29th ,,	8 ,,	3·40	48·80	48·10	
30th ,,	8 ,,	3·30	48·70	48·00	
1st December	8 ,,	3·25	48 65	47·80	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66 70 on 10th September 1916
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68 30 on 25th August 1906
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68 21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest ,,	...	37·63 on 25th April 1884
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	38 13 on 14th-15th April 1883
Do ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39 28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 1st December 1917.

R. C. ADHICARI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 24th November 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 25th November 1916.		
	Number of boats	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs		Mds.	Rs
Rice and paddy	439	33,260	519	290	31,489	433
Jute	230	79,687*	1,065	327	131,630†	1,769
Firewood	52	34,420	519	47	33,600	534
Other articles	775	165,691	1,995	790	166,784	2,098
Total ...	1,496	313,058	4,098	1,454	363,503	4,834
Empty boats and rafts ...	435	...	792	527	...	1,136
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,931	313,058	4,890	1,981	363,503	5,970

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 86,062½
† Ditto ditto 141,925

CALCUTTA,
The 4th December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	601,380	3,10,260 0 0	2,763,160 0	3,74,290 0 0	28,530 0 0	(e)7,13,080 0 0	82,287	(d) 57,021	139,308
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 384	(a) 198 0 0	1,753 0	237 0 0	(c) 14 0 0	(c)448 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	3,626,370	18,50,080 0 0	13,878,360 0	20,83,500 0 0	2,00,890 0 0	41,34,470 0 0	477,341	321,508	798,849
Total for 7 weeks ...	4,227,750	21,60,340 0 0	16,641,520 0	24,57,790 0 0	2,29,420 0 0	48,47,550 0 0	559,628	378,529	938,157
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	731,650	3,73,975 0 0	2,983,855 0	4,44,109 0 0	36,338 0 0	8,54,422 0 0	100,093	62,507	162,600
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 468	(b) 239 0 0	1,833 0	273 0 0	18 0 0	530 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	4,759,583	23,13,098 0 0	21,239,914 0	34,71,613 0 0	3,30,630 0 0	60,15,331 0 0	684,397	446,463	1,130,859

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,920.
(d) Including ballast train-miles 7,200.

(e) Decrease in goods is due to less jute and other goods traffic, and decrease in coaching is due to Rasjatra festival falling later on.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	50,460	22,550 0 0	106,180 0	7,980 0 0	3,270 0 0	33,780 0 0	3,483	(b) 5,729	9,212
Per mile of railway per week	435	194 0 0	915 0	69 0 0	(a) 1 0 0	(a) 264 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	347,060	1,14,860 0 0	771,360 0	48,370 0 0	19,120 0 0	1,82,350 0 0	24,292	29,011	53,303
Total for 7 weeks ...	397,520	1,37,410 0 0	877,540 0	56,350 0 0	22,390 0 0	2,16,130 0 0	27,775	34,740	62,515
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	56,062	25,401 0 0	180,768 0	10,888 0 0	2,993 0 0	39,282 0 0	6,954	2,472	9,426
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	483	219 0 0	1,558 0	94 0 0	2 0 0	315 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	447,378	1,53,600 0 0	1,179,287 0	71,836 0 0	20,114 0 0	2,45,450 0 0	47,885	17,624	65,509

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,100.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 800.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,490	2,210 0 0	28,760 0	2,990 0 0	30 0 0	5,240 0 0	793	159	952
Per mile of railway per week	166	67 0 0	872 0	90 0 0	1 0 0	158 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	34,370	15,150 0 0	161,550 0	11,610 0 0	170 0 0	26,930 0 0	4,502	1,074	5,576
Total for 7 weeks ...	39,860	17,360 0 0	190,310 0	14,600 0 0	200 0 0	32,160 0 0	5,295	1,233	6,528
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	9,439	5,075 0 0	37,456 0	3 347 0 0	37 0 0	8,479 0 0	950	525	1,475
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	286	154 0 0	1,135 0	101 0 0	2 0 0	257 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	38,863	19,307 0 0	237,379 0	22,509 0 0	219 0 0	42,135 0 0	6,528	2,891	9,419

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,080	5 430 0 0	201,760 0	9,510 0 0	40 0 0	14,980 0 0	1,311	1,831	3,042
Per mile of railway per week	269	97 0 0	3,603 0	170 0 0	1 0 0	268 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	98,070	33 690 0 0	1,113,720 0	49,800 0 0	210 0 0	83,190 0 0	7,094	9,756	16,850
Total for 7 weeks ...	113,150	39,110 0 0	1,315,490 0	58 310 0 0	250 0 0	98,170 0 0	8,405	11,587	19,892
Total for 20 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	323,196	1,11,239 0 0	3,672,855 0	1,99,706 0 0	656 0 0	3,41,601 0 0	29,806	25,813	55,619
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,890	5,755 0 0	215,115 0	10,710 0 0	35 0 0	16,480 0 0	1,677	1,931	3,608
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	319	103 0 0	3,841 0	191 0 0	1 0 0	294 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	117,644	38,082 0 0	1,541,554 0	65,904 0 0	216 0 0	1,04,202 0 0	11,555	11,079	22,634
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	334,775	98,539 0 0	3,939,171 0	1,55,804 0 0	679 0 0	2,55,022 0 0	25,994	27,886	53,880

(a) Audited figures to end of August 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 53 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,990	2,990 0 0	37,080 0	3,080 0 0	20 0 0	6,060 0 0	1,190	938	2,128
Per mile of railway per week	188	56 0 0	709 0	58 0 0	.....	114 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	53,280	16,540 0 0	177,060 0	13 060 0 0	100 0 0	29,690 0 0	6,785	5,528	12,313
Total for 7 weeks ...	63,270	19,530 0 0	214,140 0	16,100 0 0	120 0 0	35,750 0 0	7,975	6,466	14,441
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	8,915	2,599 0 0	22,736 0	1,802 0 0	27 0 0	4,428 0 0	1,498	701	2,199
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	178	52 0 0	455 0	36 0 0	1 0 0	89 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	68,345	19,899 0 0	223,521 0	23,314 0 0	121 0 0	43,334 0 0	9,972	5,139	15,111

N.B.—Increase in coaching earnings is due to more local passenger traffic and that in goods is due to jute traffic.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 17th November 1917, on 2,057 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including Steam Boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,057 mean miles worked	341,340	(a)1,50,690	1,005 810	(b)1 53,530	(c)21,000	3,25,220	51,744	(d)42,151	(f)93,895
Or per mile of railway per week	166·18	73·25	488·97	74·64	10·21	158·10			
For previous 5½ weeks of official half-year ...	2,045,350	8,91,770	5,801,790	8,57,710	1,21,920	18,71,400	291,181	264,960	556,141
Total for 6½ weeks ...	2,347,190	10,42,460	6,807,600	10,11,240	1,42,920	21,96,620	342,925	277,111	620,036
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	551,351	2,46,606	1,122,649	1,07,943	31,132	4,75,681	66,901	(e)51,356	118,257
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	268·04	119·89	545·77	52·48	15·13	231·25			
Total for corresponding period of previous half year	3,327,369	13,26,076	6,998,741	11,22,693	1,77,039	26,25,808	434,055	334,761	768,816
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the week ...		3·01		3·64	·29	5·46			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·69		3·35	·26	4·08			

(a) General decrease chiefly in local passengers due to return rush Sonepore mela in corresponding period of last year.
(b) General decrease mainly in foreign traffic.
(c) Increase mainly under steam-boats and mileage and demurrage.
(d) Includes 2,500 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Includes 1,825 miles of ballast trains.
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 17th November 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (a)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	526,803	3,39,417 0 0	73,82,896 0	13,97,695 0 0	38,700 0 0	20,85,802 0 0	141,098	321,603	462,701
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	240 6 8	.....	533 14 0	22 8 9	796 11 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year ...	3,344,355	41,76,978 0 0	49,688,384 0	84,91,008 0 0	3,13,240 0 0	1,29,80,226 0 0	839,292	1,892,185	2,731,477
Total from 1st October ...	3,871,058	45,06,395 0 0	57,071,682 0	98,88,693 0 0	3,70,940 0 0	1,50,66,028 0 0	970,390	2,213,788	3,184,178
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	698,261	6,24,511 0 0	8,736,782 0	15,27,760 0 0	28,000 0 0	21,80,271 0 0	151,059	312,520	463,579
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	239 13 3	.....	586 11 2	10 12 0	837 4 5	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	4,588,996	41,89,583 0 0	61,296,836 0	100,52,369 0 0	92,691 0 0	1,45,34,643 0 0	1,228,044	2,268,250	3,496,294

(a) The decrease is in coal.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,580	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,763	13,95,861	16,618,944	26,96,466	65,450	41,77,777	849	669,841	4 12 10
2,615	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,650	7,74,908	9,566,633	18,72,065	56,700	26,03,673	909	495,349	4 15 3
2,615	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	528,394	6,18,470	7,037,312	11,62,617	71,700	18,53,787	708	484,952	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,282	7,33,459	7,358,883	13,55,380	60,690	21,49,529	821	493,617	4 15 6
2,618	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	548,156	6,64,280	9,322,913	16,94,480	37,700	23,96,460	915	469,098	5 1 9
2,618	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	526,803	6,29,417	7,382,398	13,97,695	38,700	20,85,802	797	462,701	4 6 2
	Totals up to date ...	3,871,058	45,06,395	57,071,682	98,88,693	3,70,940	1,50,66,028	835	3,184,178	4 11 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,372,076	19,68,220	16,446,287	24,18,523	7,331	38,94,074	748	1,027,496	3 13 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	626,529	5,93 090	9,996,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,801	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,838	5,39,735	9,606,946	15,34,764	7,400	20,71,891	796	516,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	692,246	6,47,623	8,961,528	14,96,701	19,913	21,64,236	831	513,215	4 3 6
2,604	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	711,039	6,09,961	8,855,745	14,71,914	29,000	21,10,875	811	488,990	4 5 1
2,604	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	696,261	6,24,511	8,736,782	15,27,760	28,000	21,80,271	837	493,579	4 6 5
	Totals up to date ...	4,697,994	42,83,140	62,423,873	1,02,34,159	93,443	1,46,10,742	802	3,570,189	4 1 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	26,831	42,605 0 0	625,494 0	5',576 0 0	285 0 0	94,466 0 0	13,822	9,053	22,875
Or per mile of railway...	.....	218 7 10	.....	284 7 10	1 7 5	484 7 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year.	285,303	2,56,362 0 0	4,309 413 0	3,08,271 0 0	1,672 0 0	5,66,305 0 0	71,484	49,965	121,319
Total from 1st October...	324,134	2,98,967 0 0	4,937,907 0	3,59,847 0 0	1,957 0 0	6,60,771 0 0	85,276	58,918	144,194
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	47,800	44,670 0 0	865,654 0	46,503 0 0	312 0 0	91,485 0 0	13,196	12,113	25,339
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	229 1 3	.....	238 7 8	1 9 7	469 2 6	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	302,914	2,62,901 0 0	3,673,461 0	2,85,731 0 0	1,984 0 0	5,50,306 0 0	63,022	71,743	134,765

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	83,379	78,883	1,153,121	77,664	522	1,59,069	439	27,672	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	989,067	63,721	285	1,19,001	610	20,685	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	38,128	34,332	673,647	51,068	285	87,685	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	45,684	45,168	578,828	46,997	293	92,460	474	20,806	4 7 1
195	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	43,436	40,084	914,750	67,821	285	108,190	555	21,786	4 15 5
195	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	38,831	42,605	628,494	51,576	285	94,466	484	22,875	4 2 1
	Totals up to date ...	334,134	2,96,967	4,937,907	3,59,847	1,957	6,60,771	494	144,194	4 9 4

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88,079	73,338	993,780	64,072	378	1,38,088	351	43,185	3 3 8
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,560	35,411	484,312	29,127	289	74,827	554	22,359	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,956	35,045	509,453	41,823	289	77,160	396	20,823	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	42,839	37,729	644,300	40,377	246	87,582	449	22,108	3 15 4
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	51,969	42,740	569,136	48,784	312	91,787	471	24,103	3 12 11
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	47,500	44,870	585,854	46,303	312	91,485	469	25,239	3 10 0
	Totals up to date ...	308,903	2,67,936	3,786,834	2,89,847	2,026	5,59,909	410	157,695	3 8 10

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 17th November 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9 5,154	1,446 0 0	13,670 0	528 0 0	15 0 0	1,989 0 0	917	305	1,222
Per mile of railway ...	.....	32 13 10	.....	12 0 0	0 6 5	45 3 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year.	41,386	10,725 0 0	1,42,908 0	7,025 0 0	88 0 0	17,938 0 0	5,371	1,786	7,157
Total from 1st October...	46,540	12,271 0 0	1,56,578 0	7,553 0 0	103 0 0	19,927 0 0	6,288	2,091	8,379
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	7,662	2,179 0 0	3,825 0 0	74 0 0	11 0 0	2,264 0 0	459	153	612
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	49 8 4	.....	1 10 11	0 4 0	51 7 3	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	15,965	4,495 0 0	27,647 0 0	148 0 0	26 0 0	4,669 0 0	1,114	371	1,485

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,551	22	5,583	70	2,369	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	30,759	1,967	15	4,136	94	1,232	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,300	1,570	19,739	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,232	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,307	1,553	19,824	1,188	15	2,761	63	1,232	2 4 2
44	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	6,703	1,833	15,738	726	15	2,574	59	1,232	2 1 8
44	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	5,154	1,446	13,670	528	15	1,989	45	1,232	1 10 1
	Totals up to date ...	46,540	12,271	156,578	7,553	103	19,927	66	8,379	2 6 1

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
35*	First 4 days of Nov. ...	718	139	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 2
44	We k ended 11th ,, ...	7,768	2,220	3,822	74	11	2,305	52	612	3 12 3
44	,, 18th ,, ...	7,662	2,179	3,825	74	11	2,264	51	612	3 11 3
	Totals up to date ...	16,148	4,538	7,647	148	27	4,703	43	1,572	2 15 10

* Mean miles for the week.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	8,299	2,366 0 0	52,072 0	9,520 0 0	(a)1,316 0 0	13,024 0 0	505	(d)643	1,153
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	64 0 0	...	265 0 0	34 0 0	(c) 353 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year.*	44,995	13,891 0 0	460,638 0	83,334 0 0	2,580 0 0	99,814 0 0	3,593	4,781	8,374
Total for 8 weeks ...	53,294	16,179 0 0	512,711 0	92,854 0 0	3,895 0 0	112,838 0 0	4,098	5,379	9,477
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	10,177	2,756 0 0	62,192 0	7,169 0 0	(b)1,089 0 0	11,014 0 0	548	(c)821	1,369
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	77 0 0	...	199 0 0	18 0 0	(c) 294 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	71,197	19,601 0 0	804,255 0	87,152 0 0	3,439 0 0	110,192 0 0	4,194	6,864	11,058

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 830.
(b) Ditto, 1916. Rs. 436.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 15.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 50.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	19,035	6,843 0 0	80,293 0	15,346 0 0	1,023 0 0	23,212 0 0	1,812	3,121	4,933
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	58 0 0	...	131 0 0	9 0 0	198 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 7 weeks of half-year.*	104,062	34,237 0 0	676,958 0	1,19,425 0 0	1,405 0 0	1,55,167 0 0	12,911	21,981	34,892
Total for 8 weeks ...	123,097	41,180 0 0	757,251 0	1,34,771 0 0	2,428 0 0	1,78,379 0 0	14,723	25,102	39,825
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,829	6,645 0 0	89,422 0	12,284 0 0	446 2 0	19,377 0 0	1,864	(b)4,136	5,700
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	151,289	49,878 0 0	830,571 0	1,33,987 0 0	769 0 0	1,83,934 0 0	13,557	30,530	44,087

(a) Ballast train-miles, 433.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,346.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 17th November 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,752	15,739 0 0	28,787 0	12,344 0 0	73 0 0	28,056 0 0	2,832	3,245	6,077
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	308 0 0	.....	240 0 0	2 0 0	550 0 0	.....	.....	...
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	36,480	1,33,219 0 0	169,297 0	70,978 0 0	1,251 0 0	1,95,448 0 0	17,899	18,198	36,797
Total traffic up to 17th November 1917 ...	42,182	1,38,958 0 0	198,084 0	83,320 0 0	1,324 0 0	2,23,302 0 0	20,431	21,443	41,874
(48 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	297 0 0	.....	238 0 0	4 0 0	639 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,231	10,230 0 0	33,030 0	13,259 0 0	139 0 0	25,628 0 0	2,928	3,444	6,372
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	201 0 0	.....	299 0 0	3 0 0	503 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	44,500½	1,04,663 0 0	225,300 0	1,03,769 0 0	1,400 0 0	2,06,832 0 0	18,996	24,513	43,469
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	299 0 0	.....	296 0 0	4 0 0	597 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week		+ 3,509		— 3,015	— 66	+ 3,428			
Difference up to date		+ 34,395		— 19,549	— 76	+ 14,670			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in rice, salt and building materials.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 17th November 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	2,870	2,739 0 0	18,279 0	1,328 0 0	151 0 0	4,218 0 0	653	1,307	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	39 0 0	.....	19 0 0	2 0 0	60 0 0	.....	.....	....
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	26,541	15,105 0 0	1,06,195 0 0	11,044 0 0	183 0 0	26,332 0 0	3,766	7,853	11,620
Total traffic up to 17th November 1917 ...	30,411	17,844 0 0	1,24,474 0 0	12,387 0 0	334 0 0	30,545 0 0	4,421	9,159	13,580
(48 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	26 0 0	1 0 0	64 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	2,290	3,298 0 0	14,545 0	892 0 0	19 0 0	4,209 0 0	939	1,014	1,948
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	47 0 0	.....	13 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	53,329	17,109 0 0	1,40,039 0	9,876 0 0	106 0 0	27,093 0 0	3,292	5,801	13,093
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	36 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week ...		— 559		+ 431	+ 131	+ 4			
Difference up to date ...		+ 735		+ 2,489	+ 228	+ 3,452			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in rice, potatoes, and cardamoms traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 17th November 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	811	996 0 0	5,208 0	995 0 0	2 0 0	1,993 0 0	223	311	534
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	33 0 0	.....	33 0 0	.....	66 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of the half-year	3,797	3,665 0 0	15,520 0	3,264 0 0	23 0 0	6,953 0 0	1,249	1,059	2,308
Total traffic up to 17th November 1917	4,608	4,661 0 0	20,778 0	4,259 0 0	25 0 0	8,945 0 0	1,472	1,370	2,842
(42 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	22 0 0	.....	21 0 0	.....	43 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total to corresponding week of previous year ...	924	869 0 0	13,197 0	2,082 0 0	2 0 0	2,853 0 0	160	288	448
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	19 0 0	.....	69 0 0	.....	88 0 0	...	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	4,1334	3,432 0 0	47,596 0	8,170 0 0	21 0 0	10,623 0 0	870	1,298	2,168
Or per week per mile of railway	....	12 0 0	.....	40 0 0	.....	52 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES :—Difference for the week		+ 427		— 1,087		—	— 680		
Difference up to date		+ 2,229		— 3,911		+ 4	— 1,678		

The increase during the week in coaching is mainly under Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in price-goods, Rice, Iron and Wool Traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 17th November 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	89,794	60,302 0 0	310,211 0	67,535 0 0	3,117 0 0	1,30,954 0 0	14,911	18,916	33,827
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	68·53	.....	76 86	3·49	148·88	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5½ weeks of half-year	515,545	2,53,280 0 0	1,962,339 0	3,36,509 0 0	38,636 0 0	7,28,425 0 0	74,947	120,941	195,508
Total for 8½ weeks ...	605,339	4,13,582 0 0	2,272,550 0	4,04,044 0 0	41,753 0 0	8,59,379 0 0	89,478	139,857	229,335
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	109,181	67,678 0 0	388,207 0	61,499 0 0	8,601 0 0	1,27,778 0 0	17,389	20,261	37,650
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	72·01	.....	74·73	10 45	157·19	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	699,274	3,71,309 0 0	2,982,184 0	5,15,190 0 0	64,493 0 0	9,52,992 0 0	108,722	139,395	248,117

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 17th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 17th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 17th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 17th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,30,954	147·68	823	1,27,778	157·19	43,76,418	44,00,923	.....	1,24,505

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 17th November 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,656	3,746 0 0	51,281	5,957 0 0	.....	9,703 0 0	1,308	1,001	2,309
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	65·18	.....	68·01	.....	133·14	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	69,998	23,338 0 0	187,623	27,005 0 0	.....	50,343 0 0	6,841	4,819	11,660
Total for 8½ weeks ..	80,654	27,084 0 0	238,904	32,962 0 0	.....	60,046 0 0	8,049	5,820	13,869
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ..
Per mile of railway	.....	.. ...	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 17th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 17th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 17th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 17th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·50	9,703	133·14	...	.....	...	99,026	.....	99,026	.....

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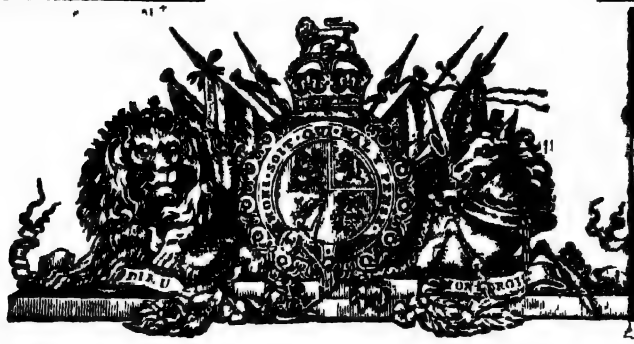

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6642A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6453A.—The 6th December 1917.*—Maulvi Anis-uz-Zaman Khan, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Murshidabad, is appointed, under section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to be a Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta.

Murshidabad. Calcutta.

No. 6539A.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Nasir-uddin, B.A., Probationary Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the seventh grade of Deputy Magistrates and Deputy Collectors and is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district.

Howrah.

No. 6567A.—The 10th December 1917.—Mr. Purna Chandra Basu, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the third grade of District and Sessions Judges with effect from the 17th November 1917.

24-Parganas. *No. 6578A.—The 11th December 1917.*—Maulvi Wali-ul-Islam, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district.

Calcutta. POLICE.—*No. 6570A.—The 10th December 1917.*—Mr. E. H. Corbett is appointed to be temporary Deputy Inspector-General of Police in charge of the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, with effect from the 12th October 1917, *vice* Mr. C. A. Tegart, C.I.E., M.V.O.

LEAVE.

Nadia. GENERAL.—*No. 6443A.—The 5th December 1917.*—Mr. R. E. Jack, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is allowed leave for seven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 5th November 1917.

Rajshahi. *No. 6465A.—The 6th December 1917.*—Babu Dakshina Ranjan Ghosh, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahi, is allowed leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Malda. *No. 6541A.—The 8th December 1917.*—Maulvi Mahmood Ali Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Malda, is allowed leave for fifteen days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Mymensingh. *No. 6545A.—The 8th December 1917.*—Babu Mahendra Nath Kundu, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for ten days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Faridpur. *No. 6572A.—The 10th December 1917.*—Maulvi Abdus Sobhan Mahmud, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Faridpur, is allowed leave for thirty days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th November 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

24-Parganas, Noakhali and Tippera. *No. 8434L.R.—The 10th December 1917.*—Notification No. 7748L.R. dated the 20th November 1917, appointing Mr J. M. Pringle, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barrackpore, 24-Parganas, to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, with effect from the 21st November 1917, is hereby cancelled.

No. 8506L.R.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Mohini Mohan Chakrabatti, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera.

Noakhali. Tippera.

No. 8507L.R.—The 11th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Mohini Mohan Chakrabatti, Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge, in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Noakhali. Tippera.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act.

No. 8345L.A.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Kumud Bihari Mallik, Subdivisional Officer, Kalna, in the district of Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Collector under the Land Acquisition Act, 1 of 1894, in that subdivision.

Burdwan.

No. 8441L.A.—The 10th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas 12 cottahs and 13 chitaks, which was included in the area covered by declaration No. 4813L.A., dated the 20th June 1916, published at page 1139, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem, and required for a road from Brahmandi Local Board road to the steamer station, Narsingdi, in the villages of Brahmandi and Satirpara, parganas Maheswardi and Bardaghat, zilla Dacca.

Dacca.

No. 8482Agri.—The 11th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 4 of the Glanders and Farcy Act, 1899 (XIII of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Munshi Abdul Aziz, a veterinary assistant employed by the Darjeeling Himalayan Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to be an Inspector under that Act, and to exercise and perform, within the Sadar subdivision of the district of Darjeeling, the powers conferred and the duties imposed by the said Act on Inspectors, so far as the diseases of glanders, farcy, surra and lymphangitis epizootica are concerned.

Darjeeling.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8393L.A.—The 8th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Colonel Hat Middle English School in the village of Ballavpur, thana Kotwali, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1·05 acres bounded on the—

Chittagong.

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 383,

East—By a chara (cadastral survey plots Nos. 342 and 385), cadastral survey plots Nos. 415, 425 and 424,

South—By the boundary line of mauza Kattali,

West—By part of cadastral survey plots Nos. 338, 337, 335, 334, 93, 326, 327 and cadastral survey plots Nos. 328, 329 and 409,

is required within the aforesaid village of Ballavpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8438L.A.—The 10th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the Rukmini Kanta Bhattacharjya Sanskrit Tol at Naogaon in the village of Chakdeb, pargana Barbakpur, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 bighas 7 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Rajshahi.

North—By the Bairagi Mondal's Pirpal land,

East—By a drain,

South—By the proposed site for the Hindu Boarding house,

West—By Dali Mondal and Majnoo Mondal's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chakdeb.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8448L.A.—The 11th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the East Indian Railway Company for a public purpose, viz., for additions and alterations to Singharan Siding, in the village of Jotjanaki, pargana Shergarh, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 3 cottahs and 10 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 0·39 of an acre, bounded on the—

Burdwan.

North, East and West—By the land of Singharan Coal Syndicate,

South—By the East Indian Railway Company's land,

is required within the aforesaid village of Jotjanaki.

Mines of coal, iron-stone, slate or other minerals lying under the land, or any particular portion of the land, except only such parts of the mines and minerals as it may be necessary to dig, or carry away, or use, in the construction of the work for the purpose of which the land is being acquired, are not needed.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act I of 1894, and section 3, clause (1), Act XVIII of 1885, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land, Acquisition Deputy Collector, Burdwan, as well as in that of the District Engineer, East Indian Railway, Asansol.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 8347Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Natabar Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, grade I, is granted leave, on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six months, in extension of the leave granted to him in Notification No. 4910Regn., dated the 4th July 1917.

No. 8349Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Maulvi Reazuddin Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Tangail, in the same district, with effect from the 31st October 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Khundkar Muhammad Ali, or until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 8351Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Bhupendra Lal Ray, Sub-Registrar, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Mathurapur, in the district of the 24-Parganas, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Bijay Chandra Dhar, or until further orders.

Nadia, 24-Parganas.

2. This cancels Notification No. 1755T.—R., dated the 6th October 1917.

No. 8353Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Maulvi Naziruddin Muhammad, Sub-Registrar, Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Joydebpur in that district with effect from the afternoon of the 13th November 1917, until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 8355Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Gauranga Chandra Kabyatirtha, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Joydebpur in the district of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Joint Sub-Registrar of Narainganj in the same district with effect from the 15th November 1917, until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 8357Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Bose, Sadar 4th Joint Sub-Registrar of Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sadar 1st Joint Sub-Registrar of that district with effect from the 16th October 1917, *vice* Babu Raj Kumar Guha, retired.

Mymensingh.

No. 8359Regn.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Dines Chandra Roy, Sub-Registrar, Mymensingh, is appointed temporarily to act as Sadar 4th Joint Sub-Registrar of that district, with effect from the 16th October 1917, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Jagadish Chandra Bose.

Mymensingh.

No. 8394Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Ali Miyan, Sub-Registrar of Lamburhat, in the district of Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for four days, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Chittagong.

No. 8396Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Majid, District Sub-Registrar of Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, from the 2nd January 1918.

Chittagong.

No. 8398Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Fazlul Qadir, Sub-Registrar of Zorwarganj in the district of Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as District Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, from the 2nd January 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdul Majid, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 8400Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Qumaruz-Zaman, Sub-Registrar, Birbhum, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Assasuni in the district of Khulna, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

Birbhum.
Khulna.

No. 8405Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Mr. Arthur Gupta, Sub-Registrar, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th October to 13th November 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 2156T.-R., dated the 22nd October 1917.

No. 8407Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Inspector of Registration Offices, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for eighteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 7430Regn., dated the 10th November 1917.

No. 8410Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Ulfatul Karim, Probationer of Dacca, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Raiganj, in the district of Dinajpur, with effect from the 2nd November 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdur Rahim (No. I), or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 8413Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Saleh, Sub-Registrar, is granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for five months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 6759Regn., dated the 6th September 1917.

No. 8415Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Makbul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Durgapur, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 4th October 1917, until further orders.

Tippera.
Mymensingh.

No. 8417Regn.—The 8th December 1917.—Babu Suresh Chandra Ray, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Chilmari in Rangpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Singair, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the 1st November 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prafulla Chandra Sen, or until further orders.

Rangpur.
Dacca.

No. 8464Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Probodh Chandra Chatarji, District Sub-Registrar of Jessore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Calcutta, with effect from the 25th December 1917, *vice* Babu Paresh Chandra Datta, who will retire from that date.

Jessore.
Calcutta.

No. 8466Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Qurbunnullah, District Sub-Registrar, Mymensingh, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-three days in extension of the privilege leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1592T.R., dated the 29th September 1917, which commenced from the 7th October 1917 instead of the 6th idem

Mymensingh.

No. 8468Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Hamid (No. II), Sub-Registrar of Matlab, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Daudkandi, in the same district.

Tippera.

No. 8470Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Sadananda Sen, Sub-Registrar of Sherpur, in the district of Bogra, under orders of transfer to Daudkandi, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Chandina in that district.

Bogra.
Tippera.

This cancels Notification No. 7187Regn., dated the 5th November 1917.

No. 8472Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Farid Bakht Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar, Tippera, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Matlab, in the same district.

Tippera.

No. 8474Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Masud, Sub-Registrar of Fulghazi, in the district of Noakhali, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 4035Regn., dated the 24th May 1917.

Noakhali.

No. 8476Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Birendra Krishna Bose, Probationer of Alipore, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is granted leave, on medical certificate, under rule (*1*) to article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, and extraordinary leave without allowances, under rule (*2*) to article 339 of the same Regulations, for one month, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 8129Regn., dated the 1st December 1917.

24-Parganas.

No. 8478Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Saroj Kumar Sen, Probationer of Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Salkopa, in the district of Jessore, from the 27th November 1917 till he is relieved by Babu Probodh Chandra Mitra, transferred to Salkopa by Notification No. 7778Regn., dated the 20th November 1917.

Nadia.
Jessore.

No. 8480Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Bipin Chandra Sen, Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Dacca, is granted medical leave for three months, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 1st December 1917, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 5972Regn., dated the 13th August 1917.

Dacca.

No. 8484Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Prakash Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 6409Regn., dated the 28th August 1917.

No. 8486Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Abdulla Husain, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Paterhat, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and three days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1789T.R., dated the 8th October 1917.

Bakarganj.

No. 8488Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Mahbubar Rahaman, Probationer of Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Balla, in the district of Mymensingh, with effect from the 1st November 1917, until further orders.

Mymensingh.

No. 8490Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Amod Lal Burman, Sub-Registrar of Khandaghosh, in the district of Burdwan, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-four days, with effect from the 29th November 1917.

Burdwan.

No. 8492Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Nalini Kanta Mukharji, Sub-Registrar, Faridpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Sabhar, in the district of Dacca, with effect from the afternoon of the 29th November 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Chaudhuri Barhanuddin Ahmad Siddiq, or until further orders.

Faridpur.
Dacca.

No. 8494Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Bhupendra Nath Gupta, Probationer of Khulna, is granted extraordinary leave without allowances, under rule 2 to article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for six days, with effect from the 9th August 1917.

Khulna.

No. 8496Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Ramani Mohan Mazumdar, Sub-Registrar, Thakurgaon, in the district of Dinajpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for five days, from the 7th August 1917 to the 11th August 1917, and extraordinary leave without allowances, under article 339 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two days, viz., for 12th and 13th August 1917, in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him in Notification No. 5255Regn., dated the 18th July 1917.

Dinajpur.

No. 8498Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Jitendra Lal Basu, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Kotalpur in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for sixteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1952T.-R., dated the 15th October 1917.

Bankura.

No. 8500Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Satindra Nath Sen, Sub-Registrar, under orders of transfer to Gopalganj in the district of Faridpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for ten days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 7774Regn., dated the 20th November 1917.

Faridpur.

No. 8502Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, Sub-Registrar of Narayangarh, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from the 28th November 1917.

Midnapore.

No. 8504Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Sachindra Nath Ghosh, Probationer of Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Narayangarh, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st December 1917, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8462Regn.—The 11th December 1917.—The following appointment is sanctioned in the grade of District Sub-Registrars :—

Maulvi Masud-ul Haq, Sub-Registrar, grade I, of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar, grade IV, *vice* Babu Pramatha Nath Roy, retired.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 229Eccle.—The 7th December 1917.—The Revd. H. O. Penley, Chaplain of St. Thomas' Church, Free School Street, Calcutta, is promoted to be a Senior Chaplain with effect from the 27th October 1917.

Calcutta.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2782S.R.—The 6th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 7 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in Notification No. 596S.R., dated the 30th March 1915 (published at pages 562 to 578 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem.), as subsequently amended by Notification No. 338S.R., dated the 24th February 1916 (published at page 410 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st March 1916), namely :—

(1) *In* the second column of paragraph 9, *add* the following as a proviso :—

"Provided that, in the area specified in paragraph 10A below, such authority shall be exercised by the Superintendent of Excise, Naugaon, and not by the Superintendent of Excise of the Rajshahi district".

(2) *For* paragraph 10A, *substitute* the following paragraph :—

"10A. There shall be a Superintendent of Excise at Naugaon, in the district of Rajshahi, who shall exercise all the powers and perform all the duties conferred and imposed on a Collector by the portions of the Act specified in paragraph 9 above and also by section 13, clause (*b*) of the Act in respect of the granting of licenses for the cultivation of the hemp plant, in subordination to the Collector of Rajshahi and subject to the control of the Excise Commissioner.

The area bounded on the—

North—By thana Patnitola of Dinajpur district and thana Panchabibi of Bogra district.

East—By thana Adamdighi of Bogra district and the Eastern Bengal Railway.

South and West—By the river Atrai."

No. 2825S.R.—The 10th December 1917.—Babu Aswini Kumar Basu, Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Tippera and Noakhali, is allowed privilege leave, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 13th November 1917 to the 22nd December 1917.

Tippera. Noakhali.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2823S.R.—The 10th December 1917.—In Notification No. 484T.S.R., dated the 29th October 1917, and rule thereunder, published at pages 1730-31, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th November 1917, *substitute* the words "No. 24 (Salt), dated the 13th January 1912 (as subsequently amended)", *for* the words "No. 9 (Customs) of the 8th January 1912" and "No. 9 (Customs), dated the 8th January 1912.'

By order of the Board of Revenue, Bengal,

D. H. WARES,
Secy. to the Board of Revenue.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6050Com.—The 5th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Indian Factories Act, 1911 (XII of 1911), and in continuation of Notification No. 2683Com., dated the 27th July 1916, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt the Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum, in the district of the 24-Parganas, from the provisions of section 23 (*c*) of the said Act for a further period of six months.

24-Parganas.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

WHEREAS the Governor-General in Council is of the opinion that the following articles can be utilised in connection with the prosecution of the present war, namely, steel plates of the following sizes:—

All plates over ½" in thickness.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of Rule 11A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, I, being an officer of Government authorised by

the Governor-General in Council in this behalf by an order in writing, hereby require all persons within the districts of the 24-Parganas, Hooghly and Howrah within the Presidency of Bengal, who, in the course of business, whether on their own behalf or on behalf of others, hold or have control over any such steel plates, to send to the Controller, Bengal Circle, Indian Munitions Board, 1, Kyd Street, Calcutta, the following particulars of all such steel plates, namely,—

(*a*) the quantity held of each size,

(*b*) the place or places at which held,

(*c*) the price (if known) at which the owner or person entitled to sell such steel plates is willing to sell the same by agreement;

and I further require that every person shall refrain from disposing of the said steel plates from the date of the publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* until the said particulars have been furnished as prescribed above, and for a further period thereafter not exceeding 14 days, after the expiry of which period the whole or any part of the said steel plates may be disposed of as if this notification had not been issued, unless, before the expiry of such period, a notice of requisition under Rule 11AA of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, has been issued in respect of the whole or part of the said steel plates by me:

Provided that this order shall only be held to apply to stocks held in the ordinary course of business for sale:

Provided also that notwithstanding this order permits for the sale of such steel plates will be granted by me upon application when such sale is in my opinion necessary for the maintenance of an essential industry.

J. C. K. PETERSON,
Controller of Munitions, Bengal Circle.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6643A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6576A.—The 10th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Harish Chandra Ray the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dacca, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Narayanganj subdivision of the said district,

Dacca.

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Narayanganj Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

RESIGNATION.

No. 6574A.—The 10th December 1917.—The Governor in Council accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. J. H. Scott of his appointment as an Honorary Magistrate of the Kamarhati Bench in the district of the 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas.

POWERS.

No. 6458A.—The 6th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., temporarily to be a Subordinate Judge in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

No. 6539A.—The 8th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Nasiruddin, who has, under the orders of this date, been appointed to be a substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate of the seventh grade and posted to the head-quarters station of the Howrah district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

Howrah.

No. 6578A.—The 11th December 1917.—Maulvi Wali-ul-Islam, Deputy Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted temporarily to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class.

24-Parganas.

No. 6583A.—The 11th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Maulvi Wali-ul-Islam, a Magistrate of the first class, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the head-quarters station of the 24-Parganas district, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

24-Parganas.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 3805J.—The 5th December 1917.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Biswas, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Dinajpur, to be ordinarily stationed at Jalpaiguri, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, or until further orders.

Dinajpur.

No. 3807J.—The 5th December 1917.—Mr. Santi Priya Basu, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Rajshahi, to be ordinarily stationed at Malda during the absence, on leave, of Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, or until further orders.

Rajshahi.

No. 3965J.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Rajani Kanta Chaudhuri, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Nabinagar, but for the present to be employed as an Additional Munsif at Bhanga, in the district of Faridpur, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Jamini Kishor Ray, or until further orders.

Faridpur. Tippera.

No. 3968J.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Amulya Kumar Guha, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif in the district of Tippera, to be ordinarily stationed at Brahmanbaria, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Phanindra Nath Mitra, or until further orders.

Tippera.

LEAVE.

No 3803J.—The 28th November 1917.—Babu Nitai Charan Ghosh, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Jalpaiguri, in the district of Dinajpur, is allowed leave for fifteen days. under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th November 1917.

Dinajpur.

No. 3804J.—The 28th November 1917.—Babu Chandra Shekhar Sen, Munsif of Malda, in the district of Rajshahi, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for twelve days under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

Rajshahi.

No. 3963J.—The 4th December 1917.—Babu Jamini Kishor Ray, Munsif of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, now employed as an Additional Munsif in the district of Faridpur, is allowed leave for twenty days, viz., five days under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 3rd December 1917.

Tippera. Faridpur.

No. 3964J.—The 4th December 1917.—Babu Phanindra Nath Mitra, Munsif of Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera, is allowed leave for sixteen days, viz., one day under article 274 of the Civil Service Regulations and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, with effect from the 26th November 1917.

Tippera.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 15743P.—The 11th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 12, sub-section (*1*) of the Indian Press Act, 1910 (1 of 1910), the Governor in Council declares to be forfeited to His Majesty all copies, wherever found, of a leaflet printed in English, entitled "From the Secretary, Home Department, Indian Revolutionary Committee, Camp," addressed, "To the Princes and People of India" beginning with the words "Brothers, In view of the visit of Mr. Montagu" and ending with the words "Indian Revolutionary Committee," and all copies of all other documents containing the matter of the said leaflet, on the ground that the said leaflet contains exhortations to rebel against the British Government, and to commit murder, and appears to the Governor in Council to contain words of the nature described in section 4, sub-section (*1*), clause (*a*) of the said Act

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15611P.—The 11th December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Lonesingh, in the district of Faridpur.

Faridpur.

2 In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the areas included within the Palong and Bhedarganj police-stations, in the district of Faridpur, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedules A and B, which have hitherto been included in the Palong and Bhedarganj police-stations, respectively :—

Schedule A.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Palong	Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Palong.
Rajnagar ...	23	Bijharee ...	377
Moktarer Char, 4th Part...	24	Daulapatti ...	378
Moktarer Char, 1st Part...	25	Barai ...	379
Moktarer Char, 2nd Part	26	Kalyanpatti ...	380
Moktarer Char, 5th Part...	27	Kapaspara ...	381
Moktarer Char, 6th Part...	28	Kandigaon ...	382
Moktarer Char, 7th Part...	29	Achura ...	385
Moktarer Char, 8th Part...	30	Chhota Dulukhanda ...	386
Moktarer Char, 3rd Part...	31	Bara Dulukhanda ...	387
Moktarer Char, 9th Part...	32	Chandani ..	388
Moktarer Char, 11th Part	33	Anakhanda ...	389
Moktarer Char, 10th Part	34	Kayetpatti ...	390
Japsa ...	35	Sujasar ...	391
Bhojeswar ...	36	Korag ...	392
Maijpara ...	37	Aksa ...	393
Char Kotapara ...	38	Satpar ..	394
Paragaon ...	40	Fatejangapur ...	395
Nasasan ...	42	Upasi ...	396
Ekandal ...	43	Pachak	397
Char Kandapara ...	44	Masura ...	398
Udaytara ...	45	Sirangal ...	399
Mirpur ..	46	Kanargaon ...	400
Dagri ...	47	Nadimsar ...	401
Daula ...	48	Mangalsiddhi ...	402
Saora ...	49	Lonsingha ...	403
Haserkandi ...	50	Chakdha ...	404
Daker Char ...	51	Kalukati ...	405
Kalikata ...	78	Naria ...	406
Atipara ...	79	Char Naria ...	407
Digambarpatti ...	305	Saheber Char ...	408
Andharmanik ...	306	Char Jazira ...	409
Bara Baghia ...	307	Kedarpur ...	410
Kandapara ...	308	Nitira ...	411
Demargaon ...	309	Patdal ...	412
Bhumkhara ...	364	Nalta ...	413
Jogpata ...	365	Manakhan ...	414
Bajanpara ...	366	Ichhapasa ...	440
Rekandapur ...	367	Goragaon ...	441
Jogpata Mrizapur ..	368	Panchgaon ..	442
Kazisukur .	369	Burna ...	443
Dhamaram ...	370	Dattapatti ...	444
Bishugaon ...	371	West Chandpur ...	445
Konda ...	372	East Chandpur ..	446
Manda ...	373	South Sripur ...	447
Aichapara ...	374	Birmaisan ...	448
Naogaon ...	375	Sureswar ...	449
Bhadda ...	376		

Schedule B.

Names of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Palong.
Nilgun ...	310
Gobinda Mangal ...	311
Magar ...	312
Boral ...	313
Kanchanpara ...	315
Telipattan ...	353
Dinara ..	354
Gulmaij ...	358
Ghamta ...	359
Telipara ...	360
Sonda ...	361
Bhaymangal ...	362
Deojuri ...	363
Saldha ...	415
Saidpur ...	416
Bunna ...	417
Kathugli ..	418
Dingamanik ...	419
Karanhogla ...	420
Sarankhola ...	421
Hazighata ...	422
Kshirpara ...	423
Kalargaon ...	424
Gharisar ...	425
Bahir Kusia ...	426
Dakshinpara ...	427
Jaliahati ...	428
Kulaitali ...	429
Panditsar ...	430
Tolapara ...	431
Bhitar Kusia ...	432
Uttarpara ...	433
Rahapara ...	434
Atpara ...	435
Baraipara ...	436
Singhalmuri ...	437
Nandansar ...	438
Goalbathan ...	439
Halaisar ...	450
Char Mohan ...	451
Char Laulani ...	452
Char Bhaga ...	453

No. 15612P.—The 11th December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Matbarer Char, in the district of Faridpur.

Faridpur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Shibchar police-station, in the district of Faridpur, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Shibchar police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shibchar.
East Khas Bandarkhola Nacheerpoor ...	1
Matbarer Char Nacheerpoor ...	2
Bara Khas Bandarkhola Nacheerpoor ...	3
Chhota Khas Bandarkhola Nacheerpoor ...	4
Bajeapti Bandarkhola Nacheerpoor ...	5
Bajar Char Bandarkhola Nacheerpoor ...	6
Sannyasi Char ...	7
Daulatpur Char Jazeera Bachamara Bandarkhola ...	8
Khas Char Bachamara Bandarkhola ...	9
Char Gupterkanda	11
Benchara ...	44
Bara Bahadurpur ...	45
Chhota Bahadurpur ...	46
Bara Deali Bahirchur Kootubpoor and Buro Dhalalee ...	47
Balakandi ...	49
Bahir Char ...	50
Dakshinkandi Gird Dukhinkandee ...	51
Raghunathpur ...	52
Gaurchardaia Gore Chur Dacca ...	53
Goalkanda Goalkanda Bulleahatee Kismut ...	54
Bandarkhola Patkanda ...	55
Sare Bisrasi Sharey Bees Ruseerbat and Pach Rusee Kismut ...	56
Satararasi ...	57
Daiar Char Dacca ...	58
Sare Egararasi ...	59
Panch Char Mookundoa or Pach Chur ...	60
Kharakandi ...	61
Kazikandi ...	62
Char Raghunathpur ...	63
Bakharer Kandi ...	64
Chhota Kesabpur ...	65
South Char Janajat ...	66
North Char Janajat ...	67
Aual ...	68
Jalsen ...	69
Bhatsar ...	70
Kalipara Kawleepara ...	71

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Shibchar.
Kaurpara ...	72
Bateswar ...	73
Ranjitkhan Ranjeetkhan Magoorkhund ...	74
Magurakhanda ...	75
Char Chandra ...	76
Kathalbari ...	77
Dotara ...	78
Baghia ...	79
Bara Keshabpur ...	80
Baikunthapur ...	81
Bhasaldi ..	142
Sabajnagar ...	144

No. 15735 P.—The 11th December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Tarail in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*)(*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Gazette relating to the area included within the Itna (Badla) police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Itna (Badla) police-station:—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj.
Idilpur ...	326
Badaldia ...	327
Nawanee ...	
Taluk Nitai ...	
	Of thana Nandail.
Karttikkhila	217, 328, 329
	Of thana Kishorganj.
Saubhag ...	330
Kandrati ...	331
Taljanga ...	332
Char Taljanga ...	333
Banshati ...	334
Mollapara ...	335
Sripur Sahetal ...	336
Bhatgaon ...	337
Araiura ...	338
Ghoshpara ...	339
Deothan ...	340
Naugaon ...	342
Paikpara ...	345
Karati ...	346
Singdha ...	347
Digdair	348, 349
Baruha ..	350
Sachail	351, 352, 353
Sailati ..	354
Bhararitala or Bhiramtala ...	355
Baherkandi and Nurakhali ...	356
Simulati ...	357
Samukjani ...	358
Dariapur ...	359
Pang Pachiha ...	360
Dasdron ...	361
Jahangirpur Dari ...	362
Nandipur ...	363
Hajipur ...	364
Rauti ...	365
Lakhpur ...	366
Chikni ...	367
Kona Bhawal	368, 369
Bhawal ...	371
Surangal ...	373
Purura ...	374
Kauligati	370, 375
Kauli	376, 377
Hariganti or Bisunpur.	378
Banail ...	379
Karanka	380, 381
Sibpur ...	382
Meshgaon	383, 384
Ramnagar ...	385
Maugaon ...	386
Daudpur ...	387
Sahila ...	388
Sarang ...	389
Kalna ...	390
Bargaon ...	391
Sekandarnagar	392, 393
Bhairkona ...	394
Dhala	395, 396
Gajendrapur	397, 398
Suniati ...	399
Bilashipara ...	400
Ichapashar ...	401
Belanka ...	402
Hasla ...	403
Kashlihati ...	404
Rahela ...	405
Ashabhaia or Asra...	406
Kalla	407, 408
Bhadera ...	409
Damiha ...	410
Nagarkul ...	411
Nandipur ...	412
Ratanpur ...	413
Jauar Chang ...	414
Jauar ...	415
Kuluma ...	416

Mymensingh.

No. 157361P.—The 11th December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Karimganj in the district of Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and the Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Gazette relating to the areas included within the Kishorganj and the Itna (Badla) police-stations in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedules A and B, which have hitherto been included in the Kishorganj and the Itna (Badla) police-stations, respectively :—

Schedule A.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj.
Gangail	143
Kadir Jangal	144, 145, 264
Lakhakhola	146
Srirampur Bade	148
Sadher Jangal	149, 155
Matikata	151
Bàje Patdha	152
Saituta	153
Radhar char	150, 154
Kursha	156
Madhakhola	159
Majherkona	158, 160
Jallabad	161
Kaikurdia	147, 162
Subandi	163
Rajkunti	169
Ulukhola	232
Nansri	233
Mathurapara	252
Kamaratia	253
Parakul	254
Jayka	255, 274
Kandail	256, 257
Sandwip	258
Halgara	259
Andharmanik	260
Baliapara	261
Kumariapara	262
Jafrabad	263
Khudir Jangal	265

Name of villages	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj
Nauakandi	266
Bhangakhali	267
Singua	268
Noáabad	270, 269
Char Mulamkhan	271
Jhautala	272, 273
Khojargaon	275/1
Panahar	276, 279
Latifnagar Dari	277
Maijhati	278
Gundhar or Gobindapur	280
Sudhia	281
Sultannagar	285
Madan	286
Khairati	287
Indachoalni	288
Urdighi	289, 290
Bhàti Gangatia	291
Gangatia Dari	292
Ujan Baratia or Baratia	294
Manoharpur	317
Piarganti or Hatrapara	318
Patuair	319
Chandpur	314, 320

Schedule B.

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj.
Baragharia	282
Bharpur	283
Asataka	284
Sutarpara	293
Khagsri	295
Baliapara	296
Charitala	297
Dakshin Ganeshpur	298/1
Niamatpur	299
Raua	300
Sakhua	302
Bhatia	303

Names of villages.	General jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj.
Digarkaila	301/1, 304
Char Dehunda	305
Dehunda Khamar	306
Lakhpur	307
Kiratan	308
Aila	309
Guzadia	310
Bandh Gomra	312
Tamni	311, 313, 315, 341
Pitua	316
Khod Karansi	343
Char Karansi	344
Saguli	445
Chang Naugaon	446

No. 15737P.—The 11th December 1917.—The Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the establishment of an investigating centre at Hossainpur in the district of Mymensingh.

Mymensingh.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included within the Kishorganj police-station in the district of Mymensingh, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare the said investigating centre to be a police-station and to include in it the villages specified in the following Schedule, which have hitherto been included in the Kishorganj police-station :—

Schedule.

Names of villages.	Jurisdiction list number of thana Kishorganj.
Dakuria ...	1
Halima ..	2
Tekapara ...	3
Meshera ...	4
Bill Bagmara or Suberkandi ...	5
Piplakandi ...	6
Gobarganon ...	7
Jinari ...	8
Char Jinari Bagmara	9
Char Hataralgi ...	10
Char Hajipur ...	11
Hajipur ...	12
Kalibari ...	13
Hoglakandi ...	14
Machina ...	15
Bisudia Garh ...	16
Porabaria ...	17
Char Kalibari ...	18
Char Algi, II ...	19
Pitalganja ...	20, 22
Chandar ...	23, 24
Karaikandi ...	25
Harenja ...	26, 27
Sidhla ...	28
Surati ...	29
Lulikandi ..	30, 31
Bhagarjan ...	32
Gobindapur ...	33, 34
Panan ...	35
Gangatia ...	37
Saidpur ...	38
Harishchandrapatti	39
Keshra ..	40
Tegharia ...	41, 42
Jagdal ...	43, 44
Purura Nai ...	45
Kapashatia ...	46
Anua ...	47
Madhakhola ...	48
Atira ...	49
Atira ..	50
Nandalia ...	51, 52
Narayandhar ...	53
Barsikura ...	54, 55
Bir Pakisa or Paiksa	56
Dhankura ...	57, 68
Dhuljuri ...	58, 59
Nirahargati ...	60, 61
Araibaria ...	62, 63
Dhuliar ...	21, 64
Char Bishwanathpur ...	65
Dhekia ...	66, 67
Dipeshwar ...	69
Char Jamail ..	70
Jamail ...	71
Bharina ...	72
Kurimara ...	73
Ahutia ...	74
Rahimpur or Char Nalsri ...	75
Rampur ...	81
Dapania ...	82
Shahedal ...	83
Damria ...	84
Pumdi ...	85
Ranagaon or Banagaon ...	86
Lakhati	36, 87, 88
Char Pumdi ...	91
Char Nalsri ...	92

No. 15734P.—The 11th December 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Governor of Bengal in Council has been pleased to order the removal of the Badla police-station in the district of Mymensingh—which was declared to be a police-station under section 4(*l*)(*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), by Eastern Bengal and Assam Government Notification No. 6676J., dated the 15th June 1906—from its present site at Badla to a new site at Itna within the same police-station and to direct that the said police-station shall henceforth be known as the Itna police-station.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 6th December 1917.

No. 105Marine.—The following notification by the Government of India, Commerce and Industry Department, publishing an amendment of the rules for the carriage of petroleum in Native Passenger ships, is republished for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 429D., dated Delhi, the 17th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 53 of the Native Passenger Ships Act, 1887 (X of 1887), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules regarding the carriage of petroleum in ships to which the said Act applies. which were published with the notification in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 5100-S.R., dated the 20th August 1903, as subsequently amended, namely :—

(1) The following shall be substituted for rule 1, clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) :—

"1. No petroleum which is dangerous within the meaning of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), shall be shipped on board any ship proceeding or departing from British India, and no other petroleum shall be carried on board such a ship, except as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship, or as cargo, and under the following special conditions, namely :—

(*a*) Such petroleum shall have a flash-point of not less than 150°F. by Abel's close test.

(*b*) Petroleum carried as fuel in bulk for the use of the ship shall be carried in double bottom tanks.

(*c*) The Master, owner or agent shall give notice to the Chief Customs Officer, or such other officer as the Chief Customs Officer may nominate in this behalf, before permitting any petroleum to be shipped as cargo.

(*d*) Each consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be covered by a declaration made and signed by the shipper in Form A (hereto annexed), if the petroleum has been imported into British India, and otherwise in Form B.

(*e*) Petroleum shipped as cargo shall be shipped either in tins enclosed in outer wooden cases or in hermetically sealed iron or steel drums: provided that petroleum which has a flash-point not below 200° F. may also be shipped in sound well-coopered wooden casks of not more than 50 gallons capacity.

(*f*) The nature of every consignment of petroleum shipped as cargo shall be marked on the outside of the package containing it

(*g*) The petroleum shall be stored separately from all other cargo and as far as possible away from lights or fires; and none shall be stored in any hold adjoining an engine-room or boiler, or in any compartment situated above the passenger spaces."

(2) Clauses (*f*) to (*k*) of the same rule shall be renumbered (*h*) to (*m*), respectively.

The 6th December 1917.

No. 106Marine.—Mr. D. I. Halford, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is confirmed in that grade with effect from the 26th November 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

The 7th December 1917.

No. 107Marine.—Mr. A. H. Dove, Acting Senior Master Pilot, is confirmed in that grade with effect from the 29th December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 10th December 1917.

No. 108Marine.—The following draft of amendments which, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal intends to make in the rules under section 9 of the Indian Petroleum Act, 1899 (VIII of 1899), for regulating the importation, possession and transport of petroleum within that Presidency, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on or after 12th January 1918, and any objections or suggestions with regard thereto, which are received by the undersigned before that date, will be duly considered :—

Draft amendments.

(*1*) *For* the proviso to rule 3, Chapter II, Part II of the said rules inserted by Bengal Government Notification No. 77Marine, dated the 7th August 1917, the following shall be *substituted* :—

"Provided that this rule shall not apply to petroleum having a flash point not less than 150°F. by Abel's close test and carried exclusively as liquid fuel for the use of the ship in double bottom tanks."

(*2*) In rule 24, Part III of the same rules, *for* the words "which has a flashing point above 150° of Fahrenheit's thermometer" the words "which has a flash point of not less than 150°F. by Abel's close test" shall be *substituted*.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th December 1917.

No. 111.—Babu Girija Prosanna Basu, Overseer, Burdwan Division, is granted privilege leave for twelve weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd November 1917.

The 10th December 1917.

No. 112.—In modification of this Department Notification No. 70, dated the 19th June 1917, Babu Mohendra Chandra Sen, Overseer, Jalpaiguri Division, is granted combined leave for six months under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for three months under article 260 and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd July 1917.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6644A.

No. 6483A.—The 7th December 1917.—The orders of the 2nd October 1917, transferring Babu Jamini Mohan Ghosh, Sub-Deputy Collector, Mymensingh, to the head-quarters station of the Dacca district, are cancelled.

Mymensingh. Dacca.

No. 6486A.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Surendra Mohan Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Narayanganj, Dacca, is transferred to the head-quarters station of that district.

Dacca.

No. 6489A.—The 7th December 1917.—Babu Shashi Bhusan Biswas, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Dacca Division and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Dacca Divn.

No. 6560A.—The 10th December 1917.—Maulvi Tasmim-ud-din Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Manikganj, Dacca, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, up to the 17th November 1917 in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 20th September 1917.

Dacca.

No. 6598A.—The 11th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Babu Bimala Charan Guha, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, to be a Special Magistrate for a term not exceeding two months and to confer upon him the powers of a Magistrate of the first class in respect of offences under Chapter XVII of the Indian Penal Code, within the district of Rajshahi.

Rajshahi.

The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by the same section, and in modification of Notifications No. 2683A.D. of the 17th October 1917, and No. 5179A. of the 27th idem, to extend the term of appointment of Babu Bimala Charan Guha as Special Magistrate for the districts of Khulna, Faridpur, Dacca and 24-Parganas, specified in the said notifications, by a further period not exceeding two months.

Khulna. Faridpur. Dacca. 24-Parganas.

No. 6609A.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Hari Pada Ray, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Birbhum, was on leave for three days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Birbhum.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 18201, dated Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.—Officiating Civil Surgeon Babu B. C. Das Gupta made over charge of the Rangpur Jail to Civil Surgeon Rai Hari Nath Ghose Bahadur on the afternoon of the 30th November 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 15862, dated Calcutta, the 4th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Chandi Charan Mitra is allowed privilege leave for one month, under article 242(*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 16038, dated Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Ray did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, from the 11th to the 24th November 1917, both days inclusive.

No. 16040, dated Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Dwijendra Nath Dhar is appointed temporarily to the Tamluk Subdivision and Dispensary, Midnapore district, with effect from the 28th November 1917, *vice* 3rd grade Civil Assistant Surgeon Jitendra Nath Ghose, transferred.

No. 15851, dated Calcutta, the 3rd December 1917.—The following candidates passed the Compoundership Examination held at the Campbell Medical School on the 8th October 1917 and subsequent days:—

Serial No.	Names.	Where trained.	Remarks.
1	Bhola Nath Singha	Sadar Hospital, Murshidabad.	
2	Ashutosh Dey	Mirbazar Dispensary, Midnapore.	
3	Bhabatosh Mukherji	Jubilee Medical Hall, Bankura.	
4	Arabindu Behary Gupta	Sadar Hospital, Krishnagar.	
5	Shitikhanta Bhattacherji	Akra Government Brickfield.	
6	Hrishikesh Nayak	Campbell Medical School...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
7	Bharat Chandra Mandal	Ditto ...	
8	Sushil Kumar Pal	Ditto ...	
9	Md. Enamul Huque	Ditto ...	
10	Pashupati Roy	Ditto ...	
11	Hrishikesh Banerji	Ditto ...	
12	Benode Behari Mandal	Ditto.	
13	Pulin Behari Nandy	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
14	Kunja Behari Dey	Ditto.	
15	Satish Chandra Ghosh	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
16	Mahendra Lal Kulal	Ditto ...	
17	Barada Kanta Kuity	Ditto ...	
18	Kenaram Jana	Ditto.	
19	Ram Krishna Bhunia	Ditto.	
20	Mahabir Ram Das	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
21	Provakar Banerji	Ditto ...	
22	Upendra Nath Acharya	Ditto ...	
23	Balaram Chatterji	Ditto ...	
24	Dharma Das Sahoo	Ditto ...	
25	Nitai Chandra Majilla	Ditto ...	
26	Gostha Behary Bhattacherji ...	Ditto ...	
27	Sudhir Chandra Chatterji	Ditto.	
28	Bhupendra Nath Batyabal ...	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
29	Pramatha Nath Chaudhuri	Ditto ...	
30	Debendra Nath Chakrabatti ...	Ditto ...	
31	Girish Chandra Das	Ditto ...	
32	Jamini Kanta Das	Ditto ...	
33	Sarashi Bhusan Pal	Ditto ...	
34	Jagadish Majumdar	Ditto ...	
35	Karali Kanta Mukherji	Ditto ...	
36	Surendra Chandra Ghosh	Ditto ...	
37	Upendra Nath Datta	Ditto ...	
38	Sasisankar Datta	Ditto ...	
39	Chuni Lal Banerji	Ditto ...	
40	Radhika Prasanna Kundu	Ditto ...	
41	Hira Lal Das	Ditto ...	
42	Debendra Nath Roy	Ditto ...	
43	Bishnupada Banerji	Ditto ...	
44	Provash Chandra Banerji	Ditto ...	
45	Dwijendra Nath Indu	Ditto ...	
46	Pyari Mohan Danda	Ditto ...	
47	Nalini Kanta Mukherji	Ditto.	
48	Amulya Chandra Mitra	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
49	Shyamapada Pramanick	Ditto.	
50	Lalit Mohan Biswas	Kalna Medical Mission.	

No. 15852, dated Calcutta, the 3rd December 1917.—The following candidates passed the Compoundership examination held at the Dacca Medical School on the 1st November 1917 and subsequent days:—

Serial No.	Names.	Where trained.	Remarks.
1	Hem Chandra Lasker	Dacca Medical School ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
2	Sailendra Nath Bose	Ditto ...	
3	Zahurul Huq	Ditto ...	
4	Rameswar Pal Choudhuri	Ditto ...	
5	Biraja Sundar Chakrabatti	Ditto.	
6	Gopi Mohan Sil	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
7	Nabadwip Chandra Chakrabatti ...	Ditto.	
8	Pramballav Sarkar	Ditto ...	
9	Kanai Lal Basak	Ditto ...	
10	Nagendra Nath Ghosh	Ditto ...	
11	Ananta Kumar Shaha	Ditto ...	
12	Nishi Kanta Pal	Ditto ...	
13	Durga Prasanna Datta	Ditto ...	
14	Bhupendra Chandra Das	Ditto ...	
15	Sashi Mohan Sil	Ditto ...	
16	Nibaran Chandra Pal	Ditto ...	
17	Hara Lal Sil	Ditto ...	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
18	Hari Har Chaudhuri	Ditto ...	
19	Keshab Chandra Ray	Ditto ...	
20	Surendra Kishore Chaudhuri ...	Ditto ...	
21	Chandra Binode Pal	Ditto ...	
22	Annada Kumar Barua	Ditto ...	
23	Shudhanya Kumar Das	Ditto ...	
24	Rakhal Chandra Bhattacherji ...	Ditto ...	
25	Jatindra Nath Chakrabatti ...	Ditto ...	
26	Sarat Chandra Adhikari	Ditto ...	
27	Bhupendra Nath Sil	Ditto ...	
28	Girija Bhusan Ray	Ditto.	
29	Naresh Chandra Karmaker	Ditto.	
30	Md. Maniruddin Meah	Ditto.	
31	Hemanta Kumar Das	Ditto.	
32	Jaladhar Ray	Ditto.	
33	Amulya Chandra Sarkar	Manikganj Dispensary, Dacca.	Also passed the optional examination in minor bandaging.
34	Sachindra Nath De Sarkar	Netrakona Hospital, Mymensingh.	
35	Narendra Chandra Banik	Brahmanbaria Subdivisional Dispensary, Tippera.	

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-Genl. with the Govt. of Bengal

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU ATUL GOPAL RAY, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Bogra Treasury with effect from the 27th November 1917, and is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

J. C. FRENCH, *Collector.*

BOGRA, *the 30th November 1917.*

BABU SATIS CHANDRA MOZUMDAR, Deputy Collector of Birbhum, has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury from the 3rd December 1917 and he is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. S DUTT, *Collector.*

BIRBHUM TREASURY, *the 4th December 1917.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act), for the month of January 1918, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

January 1918.

Hooghly from 1st to 10th.
Serampore from 11th to 21st.
Howrah from 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge of Small Causes Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 29th November 1917.*

NOTICE is hereby given under Act IX of 1887 that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Dacca and Munshiganj will, in the month of February 1918 sit in the Courts on the undermentioned dates:—

Munshiganj Small Cause Court—From the 18th February to the 26th February 1918.

Dacca Ditto —During the rest of the days of the month. Sundays and holidays excepted.

R. C. SEN, *Judge.*

DACCA, *the 7th December 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 7th December 1917.

No. 108P.—Babu Ramapada Mazumdar is appointed substantively on probation for one year to be a Professor in the Krishnagar College, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Sarker transferred, and in class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service, *vice* Miss Sybil Webb, resigned.

The 10th December 1917.

No. 109P.—Babu Gopal Chandra Bhattacharji, M.A., is appointed to act as a Professor in the Chittagong College and in the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, with effect from the date on which he joins the appointment, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Purna Chandra Kunda, or until further orders.

The 11th December 1917.

No. 110P.—Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, Professor, Chittagong College (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from 8th November 1917, or any subsequent date on which he availed himself of it.

No. 111P.—Babu Satyasaran Kahali is appointed to act as a Professor in the Chittagong College and in the Provincial Educational Service, on an allowance of Rs. 200 a month, with effect from the date on which he joined the appointment, *vice* Babu Basanta Kumar Ray, on leave.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P.O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 221R.G.—Babu Anadi Nath Lahiri, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, Sadar, is temporarily transferred to the Bagerhat subdivision in the district of Khulna.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 7th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU KSHITI NATH GHOSE, Sub-Deputy Collector, Howrah, is allowed leave for six weeks under Article 260, Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU PROKASH CHANDRA DUTT, Sub-Deputy Collector, Ghatal, is transferred to the Asansol subdivision of the Burdwan district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

BABU SURENDRA NATH BANERJI (No. III), Sub-Deputy Collector, Sadar, Midnapore, is posted to the Ghatal subdivision of that district.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 1st December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2191R.G.—Maulvi Anwordul Huq, Sub-Deputy Collector, Nadia, Sadar, is transferred to the Chuadanga subdivision of the same district.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5155J.—Babu Binod Mohan Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4580J.—Maulvi Mafizuddin Fakir, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Malda district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., JALPAIGURI, *the 3rd December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IN exercise of the power vested in me under Government order No. 168, dated the 22nd April 1913, I appoint Mr. W. N. Gill, Superintendent of the Tea District Labour Supply Association, Bankura, to be a non-official visitor of the Bankura Jail for a period of two years *vice* Mr. Rishibar Mukherji, resigned.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 6th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 22M.—It is hereby notified for general information that as, owing to irregularity in procedure, the election of Commissioners for Wards Nos. VII and VIII of the Baduria Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, held on the 28th July 1917, the date fixed by this office Notification No. 45M., dated the 16th March 1917, for the election of Commissioners of the aforesaid Municipality, published at page 438 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part I, of the 21st March 1917, was declared null and void by the Magistrate of the district. Saturday, the 23rd March 1918, is fixed as the date for holding fresh election of Commissioners for these wards.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 21M.—It is hereby notified for general information that the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be Commissioners of the Chakdah Municipality, in the district of Nadia, at the last general election of Commissioners held on the 3rd November 1917 :—

No of ward	Name
I ...	... Babu Ajodhya Nath Kar. Habibar Rahaman Daftry.
II ...	... Babu Raicharan Bhattacharjee.
III ...	... Babu Mahendra Nath Ganguli. „ Satkari Ghosh.
IV ...	... Babu Nalini Mohan Sanyal Chaudhuri. Kazi Mahammad Mestafa.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5142J.—It is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held on the 20th November 1917 in Ward No. I of the Tangail Municipality in the district of Mymensingh, Babu Probhat Chandra Chatterjee was duly elected to be a Commissioner of the said Municipality, *vice* Babu Kedar Nath Chakravarti, resigned.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 5th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the 22nd March 1918 has been fixed for holding a general election for the election of Commissioners of the Kalna Municipality in the district of Burdwan.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 4th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 57L.S.-G.—In exercise of the power conferred on me by Government Notification No. 1003L.S.-G., dated the 1st July 1917, issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended, I appoint Munshi Abbas Mondal to be a member of the Rajibpur Union Committee in the Baraset subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of Babu Saroda Prosad Ghose, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 6th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 32 of the rules made under clause (*a*), section 138 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the following dates have been fixed by me for holding election of members of Local Boards in the several thanas in the district of Khulna:—

Local Board.	Thana.	Date of election.
Sadar ...	Khulna	... 21st January 1918.
	Dumuria	... 23rd „ „
	Paikgacha	... 24th „ „
	Batiaghata	... 22nd „ „
Satkhira ...	Satkhira	... 21st „ „
	Kalaroa	... 25th „ „
	Kaliganj	... 22nd „ „
	Assassuni	... 21st „ „
	Magura	... 23rd „ „
Bagerhat ...	Bagerhat	... 21st „ „
	Mollahat	... 22nd „ „
	Rampal	... 26th „ „
	Morrelganj	... 24th „ „

W. B. THOMSON, *District Magistrate.*

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, KHULNA, *the 4th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 56L.S.G.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Dispensary Rules, Babu Bipin Chandra Ghosh has been appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the District Board Charitable Dispensary at Belpukur in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of Babu Raman Krishna Datta, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 28th November 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that, under rule 20 (*b*) of the Manual of the Rules for the management of Hospitals and Dispensaries in Bengal, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Managing Committee of the Bhanderhati Dispensary in the district of Hoogbly:—

1. The Civil Surgeon, Hooghly ... } *Ex-officio.*
2. The Subdivisional Officer, Sadar ... }
3. Babu Kali Krishna Banerjee.
4. „ Anath Nath Chaudhuri.
5. „ Kali Das Chaudhuri, M.A., B.L.
6. „ Banabehari Chaudhuri.
7. „ Aukshoy Kumar Chaudhuri.
8. „ Bhuban Chandra Roy.
9. Munshi Abdal Gani Sirkar.
10. Babu Ashutosh Das, M.A., B.L.
11. „ Manindra Nath Sirkar.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 5th December 1917.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plans of Proposed Public Streets Nos. XVII—Alternative—and XVIII—(Kyd Street Extension)—which were originally notified in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 23rd May 1917 and 9th August 1916, respectively.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

The 8th December 1917.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XIX (Taltolla Diagonal) which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th October 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

The 8th December 1917.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 13Exc.—The 8th December 1917.—Babu Sripati Mohan Gupta, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Midnapore, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14884.—The 7th December 1917.—The accompanying Finance Statements of Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal, for the quarter ending 30th September 1917, are published for general information.

J. T. DONOVAN,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

CENTRAL
QUARTERLY
Part

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI-LIABILITIES.										
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by individual members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, *e.g.*, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
										To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
I—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nil.											
II—CENTRAL BANKS.											
District Birbhum.											
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	1,50,856	.....	.....	.....	11,000	.....	2,016	18,920	1,184	.....	.....
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	4,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,880	.....	.....	.....
District Midnapore.											
Midnapore Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	1,04,136	.....	.....	.....	535	.....	3 300	24,080	20,458	.....	.....
Khelar Balarampur Union, Ld. ...	29,144	.....	.....	.....	8,590	.....	2,064	7,830	4,431	.....	.....
Belsbera Union Bank, Ld. ...	5,775	.....	.....	.....	29,550	.....	2 450	9,690	7,358	.....	.....
District Burdwan.											
Burdwan Central Co operative Bank, Ld	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,760	.....	.....	.....
District 24-Parganas.											
Tarl Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,03,392	.....	22,259	857	2,570	.....	6,691	15,880	15,368	.....	.....
District Nadia.											
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,57,638	.....	.....	.....	10,500	.....	2,000	18,805	768	.....	.....
Kustia ditto ditto	57,017	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	3,816	.....	.....	.....
District Jessore.											
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	94,784	.....	7,097	.....	8,000	.....	1,650	21,260	1,092	.....	.....
District Khulna.											
Rarali Union and Central Bank, Ld.	45,428	.....	.....	.....	5,000	124	3,748	5,770	6,091	.....	.....
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,230	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,345	102	.....	.....
District Murshidabad.											
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	72,451	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	1,100	11,495	315	.....	.....
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	79,494	.....	.....	900	66	.....	700	17,230	3,540	.....	.....
District Dacca.											
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,84,099	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,800	56,340	11,193	.....	.....
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	29,025	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	278	10,840	.....	.....	.....
District Mymensingh.											
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,22,576	.....	.....	.....	968	.....	1,531	13,815	5,278	.....	.....
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,46,910	.....	.....	.....	700	5,770	11,500	22,495	73,916	.....	.....
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	274	345	25	.....	.....
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	84,869	.....	.....	.....	2,010	.....	1,252	11,945	5,845	.....	.....
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,035	.....	.....	.....	3,630	.....	100	3,230	.....	.....	.....
District Faridpur.											
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,33,887	18,650	43,342	.....	2,256	408	21,000	79,810	9,591	.....	.....
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,03,118	.....	43,484	.....	.....	14	18,346	55,965	40,819	.....	.....
Gopalganj Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	2,10,731	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	2,839	24,670	4,794	.....	.....
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,29,906	.....	143	.....	.....	795	2,606	34,735	4,196	.....	.....

BANKS.

FINANCE STATEMENT.

I.

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.					WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY—		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit, With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank	Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
130	1,200	9,095	.....	.....	1,66,184	7,200	.....	.....	.....	2,172	6; 6½; 7; 7½; and 8.	10	10
642	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,230	1,425	.....	23,400	.....	14	6	9½	.....
107	19,418	8,997	.....	.....	75,107	3,484	47,500	37,440	.....	3,174	6½; 6½, 8½; and 8	7½ and 9½	9½
117	.....	1,554	.....	.....	53,039	1,163	.....	.....	6 816	1,072	5; 6; 6½; 6½ 7 and 7½	9½	9½
924	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,500	.....	.....	.....	7,112	1,488	6½ and 7½	9½	9½
613	.....	501	.....	.....	12,150	.....	.....	17,265	.....	149	6 to 7	9½	.....
341	18,328	643	.....	27,741	1,48,335	.....	.....	.....	660	5,546	7½	10½	12½
10,556	8,580	5,544	.....	.....	1,70,085	.....	.....	39 695	414	3,285	6½	10½	12½
2,991	.....	41	.....	.....	37,325	850	.....	9,754	...	145	6½ and 7½	10½	6½
2,661	504	2,800	.....	2,903	1,23,464	6,148	.....	21,300	96	3,153	6½; 6½; 6½ and 7½.	11	8
5,018	4,000	1,289	.....	.....	52,938	2,080	.....	.....	400	808	5; 5 6 and 7½	10½	7½
1,838	.....	.....	1,200	.....	7,790	.....	.....	10 060	.....	.....	6½ and 7½	10½	.....
4,518	803	5,659	.....	.....	61,216	7,678	.....	28,705	10	1,932	6; 6½; 7; 7½ 4½ and 5½.	10½	10
331	3,205	4,321	.....	.....	94,369	506	.....	49,070	.....	1,897	6; 6½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	9½ and 10½	10
4,928	.....	688	.....	.....	2,18,883	.....	10,000	.....	.....	5,240	6 to 7½	9½ to 12½	8½ and 6½
7,095	100	10,000	.....	.....	26,272	576	.....	460	.....	511	6 to 7½	10	Preference 6½ Ordinary 3½
7,010	5,225	6,518	.....	.....	1,22,949	.....	.....	42,235	.....	3 118	5½; 6½; 6½ and 7½.	10½	6½
8,225	58,125	281	.....	.....	1,78,655	11,600	.....	22,495	2,902	12,926	6½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	12½
9	.....	482	.....	.....	5,218	.....	.....	3,105	.....	166	7½	9½ and 10½	12½
6,875	.....	3,415	.....	.....	94,199	950	.....	11,945	.....	1,567	5, 6; 6½ and 7½	7½; 9½ and 11½	9½
91	.....	188	.....	.....	9,321	1,350	.....	13,970	.....	152	6 and 7½	10½	.....
15,706	23,000	15,821	20,000	16,756	2,68,792	13,322	40,000	79,910	4,590	14,727	6½, 6; 6½; 7; and 7½.	10½	12½
11,350	40,000	975	741	16 546	4,02,938	.....	.....	55,965	2,403	12,819	5½; 6; 6½; 7 and 7½.	12	12½
14,232	.....	4,000	.....	.....	2,20,943	.....	.....	30,960	.....	3,437	6; 6½; 7 and 7½	10½	9½
7,478	.....	6,886	... ..	24,837	1,50,079	491	.....	34,873	.....	2,320	5½; 6; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	7

Name of Bank.	LIABILITIES AND QUASI LIABILITIES.										
	OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.				WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						
	Deposits, fixed, current or savings bank, by non-members or by members in an individual capacity.	Debentures.	Overdrafts from outside banks, *e.g.*, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items.	Fixed deposits or loans received from Societies or Central Banks or Provincial Bank.	Savings bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks.	Reserve fund of bank itself.	Paid-up share capital.	Other items.	Undrawn liabilities, *e.g.*, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Bank, to Central Banks or to Societies, and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies.	
										To cover deposits.	For loans transaction.
1	3	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
District Bakarganj.											
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,04,591	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,872	48,910	217	.....	.....
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,600	.....	.....	.....	2,400	.....	.....	2,420	.....	.....	.....
District Chittagong.											
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	52,575	.....	.....	.....	6,700	.....	735	9,625	75	.....	.....
District Noakhali.											
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	88,711	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,161	13,075	2,853	.....	.....
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	10,250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,045	.....	.....	.....
District Tippera.											
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,51,367	.....	.....	1,429	368	2,207	13,304	56,850	17 705	.....	.....
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	84,432	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,700	18,720	2,767	.....	.....
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,80,718	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	5,036	32,005	6,887	.....	.....
District Rajshahi.											
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	17,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,110	.....	.....	.....
District Rangpur.											
Gaibandha Central Banking Union, Ld.	1,02,611	.....	6,085	126	.....	.....	3,810	22,192	28,100	.....	.....
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	20,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	5,320	102	.....	.....
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	40,490	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	10,855	525	.....	.....
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	76,991	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	8,365	70	.....	.....
District Bogra.											
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,04,769	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	976	15,170	1,611	.....	.....
District Pabna.											
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	8,77,362	...	39,836	.....	7,500	1,779	21,000	90,932	49,564	10,000	.....
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	18,047	.....	.....	.....	7,117	.....	875	8,800	255	.....	...
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	25,100	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	254	3,535	.....	.....	.....
District Dinajpur.											
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	33,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,045	12,165	.....	.....	.....
District Darjeeling.											
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	34,036	...	12,126	.....	.....	.....	108	11,625	106	.....	.....
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld.	1,41,165	.....	1,03,102	.....	.....	.....	12,308	34,680	10,965	.....	.....
District Malda.											
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1 9,075	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,944	.....	.....	.....
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	46,16,816	18,650	2,78 804	3,112	1,46,394	9,106	1,60,263	9,04,922	3,36,930	10,000	.....
TOTAL PREVIOUS QUARTER ...	44,85,641	18,650	2,72,998	5,508	1,45,797	9,216	1,44,848	8,71,111	3,28 735	10.000	13.200

ASSETS AND QUASI-ASSETS.

OUTSIDE THE MOVEMENT.					WITHIN THE MOVEMENT.						RATES OF INTEREST ON WHICH MONEY IS USUALLY—		
Cash in hand and in outside banks.	Government paper.	Post Office Savings Bank deposits.	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns.	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit. With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank.	Loans to Agricultural Societies.	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies.	Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Banks.	Uncalled share capital.	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year.	Borrowed.	Lent.	Last dividend declared.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
21,556	2,000	11,003	.....	20,000	2,06,734	.....	2,400	70,180	.....	5,234	2; 4, 6; 6½; 7 and 7½.	8 and 10½	10½
68	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,250	.....	.....	4,220	.....	.....	6; 7½ and 8	12½	.....
45	.....	4,476	.....	.....	57,221	9 250	.....	9,625	.....	1,155	6½ to 8	10½	9½
68	.....	3,753	.....	.....	93,520	800	.....	29,075	.....	3,282	6½; 7; 7½ and 8	10½	6½
545	.....	494	.....	.....	10,871	.....	.....	6,705	.....	59	7	12½	.....
5,306	18,342	12,643	.....	.....	1,68,462	.....	.....	56,850	644	6,057	3½; 6½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	9½
26,764	.....	24,550	.....	.....	77,257	.....	.....	16,750	.....	3,009	6½; 7 and 7½	10½	12½
1,721	8,041	4,285	101	.....	3,04,775	800	.....	41,895	.....	5,808	4½ to 8.	10½	9½
357	.....	237	114	.....	34,900	.....	.....	7,350	.....	.....	6 to 7½	10½	.....
2,999	.....	1,347	.....	21,985	1,26,303	1,125	.....	24,508	35	3,994	6; 7 and 7½	10½	12½
524	.....	97	.....	.....	25,814	.....	.....	3,655	.....	463	7 and 7½	10½	3½
95	500	6	.....	.....	48,336	.....	.....	4,365	3,369	506	6; 6½; 7 and 7½	10½	9½
2,070	.....	6,065	.....	.....	77,145	.....	.....	18,755	.....	1 332	6; 6½; 7; 7½ and 8.	12	.....
336	.....	8,401	.....	.....	1,22,543	.....	.....	15,170	.....	2,392	6; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	12½
24,065	50,000	1,457	70,664	80,664	8,88,525	14,343	18,000	1,11,228	113	22,534	3½, 6½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	12½
673	800	6,896	.....	.....	28,548	.....	.....	8,803	.....	1,462	6½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	12½	10½ Pref. 9½ Ordy.
4,250	.....	10,000	.....	.....	20,147	.....	.....	3,425	.....	342	5½; 6; 6½, 7; 7½ and 8.	10½	7½
536	.....	851	.....	.....	46,165	.....	.....	13,295	.....	1,796	5; 6; 7; 7½ and 8.	10½	7½ Pref. 6½ Ordy.
2,227	.....	.....	.....	24,664	6,450	.....	.....	11,625	.....	960	6; 7 and 8	9½	4
5,037	.....	6,343	6,427	16 998	2,77,174	.....	.....	.....	461	7,108	4½; 5½; 6½, 9½ and 7.	9½	9½
562	.....	1,174	.....	.....	14,530	.....	.....	23,576	.....	.....	4½; 6½; 7 and 7½.	10½	.....
3,11,464	3,54,978	1,99,626	1,07,287	2,52,996	52,11,827	1,14,481	1,17,900	10,09,026	31,095	1,55,227	.....	.....	.....
1,47,995	2,53,225	1,47,910	1,48,198	2,58,802	52,20,544	94,689	1,38,500	10,22,457	28,681	1,34,111	.....	.....	.....

Part II.

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
			In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nil.									
II—CENTRAL BANKS—									
District Birbhum.									
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	67,681	52,770	17,605	12,800	1,67,884	3,500	1,08,262
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	4,000	.....	.....	.....	5,000	4,000	.....
District Midnapore.									
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	74,867	2,273	14,238	12,758	.....	46,080	36 267	30,929
Khelar Balarampur Union, Ld.	.....	1,417	26,908	200	200	10,419	29,453	12,375	13,133
Belebera Union Bank, Ld. ...	.....	5,775	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,565	12,565	7,065
District Burdwan.									
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,650	4,150	.....
District 24-Parganas.									
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	59	.....	42,610	5,632	5 250	49,741	1,21,848	13,155	16,322
District Nadia.									
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	34,651	1,17,987	4,500	500	74,482	59,752	46,280
Kustia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	7,000	5,620	1,000	23,397	18,080	11,839	8,060
District Jessore.									
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	12,325	37,784	.....	44.675	63.240	39,697	14,863
District Khulna.									
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	10	.....	6,200	29,018	1,200	9,000	39,213	9,450	5,315
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	2,520	3,710	.....	.....	3 800	3,990	.....
District Murshidabad.									
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank, Ld.	10,080	.....	41,767	4,351	8,60)	7,653	38,600	10,500	22,442
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	710	11,824	36,360	19,075	11,525	45,908	34,094	12,595
District Dacca.									
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,007	.....	49,357	24,650	40,404	65,681	1,19,596	52,072	82,149
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	5,050	7,000	6,400	9,575	24,073	1,175	21,250

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*contd.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
District Mymensingh.									
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	29,185	31,250	38,443	23,698	41,307	27,556	34,322
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	25,447	900	210	1,22,353	89,632	31,077	76,696
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	5,318	.....	3,922
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	500	.....	21,415	62,974	.....	.....	53,449	41,000	28,601
Kishorganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	4,035	.....	.....	.....	7,290	3,392	.....
District Faridpur.									
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	41,179	.....	58,079	21,797	5,128	1,26,054	1,49,975	90,259	49,623
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	17,958	.....	2,15,619	8,341	2,500	58,700	1,42,571	1,30,191	79,208
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,025	.....	5,000	20,580	90,283	92,843	43,500	45,000	40,616
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	43,532	.....	43,392	24,128	1,092	16,664	1,03,344	33,500	20,272
District Bakarganj.									
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	10,071	5,550	60,000	30,000	8,970	80,000	68,000	90,330	48,404
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	2,000	2,000	3,000	.....
District Chittagong.									
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	18,875	10,400	13,700	10,600	26,993	21,840	17,310
District Noakhali.									
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	97	42,313	29,300	12,001	21,327	20,000	4,384
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	5,000	250	5,000	.....	5,500	5,000	.....
District Tippera.									
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	24,356	.....	51,774	12,572	36,965	25,600	1,00,200	45,000	28,682
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	45,726	8,179	1,000	29,527	50,460	23,556	36,147
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	348	750	27,506	90,045	25,119	36,950	86,046	35,000	34,470
District Rajshahi.									
Nator Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	2,500	.....	3,000	11,500	15,475	8,150	575

Name of Bank.	DEPOSITS OR DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I.						REPAYMENT OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES.		
			OTHER DEPOSITS AND DEBENTURES FALLING DUE—				ESTIMATED—		Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter.
	On current or savings bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years.	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter.	In next twelve months.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Rangpur.									
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	.....	.....	1,214	5,212	5,500	87,685	60,000	27,000	10,587
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	17,600	.....	....	3,000	12,814	5,960	4,974
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	18,003	6,500	7,000	8,987	15,411	17,932	6,197
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	31,870	12,582	24,639	7,900	36,066	25,960	11,834
District Bogra.									
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	172	.....	24,668	18,100	21,073	40,756	73,024	39,028	15,234
District Pabna.									
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,52,768	.....	3,86,585	50 936	45,596	2,41,477	2,53,154	1,36,850	88,320
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	.....	.....	1,430	1,045	4,177	11,395	9,884	8,531	11,154
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	13,250	1,000	1 400	9,450	4,998	6,194	12,058
District Dinajpur.									
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	1,300	5,900	6,500	19,500	31,665	12,700	21,544
District Darjeeling.									
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	.....	.....	24,035	.....	10,000	.....	14,992	9,350	4,309
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	14,195	.....	66,832	6,323	1,618	52,200	54,000	56,000	56,519
District Malda.									
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld	.....	.....	4,425	.....	5,650	.....	8,230	4,245	365
TOTAL CENTRAL BANKS ...	3,21,260	89,069	15,27,629	8,10,647	5,10,855	13,75,806	24,01,117	13,12,182	11,34,991

Part III.

Name of Bank.	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OF DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 8 OF PART II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I—PROVINCIAL BANK.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Nil.								
II—CENTRAL BANKS.								
District Birbhum.								
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Union Bank, Ld.	4,800	.....	42,381	21,000	5,515	1,60,879	1,370	120
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	.....	.....	5,000
District Midnapore.								
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	75	2,198	...	1,678	1,329	42,573	450
Khelar-Balarampur Union, Ld.	.....	.....	15,708	11,200	135	17,035	9,379	2,904
Belehera Union Bank, Ld. ...	.....	.....	...	.....	282	6,000	5,119	1,164
District Burdwan.								
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	.....	230	...	4,400	.....
District 24-Parganas.								
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	17,199	9,469	10,499	5,443	70,640	46,083	5,025	100
District Nadia.								
Nadia Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	6,000	9,510	4,706	14,435	32,066	29,897	7,055	5,464
Kustea Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	7,000	.....	7,220	7,141	1,207	2,512
District Jessore.								
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	11,900	425	43,917	10,665	8,535	125
District Khulna.								
Raruli Union and Central Bank, Ld.	.....	5,000	1,200	.....	20,933	3,980	14,300	.....
Khulna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	2,520	.....	1,662	2,075	63
District Murshidabad.								
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,203	20,754	3,928	11,822	6,650	20,000	6,350	5,600
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,040	1,000	1,400	7,384	12,935	9,800	21,851	1,322
District Dacca.								
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	9,000	7,900	8,500	23,957	74,486	21,130	13,242	10,738
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	2,000	1,350	1,350	350	15,250	4,000	4,000	823

Name of Bank.	PORTION OF DEPOSITS OF DEBENTURES OF THE KIND DEALT WITH IN COLUMNS 2 AND 3 OF PART I FALLING DUE IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (4TH COLUMN OF PART II).				REPAYMENTS OF LOANS BY SOCIETIES ESTIMATED IN EACH QUARTER IN TWELVE MONTHS FROM COMMENCEMENT OF PRESENT QUARTER (COLUMN 8 OF PART II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II—CENTRAL BANKS—*contd.*	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Mymensingh.								
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	650	15,000	5 403	8,132	33,655	7,652	.....	.....
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,102	10,170	1,500	9,675	83,632	.....	.....	.....
Bajitpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,318
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	21.415	.....	.....	.....	46,251	6,698	500	.....
Kishoreganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	885	.....	3,150	.....	7.290	.....	.....
District Faridpur.								
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	40,509	11,216	3,242	3,112	90,950	6,618	.....	52,407
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	39,868	82,075	4,959	88,717	1,00,000	42,571	.....	.....
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	500	500	.....	4,000	6,000	15,000	2,500	20,000
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	550	860	18,448	23,534	99,794	500	.....	3,050
District Bakarganj.								
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	21,620	15,580	18,400	4,400	12,000	21,000	15,000	20,000
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	600	500	1,500	.....	.....
District Chittagong.								
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,800	10,750	750	5,575	6,985	8,290	6,420	5,298
District Noakhali.								
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	97	10,000	5,000	3,000	3,327
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	.....	5,000	1,500	2,500	1,500	.....
District Tippera.								
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	4,621	10,000	1,500	35,658	3,000	68,000	500	28,700
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	9,183	20,578	15,840	125	20,695	6,720	.....	23,045
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	3,827	.....	23,679	51,046	.....	.....	35,000
District Rajshahi.								
Natore Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	2,500	.....	3,175	8,275	3,950	75

Name of Bank.	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (4th column of Part II).				Repayments of loans by societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (column 5 of Part II).			
	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.	1st quarter.	2nd quarter.	3rd quarter.	4th quarter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II—Central Banks—*concld.*	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Rangpur.								
Gaibandha Central Banking Union, Ld.	2,000	2,200	.....	14	59,760	240	.....	.....
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	5,000	4,500	8,000	100	10,354	720	1,190	550
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,225	12,400	378	4,000	13,721	.....	1,690	.....
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	300	9,000	1,010	21,560	19,255	2,310	13,683	818
District Bogra.								
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,700	15,838	6,000	1,130	600	41,152	.....	31,342
District Pabna.								
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,08,375	1,32,463	43,902	1,01,845	1,60,000	30,000	20,000	43,154
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,026	200	160	44	8,934	850	.....	100
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	3,000	3,250	3,000	4,000	3,898	300	.....	800
District Dinajpur.								
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	.....	.....	300	1,000	7,000	23,165	.....	1,500
District Darjeeling.								
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ld.	20,150	700	1,200	1,986	5,700	3,642	1,400	4,250
Kalimpong Central Union Bank, Ld.	9,778	23,802	6,864	26,388	9,000	14,000	15,000	16,000
District Malda.								
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ld.	1,000	3,225	.....	200	3,720	920	3,465	125
Total Central Banks ...	3,49,114	4,44,077	2,54,126	4,80,312	11,69,082	6,64,514	2,36,277	3,31,244

J. T. Donovan,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 30th day of November 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 16th to the 30th November 1917.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 15TH NOVEMBER TO THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1917 INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	187,603	...	187,603	15,530	37,160	...	36,507
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	49,220	...	49,220	82,700	90,525	5,500	34,200
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	76,698	...	76,698	123,620	100,400	...	25,110
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	198,120	...	198,120	93,220	4,242	...	102,316
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt ...	39,128	...	39,128	103,200	...	...	121,104
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	18,877	...	18,877	17,429*	18,995	...	...
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	5,434†	5,434	5,434	...
Coconada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	569,646	...	569,646	441,133	256,756	10,934	319,237

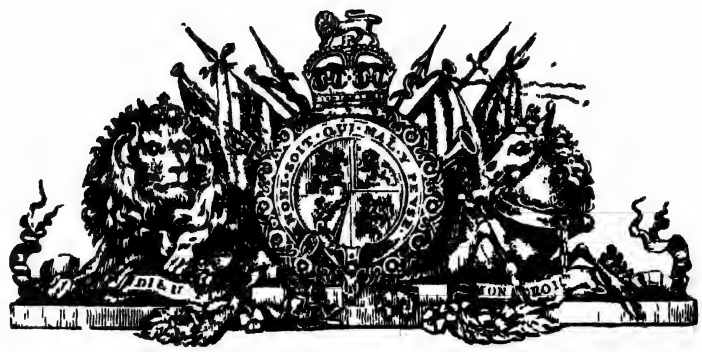
Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sulkea golas	1,500
In transit—Liverpool and other panga salt	4,020

* Duty on 17,429 mds. was paid at Bombay.
† Duty on 5,434 mds was paid at Madras.

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 6th December 1917.*



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 8th December 1917.

No. 1261-D.—In exercise of the powers conferrred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Additions.

Dong Ting Gee, Dr., of the Ping Yee Hau Drug Store, Canton.
Vordoni and Company, S. J., Tientsin.
Whitamore, R. A., Tientsin.

No. 1292-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the importation of coffee into British India from all destinations.

Provided that nothing in this Notification shall be deemed to prohibit:—

(*i*) the import of any goods by, or for the use of, the Crown;

(*ii*) the import of any goods shipped from any Indian port;

(*iii*) the import of any goods from any Native State in India;

(*iv*) the import of any goods imported under a license granted by the Chief Customs Officer at the place of import.

No. 1295-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, in so far as it relates to the entry "(D) Cotton, raw," in the Schedule thereof, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the export of raw cotton be also prohibited to the United States of America, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification as subsequently amended.

No. 1299-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in modification of this Department's Notification No. 5385-C.W., dated the 12th of May 1917, as subsequently amended so far as it relates to the export of rice, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the export of rice to all foreign destinations in Europe and on the Mediterranean and Black Seas, to Mauritius and to the Netherlands East Indies, subject to the provisos contained in the said Notification as subsequently amended.

No. 1323-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that for proviso (*i*) to the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 5385-C. W., dated the 12th May 1917, as subsequently amended, the following shall be substituted, viz. :—

"(*i*) the export of any article by the Crown;"

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Delhi, the 8th December 1917.

No. 13829.—Mr. F. J. G. Geary, I.C.S., Assistant Controller of Hides at Calcutta under the Indian Munitions Board, is appointed temporarily as an Assistant to the Director-General of Commercial Intelligence in addition to his own duties with effect from the 12th November 1917, until further orders.

IMPORT AND EXPORT REGULATIONS.

Delhi, the 8th December 1917.

No. 1223-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), and in supersession of the Notification in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 9961-W.-II, dated the 14th October 1916, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prohibit the bringing by sea or by land into British India, whether by the parcels post or otherwise, of all goods from Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Holland and Switzerland unless certificates of origin and interest in the form prescribed in the annexed schedule are presented to the Customs Collector at the port of import in respect of such goods :—

Provided that—

(*i*) a single certificate may be used to cover any number of parcels of goods shipped by one consignor to one consignee on one vessel at the same time for the same port ;

(*ii*) nothing in this notification shall apply to—

(*a*) goods imported for the use of Government Departments ;

(*b*) goods imported under a general or special licence granted by the Governor-General in pursuance of the Trading with the Enemy Proclamation, No. 2, as amended and extended by subsequent Proclamations, except so far as a certificate of origin may be required by the conditions of the licence itself ;

(*c*) goods imported from an allied country by way of a neutral country on a through bill of lading or by through postal parcel ;

(*d*) goods transhipped for consignment to other parts of the British Empire where the system of certificates of origin and interest is in force, or carried forward in the same bottom to foreign ports;

(*e*) *bona fide* personal and household effects of persons entering the country;

(*f*) samples of no commercial value;

(*g*) imports of boxboards; bulbs (not including lily of the valley roots); carbide of calcium; cod-liver oil; cyanide of calcium; flax and flaxseed; flowers (cut); foodstuffs (other than wines and spirits); granite and granite setts for paving; ice; iron ore; kerbstone; matchboards; paving stones; slatestone; strawboard; tar; timber of any kind, including pitprops and hoops for casks; wood pulp, mechanical (not including cellulose);

(*h*) zinc ashes, spelter, copper, copper ores, and brass, when these are shipped from Norway;

(*i*) receptacles originally exported from British India and returned empty;

(*j*) goods originating in a neutral country other than that in which the Consular Officer resides and accompanied by a Consular permit for their shipment.

(*iii*) the Customs Collector may, in his discretion, and if he sees no reason for suspecting that the goods have emanated from an enemy territory, allow delivery of any goods imported from the above mentioned countries, even if unaccompanied by certificates of origin and interest, on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs Collector may direct;

(*iv*) the Customs Collector, in his discretion, may—

(*a*) detain goods in respect of which a certificate of origin and interest has been duly furnished, pending the production of such further evidence as he may consider satisfactory; or

(*b*) release such goods on condition that the importer executes a bond to the amount of three times the value of the goods for the due production of the prescribed documents within a period to be specified in the bond, or furnishes a deposit to the like amount which shall be liable to forfeiture if the said documents are not produced within such period as the Customs Collector may direct.

SCHEDULE.

Form of Certificate of Origin and Interest.

I, hereby certify that Mr. (Producer, Manufacturer, Merchant, Trader, etc.), residing at in this town, has declared before me that the merchandise designated below, which is to be shipped from this town to consigned to (*a*) (Merchant, Manufacturer, etc.), has not been produced or manufactured in enemy territory; that no person who is an enemy, or with whom trading is prohibited under any law or proclamation for the time being in force relating to trading with the enemy or relating to

trading with persons of enemy nationality or associations, has any interest in such merchandise; and that he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof.

The present certificate must not be regarded as an absolute guarantee of the origin of the goods, which remain liable to seizure if they should prove on examination by the competent British authorities to be of enemy origin.

Number and description of cases.	Marks and numbers.	Weight or quantity.	Total value (*b*).	Contents.	Name of producer or manufacturer (*e*).

The goods covered by this certificate must be shipped within a period of not more than (*c*) days from the date hereof.

This certificate is valid for not more than (*d*)

(Signed).....
(*Signature of person declaring.*)

(Signed).....
(*Signature of Consular Authority issuing certificate and date.*)

(Consular Fee Stamp.)

(*a*) If desired, the word "order" may be inserted here, instead of the name of the purchaser in India.

(*b*) This column may be left blank, if desired.

(*c*) Here insert number of days within which the goods must be shipped from the country of origin. On the arrival of the goods at a destination in India the onus of proving that they were shipped within the period required will, if necessary, rest in cases of doubt, with the importer of the goods.

(*d*) Here insert quantity or weight.

(*e*) This column may be left blank at the request of the declarant; but the name of the producer or manufacturer must be inserted in a separate document issued at the same time by the Consular Officer, which will only be inspected by the Customs Authorities at the port of importation. The separate document may be either a letter from the Consular Officer concerned or a copy of the certificate itself furnishing the necessary particulars. In all cases where a separate document is issued an entry to this effect must be made in this column.

In the case of the following articles, however, the particulars in question need not necessarily be furnished either in the certificate or in the separate document; in such cases the words "he has produced to my satisfaction invoices or other trustworthy documents in proof thereof" in the text of the certificate may be replaced by the words "I am satisfied that such is the case":—

(*i*) All articles in respect of which certificates of origin and interest, though not required under this notification, are issued at the special request of the exporter.

(*ii*) Argols.
Barks.
Berries.
Bones.
Charcoal.
Codliver oil.
Eiderdown.
Empty yarn and electric cable spools.
Essential oils of native fruits.
Fish oils.
Fresh and dried flowers.
Grease
Hides.
Leaves.
Lichen, moss and other wild growths.
Medicinal herbs.
Metal foundry residues.
Old clothes and wearing apparel.
Olive meal (ground).
Old rags.
Old rails.
Old ropes, lines, etc.
Personal effects.
Returned empties (including casks).
Roots.
Ships' stores.
Spelter.
Squills.
Steel, zink and other metal scraps.
Sumac.
Sweepings of precious metals.
Waste clippings of textile materials.
Wax (bees-wax, etc.).

(*f*) In the case of goods partially produced or manufactured in enemy territory, certificates will only be granted, and accepted, when not more than 5 per cent. of the cost to the manufacturer is due to enemy labour or material. The percentage of value derived from such enemy production or manufacture should be stated in the certificate. The percentage should be calculated, not upon the sale price of the finished goods in India, but upon the value delivered at the place of manufacture, excluding cost of packing and carriage to India.

(*g*) A new certificate shall be issued for goods for which a certificate has previously been granted, but which have been short shipped.

(*h*) The issue of a certificate implies no permission to import goods the import of which into India has been prohibited.

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 8th December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 7th December 1917.

JUDICIAL.

CANTONMENTS—REGULATIONS.

No. 2112.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 24 of the Cantonments Act, 1910 (XV of 1910), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Cantonment Code, 1912, namely :—

Sub-clause (*ii*) of clause (*a*) of section 77 shall be omitted and Sub-clauses (*iii*) and (*iv*) of that section shall be renumbered (*ii*) and (*iii*).

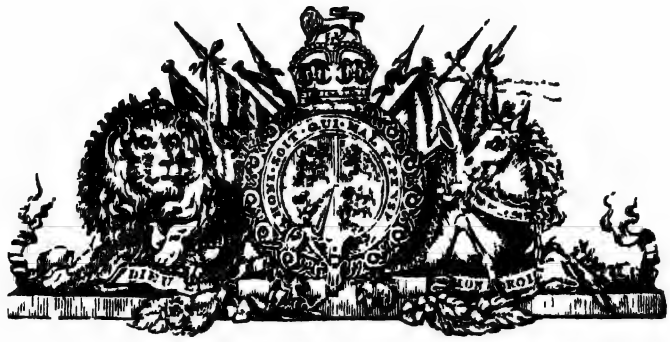
INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

No. 2113.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, Earl of Ronaldshay, G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Commandant of the undermentioned Corps :—

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles. Dated 1st May 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General*,
Secy. to the Government of India.



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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2191M.—The 5th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 221 and sub-section (*4*) of section 241 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and upon the application of the Commissioners of the Baidyabati Municipality, in the district of Hooghly, made in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting specially convened to consider the question, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of sections 223A to 235 (inclusive), 239 to 242A (inclusive), 245 to 251D (inclusive), 254 to 260 (inclusive), 266, 268 to 274 (inclusive), 277 and 278 of the said Act to the said Municipality.

Hooghly.

No. 2194M.—The 5th December 1917.—The following draft order, which the Governor in Council proposes to make in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 1 (3) of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, 1891 (Bengal Act II of 1891), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Mymensingh.

II. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 15th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered:—

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power vested in him by section 1, clause (*3*), of the Calcutta Hackney Carriage Act, II of 1891, and in accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Netrokona Municipality, in the district of Mymensingh, made at a meeting, the Governor in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of the said Act to the above Municipality.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by section 61, sub-section (*1*), of the said Act, to appoint the Commissioners of the Netrokona Municipality and their Chairman, respectively, to perform the duties imposed, and to exercise the power conferred by the Act, on the Corporation of Calcutta and the Chairman of the Corporation, respectively.

No. 2207M.—The 7th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 59 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the resolution passed by the Commissioners of the Rajpur Municipality, in the district of the 24-Parganas, under section 27 of that Act, electing Babu Hira Lal Ghosh to be the Chairman of that Municipality, *vice* Babu Upendra Nath Mitra, resigned.

24-Parganas.

No. 2209M.—The 7th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 15 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules published under Notification No. 4345M., dated the 21st November 1896, at pages 241 to 244 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th *idem*, namely :—

Renumber rule 27 as rule 27, sub-rule (*1*), and *add* the following as sub-rule (*2*) :—

"The Chairman of the Howrah Municipality may, by a written order, delegate his functions under the foregoing rules to the Vice-Chairman."

No. 2180L.S.-G.—The 5th December 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, the Governor in Council is pleased to cancel the Notification No. 934L.S.-G., dated the 11th March 1916, published at pages 59 and 60 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, relating to the constitution of the Char Kewar Union in the district of Dacca.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

IN modification of the notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette* on the 23rd April 1902, the Corporation of Calcutta, under section 448 of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, prohibit—

(*a*) the making of excavations for the purpose of taking earth therefrom or for storing rubbish or offensive matter therein; and

(*b*) the digging of cess-pools, tanks, wells or pits,

without the special permission of the Chairman, except in the area bounded as follows:—

North—By the land acquired for the dumping ground at Mudiali, premises No 23, Mudiali Road, Nos. 101 and 99, Dhakuria Road, Nos. 1-1-2 and 1-1-1, Gobindpur Road, No. 1, Boroj Road, Nos. 95, 94 and 92, Dhakuria Road, No. 40, Dhakuria Road, the remaining portion of No. 44, Dhakuria Road, Banamali Bidyasagore Lane, the remaining portion of No. 45 Dhakuria Road, Nos. 24, 22 and 21, Keyatola Lane, Cockler Lane, Keyatola Lane, Nos. 14, 11, 9 and 5, Keyatola Lane, the remaining portion of No. 52, Dhakuria Road and Dhakuria Road

East—By Nos. 44-1 and 44, Garia Hat Road, the remaining portion of Nos. 52, 54, 55 and 59, Dhakuria Road, Dhakuria Road, No. 63, Dhakuria Road, No 99, Dhakuria Road, No. 1-1-1, Gobindpur Road, No. 40, Dhakuria Road, Nos. 12, 13 and 24, Keyatola Lane, the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway, Budge-Budge branch.

South—By Nos 54 and 55, Dhakuria Road, the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway, Budge-Budge branch, the land acquired for the dumping ground at Mudiali.

West—By the land acquired for the dumping ground at Mudiali, premises No. 23, Mudiali Road, No. 1, Boroj Road, Boroj Road, Mudiali Road, No. 99, Dhakuria Road, No. 1-1-1, Gobindpur Road, No. 92, Dhakuria Road, Dhakuria Road, Nos. 38, 38-1 and 40, Dhakuria Road, Nos. 21, 14, 11 and 5, Koyatola Lane, and the land of the Eastern Bengal Railway, Budge-Budge branch.

In the event of any person making any excavation as aforesaid, or digging any cess-pool, tank, well or pit in contravention of this order, the provisions of the law will be enforced.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

The 6th December, 1917.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

THE Corporation of Calcutta do hereby modify (having previously, at the instance of the General Committee, given public notice of their intention to do so and having considered the report of the General Committee in respect of the objections received) the declaration published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 11th March 1911, prohibiting under section 469 of Act III B.C. of 1899 the use of any premises in the whole of Districts I and II and portions of Districts III and IV for any of the following purposes referred to or mentioned in section 466 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, namely:—

(1) Knacker's yard.
(2) Storing, packing, pressing, cleansing, preparing or manufacturing by any process whatever—

(*a*) Hides and skins (except storing in godowns).
(*b*) Blood.
(*c*) Offal.
(*d*) Catgut.

So far as such declaration relates to the area comprised in (D) District IV in the following manner:—

Modification—In lieu of the words "(D) District IV.....15, Watgunge Street, respectively," *substitute* the following:—

(D) District IV—The whole with the exception of the two areas specified below:—

First area excluded—The whole of Hide Road.

Second area excluded—Premises No. 15, Watgunge Street, butted and bounded on the—

North—By the Government Khasmahal land situated between this place and Munshigunge Road.
South—By Nos. 16, 17 and 18, Watgunge Street.
East—By the Government Khasmahal land and bustees Nos. 14 and 14-1, Watgunge Street.
West—By bustee land No. 20, Watgunge Street.

C. F. PAYNE, *Chairman.*

The 7th December 1917.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTICE.

City and Guilds of London Institute Examinations.

THE annual Technological Examinations of the City and Guilds of London Institute will be held in Bengal at the Government Weaving Institute, Serampore, and the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta, in April and May 1918. The exact dates will be announced later in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* appearing from about the last week of March 1918. Candidates desiring to appear at any of the examinations should apply for registration forms, stating the subject or subjects in which they desire to appear. A fee of Rs. 5 has to be paid for each section or grade of a subject, and applications and fees must reach the undersigned not later than the 15th January 1918. The fee will in no case be refunded.

W. H. EVERETT,
Secretary, City and Guilds Examination Committee.

WRITERS' BUILDINGS, CALCUTTA,
The 3rd December 1917.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Mohsin scholarships, Special scholarships for Muhammadans, and Mohsin Fund stipends, etc., 1917.

THE following students are awarded the above scholarships and stipends on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships and stipends take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years.

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships and stipends as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship or stipend can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship or stipend holder.)

Seven Mohsin Scholarships.

One of Rs. 10.

1	Masihur Rahman	...	Calcutta Madrasa.

Six of Rs. 8 each.

2	Lal Mohammed	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
3	Syed Najmal Haq	...	Ditto.
4	Muhammad Kafiluddin	...	Idilpur High School.
5	Aftabuddin Ahmed	...	Dhalla High School.
6	Abidur Rahman	...	Annada High School, Brahmanbaria.
	Abdul Quader	...	Zilla School, Comilla.

Two Nizamat Scholarships of Rs. 8 a month each.

1	Hamidulla Sarker	...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
2	Mobarak Hossain Chowdhury		Ditto.

MOHSIN FUND STIPENDS.

One special stipend of Rs. 10 a month for Shia Students.

1	Syed Muhammed	...	Raja Surjjya Kumar Institution, Rajbari.

One special stipend of Rs. 5 a month for *bona-fide* natives of Hooghly town given this year to a native of Hooghly district in the absence of a candidate from Hooghly town.

1	Muhammad Abdur Rauf	...	Zilla School, Bankura.

Forty-nine Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.—

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

(Including Calcutta Town.)

1	Sahadat Ali Mollah ...	...	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
2	Muhammad Hasan ...	...	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3	Toazuddin Ahmed ...	...	Jhenidah High School.
4	Samsuddin Biswas ...	...	Kotchandpur High School.
5	Mir Ali Gazi ...	...	High School, Basirhat.
6	Ahmed Mahtabuddin	...	High School, Kushtia.
7	Abul Aziz ...	...	M. N. High School, Sutragarh.
8	Abdulla Khan	...	Jangipur High School.
9	Abdul Jubber	...	Government High School, Barasat.
10	Welayet Husain	...	Calcutta Madrasah.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	Shaik Abdul Quader	...	Ramgopalpur High School.
2	Abdur Rabban	...	Rampurhat High School.
3	Mohammed Abdul Mohi	...	Town School, Midnapore.
4	Shamsul Huque	...	J. L. High School, Labpur.
	Abul Fazal Badrazzaman	...	Collegiate School, Midnapore.

DACCA DIVISION.

1	Ashraff Ali	...	Pogose School, Dacca.
2	Tayyab Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
3	Mir Kadar Ali	...	P. J. K. High School, Ramgopalpur.
4	Abdul Ghaffar Gazi	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Syed Jafforuddin Ahamed	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.
6	Aminuddin Ahmed	...	Narayanganj High School.
7	Muhammad Abdul Kaddus	...	K. M. D. M. High School, Telirbagh.
8	Abu Ahamed Mazhar Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
9	Sayed Abdul Hai	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya
10	Nader Ali Rarhi	...	Banari High School.
11	Mefazuddin Khan	...	Government High School, Jhalakati.
12	Abdur Rahman Khan	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Ali Ahmed Khan	...	Ditto, ditto.
	Ahmad	...	Mrityunjay High School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1	Mahmed Sekandar	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
2	Abdul Hai	...	Kasba High School.
3	Abdur Rauf	...	Municipal High School, Chittagong.
4	Nurul Alom	...	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
5	Fazla Ullah	...	Yusuff High School, Comilla.
6	Basharat Ulla	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
7	A. K. Serajuddin Ahmed	...	Collegiate School, Chittagong.
8	Ziauddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Comilla.
9	Bilayet Hossain	...	Balurhat High School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1	Efaz Uddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Bogra.
2	Mahammad Abbas Ali	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
3	Keramat Ulla Ahmed	...	Kailas Ranjan High School, Rangpur.
4	Abu Muhammad Abedali	...	Salap High School.
5	Khoda Baksha Shah	..	Zilla School, Dinajpur.
6	Muhammad Abdul Mojid	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
7	Serajuddin Mondle	...	Gaibanda High School.
	Muhammad Abul Hares	...	Collegiate School, Rajshahi.
9	Muhammad Wajed Ali Khan	...	Zilla School, Rangpur.
10	Amir Hossain Ahmed	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
11	Malekuddin Tarafdar	...	Zilla School, Bogra.

Two Amir-i-Kabir Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

1	Hedayetullah	...	Calcutta Madrasah.
2	A.-Abdur Rauf	...	Ditto.

One Syed Ali Khan Bahadur and Amir-i-Kabir Continuation Scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

1	Mohammed Israil	...	Calcutta Madrasah

EVAN E. BISS,

Offg. Asstt. Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1918.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine :—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 8th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 9th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Tuesday, 12th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Wednesday, 13th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Thursday, 14th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Friday, 15th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 8th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 17th January 1918. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal, who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,
Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR,
The 7th December 1917.

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

The following orders of the Government of India, in the Department of Education, are published for general information :—

1. Under section 22, read with section 21, sub-section (3) of the Indian Universities Act, No. VIII of 1904, the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the extension of affiliation of the Ripon College in Mathematics (Pass and Honours) to the B.Sc. standard with effect from the session 1917-18.

2. Under section 22, read with section 21, sub-section (3) of the Indian Universities Act, No. VIII of 1904, the Government of India have been pleased to sanction the extension of affiliation of the City College, Calcutta, to the B Sc standard in Mathematics (Pass and Honours) and B.Sc. in Chemistry (Pass course) with effect from the session 1917-18.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 6th December 1917.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estate in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1421	Kismat Bibi Chini, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	2,655 2 10	.....	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another.	995 10 10	.....	180 4
1448	Darihat Rajbariganj pargana Bosorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Whole ...	.....	Parbati Charan Chakrabarty.	.....	270 0 0	.....
1661	Taluk Sukhjoy Barajia pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,181 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 6as. 4gds. 1c. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold the remaining 9as. 15gds. 3c. 2dt. will be excluded from sale.	Jasada Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,391 8 1	.....	858 13
3863	Tappa Abdullapur, Zamindari 10as. 13¼ gds.	2,367 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7as. 9gd. 2c. 1kt. 1¾dt. will be sold, the remaining 6as. 10gds. 1c. 1kt. 1¼dt. will be excluded from sale.	Radha Gobinda Ranikya and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	310 15

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 13th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Pabna will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
169	Kismat Durgapur, pargana Tappey Ishafnagore.	5,576 6 0	.....	* Residuary share :—5 as. share of Durgapur, Darmagaon, Madhupur, Gaudharbapur, Chak Peerpur, Gangarampur, Jalkar Ghoradaha, Tajoorpara, mauza Bilkula, Shimoli Chora Sonapur, Chak Raghunathpur, Chak Durgapur, Padmabila, Sharupal *alias* Jola Bil Sharupal ; 1 a. 13 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sarotia ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Dari Sakharipara *alias* Madarsechhi ; 10as. share of Chak Golakpur, Chak Hapania, mauza Saruppur, Lakshmikole, Hapania, Faradpur ; 16 as. share of Bilkula, Bhojendrapur ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils 14$\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{2}$ ghoon, share of Atalkula ; 16 $\frac{A}{A}\frac{A}{A}\frac{A}{A}$ tils share of Madhpur with jote Daria Khan ; 15 as. 18 gds. 3 krs. share of Raghunathpur with Majpara, Putigachha ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Shordia, Satharipara ; 4 as. 15 gds. 2 krs. 3 kgs. 10 tils and 11 $\frac{A}{A}\frac{A}{A}\frac{A}{A}$ ghoon, share of Chandi Chhatok and Jote Tajoo ; 1 a. 7 gds. 2 krs. share of Durgapur *alias* Kacharpur ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 3 kgs. 11$\frac{1}{2}$ tils 1 krt. share of Bongram ; 1 a. 18 gds. 1 kr. 3 kgs. 4$\frac{1}{2}$ tils 1 krt. share of Chak Joyhari ; 1 a. 19 gds. 1 kg. 13$\frac{1}{2}$ tils 1 krt. share of Ugmowgaon ; 2 as. 9 gds. 1 kr. 2 krs. 11$\frac{1}{2}$ tils 1 krt. share of Kaliuakhali *alias* Haludbaria and Hashoppur.	Jnanada Govinda Choudhuri and others.	1,705 6 0	.....	30 9 6
68	Kismat Jat Shakhini, pargana Sinduri.	642 7 0	.....	* Residuary share :—13 as. 10 gds. share of Bandaramgaon ; 16 as. share of Baneshwarkandi Boiorampur *alias* Baniahwarkandi, Jat Hulkhali, K. *alias* Hulkhali Chak, Bharara ; 12 as. 5 gds. share of Baneshwarkandi, Mudafat Hariahandha Banshwarkandi *alias* Baneshwarkandi ; 16 as. share of Bhulgram, Bishnupur, Ekrampur, Hatbazar, Sanyshibadha, Pengua Jote K. ; 3 as. 15 gds. share of Hulkhali Chola *alias* Lakshmipur *alias* Hulkhali Chak ; 14 as. 3 gds. 1 kr. 16$\frac{1}{2}$ tils share of Jatshakhini K. ; 14 as. 15 gds. share of Aminpur Khas K., Ekrampur, Sinduribag ; 16 as. share of Jatshakhini K. Jote Kali Nath Sarkar, Jatshakhini K. Jote Mohendra Narayan Das ; 11 as. 16 gds. 2 krs. 1 kg. 8 tils share of Naikola K. ; 16 as. share of Rater Kalidaha Jalkar.	Hriday Nath Sarkar and others.	562 2 0	.....	32 7 0
104	Pargannah Islampur.	24,329 3 0	.....	* Separate account No. 2— 2as. 13gds. 1kr. and 1krt. share of the estate—mauza Biswanathpur, Ramchandrapur, etc.	Debendra Narayan Singha.	4,054 13 3	.....	1,206 6 9
115	Taluk Bhanrara, pargana Rajurash, Nasirpur.	916 15 0	.....	* Residuary share :—16 as. share of Jamna, Bhanara, Mohadebpur and Jote Kaisha.	Jaridonnesa Bibi *alias* Rupjanneesa Bibi, wife of Jehedali Khan, and others.	662 7 0	.....	101 15 8

* All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Pabna Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917. G. C. CHATTERJI, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estate and shares of estate in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 o'clock, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
122	Estate Bhadail, pargana Baragaon.	5,171 6 6	No	2 as. residue share ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Said Bhusan Chaudhury	646 7 1	.....	66 13 0

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917. A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, and section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st of December 1917, at 1 P.M., for the said arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estate.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 7, 1.	Elahabad, His. 8 annas, pargana Elahabad.	1,705 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Golapraj Choudhurani and others.	...	296 12 9 1,086 2 3 1,382 15 0	...
				Khas Mahal tenure.				
Lot No. 13, 1662.	Char Maghdhara, Madhyasatta No. 1.	844 15 0	Do. ...	...	Hobilal Laha	...	Rent ... 184 14 0 Cess ... 19 12 3 204 10 3	...
Lot No. 15, 1662.	Ditto, No. 18	649 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Kumudini Kanta Mukhupadhya and others.	...	Rent ... 142 0 0 Cess ... 26 0 0 168 0 0	...
Lot No. 19, 1686.	Char Alexander, Madhyasatta, No. 1.	761 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Serajal Haque Mian and others.	...	166 8 0 20 0 0 186 8 0	...
Lot No. 25, 1686.	Mauza Char Gazi, Madhyasatta, No. 2.	554 2 0	Do. ...	.....	Serazal Haque Mia and others.	...	116 13 0 10 2 9 126 15 9	...

Noakhali Collectorate, the 19th November 1917. J. N. SINHA, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Dinajpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
126	Estate Sidhore, pargana Baragaon.	4,757 2 5	No	4 as. residue share. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sasi Bhusan Chaudhury, Khitish Chandra Rai Chaudhury, Harendra Narayan Rai Chaudhury, Niresh Chandra Rai Chaudhury.	1,189 4 8	.....	52 13 10

Dinajpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917. A. G. HALLIFAX, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 3rd January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62 3	Baksipur, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	4as. 2gds. 1c 2½kts. 1kg. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Nath Biswas, son of late Kali Prasanna Biswas, and others.	5,446 2 3	.....	737 14 5
488 2	Sankar Chandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	,, ...	1 anna ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukherjee ...	685 5 3	.....	172 3 8
871	Char Naodapara, pargana Shahanzial.	976 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Siva Sundari Dasya ...	.....	282 0 0	.....
2450	Char Kodalkati, pargana Rajpur.	715 0 0	,, ...	...	Siva Sundari Dasi ...	.....	208 0 0	.....
3521	Rani Jote Ashal, pargana Naskarpur.	830 0 0	,, ...	.....	Kumar Naresh Narayan Ray.	.....	207 14 7	.....

Krishnagar Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

D. K. MITTER, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A.
250	Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	3,662 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	.....	121 1 3	
5500	Julkai Kotalipara, pargana Kotalipara.	2,050 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Chakravarty and others.	...	925 0 0	
6449	Dotala Lafia Char Bhoga, pargana Kartikpur, Sujabad.	776 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Sherajaddin Ahmed Choudhuri and others.	.....	240 9 0	
6496	Digor Mohishkhali, pargana Nasti.	1,791 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Madan Mohan Banerjee.	.....	843 13 6	

Faridpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands of September 1917 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
135	Kismat Gouripur, pargana Chhootipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share—12 as. 19 gds. 2 cs. $\frac{162432}{234117}$ ds. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nebu Gopal Singha and others.	969 1 9	.....	1 4 1
84	Dogachhar etc., pargana Kubajpur.	811 4 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Mrityunjoy Ray Choudhuri and others.	.....	165 6 7	.....
169	Asuri, etc., pargana Satanka.	2,360 9 11	Ditto ...	... ...	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	230 13 6	.....

ABDUL GOFFAR, for Collector.

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Touzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
28	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 2 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	18,319 4 9	.....	$\frac{36}{2}$ cs. Hissa 11 gds. 3 cs 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhuks.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 6	.....	134 0 0
2703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhal, settled for 15 years from 1906-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sunder Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Rauzan, Patiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babaita taraf Sanaulla Khan.	1,04[illegible] 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Rauzan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,45[illegible] 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 15½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-6 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6½ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-6.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Babaita, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1238	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Rauzan and town, taraf Inoch Alop.	2,963 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 8 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 757-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,508 8 10	.....	189[illegible] 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Banskhali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas Patiya town, Rauzan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	852 10 6	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Rauzan, taraf Keoja Hoa Sung.	1,128 6 0	Ditto ...	.....	Saradu Kripa Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya Town and Rauzan, taraf Monoher Ray.	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6[illegible] kts paying annual jama of Rs. 921-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 5, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 3[illegible] kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 989-2-5.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 8
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Rauzan, taraf Manohar Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6[illegible] kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 921-13-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 10 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 18[illegible] kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-2.	Barada Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	628 11 2	.....	96 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Rastum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	2,612 6 8	.....	775 9 3
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,612-6-8.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mhd. Chhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kaikobad Ahmed, mortgagee Miarjan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 .0	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Rauzan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2584	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 11 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 166.	Sm. Rahimunessa herself and on b half of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 3 9
2084	Thanas Rauzan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 5, Nityananda Ray to the extent of interest 2 as 9 pies 10 kts, will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as. 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
3841	Thana Chakaria, Kalmi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1,055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Decruz and Shaik Waisuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 0	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917.

A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of land revenue.

Jauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietor of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
15-1	K'smat Kharibaria and others, pargana Magura.	4,040 5 0	.....	3 annas share in the estate *	Kali Pada Rai Chaudhuary.	758 13 5	.....	154 9 1
392	Hnda Joy, Railway station Chandipur, pargana Azimabad.	8,313 7 8	.....	Residuary share 2a. 18gds. 1c 1kt. share.*	Nobo Kishore Mondal and others.	1,385 9 2	.....	126 12 11½
392-4	Ditto ditto ...	8,313 7 8	.....	2a. 18gds. 1c. 1kt. share*.	Ditto ...	1,385 9 4	.....	126 11 7
567-1	Atghara and others, pargana Abarpur.	2,084 1 7	.....	8 annas share in the estate*.	Mohendra Nath Galu and others.	1,042 0 9½	.....	112 0 6½
2456	Mauza Krishnapur, pargana Khosalpur.	772 2 0	Whole estate	.....	Adyanath Bhattacharjee and others.	.....	238 11 10	.....

* All the shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 28th November 1917

H. C. CHATARJI, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

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Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
313	Ph. Batitak ...	630 1 8	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share.	Satis Ch. Pal, and 14 others.	24 9 0	.....	21 14 8 up to June 1917.
314	Ph. Batitaki, M. Phulbheri	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold :— Mauzas Satbatitaki, Abhoymukundapur, Astidangar, Baju, Bhatbar, Bhuman, Bhojpur, Chhatrisbatya, Dahuka, Dangarpara, Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagara, Erahidangar, Kulbheri, Gargreachak, Guri, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbar, Jamaria, Jati, Kalankoi Chhota, Kurangi, Kaikuchak, Kunerpur, Kotai, Khagrabheri, Khandorbheri, Khursai, Lakhanda, Modhubar, Mohamudchak, Masandichak Masagan, Mokundapurhat, Palasi Dakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangor, Salbani, Sernchak, Sonadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tafala, Tala, Taladiha, Trilochanpur, Surtha, Simulia, &c. 11g. 1k 1d share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ramani Moni Dasi, guardian of Amulya Charan Jana, minor.	954 3 2	.....	73 2 3
324	Ph. Chetua, M. Shyamsundarpur.	2,907 11 3	.....	S. A. No. 1 ... ... Eight annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Sailendra Nath Mitra.	1,464 15 9 including Paikan.	...	2 8 0 Paikan.
327	Ph. Kusijora, M. Gurpursottampur *alias* Chaitanyapur.	788 10 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 only 12as. 16g. share of the estate will be sold All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Trailokya Nath Maiti and another.	390 14 8	...	2 5 3 Sept. 1916 to Mar. 1917.
962	Ph. Kasijora, M. Jhagarkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
963	Ph. Kasijora, M. Maguri.	3,776 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only. Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 3 others.	944 3 6	.....	74 7 10
963	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	.....	S. A. No. 3 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will excluded from the sale.	Adhar Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	...	73 4 6
963	Ditto ...	3 776 15 7	... ...	S. A. No. 4 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Navadwip Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	.....	73 4 6
1025	Ph. Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan *alias* Dhenlarlia.	1,442 6 7 14 6 11	L. R. entire Police.	.....	Chau, Paresnath Masanta and another.	.....	113 0 7 1 6 11	L. R. Police.
1466	Ph. Khandar, M. Barbans.	19,095 0 0	.....	S. A. No. 23 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :—	Baikuntha Nath Malik Sabait of Latki Janardanjew Thakur.	1,559 10 8	...	121 13 7

	A.	G.	K.	C.
Mauza Satsalchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Turiachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Narma ...	5	6	2	2
,, Panchanandachak	10	13	1	1
,, Paramaschandachak.	10	13	1	1
,, Paikanchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Paddarchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Ranjichak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Radhabenodechak	10	13	1	1
,, Manikpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Alankarpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Arjunchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Ramanchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Sandpala ...	10	13	1	1
,, Sichhachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Balcha ...	10	13	1	1
,, Brindabonchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bhaguchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomunda ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomaichak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gourangachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Jagatpur ...	5	6	2	2
,, Jogabariacha't ...	10	13	1	1
,, Purichak ...	5	6	2	2

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1894	Ph. Matkadpur, M. Matkadpur.	1,070 8 10	Entire ...	.....	Navadip Chand Nandi and 3 others.	.....	2 8 6	.....
2246	Ph. Sabang, M. Mahar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1. 8 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mondol and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0 June and Sept. 1917.
2617	Ph. Shipur, M. Srirampur.	3,900 0 6	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share.	Chaudhuri, Srikanta Das Muhapatra, etc., and 24 others.	65 1 6	.....	161 9 2 Jan. 1918 to Mar. 1917.
				Part II.				
2889	Ph. Pataspur, M. Mirjapur.	590 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nilkantha Rath and 9 others.	.....	11 8 6	.....

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
36 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Barabasu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share only	Moulvi Wased Ali Khan Papi and others.	3,194 7 0	.....	328 12 3
36 3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate Account No. 3 consisting of 6 as. 8 gds. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Bignold, General Manager, Court of Wards.	3,888 10, 0	.....	120 2 6
13333	Joar Baluskandi, pargana Baradakhat.	3,696 13 0	Yes ...	.....	Pyari Mohan Dhar Choudhury and others.	.....	702 10 6	.....
107	Zemindari, pargana Nasirujial.	679 2 0	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Prosad Lahiri Choudhury.	.....	44 1 9	.....
11 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Atia.	910 3 0	No ...	Joint share.—10 as. 17 gds. 3 coras 1 dt. 287$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 14 as. 16 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls share of kismat Charkanla, Khali Sindur Aller Bisha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina; 13 as. 12 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 9 as. 2 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 1 a. 3 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls share of Char Karla, Khali Sindur, Aller Bisha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina and 2 as. 7 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72$\frac{1}{4}$ dhuls of all other remaining kismats of the estate will not be sold.	Girish Chandra Roy Choudhury and others.	786 0 0	.....	33 8 9

B. N. RAY, Additional Collector.

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 1st December 1917.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1918, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th January at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1618	Ph. Khandar, M. Chuarka *alias* Jhilonga.	627 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Kripasindhu Masanta and three others.	.....	51 9 3	.....	Rev. 51 9 3 Cess. 15 4 9
1688	Ph. Khandar, M. Saharabar.	518 10 9	Do. ...	.....	Moheswar Masanta and four others.	.....	24 3 9	.....	Rev. 24 3 9 Cess. 20 10 9

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917. W. A. MABR, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the east side of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of the 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 11-30 o'clock on Sunday, the 13th January 1918, corresponding with the 29th Poush 1324 fasli, at Mallikpur.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th —The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	24-Parganas	Madanmolla, Mallikpur.	14th	East ...	3 13 13	1·318	.....	.....	The lot commences at mile No. 13, chainage 14·40 and terminates at mile 13 chainage 23·40.	*North*—Land belonging to Kali Das Roy Chowdhury and others and Mirsa Ahmadally. *East*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others, Mirsa Ahmadally and village road. *South*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others. *West*—Eastern Bengal Railway land.

Alipore, the 21st November 1917. W. D. R. PRENTICE, Collector, 24-Parganas.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the 23rd January 1918, corresponding with the 10th Magh 1324 B.S., at Rudrani Railway Station (B. P. Railway).

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Hooghly...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Hoshenpur.	Mile No. 32 of Burdwan-Howrah Chord.	Situated on the south side of the Railway.	2 1 0	·68	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company. *South*—By the lands of Khati Bibi Jabban Sheik and Kal Pada Ghose. *West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company and Hriday Bari.
1A	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Ditto	0 17 8	·29	.....	.....	.....	*North, East, South and West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Faridpur.	Do. ...	Ditto ..	24 8 0	8·07	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the lands of Babulla Sheik, Hem Chandra Ghose, Annada Prosad Ghose and the East Indian Railway Company. *East*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company. *South*—By the lands of Ghoto Nan Ghose, Babulla Sheik Purna Chandra Ghose and the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the lands of Hriday Bari Abdul Bari Masjid, Tinkari Ghose and Talet Sheik under Kamrai Bibi.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Baida.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 3 15	·11	.....	.....	.....	*North, East, South and West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Birpur.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 19 8	·32	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the lands of Babulla Sheik. *East, South and West*—By the land of the East Indian Railway Company.
					28 12 15	9·47				

Burdwan, the 6th December 1917.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act, I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated at the junction of Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane and the New 40 feet Road connecting Krishna Bihari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 28th January 1918, corresponding with the 15th Magh B. S., at the Land Acquisition Collector's Office, 2 Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions:—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acre and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	24-Parganas	Portion of No. 5, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane, Calcutta.	.....	.....	0 0 15 6 sq.ft.	·0155	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane. *East*—By a New Road connecting Krishna Behari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street. *South and West*—By premises No. 5-1, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane.

Calcutta Collectorate, the 7th December 1917.

BUNGSIDHAR BANERJEE, Land Acquisition Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below* „ 1,67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments	67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office Rs. 1,68,81,081 14 2			
Ditto ditto at Branches „ 1,32,97,504 12 10	3,01,78,586	11	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	30,78,66,626	0	6
Bank Post Bills, etc	18,59,482	13	7
Sundries	16,69,412	1	10
	38,28,24,007	10	11

ASSETS.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	6,27,90,639	0	0
Other authorised Investments	1,35,42,640	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities	5,05,22,087	8	6
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto	4,80,48,365	15	11
Bills discounted and purchased	3,26,89,098	13	6
Balances with other Banks	59,70,982	10	4
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,97,182	15	11
Stamps	12,691	8	2
Sundries	3,72,254	15	9
	21,67,46,093	8	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* Rs. 11,42,80,975 10 2			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† Rs. 5,12,96,938 8 8	16,55,77,914	2	10
	38,28,24,007	10	11

* Includes Govt. & ½ Govt.; value Rs. 3,78,247 8 0

† Do do. do. „ 6,02,662 8 0

Rs. 9,80,910 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent

Percentage 48 61.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, the 6th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

(2888—1)

ADVERTISEMENT UNDER ORDER I, RULE 8, C. P. C.

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

TITLE SUIT No. 37 OF 1917.

(1) Sahayram Chakraburti, son of Uma Charan Chakraburti, deceased, (2) Profulla Chandra Sen, son of Sriram Sen, and (3) Kedarnath Sen, son of Shyama Charan Sen, deceased, all residents of Guptipara, thana Balagore, district Hooghly, plaintiffs,

versus

(1) Khagendra Nanda Asram, alleged disciple of Jnananauda Asram, resident of Guptipara, Kristobati, at present resident of Somra, thana Balagore, district Hooghly, (2) Raghunath Banerjee, son of name unknown, resident of Chinsura, Sandeshwartola, thana and district Hooghly, and (3) Nilgopal Chakraburti, son of Chandra Nath Chakraburti, deceased, of Guptipara, thana Balagore, district Hooghly, defendants.

THE abovementioned suit has been instituted in this Court under section 92 of the Code of Civil Procedure for the settling of a scheme for the management of the Sheba Estate of the Hindu deity Brindaban Chandra Jew of Guptipara in the district of Hooghly, and for other reliefs mentioned in the said section on behalf of the members of the Committee interested therein. The 17th day of December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing of the suit.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th December 1917. (2857—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITOR OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 (2), Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

In the District Court of Amherst.

MISCELLANEOUS No. 228 OF 1916.

In the matter of Babu Gouridah Bagla, an insolvent.

To Chandoolal Kanayal, trader, Kali Godown, Cotton Street, Calcutta.

WHEREAS Babu Gouridah Bagla has applied to this Court by a petition, dated 15th November 1916, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act (III of 1907) and your name appears in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor; this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 17th day of December 1917 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter, you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader.

The particulars of the debt alleged in the petition to be due to you are as detailed below :—

Rs. 2,100 due on a pro-note.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Court this 20th day of November 1917.

By order,

W. A. GREGORY, Acting Chief Clerk.

Moulmein, the 20th November 1917. (2804—2)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 5 OF 1912.

Re Behary Lall (Behary Lall Ramessur), *ex parte* the creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a final dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 18th day of January 1918, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 3rd December 1917. (2830—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 122 OF 1914.

Re Hugh Frederick Evans, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 18th day of January 1918, except Saturday and Sunday.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 3rd December 1917. (2829—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, In Insolvency.

No. 221 OF 1915.

Re Lewis Joseph Gomes, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office on or after the 18th day of January 1918, except Saturday and Sunday.

Like notice in the matter of Edward Joseph Agacy, *ex parte* the debtor, No. 95 of 1914.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 4th December 1917. (2831—1)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 265 OF 1917.

Hira Lal Sarkar, of 7, Nakulesvartala Lane, Kalighat, applicant.

To Babu Promotha Kumar Dey, Clerk, Account Department, Appellate Side, High Court, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 2nd day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2627—1—2770)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 266 OF 1917.

Hashai Chamar, of 51, Circular Garden Reach Road, Khidirpur, applicant.

To Sashi Bhushan Mitter, of 1, Lal Bazar, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 2nd day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2628—1—2771)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 270 OF 1917.

Dhirendra Nath Ganguly, son of late Bamon Chandra Ganguly, of Palpara, thana Barahanagore, applicant.

To Promotho Nath Sarkar, of 90-1, Upper Circular Road.

ON the 8th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2629-1—2772)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 271 OF 1917.

Atul Krishna Adhikari, son of late Pyari Mohon Adhikari, of Bittirchara, thana Budge-Budge, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Upen Krishna Mandal, of Chakporan, post-office Howali, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors

ON the 29th day of September 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of t e applicant be heard on the 17th December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2630—1—2773)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 274 OF 1917.

Nagendra Nath Saha, son of late Gour Chandra Saha, of 1, Badan Ray's Lane, Belliaghata, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Popular Motor and Taxi Co, of Bhowanipur, Bakul Bagun, and others, creditors.

ON the 23rd day of September 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2632—1—2774)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 275 OF 1917.

Kanai Lal Pal, son of late Kshetra Mohon Pal, of Ultadanga, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

Kunjo Behary Mandal, 17, Ultadingi Main Road, Calcutta, and others, creditors.

ON the 24th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2633—1—2775)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASES Nos. 276 AND 277 OF 1917.

Chatur Nath Pal and Jadu Nath Pal, sons of late Gora Chand Pal, of Panaihati, thana Bashirhat, district 24-Parganas, applicants.

To Bhagirath Saha, of Bashirhat, and others, creditors.

ON the 24th day of September 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicants be heard on the 17th day of December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 11th October 1917. (2634—1—2776)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 278 OF 1917.

Haradhan Haldar, of Kristoballavpur, called Bakshigram, thana Kulpi, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Ramanath Halder, of Ramkrishnanagore, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 17th day of December 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 12th October 1917. (2635—1—2777)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 112 OF 1917.

PURUSANT to a petition dated 21st April 1917, filed by Jogendra Nath Mitter, of Dakhingocharan, police-station Joynagar, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Jogendra Nath Mitter and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2755—1—2806)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 115 OF 1917.

PURUSANT to a petition, dated 24th April 1917, filed by Raghu Nath Pashi *alias* Gada Pashi, of Ichapur, thana Barakpur, Rifle Factory Lane, and on the application of Raghu Nath Pashi and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2756—1—2807)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 135 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th May 1917, filed by Krishna Chandra Addy, of 99, Hazra Road, Tollyganj, and on the application of Krishna Chandra Addy and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2757—1—2809)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 138 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th May 1917, filed by Hassain Ali Mollah, of Rajarampur, thana Falta, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Hassain Ali and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2758—1—2810)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 140 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th May 1917, filed by Manmotho Nath Ghose, of Khidirpur, 14-1, Gangadhar Banerjee's Lane, and on the application of Manmotho Nath Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2759—1—2811)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 152 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th May 1917, filed by Mahomed Isaq, 68-16*A*, Belgachia, 24-Parganas and on the application of Mahomed Isaq and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2760—1—2812)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 153 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th May 1917, filed by Satyendra Nath Mukerjee, of 41-1, Lansdowne Road, Bhowanipur, and on the application of Satyendra Nath Mukerjee and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2761—1—2813)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 159 OF 1917

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 7th June 1917, filed by Damari Sha, of Naihati, thana Naihati, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Damari Sha and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2762—1—2814)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 161 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 8th June 1917, filed by Rakhal Chandra Gain, of Khidirpur, Garbati, thana Satgonge, and on the application of Rakhal Chandra Gain and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2763—1—2815)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 164 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th June 1917, filed by Nimai Charan Nandi, of Panihati, thana Khardaha, and on the application of Nimai Charan Nandi and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2764—1—2816)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 168 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 14th June 1917, filed by Ram Shebak Shaw, Khidirpur, Babu Bazar, thana Ekbalpur, and on the application of Ram Shebak Shaw, and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2765—1—2817)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 171 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th June 1917, filed by Nepal Chandra Ghose, of Madhusudan Mukerjee's Lane, Maniktala, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Nepal Chandra Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917,

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2766—1—2818)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 177 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th June 1917, filed by Bhuban Mohon Ghose, of Belachandi, thana Joynagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Bhuban Mohon Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2767—1—2808)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 182 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th June 1917, filed by Nepal Chandra Shaw Halowai, of Tollygonge, June Shaheb Bazar, and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2768—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 186 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th June 1917, filed by Sheik Saifulla, of Dhopapara, thana Behala, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sheik Saifulla and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2769—1—2820)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 194 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 9th July 1917, filed by Bhanja Bhakta, of Nandanpur, thana Buz-Buz, and on the application of Bhanja Bhakta and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2770—1—2821)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 203 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th July 1917, filed by Debdhari Sha *alias* Debdhariram Teli, No. 11-2, Harish Chatterjee Street, Dharerbagan, 24-Parganas, and on the application of Debdhari Sha and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2771—1—2822)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 205 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th July 1917, filed by Ram Charan Jana, of Seondah, thana Diamond Harbour, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Ram Charan Jana and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2772—1—2823)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 280 OF 1917.

Chandi Laskar, son of late Prem Chand Laskar, of Kalinagar, thana Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Basanto Kumar Sarkar of Sapkhali, post-office Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas, and others, creditors.

ON the 12th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2787—1—2795)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 289 OF 1917.

Nando Lal Sarkar, of 7, Nakuleswartalla Lane. Kalighat, thana Bhowanipur, applicant.

To Shew Balak Pandey, of 141-2, Dharmatalla Street, Calcutta, and other creditors.

ON the 13th day of October 1917, it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2789—1—2796)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 292 OF 1917.

Uttam Chandra Nashkar, of Kalinagore, thana Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Brojo Mohan Chakravarty, of Balakhali, thana Bishnupur, district 24-Parganas, and other creditors.

ON the 13th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2790—1—2797)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 295 OF 1917.

Abdur Rahman, son of late Tunu Ostagar, of 10, Ahiripukur Road, thana Baligonge, appellant.

To Akhoy Kumar Ghose, of 110, Gour Prosad Ghose's Lane, Janbazar, Calcutta, and other creditors.

ON the 27th day of November 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2791—1—2798)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 300 OF 1917.

Kulu Molla, son of late Kader Ostagor of Padirati Badamtala, thana Garden Reach, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Gour Mohon Ghose, Phatapur, thana Garden Reach, and others, creditors.

ON the 13th day of October 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917, and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2792—1—2799)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 303 OF 1917.

Muzaffer Molla, of Santoshpur, thana Behala, applicant.

To Ain Khakabuly, of Metiaburuz, post-office Garden Reach, thana Behala, and others, creditors.

ON the 20th day of November 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2793—1—2800)

NOTICE.

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 304 OF 1917.

Abdul Savan Molla, son of late Eachin Molla of Santoshpur, thana Behala, applicant.

To Nani Lall Nashkar, of Chakmira, post-office Moheshtala, district 24-Parganas, and other creditors

ON the 20th day of November 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 17th day of December 1917 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2794—1—2801)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 7 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jadab Chandra Chakrabarty and Beni Madhab Chakrabarty, of Rupatali, police-station Kotwali, have applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and 13th December has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioners.

D. C. PATTERSON, District Judge.

Barisal, the 1st December 1917. (2834—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 6 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition dated 13th July 1917, filed by the debtor Manindra Nath Chandra, of Sonamukhi, thana Sonamukhi, district Bankura, and on hearing his pleader it is hereby ordered that the said debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Bankura, the 3rd December 1917. (2835—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 7 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 13th July 1917, filed by the debtor Jugal Kishore Chandra, of Sonamukhi, thana Sonamukhi, district Bankura, and on hearing his pleader it is hereby ordered that the said debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. JOHNSTON, District Judge.

Bankura, the 3rd December 1917. (2836—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 20 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 12, clause 2, of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, to the creditors of Fakir Mohamed Sheikh, son of late Hasrat Sheikh, of Harispur, thana Mararai, district Birbhum, that his insolvency petition has been admitted by this Court and that the 21st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Suri, the 3rd December 1917. (2819—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 38 OF 1917.

Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given that E. C. Bayley, residing at Asansole, in thana Chouki Asansole, district Burdwan, has by an order of this Court, dated 28th November 1917, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 1st December 1917. (2817—1—2803)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 63 OF 1917.

Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Surendra Nath Karmakar of Natu, thana Rayna, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 11th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 1st December 1917. (2818—1—2804)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 49 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 11th August 1917, filed by Makhalas Rahman, son of Munshi Mohobbat Ali, of Bagbhelu, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 29th day of November 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2826—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 65 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Ramesh Chandra Das, son of Pitambar Das, of Shakpura, thana Boalkhali, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 9th October 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1918, for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 4th December 1917. (2833—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 59 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 24th September 1917, filed by Abdul Rahim, son of Wahed Ali, deceased, of Char Chaktai, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Babu Khirode Chandra Das, pleader, is appointed Receiver.

Dated this 4th day of December 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2843—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 70 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Alamgah and Ali Ahmed, sons of Maqbul Ali, of Sholashahar, thana Kotwali, Chittagong, have applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 23rd November 1917, to be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong the 5th December 1917. (2844—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 56 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 12th September 1917, filed by Shariotullah, son of late Aminullah, of Fadaikharbag, thana Kotwali, district Chittagong, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 4th day of December 1917.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

(2845—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 58 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 4th September 1917, filed by Tarini Charan Bhattacharjee, son of Ram Chandra Bhattacharjee, of Paraikora, thana Patiya, and on the application of the debtor and on reading his petition and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 7th day of December 1917.

J. C. CORNES, District Judge.

(2867—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 72 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Ajgarali, son of late Akamaddin Meahjee, of Uttar Basarat Nagar, thana Patiya, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 27th November of 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all, his creditors that the Court has fixed the 11th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 8th December 1917. (2868—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 105 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 25th July 1917, filed by the debtor Satish Chandra Das Gupta, son of late Jobinda Chandra Das Gupta, of Shaitha Ghor *alias* Teota, police-station Aircha-Shibaya, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 1st day of December 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.
(2824—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 123 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Shyama Charan Chanda, son of late Ram Doyal Chanda, of Monohorpur, police-station Rupganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 15th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 5th December 1917. (2842—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 82 OF 1917.

NABAN DESHI, son of Bandhu Deshi, deceased, resident of Shijgaon, police-station Biroil, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 3rd January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 4th December 1917. (2832—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 52 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Sona Khan, son of late Mangal Khan, of Rajair, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 19th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing his application.

Dated the 6th December 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2840—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Madan Khan, son of late Maniraddi Khan, of Sarmangal, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 19th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing his application.

Dated the 6th December 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.
(2841—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 125 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Umesh Chandra Sadu Khan, son of late Rup Chand Sadu Khan, at present of Salikha, Hara Mohan Basu's Bagan, thana Golabati, district Hooghly, was on the 1st October 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 21st December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 20th November 1917 (2718—1—2764)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Kazi Mahammed Ebrahim, son of late Kazi Mabud Baksa, of Foorfura, thana Jangipara, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 148 of 1917, and that the 21st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 20th November 1917. (2719—1—2765)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 61 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that (1) Gongaram Sha, son of late Shib Jagot Sha, (2) Dwarika Nath Sha, son of late Abatar Sha, of Mahesh, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 1st October 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 21st December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 28th November 1917. (2783—1—2825)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the Insolvency petition of Hari Dass Pal, son of late Ram Chand Pal, of Bankipore, thana Singur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 160 of 1917 and that the 21st December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 28th November 1917. (2784—1—2827)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 79 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nanda Lal Ghosh, son of late Mati Lal Ghosh, of Mahesh, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 17th September 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 21st December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge

Chinsura, the 28th November 1917. (2785—1—2826)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Rajani Kanta Mata, son of late Rama Nath Mata, of Gholbatal, thana Amta, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. ⅟₁₅ of 1917 and that the 14th December 1917 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 26th November 1917. (2740—1—2792)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION Nos. 40-59 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Peari Mohan Dolui, son of late Darpanarayan Dolui, of Banibon, thana Uluberia, district Hooghly, was on the 21st November 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 14th December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 26th November 1917. (2741—1—2793)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. ⅟₁₅ OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gobordhon Dutta, son of late Rashik Lal Dutta, of Howrah, Harkut's Lane, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was on the 21st November 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 14th December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 27th November 1917 (2744—1—2791)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 84 OF 1917.

MEHERBULLA MAHOMED, son of Money Mahomed, deceased, resident of Khoyerbari, police-station Madari, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 2nd January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

Dinajpur, the 7th December 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

(2854—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1917.

AFAL DAS, son of Ram Prosad Das, deceased, resident of Betgara, police-station Moynaguri, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent The 2nd January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

Dinajpur, the 7th December 1917.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

(2855—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 83 OF 1917.

KOYAL MAHOMED, son of Money Mahomed, deceased, resident of Khoyerbari, police-station Madari, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 2nd January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 7th December 1917. (2856—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 35 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 17th September 1917, filed by Manindra Nath Ghorhoi, son of Abinash Chandra Ghorhoi, of Khorhar Patgram, pargana Barada, district Midnapore, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Atul Krishna Banerjee, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that 11th January 1918 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 3rd day of December 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2825—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Bhuban Mohon Adhikari, of Nowdapara, police-station Bhagawangola district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 22nd December 1917.

K. MUKERJEE, Sub-Judge, *for* District Judge.

Berhampore, the 6th December 1917. (2846—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 42 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Ebrahim Mandal, of Umarpur, police-station Mirzapur, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 22nd December 1917.

K. MUKERJEE, Sub-Judge, *for* District Judge.

Berhampore, the 6th December 1917. (2847—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1917

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Radha Krishna Mukherji, of Baluchar, police-station Jiaganj, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court, dated the 13th October 1917.

K. MUKERJEE, Sub-Judge, *for* District Judge.

Berhampore, the 6th December 1917.

(2848—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 34 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Bipin Muchi, (2) Kalachand Muchi, of Chandpur, police-station Nowda, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner Bipin Muchi has been adjudged insolvent by an order of this Court dated the 1st December 1917.

K. MUKERJEE, Sub-Judge, *for* District Judge.

Berhampore, the 6th December 1917. (2849—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARINGS OF THE INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 88 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Jaladhar Das, son of late Gobinda Chandra Das, of Biara, police-station Sirajganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 20th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 14th day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Name of creditors.	Village.	Post Office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs.
1.	Sadasib Karam Chand Babu.	Sirajganj ...	Sirajganj	Pabna	125
2.	Chandranath Anandamohan Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	80
3.	Debnath Kalidas Babu.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	125
4.	Madav Chandra Saha.	Biara ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	900
5.	Hari Charan Karmakar.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	300
6.	Araj Haji ...	Margram ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	75
7.	Mohar Shek ...	Palkpara ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	50
8.	Gopinath Saha Chaudhury.	Saida Chandpur.	Balkuchi	Do. ...	2,000

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 3rd December 1917. (2827—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 92 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Taleb Pramanik, son of late Adu Pramanik, of Simla, police-station Raiganja, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 30th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs. A.
1.	Rash Behari Saha ..	Simla ...	Chandaikona.	Pabna...	30 0
2.	Mahesh Chandra Saha.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100 0
3.	Rashik Chandra Saha.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	97 0
4.	Jogendra Nath Saha	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100 0
5.	Baidya Nath Saha ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	100 0
6.	Munshi Sarkar ...	Jolegati ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	137 0
7.	Baikunta Nath Kaivarthadas.	Simla ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	35 12
8.	Jandi Pramanik ...	Jolegati ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	77 8
9.	Birendra Chandra Adhikari.	Gopinathpur.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	224 0
10.	Hanipuddin Khondakar.	Simla ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	90 0
11.	Bajrakali Khondakar.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	45 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 7th December 1917. (2860—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 86 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Munshi Pramanik, son of late Mahar Pramanik, of Mohanganja, police-station Mathura, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 5th October 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs. A.
1.	Pushraj Marwari...	Bera ...	Bera ...	Pabna ...	50 0
2.	Mulchand Bengani and others.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	526 0
3.	Mukhund Bengani	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	130 0
4.	Ramani Mohan Saha.	Gola Bera ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	7 0
5.	Hridoy Nath Sarkar.	Palkhanda...	Do. ...	Do. ...	204 7
6.	Debnath Sarkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	25 0
7.	Bajoy Chandra Sarkar.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	10 0
8.	Jaladhar Sarkar ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	27 0
9.	Sardar Pramanik...	Dudulikole	Chak Chapri.	Do. ...	50 0
10.	Pyari Sarkar ...	Palkhanda...	Bera ...	Do. ...	16 5

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 7th December 1917. (2858—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency, Act III of 1907*].

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 91 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Khudu Shek, son of Sultan Shek, of Balkantapur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 29th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 21st day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

	Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
					Rs. A.
1.	Brajendra Lal Roy	Sirajganj	Sirajganj	Pabna ...	133 13
2.	Prasanna Kumar Saha.	Ditto	Ditto	Do. ...	62 8
3.	Dhan Shuk Gajanan	Naika ...	Naika ...	Do. ...	39 1
4.	Prolhyad Chandra Roy.	Gram Pangashi.	Pangashi	Do. ...	133 0
5.	Srinath Saha, Purna Chandra Saha.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	63 12
6.	Sribash Pandit ...	Hat Pangashi.	Hat Pangashi.	Do. ...	80 8
7.	Hari Charan Saha ..	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	21 4
8.	Tufanuddin Sarkar	Balkuntapur.	Pangashi	Do. ...	300 0
9.	Somerjan Bibi, Kamran Bibi.	Bengrai ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	118 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 7th December 1917. (2859—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 93 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Manik Molla, son of late Didar Molla, of Paikerhati, police-station Santhia, district Pabna, has applied to this Court by a petition, dated the 30th November 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed 21st day of December 1917 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs. A.
1. Harish Narain Biswas.	Paikerhati	Paikerhati	Pabna ...	50 0
2. Basanta Narain Biswas.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	10 0
3. Kalipada Biswas ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	521 0
4. Sitanath Das ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	50 0
5. Jnanendra Narain Biswas.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	30 0
6. Girindra Narain Biswas.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	22 8
7. Mahim Narain Biswas.	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do ...	10 0
8. Akil Narain Biswas	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	60 0
9. Bashi Mohan Das ...	Sawalgari	Ditto ...	Do. ...	19 0
10. Jenatulla Pramanik	Solagari...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	28 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 7th December 1917. (2861—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 121 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Maniruddin Meah, son of late Rahimulla Fakir, of Dighaltari, police-station Gaibandha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1917. (2850—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 135 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Famijuddin Mandal, son of Khayerulla Mandal, of Durgapur, police-station Mithapookhar, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1917. (2851—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 134 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Kasimulla, son of late Kansia Sheik, of Haybatpur, police-station Mithapookhar, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd day of December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 5th December 1917. (2852—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

Notice to creditors of application for annulment of order of adjudication.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 2 OF 1906.

Re. Kantinath Mukherjee, son of late Upendra Nath Mukherjee, of 36, Baleram Bose Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.

To Chandi Charan Mukherjee and others, creditors.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for annulment of the order of adjudication and that the Court has fixed the 17th day of December 1917, at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2721—1—2790)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 51 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th July 1917, made by James Arthur Casey, residing at No. 77, Railway Quarters, Sealdah, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and on hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 26th day of November 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2745—1—2778)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 58 OF 1917.

Gyanendra Nath Dutt, 52, Dum-Dum, Cossipur Road, 24-Parganas, applicant.

To (1) Kshirode Chandra Das and others, creditors.

ON the 28th day of November 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of January 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 30th November 1917. (2786—1—2794)

Notice.

WANTED a permanent Wards Clerk on Rs. 80 per mensem for the office of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division. None need apply who has not passed the I. A. or I. Sc. Examination. Preference will be given to those who have got office experience. Applications with testimonials should be submitted to the undersigned up to the 17th instant.

J. SEN, Personal Assistant.

Commissioner's Office, Rajshahi Division, Jalpaiguri, the 6th December 1917.

Notice.

THE following Assistants and Probationers are required for the office of the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division. None need apply who has not passed the I. A. or I. Sc. Examination or read up to that standard. Knowledge of typewriting is essential. Applications which should be in the candidates' own handwriting should reach this office on or before the 17th instant :—

3 Assistants on Rs. 30 each.

3 Probationers on Rs. 25 each.

J. SEN, Personal Assistant.

Commr.'s Office, Rajshahi Divn., Jalpaiguri, the 6th December 1917.

Notice.

THE unendowed monuments over the graves of persons named below (in the Cemetery of the St. John's Church at Midnapore) are in need of repairs, viz :—

(1) James Alexander	... Died on	28th February 1851.
(2) William Louis	,,	4th March 1853.
(3) Eliza Anne Deverell	,,	10th November 1862.
(4) Ralph Werge Smyth	,,	25th July 1866.
(5) Charles J. M. Dixon	,,	27th ,, ,,
(6) Alexander Sharp Sneddon.	,,	25th February 1877.
(7) Abraham Robert Thomas Palmer.	,,	7th October 1878.
(8) Mary Anne Morrow...	,,	6th ,, 1881.
(9) George Richard James Palmer.	,,	8th February 1882.

Relations or friends of the deceased persons desirous of repairing the monuments are requested to communicate with the undersigned.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, I.C.S.,

Senior Member, Church Committee.

Midnapore, the 21st November 1917. (2731—3)

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the portion of the Tolly's Nala, between Chetla, below the Port Commissioners' Feeding sluices for the boat canal, and Samukpotta will be closed to navigation from the 15th January to the 30th April 1918, both days inclusive, for the purpose of silt clearance of the Nala and for certain tidal observations.

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits ; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

Notice.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's European Establishment :—

Mr. E. J. Lapsley on return from special duty to resume charge of Clive Street Branch as from 1st December 1917.

Mr. M. G. Stuart on return from short leave to resume charge of Burra Bazaar Branch as from 30th November 1917.

By order of the Directors,

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.

(2853—1)

Notice.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED GOODS.

Name of vessel.	Marks and Nos.	Quantity.	Description of goods.
"Benton Maru" ...	T or nil ..	2 pieces ...	Brass ingots.
"Salvaged" ...	Nil	Nil	1 bundle rattan.
"Albiana" ...	A G F	1 case ...	Books.
Ditto ...	Nil	2 cases ...	Canned goods.
"Caboto" ...	R R R	1 case ...	Lanterns.
"Orsolo" ...	D D B	1 case empty	.....
"Fook Sang" ...	K	1 jar ...	Samshoo.
"Maudala" ...	Nil	1	Deck chair.
Ditto ...	Mr. Sweeney ...	1	Deck cot.
"City of Marseilles"	Witherington ...	1	Deck chair.
"City of Exeter"...	Mr. Lee	1 leather trunk containing 1 collar box, 19 collars, 2 handkerchiefs, 16 ties, 1 pair of socks, 2 books, 7 shirts, 6 warm trousers, 3 vests and 5 warm coats.	
"City of Poona" ...	Mr. Cowley ...	1 deck chair.	

The above packages lying in the Custom House unclaimed for four months and over will be sold under section 88 of the Sea Customs Act, VIII of 1878, if not removed on payment of all the charges due, by the 19th December 1917.

A. H. LLOYD, Collector of Customs.

Calcutta, the 24th November 1917.

Destroyed Receipt.

A RECEIPT numbered 4571, dated 23rd August 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Allotment Letter. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the securities :—

Allotment Letter No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
50B 1 & 2	5½ per cent. of 1922	2,500	Adhar Chandra Mandal.

Name of proprietor—Adhar Chandra Mandal.

Residence—Salalpur, police-station Jamalpur, Burdwan district.

(2837—1—2805)

Lost.

A RECEIPT numbered 1076, dated 19th April 1917, and granted by the Public Debt Office Bank of Bengal, on submission of the undermentioned Allotment Letter. Notice of loss has been given to the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and the undersigned is about to apply for surrender of the security.

Allotment Letter No.	Loan.	Amount.	Holder's name.
		Rs.	
32 B & O / F 1	5½ p. c. 1920	1,000	Surajmall Seth.

Name of the Proprietor—Surajmall Seth.

Residence—Bazar Choudhri, Daltonganj.

(2828—1—2802)

Belgaon, Ltd., in voluntary liquidation.

ALL persons having claims against above Company in voluntary liquidation should lodge same with the Liquidator, c/o National Bank of India, Ltd., Chittagong, within 14 days from 30th November 1917.

T. MARSHALL, Liquidator, Belgaon, Ltd.

(2773—1—2763)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, VII of 1913, and in the matter of the Assam Bengal Fisheries, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the Assam Bengal Fisheries, Ltd., has this day been struck off the register and that the Company is dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.
Calcutta, the 5th December 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of the Pubna Motor Service Co., Ltd.

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W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.
Calcutta, the 5th December 1917.

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In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of the Darjeeling Timber Trading Co., Ltd.

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W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.
Calcutta, the 5th December 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913) and in the matter of the Co-operative Medical Stores, Ltd.

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W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.
Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913) and in the matter of the Atlas Assurance Co., Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of the Atlas Assurance Co., Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.
Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.

In the matter of the Raneegunj Jheria Coal Co., Ltd. (In Liquidation)
and
In the matter of the Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913).

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of the abovenamed Company will be held at No. 23, Strand Road, Calcutta (office of the Liquidator), on Wednesday, the 19th December 1917, at 2 P.M., under section 209 of the Indian Companies Act (VII of 1913).

S. N. SEN,

Liquidator, the Raneegunj Jheria Coal Co., Ltd.
Witness:

HARISH CHANDRA SEN

Calcutta, the 29th November 1917. (2751—1—2824)

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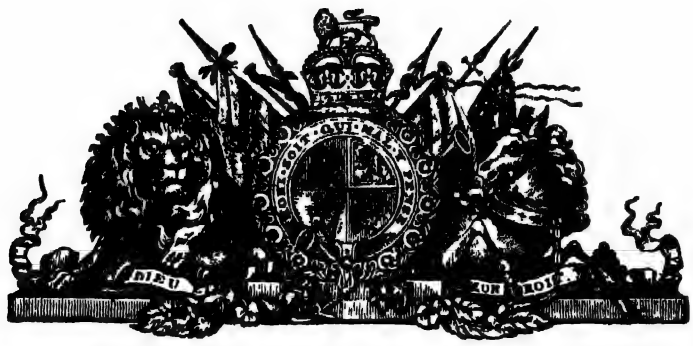

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PART IVA.

Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Bengal Legislative Council assembled under the provisions of the Government of India Act, 1915.

THE Council met in the Council Chamber at Government House Calcutta, on Tuesday, the 20th November, 1917, at 11 A.M.

Present:

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble LAWRENCE JOHN LUMLEY DUNDAS, EARL OF RONALDSHAY, G.C.I.E., *Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, presiding.*

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.

The Hon'ble SIR SATYENDRA PRASANNA SINHA, KT.

The Hon'ble MR. J. G. CUMMING, C.S.I., C.I.E.

The Hon'ble SURGEON-GENERAL W. R. EDWARDS, C.B., C.M.G.

The Hon'ble MR. T. C. P. GIBBONS, K.C.

The Hon'ble MR. C. J. STEVENSON-MOORE, C.V.O.

The Hon'ble MR. J. DONALD.

The Hon'ble MR. L. S. S. O'MALLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. F. A. A. COWLEY.

The Hon'ble MR. C. H. BOMPAS.

The Hon'ble MR. W. C. WORDSWORTH.

The Hon'ble MR. C. F. PAYNE.

The Hon'ble MR. E. B. H. PANTON.

Oath or affirmation of allegiance.

The Hon'ble RAI PRIYA NATH MUKHARJI BAHADUR, I.S.O.

The Hon'ble DR. NILRATAN SARKAR.

The Hon'ble MR. J. MACKENZIE.

The Hon'ble MR. W. H. H. ARDEN-WOOD, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. AMINUR RAHMAN.

The Hon'ble RAJA HRISHIKESH LAHA, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. R. GLEN.

The Hon'ble MR. PROVASH CHUNDER MITTER.

The Hon'ble SIR BIJAY CHAND MAHTAB, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., I.O.M., MAHARAJADHIRAJA BAHADUR OF BURDWAN.

The Hon'ble KUMAR SHIB SHEKHARESWAR RAY.

The Hon'ble MR. ARUN CHANDRA SINGHA.

The Hon'ble DR. DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble MR. F. W. CARTER, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble SIR A. BIRKMYRE, KT.

The Hon'ble MR. E. B. EDEN.

The Hon'ble MR. E. A. MARTIN.

The Hon'ble MR. H. R. A. IRWIN.

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM.

The Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ.

The Hon'ble KHAN SAHIB AMAN ALI.

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY.

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble MR. K. B. DUTT.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI.

The Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. I.

OATH OR AFFIRMATION OF ALLEGIANCE.

The Hon'ble Mr. Gibbons the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley, the Hon'ble Mr. Payne, the Hon'ble Mr. Wordsworth and the Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali made an oath or affirmation of their allegiance to the Crown.

Questions and Answers.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 2.

The following Questions which had been starred were put and answered :—

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

The case of a détenu.

* 1. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the decision of the Special Tribunal in the case of Ambica Charan Kar which was tried at Malda on the 2nd October last?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the détenu Ambica Charan Kar was ordered not to leave his residence after 6 P.M., although there was no latrine within the premises in which he was detained?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the détenu Ambica Charan Kar was prosecuted for going out of his premises after 6 P.M. to answer a call of nature and that the Special Tribunal accepted his plea and acquitted him?

(*d*) If the facts are as stated above, will the Government be pleased to state what action they have taken or are taking in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government have seen the judgment of the Special Tribunal in the case referred to.

(*b*) The order of domicile under rule 3 of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules prohibits an interned person from leaving the premises in which he is interned between 6 P.M. and 6 A.M.

(*c*) Ambica Charan Kar was prosecuted for a breach of the rule referred to above; before the Special Tribunal he pleaded that he had gone to answer a call of nature and this plea was accepted by the Tribunal.

(*d*) Government do not propose to take any action in the matter."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Office staff of the Director of Public Instruction.

* 2. (*a*) Is it a fact that a separate cadre has been formed for ministerial officers in the Office of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, and that all ministerial officers of the Education Department outside the said office have been excluded from it?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the salaries of the different grades of this cadre?

(*c*) Is it a fact that on account of the creation of this cadre many ministerial officers of the office of the Director of Public Instruction are now getting higher salaries than many of the ministerial officers outside the office of the Director of Public Instruction, who were in higher grades or in the same grades with them, but were senior in position formerly while they were in one common cadre?

(*d*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of removing such difference by creating one amalgamated cadre for all ministerial officers of the Education Department in the province?

(*e*) If answer to clause (*d*) be in the negative, are the Government considering the desirability of taking steps to compensate those ministerial officers outside the office of the Director of Public Instruction who have been superseded in the manner referred to in clause (*c*)?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state the necessity of having two different cadres for ministerial officers of the Education Department?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A statement is laid on the table.

(*c*) Owing to the creation of the separate cadre some officers of the clerical establishment of the Director of Public Instruction now receive higher salaries than some ministerial officers outside the Director of Public Instruction's office who were senior to them in the common cadre.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) No.

(*f*) The clerical establishment of the Director of Public Instruction has to do work of a higher class than the clerical establishment of subordinate offices."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to Question No. 2 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI *at the Council Meeting of the 20th November, 1917.*

List of Clerical Establishment of the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

UPPER DIVISION.

		Rs.
1	on	250—10—300
1	on	250
2	on	200
2	on	175
3	on	150
3	on	125
3	on	100
15		

LOWER DIVISION.

		Rs.
4	on	80
5	on	70
7	on	60
7	on	50
5	on	40
4	on	30
32		

PROBATIONERS (TEMPORARY).

		Rs.
4	on	25 each.

TYPISTS.

		Rs.
1	on	100—5—150
1	on	50—5—100
2	on	50—2—70
4	on	30—2—50
8		

Total ... 59

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Pay of Gurus.

* 3. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is in their contemplation to improve the pay and prospects of the teachers of guru training schools established in 1903?

(*b*) Will these gurus participate under the general scheme for the distribution of the recurring grant of 9 lakhs for the improvement of the pay and prospects of teachers of primary and secondary schools?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that only four posts of the guru-training school teachers in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions have been made pensionable since 1909?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) Proposals for the reorganization of guru-training schools which involve the employment of an improved staff on higher rates of pay have been submitted to the Government of India.

(*b*) Provision for this scheme of reorganization has been made in the proposals submitted to the Government of India for the distribution of the 9 lakhs grant.

(*c*) The services of all head pandits and pandits in guru-training schools in Eastern Bengal have been made pensionable with effect from 1st April 1914."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Settlement operations in Rajshahi district.

* 4. (*a*) Are the Government aware that in the Settlement Department in the Rajshahi district the papers supplied to the zamindars on payment of cost assessed upon them are not sufficient for testing the accuracy of the papers supplied, and are wanting in important information as regards sub-tenancies and the areas of the plots of measurement and the variation of the settlement boundaries of the mauzas determined summarily on possession from the revenue survey boundaries (which are generally accepted as safe guides on questions of title) and the zamindars in consequence are being obliged to purchase from the Settlement Department complete khatians and to take certified copies of other necessary papers?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any representation on the subject has been submitted to the Settlement Officer in Rajshahi by the leading zamindars of the district?

(*c*) If the facts are as stated above, will the Government be pleased to state whether the representation is under their consideration and whether they are contemplating the issue of necessary orders for the supply of papers as may be decided by Government to be necessary?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) In the Settlement Department in Rajshahi the following papers are given to the zamindars and other landlords, on payment of settlement costs in accordance with general Government orders :—

(*i*) the village map,

(*ii*) a copy of the landlord's own khatian containing, *inter alia*, a list of plots (with areas) in his own direct possession and a list of tenancies immediately subordinate to him, and

(*iii*) copies of khatians of those tenancies with similar information.

If the landlords require copies of the khatians of sub-tenancies subordinate to the tenancies in (*iii*) or of any papers which do not form part of the legal final record-of-rights, they have to purchase them.

(*b*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member apparently suggests that landlords should receive on payment of the settlement costs—

(*i*) copies of khatians of all sub-tenancies subordinate to those immediately under them,

(*ii*) copies of papers or maps showing variations of the settlement boundaries of the mauzas determined summarily on possession from the revenue survey boundaries.

Questions and Answers.

As regards (*i*), that is to say, where there is subinfeudation, costs are so apportioned that the zamindar pays appreciably less than where there is no such subinfeudation. Apart from the difficulties of organization and the increased cost entailed thereby, Government are not prepared to give copies of khatians of such sub-tenancies without extra payment by the persons interested.

As regards (*ii*), such papers are not ordinarily prepared for the use of the public, and Government do not consider it advisable to order their preparation."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

The case of a détenu.

* 5. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the decision of the Special Tribunal in the case of Narendra Narayan Roy tried in Rajshahi in September last?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the monthly allowance of Narendra Narayan Roy detained at Gazol in the interior of the Malda district was fixed at Rs. 20 a month, including Rs. 5 for the allowance of a servant, and that he was paid accordingly for three months?

(*c*) Is it a fact that in the month of August 1916, the Superintendent of Police remitted Rs. 5 only after deducting Rs. 15, as no servant was engaged by the détenu during the previous three months, though, as a matter of fact, he had to spend something by way of servant allowance without keeping a regular one?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the détenu left the place of his internment without sanction, but he was subsequently arrested and prosecuted?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the détenu pleaded before the Special Tribunal that he was compelled to leave the place of his internment without sanction, because of the deduction of his allowance and for various other ill-treatments, and that the Special Tribunal in consideration of his plea and the disclosures made in the evidence dealt with him very leniently?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the deduction of Rs. 15 in one month out of the monthly allowance of Rs. 20 was made with the sanction of the Government, and if it was made without such sanction what action has been taken or is being taken in the matter?

(*g*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any inquiry has been made as to the truth of the complaints of ill-treatment made by the détenu, and, if so, with what result?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) and (*c*) Narendra Narayan's allowance was fixed by the District authorities at Rs. 14, and Rs. 6 was in addition specifically allowed for a servant; this was drawn for three months, but as Narendra had not employed a servant, for whom a specific allowance was made, he was called upon to refund the amount overdrawn in two instalments, beginning with the month of August.

(*d*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*e*) Narendra stated to the Tribunal that he had absconded because life was intolerable in his place of internment. The Tribunal therefore went

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into the evidence to see if there were any circumstances which would induce them to mitigate the ordinary sentence. Their finding as expressed in their judgment is as follows:—' There were various allegations of inhuman treatment by the police and others, but we find on the contrary that everything was done for the accused that could be done, and that the real cause of his getting into a deplorable state was that he did not make representations as to the grievances which were weighing on his mind to the responsible authorities.' The judgment continues:—' The conditions, however, were no doubt depressing to some extent and the accused's unhappy state of mind appears to have been genuine and not assumed. We are then disposed to deal with him leniently on this occasion.'

(*f*) The matter was not referred to Government, and Government do not propose to take any action after this lapse of time. The ordinary and preferable course is to sanction an allowance (if it is required) as a lump sum, without earmarking a part of it for specific purposes, and the District Magistrate of Malda has been instructed to this effect.

(*g*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the judgment of the Tribunal quoted in the answer to portion (*e*) of this question."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI:—

A détenu and his allowance.

* 6. (*a*) Is it a fact that one Tarak Nath Sanyal, of Dighapatia, in the Rajshahi district, was interned at the Mukshudpur police-station in the district of Faridpur in the beginning of the month of August last, but that neither any allowance was fixed for his maintenance nor was any sum advanced to him to maintain himself, and that he had to live upon " chira " only once a day?

(*b*) Is it a fact that—

(*i*) the détenu then appealed to his maternal grandmother and maternal aunt through the Sub-Inspector of the police-station that if at least Rs. 15 be not advanced to him immediately he would die of starvation,

(*ii*) his maternal grandfather, Trailakya Nath Chakrabarty of Hoga, near police-station Durgapur, of Rajshahi, could afford to send and did send only Rs. 5 for the immediate relief of his grandson and appealed to the Magistrates of Rajshahi and Faridpur to move the authorities for the immediate release of the détenu,

(*iii*) the District Magistrate of Rajshahi said he could do nothing as the matter was not in his hands, and

(*iv*) the matter was thereupon brought to the notice of the Secretary in charge by a member of this Council?

(*c*) If the facts are as stated in clauses (*a*) and (*b*), will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) what steps have been taken for the maintenance of the détenu in question,

(*ii*) why he was sent to a distant place without any arrangements being made for the regular payment of his maintenance allowance, and

(*iii*) why he could not be detained in a jail pending the sanction of the subsistence allowance?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Honble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Tarak Nath Sanyal was interned in August last at Muksudpur, district Faridpur. A maintenance allowance is granted only when the détenu's family is unable to support him at his place of internment and he has no means of his own; in such cases the Magistrate of the district in which the détenu is interned has authority to grant such allowance as he considers suitable and the amount of allowance so granted is reported for the formal sanction of Government. No report of the grant of an allowance in this case has yet reached Government.

(*b*) A petition dated 13th September, 1917, was received by Government from the maternal grandfather of the détenu, containing the statements set forth in this part of the question and saying that when he presented his petition to the District Magistrate of Rajshahi he was instructed to present it to the District Magistrate of Faridpur, the district in which the place of internment was situated. On the 9th September the Hon'ble Member forwarded a duplicate copy of this petition to Government.

(*c*) (*i*) In reply to his petition of 13th September the grandfather was informed that any question of allowance to the détenu should be referred to the District Magistrate, Faridpur, who has authority to decide it.

(*ii*) and (*iii*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to clause (*a*)."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Maintenance allowances to détenus.

* 7. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing what maintenance allowance has been granted to each of the interned, who are still under detention, and from when, and whether the allowance is being paid regularly?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Government are not prepared to lay the statement requested on the table."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

An acting appointment in the Indian Educational Service.

* 8. (*a*) With reference to the reply to my starred question No. 16 asked at the Council meeting held on the 4th September last, will the Government be pleased to state the name of the Professor of the Indian Educational Service who is said to have been transferred to fill the vacancy consequent on the deputation of an Inspector of Schools of the Indian Educational Service to military duty, and in whose place a Professor of a College (No. 11 in class IV of the Provincial Educational Service) is officiating?

(*b*) Will the Government be further pleased to state why in the Civil Lists for 1916 and 1917 the aforesaid Professor of the Provincial Educational Service (No. 11 in class IV) has been shown as acting in the Indian Educational Service in the place of an Inspector of Schools in the Indian Educational Service on military duty?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) On the deputation of Mr. H. E. Stapleton, Inspector of Schools, Dacca, to military duty in 1915, Mr. F. C. Turner, Principal of the Chittagong College, was transferred to the post which Mr. Stapleton had held. The post of the Principal, Chittagong College, was filled by Mr. J. R. Barrow, Professor in Dacca College. Babu Satyendra Nath Bhadra, Provincial Educational Service, was appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service in the post of Professor at Dacca College vacated by Mr. Barrow.

(*b*) It will be seen from the answer to question (*a*) that the vacancy in the post of a Professor in the Indian Educational Service filled by Babu Satyendra Nath Bhadra was consequent on the deputation of an Inspector of Schools to military service. The entry in the Civil Service list to which the Hon'ble Member refers is based on Notification No. 3426, dated 19th August 1915, a copy of which is laid on the table, but it does not reproduce its terms verbatim."

Copy of notification referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY *to question No. 8 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI *at the Council meeting of the 20th November, 1917.*

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

Education Branch.

NOTIFICATION No. 3426.

The 19th August 1915.—Babu Satyendra Nath Bhadra, Professor, Dacca College (class V of the Provincial Educational Service), is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service, in the vacancy consequent on the deputation of Mr. H. E. Stapleton, with effect from the 7th July, 1915.

K. C. DE,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

* 9. Is it a fact that Mr. Burrows, the Officiating Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, omitted to receive Mr. J. N. Gupta, the Officiating Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division, at the Darjeeling railway station platform on his arrival there on the 2nd October last? Is it the intention of Government to make an inquiry in the matter? Alleged discourtesy of an official.

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Mr. Burrows was not at Darjeeling when Mr. Gupta arrived there on the 3rd October. As he had already arranged, with Mr. Gupta's consent, to be in Siliguri on that date, he sent the senior Deputy Magistrate to meet Mr. Gupta at the railway station."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI : —

The Subordinate Executive Service.

* 10. (*a*) Are the Government aware that there is a feeling of great discontent among the members of the Subordinate Executive Service on account of the smallness of their initial and final maximum salaries as well as the want of good general prospects?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state whether they are contemplating taking any action with a view to remove these grievances by raising the minimum salary of the services to Rs. 150 and the maximum to Rs. 400 a month?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The salaries and prospects of the Subordinate Civil Service have formed the subject of complaints from time to time in the press and elsewhere.

(*b*) The conditions of the Service have frequently been under the consideration of Government, but no such action as that suggested is immediately contemplated.

The pay of the Subordinate Civil Service was fixed in relation to that of the Provincial Civil Service and the question of its increase cannot conveniently be taken up independently. It is possible that any decision arrived at in connection with the recommendations of the Public Services Commission regarding the Provincial Service might raise considerations affecting the Subordinate Civil Service, but no assurance can be given regarding the latter "

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Floods in Howrah district.

* 11. (*a*) Is it a fact that nearly three-fourths of the *bhadoi* crops in the Amta and Singti thanas in the Howrah district have been damaged by recent floods?

(*b*) Is it a fact that about 33 per cent. of the winter rice crop has been damaged by the recent flood in the Arambagh subdivision of the Hooghly district?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that owing to the favourable conditions of the weather at sowing time an increase of more than 7,000 acres in area of winter rice than last year was sown in the Howrah district this year?

(*d*) Is it a fact that half of this winter's rice crop within the jurisdiction of Amta and Singti thanas in the Howrah district has been destroyed by the Damodar floods?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*d*). Yes, as regards the Singti thana and that portion of the Amta thana which lies to the west of the Damodar.

(*b*) Yes, as regards thanas Pursura and Khanakul which lie to the west of the Damodar.

(*c*) The excess area this year is estimated at 5,000 acres."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR : —

Floods in the Burdwan Division.

* 12. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state what steps have been taken or are being taken by the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, and the Executive Engineer, Northern Embankment and Drainage Division, for mitigating the effects of floods in the Burdwan Division out of the special grant of Rs. 2,50,000 as provided in the Budget for 1917-18?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the amount actually spent up till now out of the above provision of Rs. 2½ lakhs and the details of the works done just before and after the floods?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the amount of Rs. 2½ lakhs as provided in this year's Budget is to be fully spent before the next flood-season?

(*d*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the estimates for works for which administrative sanction of Government has been received by the engineers concerned?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) The following action is being taken to mitigate the effects of floods in the Burdwan Division. The expenditure incurred is being met from the special grant of Rs. 2½ lakhs provided in the Budget for this year :—

(*1*) The improvement of the Ghesapatty khal was taken up and the deepening of the khal to about 6 feet completed It is anticipated that it will be possible to resume work by the middle of December 1917, when the water level in the khal has subsided.

(*2*) Construction of a retired line in the first mile of Buxi khal left embankment has been taken up; and the land acquisition proceedings are in progress. Possession of the land required was taken, and work was started on the embankment before the monsoon of 1917. Arrangements for starting work again after the monsoon have been made, and the work will be resumed immediately.

(*3*) Detailed estimates for raising the embankment on the right bank of the Ajai river have been prepared and will shortly be sanctioned. This work will be taken up in December next.

(*b*) The amount actually spent before the monsoon of 1917 has been Rs. 23,441, but no expenditure has been incurred since the monsoon ceased. Progress has been hampered owing to early setting in of the monsoon and its continuance to the month of November, 1917.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) A copy of the abstracts of estimates which have received the administrative sanction of Government, is placed upon the table."

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Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *to question No. 12 (starred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR *at the Council meeting of the 20th November, 1917.*

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

NORTHERN DRAINAGE AND EMBANKMENT DIVISION.

[Abstract of cost of estimate for retiring the Baxi khal left embankment and improving the Baxi and Ghesapatty khals.]

No	Quantity and denomination.	ITEMS OF WORK.	Rate.	Cost.	Total.
		GENERAL ABSTRACT OF COST.	Rs. A. Per	Rs.	Rs.
		Main estimate.			
1	.....	Constructing a retired line in the 1st mile of Baxi khal left embankment, including improving the abandoned embankment.	.....	79,195	
2	.....	Improving the Baxi khal	.....	1,66,522	
3	.....	Improving the Ghesapatty khal ...	.....	1,50,645	
		Total ...	.....	...	3,96,362
		Constructing retired line in the first mile of Baxi left embankment, including improving the abandoned embankment—			
1	35,69,354 c. ft.	Earthwork	6 0 1,000 c. ft.	21,416	
2	4,87,500 s. ft.	Dressing and turfing	1 8 1,000 s. ft.	731	
3	4,87,500 „	Unforeseen charges for obtaining turf from a distance.	1 0 1,000 „	488	
4	76,000 „	Crest dressing	0 4 1,000 „	19	
		Total ...	.....	...	22,654
		Contingencies at 5 per cent. ...	.....	...	1,133
5	273 bighas	Land	200 0 bigha	...	54,600
6	16·15 „	Compensation for garden trees and tanks ...	50 0 „	...	808
		GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	...	79,195
		Improving the Bari khal.			
1	2,05,99,780 c. ft.	Earthwork by dredger	6 0 1,000 c. ft.	1,23,599	
2	5,06,880 „	Earthwork in constructing marginal bunds	4 0 1,000 „	2,028	
2a	1,45,920 „	Earthwork in making cuts in the existing bank to enable the sludge to spread.	4 0 1,000 „	584	
3	7,98,720 „	Earthwork in removing bund ...	4 0 1,000 „	3,195	
		Total ...	.....	...	1,29,406
		Contingencies at 5 per cent. ...	.....	...	6,470
4	153·23 bighas.	Land	200 0 bigha	...	30,646
		GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	...	1,66,522
		Improving the Ghesapatty khal.			
1	1,77,97,768 c. ft.	Earthwork	6 8 1,000 c. ft.	1,15,685	
2	18,87,600 s. ft.	Dressing the spoil bank	0 4 1,000 s. ft.	472	
		Total ...	.....	...	1,16,157
		Contingencies at 5 per cent. ...	.....	...	5,808
	286·8 bighas.	Land	100 0 bigha	...	28,680
		GRAND TOTAL ...	.....	...	1,50,645

CALCUTTA,
The 8th December, 1915.

S. N. BANERJI,
Executive Engineer, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

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By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Prevention of *ghee* adulteration.

* 13. Will the Government be pleased to state what steps have been taken by the Corporation of Calcutta for the prevention of adulteration of *ghee*?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" The Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation reports that 38 samples of *ghee* were taken under the Calcutta Municipal (Amendment) Act, 1917, in September and 47 in October. Of these 22 were found to be adulterated, and prosecutions have been instituted against the vendors. One large consignment of *ghee*, consisting of 900 tins, has been seized and the case is now pending. A Special Food Inspector and two additional Analysts have been appointed to deal with the adulteration of *ghee*, and in addition to these, the eight Food Inspectors who constitute the regular staff are inspecting *ghee* offered for sale and taking samples in the usual way. Since the passing of the Act 12 out of 24 wholesale vendors and a large number of retail dealers have either closed their business altogether or have no stock of *ghee* at present, but it is reported that some new shops have recently been opened for the sale of *ghee* which is alleged to be pure. Three tallow factories and eight places where it was suspected that adulteration of *ghee* with tallow was being carried on, were recently raided. No *ghee* was found in the tallow factories, and the samples taken proved on analysis to be only tallow. Of the other eight places which are mostly situated in *bustees*, four have closed down since the new Act came into force, one was found to be a *bonâ fide* tallow and oil depôt and three are under observation."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Health of a détenu.

* 14. (*a*) Is it a fact that one Surendra Mohan Ghose of Dhipur (of Dacca), a détenu now interned at Rangamati (Noakhali district), submitted two petitions to the Superintendent of Police (Noakhali), one on the 30th May and the other on the 11th of June last, praying to be placed under the treatment of the Civil Surgeon, as his health did not improve under the treatment of the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, and that on the contrary he was getting worse, and that he was informed on the 24th June by the police officer that his case had been reported to the Deputy Inspector-General of Police?

(*b*) Is it a fact that he again made two petitions, one on the 10th July and another on the 26th August last, to the Additional Secretary, through the Superintendent of Police (Noakhali), to the above effect, but that nothing was done?

(*c*) Is it a fact that on the 15th September last, the détenu was transferred from Sandip island, where he was interned, to Rangamati, and from there he again submitted a petition dated the 3rd October?

(*d*) If the answers to the above questions be in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to state the reason for the delay in dealing with the petitions and redressing the grievances of the détenu?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) Surendra Mohan Ghose who was then interned at Sidhi suffered from dyspepsia in June; arrangements were made for his medical treatment and the doctor reported on 7th June that he was suffering from chronic dyspepsia and was in no danger whatever. On the 10th July the

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détenu addressed a petition to the Additional Secretary praying that he might be placed under " proper medical treatment " and be provided with one artificial tooth to replace one he had lost. He was still under medical treatment and there was no foundation for the allegation that the treatment was not ' proper,' but as the dyspepsia was chronic, it was decided to transfer him to another place, and as soon as the necessary arrangements could be made the order of transfer to Rangamati was passed on the 3rd September. No petition appears to have been received by Government dated the 3rd October.

(*d*) There has been no unnecessary delay in dealing with the petitions of the détenu, and as will be seen from the answer to the first part of the question there are no legitimate grievances to be redressed."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Collector of Stamp and Excise Revenue and Deputy Collector of Land Revenue at Calcutta.

* 15. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state who is the present Collector of Stamp and Excise Revenue and Deputy Collector of Land Revenue at Calcutta?

(*b*) What post did he hold before this appointment?

(*c*) When was he appointed to the present post?

(*d*) Has he been made permanent? If not, why not?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD in the absence of the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Babu Nityananda Bhar.

(*b*) and (*c*) In August 1910, Babu Nityananda Bhar, who was then on leave but had previously been Subdivisional Officer of Bangaon in Jessore, was appointed Deputy Collector of Calcutta. On 8th June 1916 he was appointed to officiate as Collector of Excise and Stamp Revenue and Deputy Collector of Land Revenue in addition.

(*d*) He has not been made permanent, as the future of the post is under the consideration of Government."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

An Assistant Collector of Income-tax for Calcutta.

* 16. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that a new post of Assistant Collector of Income-tax, Calcutta, has been created?

(*b*) Under what circumstances and for what purpose has this post been created?

(*c*) Was the appointment made in consultation with the Collector of Income-tax and the Divisional Commissioner? If so, what were their recommendations?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the correspondence on the subject?

(*e*) Who has been appointed to fill the new post? Has he had any training in the income-tax work at Calcutta?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The appointment of a wholetime officer of this rank was necessitated by the great increase in income-tax work created by the passing of the Income-tax (Amendment) Act V of 1916.

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(*c*) Yes. Both the Collector and Commissioner recommended the appointment of an additional officer to assist the Collector.

(*d*) Government are not prepared to lay the correspondence on the table.

(*e*) Mr. C. H. Crosse, Deputy Magistrate, 3rd grade. He had experience of income-tax work in Calcutta, when he acted as Collector of Income-tax for 8 months in 1912."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Assessor of Super-tax in Calcutta.

* 17. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether a special officer has been appointed as an Assessor of Super-tax at Calcutta?

(*b*) If so, what is the salary of the post and who is the officer appointed?

(*c*) What post did he occupy last and what salary did he draw there?

(*d*) What number of persons are liable to be assessed under the Super-tax in Calcutta?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state why the work of the assessment of Super-tax could not be distributed among the existing Assessors in their respective jurisdictions?

(*f*) Is it a fact that everywhere else in the Presidency of Bengal this work is being done by the existing Assessors?

(*g*) If it was necessary to appoint a special officer to the post, will the Government be pleased to state why a member of the Provincial Executive Service, drawing the next lower pay, was not appointed to the post?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) A post of Superintendent for Super-tax work has been sanctioned temporarily for one year, and Mr. C. R. George, Superintendent of the Stamp Department in the Calcutta Collectorate, has been appointed to the post on a salary of Rs. 480 with a fixed conveyance allowance of Rs. 50 a month. His pay as Superintendent of the Stamp Department was Rs. 400 a month.

(*d*) The number of persons assessed up to the 31st October, 1917 was 221. Information as to the total number liable is not yet available.

(*e*) Income-tax work already fully occupies the time of the existing Assessors and an additional officer was found necessary for Super-tax work.

(*f*) Yes. Outside Calcutta there are very few assessees liable to Super-tax, and no additional staff is required by District Officers.

(*g*) The character of the work connected with the assessment of the Super-tax in Calcutta demands experience which is not found in the Provincial Executive Service."

The answers to the following Unstarred Questions were laid on the table :—

By the Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR :—

Mymensingh-Bhairab Railway.

I. (*a*) Is it a fact that the Mymensingh-Bhairab Railway Company charges a fare for a distance of 14 miles from Mymensingh to Shambhuganj, whereas the actual distance is only 3¼ miles?

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(*b*) Is it a fact that, owing to this charge, passengers for up trains usually book themselves from, and passengers for down trains to, the Shambhuganj station?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that people generally prefer coming this distance by boat, or on foot during the dry season, rather than pay the extra fare?

(*d*) Are the Government considering the desirability of making an inquiry into the matter with a view to recommending the reduction of the extra fare?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the distance over the bridge on the Brahmaputra is calculated at 10 miles, whereas its actual distance is less than half a mile?

(*f*) Are the Government considering the desirability of making an inquiry as to whether any extra mileage is charged on any other railway under similar circumstances?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) The reply is in the affirmative.

(*d*) The question of reducing the fares from Shambhuganj is under the consideration of the Railway Administration.

(*e*) Yes. The extra charge represents a " pontage " charge on account of the expensive bridge over the Old Brahmaputra river.

(*f*) No inquiry is considered necessary. A special rate over an expensive section of line is justified; and the method adopted of assuming a hypothetical increase in distance is that usually adopted in such cases."

By the Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR :—

Height of the railway bridge over the Brahmaputra.

II. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the fact that the height of the railway bridge over the Brahmaputra from its high water level is insufficient for navigation by ordinary cargo boats?

(*b*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of asking the Railway Company to remove this inconvenience?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" (*a*) No.

(*b*) The headway accepted for this bridge is 23 feet above H.F.L., but, owing to the difficulty of procuring the necessary girders during the war, this Government agreed that a headway of 16 feet should be provided as a purely temporary measure. The bridge, as at present constructed, provides a headway of 16 feet 9 inches above highest recorded flood level, which is about 2 feet higher than ordinary flood level. This gives one or two feet clearance to the fixed masts of the largest boats which usually ply on the river; and ample headway for those boats which lower their movable masts."

By the Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR :—

Mymensingh railway station.

III. (*a*) Are the Government contemplating taking any steps to improve the railway station at Mymensingh?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that there is no separate waiting room in the Mymensingh railway station for intermediate class passengers, both male and female?

(*c*) If so, are the Government contemplating taking any steps with a view to recommending to the railway authorities to remove this inconvenience?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) The question of providing improved facilities at Mymensingh railway station is now engaging the attention of the Eastern Bengal Railway authorities, and a scheme is under investigation.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The question of providing a separate waiting room for intermediate class male passengers will be considered in connection with the scheme for improving the station.

A separate waiting room for intermediate class female passengers is not at present considered necessary."

By the Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR :—

IV. (*a*) Are the Government aware that malaria has already made its appearance in some parts of the Tangail and Manikganj subdivisions? Malaria in East Bengal.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state what steps they are taking to check the spread of the disease?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"The Civil Surgeon of Mymensingh reports that this year malaria is not so prevalent in the Tangail subdivision as it was in previous years. In some localities it was reported to be prevalent, and two District Board doctors were deputed to do malaria duty in the Tangail subdivision. One of them has been withdrawn very recently and one is still on duty there. So far as Manikganj is concerned, a report is being awaited."

By the Hon'ble RAI SRI NATH RAY BAHADUR :—

V. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the litigant public and their witnesses have to suffer great inconvenience and expose themselves to the sun and to the rain for want of sheds in Court compounds? Sheds for litigants in Court compounds.

(*b*) Is it a fact that the litigant public contribute largely to the income derived from the Courts?

(*c*) If so, are the Government considering the desirability of taking any steps to mitigate this inconvenience?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Government are aware that the accommodation provided for parties and witnesses is defective in many places.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Sheds are being provided in the places where they are most required as rapidly as is possible in view of the financial situation and the demands for judicial buildings of a more urgent nature."

By the Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI :—

VI. Are the Government considering the advisability of allowing the members of the Provincial Educational Service and the Indian members of the Indian Educational Service in Bengal an opportunity of expressing their views and grievances (if any) on the recommendations of the Public Public Services Commission and the Educational Services.

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Services Commission affecting their interest and prospects in the service with a view to considering them before any action is taken upon those recommendations?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" Government are appointing a strong Provincial Committee, on which influential Indian opinion will be represented, to consider and report to the Government of Bengal upon the recommendations of the Public Services Commission regarding the Education Department; the Committee will include members of the Provincial Educational Service, some of whom are acting in the Indian Educational Service. It will be open to any member of the Provincial Educational Service or Indian Educational Service to make a representation to the Committee, which will be instructed to communicate to Government its views on the representations which it receives."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Government High schools in Dacca Division.

VII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, has recently issued to the Head Masters of all Government High English schools within his Division a circular letter No. 21978-82, dated the 29th August, 1917, enjoining the following limits to be strictly observed from the beginning of the next session in each section of the several classes in such schools?—

	Boys.
Classes X, IX	35
„ VIII, VII, VI, V	30
„ IV, III	25

(*b*) Is it not a fact that the University Regulations prescribe the following limits to be observed in each section of the following classes in a High English school?—

	Boys.
Classes X, IX	50
„ VIII, VII, VI, V	40
„ IV, III	30

(*c*) Are the Government aware of the fear that exists that the immediate effect of the Inspector's circular letter referred to above, would be the expulsion of nearly 70 to 80 boys from every Government High English school who would be left with very little chance of getting admission into other high schools whose classes may be already full?

(*d*) Are the Government also aware that his circular letter has produced widespread alarm among the parents and guardians of students in Government High schools in the Dacca Division?

(*e*) Are the Government considering the advisability of suspending the operation of the circular letter in question, pending any inquiry that may be made on the subject, or until additional sections to each of these classes can be provided to meet the demands of these schools?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) Government are aware of the issue of this circular, which applies only to the Dacca Collegiate School, the Dacca Moslem High School, and the Faridpur, Mymensingh and Barisal Zilla Schools.

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(*b*) The University Regulations prescribe these numbers as limits not to be exceeded.

(*c*) Some such apprehension was entertained in certain quarters. A subsequent order of the Inspector, dated 3rd November, 1917 explains and to some extent modifies the original order. It directs that the limits prescribed in the circular shall be worked down to gradually, and that no pupils already in these schools who are making satisfactory progress shall be removed unless their retention leads to the University limits being exceeded.

(*d*) No.

(*e*) No."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Letters of a deceased détenu.

VIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that several letters purporting to have been written by the détenu Sachindra Nath Das Gupta, of Rangpur, previous to his committing suicide, are in circulation, and that no less than three of these letters, one addressed to a Police Inspector at Rangpur and two others addressed to the father and the brother of the deceased, have appeared in public print?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that these letters indicate that the deceased had been watched and shadowed by the police at Rangpur and that this led him to consider his life an intolerable burden to him?

(*c*) If so, how are the statements contained in these letters to be reconciled with the statement made in the official *communiqué* recently issued to the Press that the unfortunate young man was *not* shadowed by any police at Rangpur?

(*d*) What were the sources of information upon which the official *communiqué* referred to above was based?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the deceased was considered to be a promising student and that he had obtained Government scholarships both at the Matriculation and Intermediate examinations of the University?

(*f*) Is it true that the Magistrate-President of the Rangpur College Council had no objection to admit the détenu into his college? If so, on whose objection was he refused such admission?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are aware that some letters purporting to have been written by Sachindra Das Gupta before he committed suicide have appeared in the public press.

(*b*) Some of the expressions used in these letters appear to indicate that Sachindra Nath Das Gupta was under the erroneous impression that he was shadowed by the police.

(*c*) The impression that he was shadowed by the police, if it existed in the mind of Sachindra Nath Das Gupta, was entirely mistaken.

(*d*) The *communiqué* was issued after the examination of such witnesses (including relatives of the deceased) as appeared to be likely to be cognisant of the facts.

(*e*) Government have no information on the subject.

(*f*) The District Magistrate of Rangpur consulted Government regarding the advisability of Sachindra being admitted to the Rangpur College; in view of the information at that time in their possession, Government advised that his admission would entail the risk of other students being contaminated."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Student detenus.

IX. (*a*) What is the total number of student détenus in Bengal who have been set at liberty under the control and supervision of their parents or guardians without being allowed to join any school or college?

(*b*) Are such détenus when set at liberty, as stated above, kept under any kind of police surveillance?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) It is presumed that the question refers to détenus whose order of domicile has been cancelled on the provision of guarantees for future good behaviour; the total number of détenus so released has been 108, the majority of whom are students. No statistics have been kept as to their subsequent treatment in the matter of education; individual cases are dealt with as they arise. Unless there are exceptional circumstances, it is the policy of Government to leave the decision, whether a détenu, after the order of internment is cancelled, may join a school or college, to the school or college authortities in consultation with the District Magistrate, provided that the full facts of the case are laid before these authorities.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

Student détenus and their studies.

X. Will the Government be pleased to explain the meaning of the policy under which student détenus are set at liberty under the roof of their parents or guardians and yet debarred from prosecuting their studies in public schools and colleges? Is there any economic consideration underlying this policy?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" As long as the order of internment is in force against a détenu it is clearly impossible to allow him to attend a school or college. When the order is cancelled, unless there are exceptional circumstances, the responsibility of deciding whether permission to join shall be granted or not must rest with the school authorities who are responsible to the guardians of the other boys at the school; in order to discharge this responsibility it is essential that they should consult the district authorities who are in possession of the full facts of the case.

The second part of the question is not understood."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

A detenu's suicide.

XI. (*a*) In the case of Hari Das Das, which formed the subject of interpellation at the meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council held on the 4th September last, will the Government be pleased to state how or why the petitions of the deceased, dated the 4th and 14th July, reached the Superintendent of Police after his return from the local inquiry into the matter of the suicide?

(*b*) Were the petitions received through the Post Office or how?

(*c*) Did any of the police officers who visited Hari Das Das from the 5th to the 18th July make any report regarding the condition of his health or touching any complaint made by him about his allowance?

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(*d*) How long was Hari Das Das suffering from malarial fever prior to the suicide?

(*e*) Was the District Magistrate's finding as to the suicide being the "result of depression after fever" based upon any medical examination or expert opinion?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) The petition dated the 8th July (not the 4th) was written at the guest-house, Puthia, and handed over to the thana police on the 9th idem. It was forwarded to the office of the Superintendent of Police, but partly owing to his illness and partly owing to his absence on a local inquiry it was not put up for orders till the 19th July. The petitions dated the 14th July, were not received at the thana till the 17th July, and were then forwarded to the Superintendent of Police.

(*b*) The petitions were received at the thana and forwarded in the ordinary course to the office of the Superintendent of Police.

(*c*) Hari Das was under the doctor's treatment at the guest-house from the 6th till the 9th July; no reports regarding his health or any complaints regarding an allowance have been received from the police officers who visited him after that date The doctor who attended him stated that Hari Das had expressed gratitude for the kind treatment he had received at the hands of the police.

(*d*) Hari Das had fever from the 1st July; he was at the guest-house from the 6th to the evening of the 9th idem, and was under treatment for four days after this.

(*e*) The District Magistrate arrived at his conclusions on the basis of the evidence recorded, including that of the doctor who attended Hari Das."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

XII. Will the Government be pleased to say whether they are considering the advisability of modifying or relaxing the rules and practices now in force regarding détenus in general and as regards student détenus in particular so as to admit of their prosecuting their studies in schools or colleges, wherever practicable? Détenus and their studies.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR :—

XIII. (*a*) Is it a fact that one Surendra Nath Kar, a student of the 3rd year class of the Calcutta Presidency College and an inhabitant of Bistoopur, in the district of Bankura, was interned under the Defence of India Act and domiciled in Crow Island? A détenu's suicide.

(*b*) If so, is it true that this Surendra Nath Kar while under detention committed suicide?

(*c*) If this be true, will the Government be pleased to make a full statement about the facts and circumstances of this case?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*), (*b*) and (*c*) The answer is in the affirmative. Full details of this case have already been given, *vide* the answers to Council question XXXIX asked by the Hon'ble Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray at the meeting of the Council held on the 4th September, 1917."

By the Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY :—

Bakr-Id in Telinipara.

XIV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the District Magistrate of Hooghly has placed certain restrictions on the Musalmans of Telinipara in respect of *Qurbani* on the occasion of the *Bakr-Id*?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what the restrictions are and note the reasons for such restrictions?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) No new restrictions were imposed on the Muhammadans of Telinipara in respect of the *Bakr-Id* this year. *Qurbani* was first allowed at Telinipara in 1912 with permission to kill two cows, and this number was doubled in 1916. The Hindus, however, objected to an increased number of cows being killed and to beef being landed at the Telinipara Ghat, where there is a temple. The District Magistrate of Hooghly thereupon interviewed the representatives of both parties. It was stated at the interview that the Muhammadans agreed to land beef at the next ghat further down the river which is almost as convenient, and that the Hindus would in that case have no cause for complaint. The District Magistrate accordingly passed orders that beef should in future be landed at the next ghat further down the river."

By the Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI :—

Ministerial staff of the Malda Collectorate.

XV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether a vacancy recently occurred in the Forms Department, Malda Collectorate, to which one Purna Chandra Mazumdar, a probationer, was appointed in preference to another paid probationer, one Samiruddin Mohamed?

(*b*) Is it a fact that both these candidates were appointed on the same day as probationers?

(*c*) Is it a fact that Samiruddin had passed the Entrance examination and the other candidate had not?

(*d*) Is it a fact that Samiruddin belongs to the district and the other candidate does not?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state the reasons that led to the appointment of a Hindu candidate in preference to the Muhammadan candidate?

(*f*) Is it a fact that there is a standing Government circular laying down that Muhammadans shall be appointed in Government offices till their number reaches at least one-third of the total number of appointments in such offices?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) The answers are in the affirmative.

(*e*) As Purna Chandra Mazumdar was senior in the register of probationers and had worked to the satisfaction of his superior officers, he was appointed to the vacancy.

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(*f*) Government have from time to time issued circulars regarding the employment of Muhammadans in mufassal offices: it is not intended that Muhammadans should be appointed to all vacancies in each office until their number reaches at least one-third of the total number of appointments therein, but that that proportion should be worked up to gradually by reserving for Muhammadans at least that proportion of vacancies as they occur, provided suitable Muhammadan candidates can be found."

By the Hon'ble MR. M. ASHRAF ALI KHAN CHAUDHURI:—

Conduct of a Sub-Deputy Magistrate.

XVI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is correct that Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector and Magistrate of Kandi, Murshidabad, dismissed the case of a Muhammadan party who went to say his *Jumma* (Friday) prayers after having approached the Sub-Deputy Magistrate, with the mukhtears, with a request for leave on the 14th September 1917?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Deputy Collector came to Court on that day at 12-30 P.M., and that he dismissed the case at 1 P.M.?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state what steps they are taking in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR KERR:—

"(*a*) It is a fact that Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta dismissed the petition of complaint of a Muhammadan while he was absent saying his *Jumma* prayers, but it does not appear that the latter or his mukhtear on his behalf had applied to the Magistrate for leave.

(*b*) The Magistrate came to court at about 12-15 P.M. on that day and dismissed the case shortly afterwards.

(*c*) The case has been revived and is being disposed of on its merits. Government do not propose to take any further action in the matter."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY:—

Allowances of détenus

XVII. Will the Government be pleased to state how many applications or other representations have been made by détenus or their relations up to date with regard to the non-payment or inadequacy of maintenance allowances, and what action has been taken thereon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"The collection of the information asked for would involve an additional burden on already overworked officers, and Government do not think that the public utility of the information when obtained would be commensurate with the labour entailed."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY:—

Places of domici of détenus.

XVIII. (*a*) In how many instances have the Government received complaints regarding the unsuitability of the places of domicile of détenus, and what inquiries have been made with regard thereto, and with what result?

(*b*) What is usually the nature of the complaints?

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(*c*) In how many instances have the places of domicile been described as—

(*i*) malarious,
(*ii*) desolate,
(*iii*) infested with snakes,
(*iv*) unusually damp, or
(*v*) jungly?

And what steps have been taken by the Government in each such case?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XVII."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Illness of détenus.

XIX. (*a*) What are the rules for affording medical treatment and nursing to détenus who may fall ill?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the détenus have to bear the cost of medicines out of their maintenance allowance?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Détenus receive facilities for obtaining medical advice, so far as possible, similar to those which would have been open to them had they not been under detention In cases of mild illness facilities are given for attendance at the nearest dispensary; when indoor treatment is required the détenu is transferred to the nearest hospital, and when he is unable to be moved facilities are given for calling in the nearest medical man.

(*b*) The détenu has to pay for medicines in the same way as other members of the public, and the cost is treated as part of his necessary expenditure."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Allowances of détenus.

XX. (*a*) With reference to the reply given to my unstarred question No. XXXVIII asked at the meeting of the Council held on the 4th September last, will the Government be pleased to explain the arrangement by which détenus are required to obtain advances from Superintendents and Sub-Inspectors of Police in order to maintain themselves pending the granting of any allowance by the higher authorities?

(*b*) Is any inquiry made by the police, as a rule, at the time when a détenu arrives at the place of his enforced domicile, as to the sufficiency of the funds at his disposal, and do the local police thereupon make themselves responsible for providing his necessaries of life, in case of any insufficiency of the détenu's resources, till adequate financial aid arrives either from the higher authorities or from the détenu's own people?

(*c*) Are such advances, as indicated in the reply to the said unstarred question, made by the police out of any special funds placed at their disposal for such purpose?

(*d*) Is any report submitted to the higher authorities by the local police informing them of the financial position of the détenu and of the advances that he has been given? If so, when was any such report submitted in the case of Hari Das Das, and to whom?

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(*e*) Is any report or communication of any kind required to be submitted by the local police relating to any détenu who may be domiciled within their jurisdiction? If so, what particulars are required to be included in such reports?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) Government do not undertake to give maintenance allowances except in cases where the relatives of the détenu are unable to support him in his place of internment and the détenu has no means of his own. In such cases it is open to the détenu to petition the Magistrate of the district in which he is interned, who is authorised after such inquiry as he thinks fit to grant such allowances as may be suitable in the circumstances of the case. The payment of this allowance is reported to Government for formal sanction. Should it be necessary in any case, pending the grant of an allowance, the thana police make such advances as are required.

(*c*) The answer is in the negative.

(*d*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to (*a*) and (*b*). Hari Das Das did not submit any petition for the grant of a maintenance allowance.

(*e*) The Superintendent of Police is in charge of the détenus in his district, and the local police submit to him such reports as he desires."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Suicide of a détenu.

XXI. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table all reports or communications that may have been received by the Additional Secretary to the Government and the Superintendent of Police, Rajshahi, or any other authorities, relating to Hari Das Das after the 12th of June last, noting the steps taken thereon?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"Government do not consider it desirable to lay on the table such reports or communications."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Letters, etc., of a deceased détenu.

XXII. Will the Government be pleased to place on the table all letters, petitions or communications that may have been addressed by Hari Das Das, from time to time, either to the Additional Secretary or to the local police or to any other authorities, together with all replies thereto?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XXI."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Allowances to détenus.

XXIII. (*a*) Are the Government in a position to explain the delay in the receipt of each of the four petitions referred to in the reply to unstarred question No. XXXVIII, asked at the meeting of Council on the 4th September last?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to explain in the light of the reply to the aforesaid unstarred question the exact procedure to be followed by a détenu for the purpose of obtaining an allowance, and state the different stages through which an application for an allowance has to pass before it reaches the Additional Secretary?

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(*c*) What is the average time taken by an application for an allowance to reach the Additional Secretary; and what is, approximately, the period which generally elapses between the date of the détenu's application for an allowance and the date on which the first payment thereof actually reaches him?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XI asked by the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XX.

(*c*) No answer to this question is possible."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Case of a deceased détenu.

XXIV. (*a*) With reference to the answer to clause (*e*) of the question No. XXXVIII asked on the 4th September last, referring to the visits paid to Hari Das Das by a Head Constable on the 4th, 5th and 6th July, will the Government be pleased to explain the reason why Hari Das Das had to walk a mile from his place of domicile to the thana on the 6th July to report that he had fever?

(*b*) In what condition did the Head Constable find him on these three days of his visit to the détenu?

(*c*) Why was not the détenu admitted into any hospital as requested by him?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Hari Das Das was visited by the doctor at his own domicile twice daily on the 4th and 5th July, and on the 6th July he came into Puthia and was accommodated in the guest-house for indoor treatment under the doctor."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Police action on a détenu's suicide.

XXV. (*a*) What reports were made by the Head Constable and the Sub-Inspector who visited Hari Das Das on the 17th and 18th July respectively as to the state of health and of mind in which they found him on those dates; and what was the conversation they had with him on those occasions?

(*b*) Did these officers satisfy themselves on those occasions that Hari Das had an adequate supply of articles of food or sufficient funds at his disposal?

(*c*) On what date did Hari Das return from Puthia guest-house to his domicile, after recovery from fever; and on what date was the petition addressed to the Superintendent of Police asking for an advance of money and mentioning the fever?

(*d*) On the date Hari Das returned from Puthia guest-house, did he mention to the police anything about his insufficiency of funds; or did the police make any inquiry as to the funds at his disposal before sending him away to his place of domicile on that day?

(*e*) What happened to the petition to the Police Superintendent asking for an advance of money, between the date when it was addressed and the date on which it was received by the Superintendent?

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(*f*) Did this petition pass through the hands of the police at Puthia thana at any stage; if so, when; and what inquiries were thereupon made by the Puthia police as to the nature of the resources then at the disposal of the détenu, and with what result?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) Government have no information on these points. No unfavourable reports were ever received from these officers.

(*c*) Hari Das returned to his domicile on the evening of the 9th July; the petition asking for an advance and mentioning the fever was dated the 14th and reached the Puthia thana on the 17th.

(*d*) Hari Das Das was given two advances by the police, and his servant undertook to cater for him if the Inspector guaranteed payment; this was done.

(*e*) and (*f*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XI (*a*) and (*b*)."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Allowances of a deceased détenu.

XXVI. (*a*) What were the educational qualifications of Hari Das Das and the salary drawn by him as Second Master of the Malda School prior to his detention?

(*b*) Was any servant or cook allowed him during his detention? If not, why not?

(*c*) When the Superintendent of Police made an advance of Rs. 10 to him, how many days' expenses was this amount intended to cover?

(*d*) When was the second advance (Rs. 5) applied for and received, and what representations were made by Hari Das when applying for the same?

(*e*) For how many days did the local police expect the two allowances of Rs. 10 and 5, respectively, to last Hari Das?

(*f*) What are the average monthly earnings and expenses, respectively of a common day labourer in the district of Rajshahi?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Hari Das had passed the Entrance Examination; Government are not aware of the salary he drew at the Malda School.

(*b*) Hari Das Das employed a servant.

(*c*), (*d*) and (*e*) Government are unable to answer these questions.

(*f*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the official publication entitled 'Prices and Wages in India, 1917.'"

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Medical opinion on a détenu's suicide.

XXVII. (*a*) With regard to the District Magistrate's "finding" that the suicide of Hari Das Das was "probably" the result of the depression after fever, will the Government be pleased to state whether the District Magistrate conducted the inquiry into the suicide with the help of any competent medical man?

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(*b*) Have the Government been pleased to ascertain authoritative medical opinion as to whether the depression after five days of recovery from a short attack of " simple malarial fever with no complications " would be sufficient to induce a man to take his life?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the report of the District Magistrate with all enclosures and connected papers?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XI (*e*).

(*b*) Government do not consider it necessary to make further inquiry as suggested.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to question XXI."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Non-cremation of a deceased détenu's body.

XXVIII. (*a*) With reference to the statement made by Government that the remains of Hari Das Das were " consigned to the Ganges as his castemen were not willing to cremate the body, " will the Government be pleased to state the names of those people who were requested to do the last rites to Hari Das Das and refused, and by whom, where and when were they requested in that behalf?

(*b*) What caste did Hari Das Das belong to and what is approximately the number of the adult male population of this caste within the jurisdiction of the Puthia thana?

(*c*) By whom, where, at what time, and in whose presence were the remains of Hari Das Das consigned to the Ganges?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government have no information.

(*b*) Hari Das is reported to be a Mahesya by caste; Government have no information regarding the number of Mahesyas in the Puthia thana.

(*c*) The remains were consigned to the Ganges by the same persons as brought the body for the *post-mortem* examination; Government have no information as to the other details asked for."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

Cause of a détenu's suicide.

XXIX. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the general feeling that exists that Hari Das Das was driven to commit suicide by starvation?

(*b*) Is it a fact that he left a note to this effect in writing which was taken away by the police after his death?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are not aware of the existence of any such feeling, for which there is no foundation.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question No. XXXVIII (*f*) asked by the Hon'ble Member at the meeting held on 4th September last "

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By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXX. (*a*) Is it a fact that one Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta, who was for some time a détenu at Rangpur, recently committed suicide? Suicide of détenu. Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state the dates and places of his first arrest and subsequent detention?

(*c*) When was he released from detention, and on what conditions?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) Sachindra Das Gupta was arrested in Calcutta on the 24th August, 1916; on the 23rd September, 1916, an order was passed domiciling him with his father.

(*c*) The order of internment was cancelled on the 19th December, 1916, on his executing an agreement (*a*) not to associate with any political movement, (*b*) not to knowingly associate with any suspicious characters, and (*c*) to remain loyal."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXI. (*a*) What was the information on the basis of which Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta was dealt with under the Defence of India Rules, and what were the reasons for his subsequent release? Suicide of Sachindra Chandra Da Gupta.

(*b*) Is it a fact that the charge against him was not of a serious character or had not been substantiated?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government do not consider it in the public interest to give the information which formed the basis of the action taken against Sachindra Das. He was released when Government considered that his freedom from restrictions, upon the undertaking he gave, was compatible with the public safety.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXII. (*a*) Is it a fact that Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta had a distinguished career as a student, and was reading for the B. A. when he was arrested? Détenus and police surveillance

(*b*) Is it a fact that he addressed a petition to the Additional Secretary to the Government for permission to resume his studies at the local college after his release?

(*c*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the said and any other connected petitions, addressed either to the local executive and educational authorities, or to the higher officials, in this connection, together with all reports, notes and replies by the said authorities, in chronological order?

(*d*) With reference to the statement in the official *communiqué* issued in this connection, that the young man was not allowed to study in the Rangpur College as " in the interests of discipline it was inexpedient that

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the deceased should enter the college," will the Government be pleased to state the nature of the information on which this order was based?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the District Magistrate of Rangpur and President of the college had informed the young man that he had no objection to admit him if the Additional Secretary had none?

(*f*) Will the Government be pleased to state what inquiry was made, and by what authorities, before the official *communiqué* was issued?

(*g*) On the authority of what inquiry and report has the statement been made therein to the effect that no police surveillance was ordered and that there was no surveillance either by the local police or by the special police?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"(*a*) Sachindra was reading for the B.A when he was arrested

(*b*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XXI.

(*d*) Government do not consider it in the public interest to disclose the nature of the information against Sachindra in their possession.

(*e*) There is a statement to that effect on the petition of Sachindra to the Additional Secretary.

(*f*) and (*g*) The inquiry was made by Government from all the authorities concerned."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY:—

Restrictions on a détenu's movements.

XXXIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta was prohibited from taking part in any game with boys of his age, and was directed by the C. I. D. officers not to attend the local public library and not to talk to any young man except the members of his family?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the letters which were addressed by the young man to the District Magistrate and a C. I. D. officer at the time of his committing suicide?

(*c*) How do the Government account for the allegations as regards surveillance contained therein?

(*d*) What are the circumstances that determine as to whether there should be surveillance or not in connection with a détenu after his release, and who are the authorities that usually pass orders in that behalf?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the individual officials who would have been competent to pass an order of surveillance in the case of Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta, and are they considering the desirability of obtaining a statement in writing from each of them regarding the part taken by him in the present instance?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"(*a*) Government have learnt that the father of Sachindra directed him not to take part in games with other boys or to attend the local public library. The C.I.D. and the local police had nothing whatever to do with any such direction

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(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XXI.

(*c*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question VIII (*c*).

(*d*) and (*e*) There is no surveillance over a détenu after the order of internment has been cancelled, except to the extent that any conditions specifically attached to the order of cancellation must be obeyed."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXIV. (*a*) In how many and what proportion of instances in which détenus have been released, has there been no order for surveillance? Released détenus and police surveillance.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to give the names and present addresses of such détenus?

(*c*) Is surveillance the general rule or an exception in the case of released détenus?

(*d*) Did the matter of Sachindra Chandra Das Gupta ever come up for consideration before the police authorities as to whether there should or should not be an order for surveillance?

(*e*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table all papers in that connection?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given to question XXXIII, (*d*) and (*e*)."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXV. (*a*) Has the attention of Government been drawn to question No. 4 of the Imperial Council meeting dated the 5th September last, and the reply of Sir William Vincent thereto? Proposed tribunal for internment cases.

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have been consulted by the Imperial Government regarding the necessity for appointing tribunals or committees for the examination of internment cases? And, if so, what are the intentions of Government in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) The matter has been the subject of correspondence with the Imperial Government; any decision arrived at will be made known in due course."

By the Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY :—

XXXVI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement giving— Deposits demanded under the Press Act.

(*i*) all the instances since 1910 in which deposits were demanded under sections 3 (*1*) and 8 (*1*), respectively, of the Press Act, noting the amount of deposit in each case; and

(*ii*) those cases in which such deposits were dispensed with under the provisos to sections 3 (*1*) and 8 (*1*), respectively, noting the special reasons recorded by the Magistrate in each case as required under the said provisos?

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(*b*) In how many and which of the instances under (*i*) and (*ii*) of the foregoing question was the deposit either demanded or dispensed with, on the declaration under the Press and Registration Act having been necessitated by the death of the previously registered keeper of the press or publisher of a newspaper?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) Statements which furnish the required information are laid on the table."*

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Police officers and public meetings.

XXXVII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that in a public meeting held on the 27th October, 1917, in the Town Hall of Couilla, to consider what steps should be taken to welcome the Right Hon'ble Mr. Montagu and to submit such petition to him as is mentioned in the press *communiqué* issued by the Government some police officers were present?

(*b*) Did these officers attend as private citizens or in their capacity as police officers?

(*c*) If they attended as police officers, did they do so of their own accord or under the orders of superior officers?

(*d*) Did they apprehend any breach of the peace? If so, did they adopt any precautionary measures beyond their personal presence?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the organizers of the meeting held the same in the Town Hall with the permission of the District Magistrate?

(*f*) Is there any circular or order of the Government or of the police department directing police officers to attend, watch and report the proceedings of all public meetings irrespective of any apprehension of breach of the peace?

(*g*) Do police officers as a matter of fact invariably attend all public meetings for such purposes?

(*h*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table all orders and instructions of the Government or the police department with respect to the conduct and duty of police officers in connection with public meetings?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) They attended in their capacity as police officers.

(*c*) They received orders from their superior officers to attend the meeting.

(*d*) No breach of the peace was apprehended, nor were any precautionary measures adopted.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) No.

(*g*) No.

(*h*) The instructions are confidential and Government are not prepared to lay them on the table."

* Not included in these Proceedings.

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By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Editor of *Sanjibani* and his visit to Comilla.

XXXVIII. (*a*) Is there any order of the Government or the police department directing police officers to watch the movements of Babu Krishna Kumar Mitra, Editor of the *Sanjibani*?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that on the occasion of his visit to Comilla on the 27th October last the local police watched his movements and inquired about his arrival and departure?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*b*). Government do not consider it desirable to publish information as to whether any particular person is under police surveillance or not. So far as they are aware no surveillance was exercised on the particular occasion referred to."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Report of the Public Services Commission.

XXXIX. (*a*) With reference to paragraph 3 of letter No. 380 C., dated the 25th January, 1917, addressed by the Home Department of the Government of India and laid on the table in this Council in answer to unstarred question No. VII of the meeting of the 7th August, 1917, relating to the procedure to be adopted in connection with the consideration of the Report of the Public Services Commission, will the Government be pleased to say whether they have received from the Government of India the provisional conclusions formed by the letter regarding the Commission's recommendations involving general principles and of general application; and whether the Local Government have formulated their views thereon?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the aforementioned provisional conclusions and the views formulated by the Local Government thereon?

(*c*) What steps, if any, have been or are being taken in accordance with paragraphs 4 and 5 of the said letter?

(*d*) Have the Local Government received from the Government of India their tentative views on the Commission's detailed recommendations?

(*e*) Has any officer been appointed by the Local Government in accordance with paragraph 5 of the said letter to represent them in the conferences mentioned therein? If so, will the Government be pleased to state the name of the officer?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" Neither the provisional conclusions nor the tentative views of the Government of India have as yet been received, and the other points raised do not necessarily arise."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Police officers and Mr. Montagu's visit

XL. Are the Government aware that police officers in many parts of Bengal are asking people to declare themselves opposed to the introduction of responsible Government and asking them not to sign and submit any memorial to the Right Hon'ble Mr. Montagu praying for the same?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" So far as Government are aware the allegation made is unfounded."

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By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Attitude of police officers regarding Mr. Montagu's visit.

XLI. (*a*) Have the Government or the Police Department issued any circular or instruction indicating what should be the duty and attitude of the police officers with respect to the submission of memorials to Mr. Montagu and generally with respect to the movement for constitutional reforms?

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay the same on the table?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR KERR :—

"(*a*) Under the Government Servants' Conduct Rules Government servants are enjoined not to take part in any political movement. Apart from this general rule, no special instructions have been issued either by Government or by the Police Department regarding the attitude of police officers on the subjects mentioned in the question. In so far as the movement is of political importance reports are received, in the usual course, regarding its character and progress.

(*b*) In view of the reply to the foregoing question, it is neither necessary nor desirable to lay any papers on the table."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Erosion at Noakhali—

XLII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any effective steps have been taken by them for arresting the erosion of the river at Noakhali?

(*b*) Has any inquiry been caused to be made by any river-expert to ascertain whether the said erosion is preventable? If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the report of such inquiry?

(*c*) If no such inquiry has been made, have the Government considered the advisability of instituting such an inquiry before deciding upon the removal of the headquarters of the Noakhali district, either permanent or temporary?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the people of Noakhali have asked for such an inquiry? If so, what orders have the Government been pleased to pass in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

(*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*). The erosion of the sea coast along the south of Noakhali district is not confined to the river at Noakhali town; the problem of arresting the erosion is a problem of great magnitude for the effective solution of which no satisfactory proposal has been put forward.

As stated in the reply to the Hon'ble Babu Arun Chandra Singha, at the Council meeting of 13th December, 1916, any diversion of the river for the purpose of protecting the existing town of Noakhali has been found impossible.

Not merely one inquiry but numerous inquiries and observations have been made regarding the coast erosion at Noakhali by Engineers and others with expert experience. At present there is no self-contained report suitable for presentation to the Council.

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The attitude of Government in the matter is to be prepared in time, in case the forces of nature compel the abandonment of the present site; but, as already stated, inquiries hitherto made indicate the hopelessness of contending with nature for the purpose of stopping the erosion. Government have received no request for the specific inquiry suggested, but have on several occasions been requested to stop the erosion."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Noakhali people and the erosion.

XLIII. (*a*) Is it a fact that the people of Noakhali have expressed their desire and readiness to contribute towards the cost of any preventive measure which the Government may decide to adopt for arresting the erosion to save the town of Noakhali?

(*b*) Have the Government taken into consideration the fact that the cost of the inquiry indicated in question XLII will be nominal compared with the cost of temporary removal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

"(*a*) No communication on the subject has been received by Government.

(*b*) Government have taken all the circumstances into consideration."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

Re-survey of certain *khas mahal* lands.

XLIV. (*a*) Are the Government aware that certain "Khas Mahals" in pargana Bardakhat, in the district of Tippera, which were settled with proprietors on the basis of record-of-rights prepared under the Bengal Tenancy Act for a term of 30 years, have again been surveyed?

(*b*) Are the Government aware of the opinion that has been expressed that the record-of-rights which will now be prepared on the new survey will be of no value, as it will not be binding either on the proprietors or on the tenants until the expiry of the present settlement, which will as a matter of fact continue for over 12 years in view of the provisions of Bengal Regulation VII of 1822 and the terms of the kabuliyat executed by the proprietor according to the prescribed form?

(*c*) Is it in the contemplation of the Government to levy the cost of the survey and settlement operations from the proprietors or tenants?

(*d*) Have the Government considered in this connection that—

(*i*) the proprietors or tenants were not liable for the costs of the last settlement operations, and

(*ii*) they will not derive any benefit by the operations?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

"(*a*) Government have ascertained that no recommendation has been made for the omission of any such estate from the district survey and settlement. Such petty estates are only omitted from the district operations if a previous record under the Bengal Tenancy Act has been recently prepared and if the previous survey is sufficiently satisfactory to make it suitable for incorporation in the general operations.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative.

(*c*) The answer is in the affirmative as regards cases in which land revenue is not about to be revised on the basis of the present operations and in the negative as regards cases in which land revenue is about to be so revised.

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(*d*) Government have considered the general question involved both from the point of view of the landlords and tenants and from the point of view of the general tax-payer. Government do not agree that the landlords and tenants will not derive any benefit from the operations."

By the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA :—

List of détenus.

XLV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a complete list of all the people who have been interned in Bengal, under the Defence of India Act, stating—

(*i*) their names and their fathers' names;

(*ii*) their place of ordinary residence;

(*iii*) their place of domicile;

(*iv*) their age;

(*v*) their occupation and employment at the date of their internment and

(*vi*) the amount of allowance granted to them and their families?

(*b*) Is it a fact that before internment the détenus are kept in some jails in solitary confinement for some time?

(*c*) If so, for what purpose are they so kept?

(*d*) Under what law are they so kept?

(*e*) Are they during this period treated as ordinary prisoners? If not, how are they treated?

(*f*) When a détenu is sent to his place of domicile, is he supplied with clothing, bedding and sufficient cash to purchase necessaries?

(*g*) In domiciling a man to a particular place is it ascertained beforehand—

(*i*) whether the place is free from malaria and other insanitary condition; and

(*ii*) whether proper and prompt medical aid is available?

(*h*) What are the maximum and minimum allowances granted to the détenus, and what are the considerations by which these amounts are determined?

(*i*) Are there any non-official visitors appointed to see whether the houses of the détenus are rain-proof, dry, lighted and ventilated?

(*j*) Whose duty is it to look into these things?

(*k*) Is it a fact that when a détenu falls ill, the practice is to send him to a hospital, and that before doing so the police officer has to obtain the permission of the Government and has to wait till that sanction is granted and communicated to him?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are not prepared to lay on the table the list suggested.

(*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) Under rule 12 A of the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules certain officers are empowered to arrest any person against whom a reasonable suspicion exists that he has acted, is acting, or is about to act, with intent to assist the King's enemies, or in a manner prejudicial to the public safety, and to commit them to such custody as the Local Government

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may direct pending the orders of Government: such detention may not last more than a month in all and not more than 15 days without the order of the Local Government. Under the instructions of Government such détenus are detained in jail.

(*e*) They are treated as ordinary under-trial prisoners, but in matters of discipline are treated as civil prisoners.

(*f*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to question XX (*a*) and (*b*).

(*g*) Places suitable for domicile are selected by the Superintendent of Police in each district, and the list of such domiciles is consulted when orders of internment are passed.

(*h*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to question XX (*a*) and (*b*).

(*i*) The answer is in the negative.

(*j*) The duty of supervising the détenus and providing them with suitable accommodation rests with the Superintendent of Police.

(*k*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer to question XIX (*a*); when a détenu is transferred to a hospital it is necessary to temporarily alter the internment order for which Government sanction is required, but the police are authorized to obtain sanction by telegraph, and in cases of urgency to act in anticipation of sanction."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR:—

XLVI. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a full description of the sluice in the Damodar left embankment in the mauza of Gazipur (bearing revenue survey No. 2228, volume III, sheet No. 81) within the jurisdiction of Amta thana in the Howrah district containing among other things the following particulars:— Damodar embankment.

(*i*) reduced level of floor of the sluice,

(*ii*) number of vents,

(*iii*) size of vent,

(*iv*) kind of shutters in use, and

(*v*) the approximate area actually drained?

(*b*) Is it a fact that Sonamukhi, an adjoining mauza, is also drained by the same sluice?

(*c*) What is the total cultivated area in both the mauzas of Sonamukhi and Gazipur?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the major portion of the aforesaid mauzas remain under deep water even up to January and that great damage is done to crops every year owing to the narrowness of the passage for the rain water through the above sluice?

(*e*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what steps they are taking to remedy the grievance?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY:—

"(*a*) The sluice referred to is in mile 80 of the Damodar left embankment, schedule D, No. 32.

(*i*) The reduced level of the floor is 7·47 M.S.L.

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(*ii*) Number of vents, 1.

(*iii*) Size of vent, 2′ × 4′ 3″.

(*iv*) Shutter in use is of wood with screw lifting arrangement.

(*v*) The area benefited is approximately 1½ square miles.

(*b*) The village of Sonamukhi is occasionally also drained through this sluice: but the drainage of this village is usually effected by the Udong sluice.

(*c*) The total cultivated area in the village of Sonamukhi is approximately 1,000 bighas, and that in the village of Gazipur is approximately 1,500 bighas.

(*d*) No records are available to show what areas in the aforesaid villages remain under water up to January in any year. The reduced levels of the fields in the village of Gazipur vary between 8 and 9·0 M.S.L., while the levels of the fields in the adjoining villages vary between 7 and 8·00 M.S.L. It does not appear that any damage to crops is done except in years of excessive rainfall.

(*e*) The area in question forms a part of the lower reaches of the Amta drainage basin; and when the scheme for that basin has been completed the possibility of damage to crops even in years of excessive rainfall will, it is expected, be removed."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Embankments in the South-Western Circle.

XLVII. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the list of sluices in Schedule D embankments in the South-Western Circle?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The information desired by the Hon'ble Member will be found in pages 161—173 of the Bengal Government publication " A Hand-book of Rules for the South-Western Circle " and on pages 74—78 of a publication entitled " Supplementary Hand-book Containing Rules for the Balasore Division."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Working of embankment sluices.

XLVIII. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the revised rules for the working of embankment sluices in the South-Western Circle issued by the Engineers and approved by the Collector of the districts of Hooghly, Burdwan, Midnapore, 24-Parganas and Murshidabad?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The information desired by the Hon'ble Member will be found on page 155 of the Bengal Government publication entitled " A Hand-book of Rules for the South-Western Circle."

By the Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR :—

Application of the Bengal Embankment Act.

XLIX. Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a copy of the list of rivers and khals to which the provisions of section 76 (*b*) of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882, have been applied by notification under section 6 of that Act?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY :—

" The information desired by the Hon'ble Member will be found in the *Calcutta Gazette* notifications specified in the statement, a copy of which is placed on the table."

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Statement of Notifications declaring khals and rivers in the Presidency of Bengal under section 76 (b) of the Embankment Act, referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. COWLEY *to question No. XLIX (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR, *at the Council meeting on the 20th November, 1917.*

Notification No	Dated	Calcutta Gazette	
		Date	Pages
366	29-10-1883	31-10-1883	892-93
367	29-10-1883	31-10-1883	893
368	29-10-1883	31-10-1883	894
134	16-5-1893	17-5-1893	445
177	15-8-1899	16-8-1899	1085
77	11-3-1901	13-3-1901	303-04*
78	11-3-1901	13-3-1901	305
79	11-3-1901	13-3-1901	305-07
80	11-3-1901	13-3-1901	307
81	11-3-1901	13-3-1901	308
15	5-6-1905	7-6-1905	1020
9	26-9-1908	30-9-1908	1619
6	17-5-1909	19-5-1909	708
25	20-9-1910	21-9-1910	1311
3	1-5-1911	3-5-1911	670
17-1	20-1-1912	*Eastern Bengal and Assam Gazette of* 24-1-1912	197
5	9-3-1912	13-3-1912	505
3	19-5-1914	20-5-1914	948
2	23-2-1915	24-2-1915	320
11	10-8-1915	11-8-1915	1373
10	18-4-1916	19-4-1916	792-93
11	18-4-1916	19-4-1916	793
12	18-4-1916	19-4-1916	794
6	17-9-1917	19-9-1917	1514

* Except Balasore district

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Case of officiating Munsiffs.

L. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the names of all officiating Munsiffs working in October last and of those who were relieved of their duties on the 13th October last?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state for what period each of them officiated as a Munsiff without a break before the 13th October, 1917?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state which and how many of them have been appointed to act as Munsiffs with effect from the 19th November, 1917?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state which and how many of them have been appointed to the same station from which they were relieved on the 13th October?

(*e*) Will the Government be pleased to state the number of vacancies existing in the last grade of Munsiffs?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) (*i*) 1. Babu Satchidananda Gupta.
2. Babu Manindra Nath Bhanja.
3. Babu Suresh Chandra Sen.
4. Babu Amulya Charan Chakrabatti.
5. Babu Surendra Nath Sen.
6. Babu Surendra Chandra Basu.
7. Babu Dhirendra Nath Guha.
8. Babu Tej Chandra Mukharji.
9. Babu Satish Chandra Banerji.
10. Babu Sitesh Chandra Sen.
11. Babu Upendra Chandra Mazumdar.
12. Babu Priya Nath Basu.
13. Babu Dwijendra Nath Pal.
14. Babu Jyoti Prasad Banerji.
15. Babu Mahima Ranjan Mitra.
16. Babu Atul Chandra Ray.
17. Babu Shyam Lal Basu.
18. Babu Shailesh Chandra Banerji.
19. Babu Gyanendra Nath Ghosh.
20. Babu Basanta Kumar Das.
21. Babu Subodh Chandra Sarkar.
22. Babu Rajani Kanta Chaudhuri.
23. Babu Jogesh Chandra Chatarji.

(*ii*) Nos. 1 to 11, 13, 15, 18 to 20 and 22 were relieved on the 13th October.

(*b*)

No. 1	...	...	...	For a year.
No. 2	...	...	...	
No. 3	...	...	...	
No. 4	...	...	...	4 months.
No. 5	...	...	...	4½ months.
No. 6	...	...	...	9½ "
No. 7	...	...	...	2 "
No. 8	...	...	...	10 "
No. 9	...	...	...	4 "
No. 10	...	...	...	3½ "
No. 11	...	...	...	4 "
No 13	...	...	...	1½ "
No. 15	...	...	...	6 "
No. 18	...	...	...	1 month.
No. 19	...	...	...	5 months.
No. 20	...	...	...	5 "
No. 22	...	...	...	1 month.

(*c*) In addition to the officers numbered to 1 to 18, Babus Dwarka Nath De, Banku Bihari Chatarji and Biman Bihari Sarkar have been appointed to act as Munsiffs on the reopening of the Civil Courts after the vacation. The total number so appointed is 21.

(*d*) Two, viz., Nos. 4 and 5.

(*e*) The number of existing permanent vacancies in the last grade is six. One more will occur on the 17th November on the retirement of Rai Sarada Prasad Sen Bahadur. There are also three sub. *pro tem.* vacancies in that grade."

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By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Alleged assault by a police Constable.

LI. (*a*) Is it a fact that Chandrika Pandey and another Constable of the Railway Police, Burdwan, wantonly assaulted Nimai Charan Dutt and some other students of the Burdwan Municipal High English School on the public road and abused and insulted them when they went to the Railway Police Office at Burdwan station to make a complaint on or about the 17th October, 1917?

(*b*) Is it a fact that a criminal case was instituted at the Court of the Subdivisional Officer, Burdwan, by the said Nimai Charan Dutt against the said Constable, Chandrika Pandey, and summonses were issued and the case made over to Babu G. C. Sen, Deupty Magistrate, for trial?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the Deputy Superintendent of Police, Burdwan district, sent for the complainant boys and asked them to withdraw the case, which they refused to do?

(*d*) Is it a fact that the said Deputy Superintendent of Police saw the Chairman of the Burdwan Municipality, who is the Secretary of the School Committee, and requested him to exercise his influence and bring about a compromise, and that the case was accordingly withdrawn?

(*e*) Are the Government considering the desirability of ordering a departmental inquiry into the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) No. Neither Nimai Charan nor any other student made any complaint to the Burdwan Railway Police on or about the 17th October; what actually occurred was that on the 24th September last Constable Chandrika Pandey appeared at the police-station with Nimai Charan Datta and charged him with having rashly cycled on the public road, thereby colliding with him and causing injuries to him by knocking him down. From the evidence it appeared that Nimai had in all probability rung his bell but that the Constable had not heard it, with the result that there was a collision which led to a slight altercation between them. The case was, therefore, finally reported as ' mistake of fact.'

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) No. On the other hand, from inquiries made it appears that the Chairman, who is also the Secretary to the School Committee, entirely on his own initiative and without any suggestion from any police officer asked the complainant to withdraw the case.

(*e*) No."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

The Damodar floods.

LII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that standing crops and seedlings were greatly damaged by the floods of the Damodar and the Ajay in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Hooghly in August and October, 1917?

(*b*) Are the Government aware that arable lands of a considerable area on the right bank of the Damodar and on the banks of the Ajay have been greatly damaged by deposition of sand or otherwise by the floods?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that the damage caused to crops and lands by the floods in August and October, 1917 was much greater than that caused in 1916?

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(*d*) Are the Government aware that a rise in the Damodar causes damage to crops and lands on account of the breaches existing in the right bank of the Damodar?

(*e*) Are the Government aware that in the flood area in the districts of Burdwan, Birbhum and Hooghly, the rice crop has been generally damaged for five successive years and the outturn has been very small and insignificant?

(*f*) Are the Government aware that in about 200 villages in thana Ketugram, in the district of Burdwan, the crops have been greatly damaged on account of a breach in the bank of the Ajay near Chandkhali?

(*g*) Are the Government aware that in many places in the flood area, notably in thanas Ketugram, Ausgram, Mangalkot, Khandaghosh, Raina and Jamalpur, in the district of Burdwan, and in the Arambagh subdivision of the Hooghly district, the rice crop was planted and replanted as many as six times or more and damaged and lost?

(*h*) Will the Government be pleased to state what steps they are taking to protect the crops and lands from damages caused by the floods, and by what time it is hoped that such steps will begin to be effective?

(*i*) Are the Government aware that there has been no abnormal rice in the Damodar or the Ajay in 1917?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) In August and October, 1917, extensive damage to crops was not caused by floods of the Ajay, but extensive damage was caused by floods of the Damodar in the districts of Burdwan and Hooghly.

(*b*) Abnormal floods in these rivers result in the deposit of sand on arable lands; in 1917 sand has been deposited by the Damodar, but not by the Ajay to any considerable extent.

(*c*) The damage caused by the Damodar in 1917 was greater than that caused in 1916. The damage caused by the Ajay in 1917 was much less than that caused in 1916.

(*d*) The information before Government shows that small floods in the Damodar do not do any damage to crops or land owing to spill through the breaches. Moderate floods undoubtedly cause benefit, both agricultural and sanitary; and it is only during high floods in the Damodar that damage is caused by the spill water through these breaches. During high floods there is, moreover, a spill over the bank in addition to that through the breaches in this locality.

(*e*) In the flood-affected areas of these districts great damage has been caused by floods of the Damodar in 1913, 1916 and 1917 and by floods of the Ajay in 1913 and 1916. In 1914 and 1915 the area in Burdwan district which is liable to floods was affected by drought.

(*f*) The damage to crops in Ketugram thana is reported not to be serious.

(*g*) It is reported that in portions of the areas mentioned the rice crop was transplanted two or three times and was finally lost.

(*h*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the answer given by the Hon'ble Mr. Green to the question asked by the Hon'ble Maulvi Mazharul Anwar Chaudhuri at the meeting of this Council of the 12th of January, 1916. The

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following progress in the execution of the measures for mitigating the effects of the floods of the Damodar has been made :—

(1) The site for a reservoir has been selected. A contour survey has been made. Further investigations are, however, necessary to ascertain if this reservoir is of sufficient capacity to hold up the whole quantity of water required to be impounded. The Government of India have been addressed with a view to obtain the services of a special officer for the completion of this project and for the preparation of the designs and estimates required.

(2) The excavation of an escape channel from the 38th mile of the Chetua Circuit Embankment to the 5th mile of the Rupnarain Right Embankment is still under consideration. Surveys have now been very nearly completed, and the estimates will, it is hoped, be ready in the course of the next six months.

(3) The estimate for the improvement and extension of the Hoorhoora khal has been prepared and amounts approximately to ten lakhs of rupees. It is under consideration when this will be put in hand.

(4) The estimates for the retirement of the Baxi Khal Embankment at the Rupnarain end and the widening of the khal have been sanctioned, and the work has been put in hand

(5) The estimates for the construction of a short channel from Kharia on the Gaighatta khal to join with the Ghesapatty khal have been sanctioned, and the work has been put in hand.

These remedial measures will become effective when they have been completed, but it cannot at present be stated definitely when this will be. It is believed however, that the partial excavation of the Ghesapatty khal has already proved effective in disposing of the flood.

(*i*) Government are aware that there has been no abnormal rise in the river Ajay during the monsoon of 1917; this is not, however, the case with the Damodar where, for the volume of flood water coming down the river, the rises have been abnormal."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Conduct of a Police Sub-Inspector.

LIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that the President of the Chanok Chaukidari Union, thana Mangalkot, in the district of Burdwan, made 13 chaukidars of his Union carry 8 maunds of potatoes from his house at Gonpur to Mangalkot, a distance of 12 miles, to the Sub-Inspector of Police stationed there?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the matter was brought to the notice of the Sub-divisional Officer, Katwa, and that an inquiry was held in the matter? If so, with what result?

(*c*) Is it a fact that for two nights the chaukidars were absent from their respective villages on that account?

(*d*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether any notice has been taken of the conduct of the Sub-Inspector of Police?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) On inquiry it appears that the facts are as stated.

(*b*) The matter was brought to the notice of the Subdivisional Officer, Katwa, and inquiries were held. It appears that in the discharge of his

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duties the President has incurred a certain amount of unpopularity, which possibly accounts for the prominence given to the matter, but his action in thus making use of the chaukidars was improper and he will not be reappointed.

(*c*) No. The chaukidars were absent from their villages for one night, although they could have reached home, if they had wished.

(*d*) Final orders regarding the Sub-Inspector's conduct have not yet been passed."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Vacancies in certain Collectorate establishments.

LIV. Will the Government be pleased to state the number of vacancies in the ministerial establishment of the following offices since 1914, and how many of them were filled up by Muhammadans and how many by non-Muhammadans :—

(*a*) the Jessore Collector's office,
(*b*) the Khulna Collector's office, and
(*c*) the Alipore District Judge's office ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" The numbers of vacancies in the Jessore and Khulna Collectorate ministerial establishments since 1914 have been respectively 19 and 15; of these vacancies 4 and 9 respectively were filled up by the appointment of Muhammadans and the remainder by the appointment of non-Muhammadans. Figures for the Alipore District Judge's office are not available on account of the vacation."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

An appointment in the Khulna Collectorate.

LV. (*a*) Is it a fact that an appointment on Rs. 100 per mensem fell vacant in the Khulna Collector's office and a fully qualified Muhammadan serving on Rs. 80 applied for the post but it was given to a junior non-Moslem drawing Rs. 60 a month ?

(*b*) Is it a fact that to fill up a vacancy in the Jessore Collector's office, applications were invited specially from Muhammadan candidates and several qualified Mussalmans applied, but the appointment was given to a non-Moslem ?

(*c*) Is it a fact that one Tijarat Molla, who was a paid probationer for more than five years and also served as comparing clerk at Magura, applied for the post, but the appointment was given to a non-Moslem probationer junior to Tijarat Molla ?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) An appointment on Rs. 100 fell vacant in the Khulna Collectorate. Among the candidates for the post were a Hindu ministerial officer of the Khulna Collectorate who held an appointment on Rs. 70 and a Muhammadan ministerial officer of the Jessore Magistracy who held an appointment on Rs. 80. This Hindu candidate was senior in service by 4 years to the Muhammadan candidate. The Hindu candidate was appointed on the ground that he was better qualified for the vacant post. These appointments in the Upper Division are made with regard to special fitness for the posts and, unless other considerations are equal, seniority is not regarded in filling them.

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(*b*) Applications were invited specially from Muhammadan candidates owing to a mistake. The appointment was given to a non-Muhammadan who was the senior probationer.

(*c*) Tijarat Molla was a paid probationer for one year, after which he held a temporary post for 4 years, during which he was not a probationer. In making this appointment the Collector preferred the claims of the senior probationer. Tijarat Molla was given a post as copyist."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Malda Collectorate establishment.

LVI. Will the Government be pleased to state the total number of ministerial officers in the Malda Collectorate, and how many of them are Muhammadans?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" There are in the Malda Collectorate 37 ministerial officers of whom 9 are Muhammadans."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Tours of the District Magistrate of Burdwan.

LVII. Will the Government be pleased to state the number of days for which the District Magistrate of Burdwan was out on tour in the—

(*a*) Asansol subdivision,

(*b*) Katwa subdivision, and

(*c*) Kalna subdivision,

during 1917?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR : —

" Between the 1st January and the 31st October 1917, the District Magistrate of Burdwan was out on tour in the Asansol subdivision for 35 days, in the Katwa subdivision for 15 days, and in the Kalna subdivision for 10 days. As Chairman of the Mines Board of Health, the District Magistrate has to visit Asansol on fairly frequent occasions."

By the Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM :—

Conduct of a Sub-Deputy Magistrate.

LVIII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that, on the 14th September last, Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, Sub-Deputy Magistrate, Kandi, district Murshidabad, came to Court at about 12-30 P.M., and that immediately on his taking his seat two Muhammadan Mukhtars informed him that it was Friday and time for prayers, and that they, with their Muhammadan clients, were going to the mosque for prayers?

(*b*) Is it a fact that the Sub-Deputy Collector told them that if the clients were absent the cases would be dismissed?

(*c*) Are the Government aware that as the time for prayers was short the parties left the Court, and the Magistrate called for the cases in their absence and dismissed them?

(*d*) Is it a fact that some Hindu Mukhtars present in Court, among them Babu Kshitish Chandra Hazra, drew the attention of the Court to the fact that the Muhammadans had gone for their prayers and requested that the cases be taken up later on, but that this request was refused?

(*e*) Is it a fact that the Mukhtars on returning from the mosque, moved for a reconsideration of the orders striking off the cases, but the petition was refused?

(*f*) Has the conduct of the Sub-Deputy Magistrate in this matter the approval of Government?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Government are aware of the facts stated; but they are informed that the Mukhtars made no mention of their Muhammadan clients' desire to attend prayers.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) There was only one petition of complaint on the day in question; as the complainant did not appear when called, his complaint was dismissed.

(*d*) The Hindu Mukhtars mentioned that it was the day for Jumma prayers, but did not request that, as the complainant had gone to pray, his case should be taken up later.

(*e*) No.

(*f*) The action of the Magistrate was due merely to want of thought; Government do not propose to take any further notice of the incident."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM, asked the following supplementary question :—

" Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the petitioner swore an affidavit and it was filed in the Court of the Subdivisional Officer with the application for the renewal of the case? "

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA, said :—

" There is no information before the Government on the subject."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Quality of quinine supplied through Post Offices.

LIX. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there has been any deterioration lately in the quality of quinine supplied through Post Offices?

(*b*) Are the Government aware of any suspicion in the public mind regarding the quality of quinine thus supplied?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) No.

(*b*) Sugar-coated tablets were issued to certain vendors in place of the ordinary tablets. Five complaints were received, but on the other hand certain vendors preferred the sugar-coated tablets and asked for more of them. The sugar-coated tablets are being withdrawn from the places in which they were not liked."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Pure drinking water in the subdivisional towns of the Presidency.

LX. (*a*) What provision is there for the supply of pure drinking water in the subdivisional towns of the Presidency?

(*b*) Is it a fact that in many of these towns no reserve tank is provided nor is any adequate arrangement made for the supply of pure water? If so, what action (if any) are the Government taking in the matter?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) A statement giving the information is laid on the table. The improvement of the water-supply is a matter in which initiative lies with the local authorities concerned. They are able to obtain advice from the Sanitary Engineer to Government, and Government are prepared to assist them with grants for schemes of water-supply, regard being had to the funds available for this purpose and to the relative urgency of the schemes put forward."

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Statement showing provision for the supply of drinking water in the Sub-divisional Head-quarters in Bengal referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble Mr. O'Malley to question No. LX (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri at the Council meeting of the 20th November, 1917.

DISTRICT.	Total number of sub-divisions.	SUBDIVISIONAL HEAD-QUARTERS WITH—		
		Filtered water-supply.	Reserved tanks.	No special provision for water-supply.
Burdwan ...	4	Sadar ...	Kalna ..	Katwa. Asansol.
Birbhum ...	2	...	Sadar. Rampurhat.	
Bankura ...	2	Sadar ...	Vishnupur.	
Midnapur ...	4	...	Sadar ...	Contai.
			Ghatal. Tamluk.	
Hooghly ...	3	Sadar ...	...	Arambagh.
		Serampore.		
Howrah ...	2	Sadar ...	Uluberia.	
24-Parganas ...	5	Sadar ...	Barasat.*	
		Barrackpore ...	Basirhat. Diamond Harbour.	
Nadia ...	5	...	Sadar ...	Chuadanga.
			Meherpur ...	Ranaghat. Kushtia.
Murshidabad ...	4	Sadar ...	Kandi ...	Lalbagh. Jangipur
Jessore ...	5	Sadar ...	Magura ...	Jhenida.
			Narail. Bongaon.	
Khulna ...	3	Sadar† ...	Satkhira. Bagerhat.	
Dacca ...	4	Sadar ...	Manikganj.	
		Narayanganj. Munshiganj.		
Mymensingh ...	5	Sadar ...	Netrakona ...	Jamalpur. Tangail. Kishorganj.
Faridpur ...	4	Sadar† ...	Madaripur ...	Gopalganj.
			Goalundo.	
Bakarganj ...	4	Sadar† ...	Bhola.	
		Patuakhali.† Pirojpur.†		
Chittagong ...	2	Sadar ...	Cox's Bazar.	
Tippera ...	3	Chandpur† ...	Sadar. Brahmanbaria.	
Noakhali ...	2	...	Sadar. Feni.	
Rajshahi ...	3	...	Sadar ...	Naogaon.
			Nator.	
Dinajpur ...	3	...	Balurghat ...	Sadar. Thakurgaon.
Jalpaiguri ...	2	...	...	Sadar. Alipore Duars.
Rangpur ...	4	...	...	Sadar. Nilphamari. Kurigram. Gaibandha
Pabna ..	2	...	Sadar ...	Sirajganj.
Darjeeling ...	4	Sadar ...	Kalimpong ...	Siliguri.
		Kurseong.		

* The local Municipality also supplies on a limited scale boiled water for drinking purposes.
† Also reserved tanks.

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By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Rise in the price of salt.

LXI. (*a*) Are the Government aware of the great increase in the retail price of salt in Bengal?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to make a statement showing the average retail price of salt in Bengal during each of the last five years as compared with the present market price?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A statement showing the average retail price of salt in Bengal during each of the last five years is laid on the table."

Statement referred to in the answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD *to Question No. LXI (unstarred) asked by the Hon'ble* BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI *at the Council meeting of the 20th November, 1917.*

Year.	Price per maund. (In rupee and decimals of a rupee).		Price per seer.
	Rs.		
1912	2·215	or	10½ pies.
1913	2·169	or	10 „
1914	2·286	or	11 „
1915	2·888	or	1 anna 2 pies.
1916	3·701	or	1 „ 6 „
Present market price	5·016	or	2 annas.

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Wholesale dealers and the rise in the price of salt.

LXII. (*a*) How far is the present increase in the price of salt due to speculate devices on the part of wholesale dealers?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of making an inquiry into this abnormal rise in the retail price of salt?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table such correspondence as may have passed between the Local Government and the Government of India relating to this matter and the question of manufacture of salt in Bengal?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) So far as this province is concerned, there are obvious causes making for a rise in prices, and there has hitherto been little evidence of speculation. The situation is being watched with a view to further inquiry if need be.

(*c*) The memorandum laid before the Imperial Legislative Council, which is appended to the Proceedings of that Council of the 12th September 1917, was the reply of this Government to a suggestion as to the possibility of reviving the manufacture of salt in Bengal. There is no other correspondence which it is considered desirable to produce."

Questions and Answers.

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXIII. (*a*) With reference to the memorandum by the Government of Bengal, dated the 5th April, 1917, on the production of salt, which has been appended to the Imperial Council, proceedings, dated the 12th September, last, will the Government be pleased to state whether any special inquiry was made before the said memorandum was prepared? Manufacture of salt in Bengal.

(*b*) With reference to the statement made in the said memorandum that "salt could not be manufactured in Bengal except at a price which would be far higher than that at which it is imported or manufactured elsewhere in India," will the Government be pleased to state what the average price would be if salt were manufactured in Bengal under existing circumstances?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) No special inquiry was necessary; the memorandum referred to was prepared in consultation with the Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, and his expert assistants.

(*b*) The average price of manufacture under existing circumstances has not been calculated."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXIV. Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are considering the desirability of making an inquiry as to what extent the market price of salt has risen in other parts of India as compared with Bengal? Market price of salt.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"The reply is in the negative."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXV. (*a*) Have the Government ascertained the prospects of increasing the output of salt by extending some factories in the Ganjam district in Madras, as indicated in the memorandum referred to above, and what steps have been or are being taken to bring about the said extension? Output of salt.

(*b*) Has this matter been taken up by the Government of India?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) and (*b*) The Government of Madras have been addressed on the subject by the Government of India."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXVI. (*a*) Is it a fact that in the recent record-of-rights proceedings in the Dacca Division, the landlord's share of the Barga produce of khamar lands has been commuted into money rent in many instances? Record-of-rights in Dacca Division.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table circulars or other official papers issued to the settlement authorities in the mufassal for their instruction and guidance in this behalf?

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(*c*) Are the Government aware of the feeling that exists that these commutation proceedings have worked to the great hardship of the landlords generally?

(*d*) How does the proportion of the money rent to the value of the produce of land generally vary? Has this proportion any reference to the share of the Barga produce actually received by the landlord as compared with the entire yield?

(*e*) Is there any maximum proportion fixed by the settlement department between the value of the produce of the land and the money-rent assessed thereon?

(*f*) If so, what is the said proportion and what are the considerations that have determined the same?

(*g*) Are these commutation proceedings judicial or revenue in their character?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Produce-rents have been commuted to money-rents on the application of persons interested in a very limited number of cases in recent settlement operations in the Dacca Division.

(*b*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the instructions mentioned in the answer to question 2 (*e*) asked by the Hon'ble Nawab Ali Chaudhuri at the Council meeting of the 3rd April, 1916. The instructions then laid on the table will be found on pages 70-71 of " The Technical Rules and Instructions of the Settlement Department " published in 1916.

(*c*) Commutation proceedings are not popular with landlords.

(*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) The Hon'ble Member is referred to the instructions already mentioned.

(*g*) The proceedings are revenue proceedings."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Designation of teachers.

LXVII. (*a*) Are the Government aware that there is a distinction in the designation of the teachers on the Arts and Science sides of the Presidency College, Bengal?

(*b*) Is it a fact that men fresh from the University, when appointed on the Arts side, are styled as Professors in the Provincial Educational Service, and teachers in the Subordinate Educational Service, while officers having similar qualifications and doing similar work and having years of experience behind them are variously styled Demonstrators and Assistants on the Science side?

(*c*) Is it a fact that the work of these officers on the Science side is in no way less responsible or less exacting than that of the corresponding officers on the Arts side?

(*d*) Is it also a fact that in the same department, the Assistants and Demonstrators have in many cases the same academic qualifications and practically do the same work?

(*e*) Is it also a fact that some of these Assistants are placed in independent charge of classes, attendance at which is obligatory on the part of the students as required by the regulations of the University?

(*f*) Are the Government taking any action to rectify these anomalies immediately or when giving effect to the recommendations of the Public Services Commission?

Questions and Answers.

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) The teachers on the Arts side are classified as (*a*) Professors whether of the Indian Educational Service or Provincial Educational Service, and (*b*) Lecturers in the Subordinate Educational Service The teachers on the Science side are classified as (*a*) Professors whether of the Indian Educational Service or Provincial Educational Service and (*b*) Demonstrators in the Provincial Educational Service. The staff on the Science side also includes Laboratory Assistants who are not appointed as teachers but have to some extent been allowed to teach; the qualifications required for appointment as Laboratory Assistants are inferior to those required for appointment as teachers.

(*c*) The work of teachers on the Science side is not less responsible or less exacting than that of teachers on the Arts side, but the work of Laboratory Assistants is generally less responsible and less exacting than that of teachers.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) Yes, but all the work of the Assistants is done under the general supervision of the heads of the departments concerned.

(*f*) The matter is under the consideration of the Education Department."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXVIII. (*a*) Is it true that the limits of promotion of Laboratory Assistants and Demonstrators have been fixed in the circular No. $\frac{111}{7P\text{-}50A\text{-}17}$, dated the 11th May, 1917, of the Director of Public Instruction, on a consideration of the nature of their duties? Demonstrators and Laboratory Assistants.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what exactly is the nature of the duties that specifically distinguishes a Demonstrator from a Laboratory Assistant?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

" (*a*) Yes, but the circular in question applies only to officers in the Subordinate Educational Service and not to Demonstrators in the Provincial Educational Service. The orders in the circular will have effect as an experimental measure for only three years.

(*b*) A Demonstrator is a teacher as well as a supervisor of practical work done in the laboratories. A Laboratory Assistant is appointed only for the supervision of practical work done in the laboratories."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXIX. (*a*) Is it a fact that on the Science side in many cases Assistants and Demonstrators transferred from the Presidency College to a mufassal college *ipso facto* become Demonstrators and Professors, respectively, and conversely Demonstrators and Professors when transferred from a mufassal college to the Presidency College become Assistants and Demonstrators, respectively? Status of Professors and Demonstrators.

(*b*) If so, does it signify that the Assistants and Demonstrators of the Presidency College stand on the same footing with the Demonstrators and Professors respectively of a mufassal college as regards the nature of their work and qualifications?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"(*a*) No. Assistants and Demonstrators may be transferred to be Demonstrators and Professors in mufassal colleges, but the change of status does not come about *ipso facto*. Conversely, if an officer is transferred from a mufassal college to the Presidency College he takes the status and designation of the vacancy to which he is transferred.

(*b*) This question does not arise."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Bengal contribution to Pasteur Institute at Shillong.

LXX. (*a*) Have the Government of Bengal made any contribution towards the Edward VII Memorial Pasteur Institute at Shillong? If so, what is the amount of such contribution?

(*b*) Is it a fact that a portion of the fund raised under the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the purposes of the Edward VII Memorial went to the establishment and upkeep of the said Institute?

(*c*) If the answer to either of the foregoing quesions be in the affirmative, will the Government be pleased to state what, if any, control is exercised by the Government of Bengal over the said Institute?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

"(*a*) No such contribution has yet been made, but orders have been passed transferring to the Pasteur Institute at Shillong, with effect from the financial year 1918-1919, a contribution of Rs. 2,000 per annum hitherto paid to the Kasauli Pasteur Institute.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) None."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Board of Sanskrit Examination.

LXXI. With reference to the answer given to clause (*c*) of my unstarred question No. LXVIII of the 7th August, 1917, will the Government be pleased to state who, among the members of the Board of Sanskrit Examination, represents the interests of indigenous Sanskrit learning in North Bengal on that Board?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. O'MALLEY :—

"It is regretted that the answer given to clause (*c*) of the Hon'ble Member's unstarred question No. LXVIII of the 7th August was incorrect and was given owing to an oversight. The answer should have read—'No, the present membership is limited.' This being so, the Hon'ble Member's present question does not arise."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

Suppression of certain offences in certain districts.

LXXII. (*a*) With reference to the answer given to my question No. XIX asked at the meeting of Council held on the 4th September, 1917, will the Government be pleased to state what, if any, special measures have been taken by them for the suppression of offences relating to female modesty, etc., in those districts in which such crimes largely prevail?

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(*b*) Are the Government considering the desirability of drawing the special attention of local officers to the large number of cases of non-detection of offenders against female modesty, etc., particularly in Mymensingh, Dacca, Bakarganj and Rangpur?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) No special measures of the description indicated have been taken, nor is it clear what measures are possible beyond those ordinarily designed to place restraint upon bad characters. It is true that the proportion of cases detected is poor, but it is believed that the officers concerned are fully cognisant of that fact. There are special difficulties surrounding the investigation of cases of this kind, not the least being the frequent reluctance of those concerned to give evidence in them."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXXIII. (*a*) Is it a fact that during the past year the largest number of deaths from small-pox were recorded in the district of Mymensingh? Deaths from small-pox.

(*b*) If so, will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, were taken to stop the spread of the disease in that district?

(*c*) Is it true that the death-rate from small-pox has considerably decreased in those districts in which free vaccination has been organised?

(*d*) Are the Government in a position to state what has been the result of six-puncture vaccination during the triennial period 1914-15 to 1916-17?

(*e*) Are the Government in a position to state whether only good quality lymphs are supplied for the purposes of vaccination?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) Yes, during the financial year 1916-17.

(*b*) Vaccinators were deputed to the affected areas for the purpose of suppressing outbreaks.

(*c*) Free vaccination has been only recently organised in parts of certain districts. It is too early to estimate its results.

(*d*) The following numbers of cases of vaccination in six points were reported as successful during the years 1914 to 1917 :—

	Primary.	Revaccination.
1914-15	... 240,527	24,558
1915-16	... 259,157	10,212
1916-17	... 221,226	5,622

Figures are not available showing the results.

(*e*) All the vaccine lymph prepared is carefully tested before issue. If kept too long before use, vaccine tends to lose its potency, especially in the hot weather, and it sometimes happens that licensed vaccinators delay in using the lymph. In order to avoid as far as possible trouble of this kind, vaccine is now being issued at weekly intervals."

By the Hon'ble BABU BROJENDRA KISHOR RAY CHAUDHURI :—

LXXIV. (*a*) Are the Government aware of any experiment made with bamboo for the manufacture of paper-pulp? Manufacture of paper.

(*b*) If so, does the result of such experiment encourage utilization of bamboo for the above purpose in preference to sabai and other grasses?

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Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD :—

" (*a*) and (*b*) Government understand that paper-pulp can be made from bamboos. Such experiments however as have been made, have been made by private firms; and Government have no information as regards the comparative results obtained from bamboos and from various kinds of grass."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Presidency house allowance to Government officers.

LXXV. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the rules regarding Presidency house allowance to Government officers?

(*b*) Are the Government considering the necessity of granting this allowance to the members of the Provincial Civil Service?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) A copy of the rules is laid on the table.*

(*b*) Yes; the point has been raised in connection with the Report of the Public Services Commission, and is being examined in that connection."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Delay in the disposal of police cases.

LXXVI. (*a*) Has the attention of the Government been drawn to the Police Administration Report wherein mention has been made of delay in the disposal of police cases by Magistrates?

(*b*) Is it a fact that in most cases delay is due to the paucity of prosecuting police officers attached to the mufassal Court?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is not a fact that in most of the subdivisions there is only one Court Sub-Inspector to conduct police cases and that cases have to be adjourned or taken up at late hours to suit the convenience of this officer?

(*d*) Is it a fact that it is difficult to arrange cases in different Courts to suit the Court Sub-Inspector?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) Yes. The Hon'ble Member's attention is invited to paragraph 13 of the Government Resolution on the Police Administration Report for 1916.

(*b*) The delay may be due in some cases to the paucity of prosecuting police officers, but not in most cases.

(*c*) There are 57 subdivisions in the Presidency, in 13 of which there are two prosecuting officers and in the remaining 44 only one. It may occasionally happen that where the number of courts taking up police cases is larger than the number of prosecuting police officers delay occurs in the disposal of the cases, but endeavours are always made to make over police cases to as few Magistrates as possible.

(*d*) Yes, and the matter has engaged the attention both of the Inspector-General of Police and of Government. In individual cases extra prosecuting police officers have been sanctioned from time to time and the general question of strengthening the court police staff is now under the Inspector-General's consideration. Government are prepared to consider his recommendations as sympathetically as the financial situation will permit."

* Not included in these proceedings.

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By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Bengali recruits.

LXXVII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the exact number of Bengalis recruited up to date for—

(*i*) the Bengali Regiment,
(*ii*) the India Defence Force?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state what actual work is being done by the recruiting officers appointed by Government for recruiting Bengali soldiers?

(*c*) Are the various recruiting officers in direct touch with the recruiting Committees existing in the districts and subdivisions? If so, will the Government be pleased to lay on the table the names of such Committees throughout Bengal and the number of meetings held by the several Committees in which the Government recruiting officers attended?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR :—

" (*a*) (*i*) 1,810 soldiers and 60 followers up to the 18th November.

(*ii*) It is understood that there have been some 2,260 applications for enrolment, but the final figures of recruitment are not yet available.

(*b*) and (*c*) The Divisional Recruiting Officer is in charge of recruiting operations. In addition to the work of supervision and control, he makes frequent visits to the districts to address meetings and stimulate recruitment in co-operation with the Bengali Regiment Committee.

His staff consists of five Assistant Recruiting Officers, of whom two divide the Burdwan and Presidency Divisions between them, in addition to enrolling recruits brought into headquarters. The other three are in charge of the Rajshahi, Dacca and Chittagong Divisions respectively. These officers are in touch with the local committees within their areas and have in several instances assisted in forming committees in places where they did not exist before. They are also in communication with the local civil officers. They tour through their divisions, measure and examine all recruits, enrol those passed fit, pay them advances, etc., and make arrangements for their despatch to Calcutta.

Beside the above, three District Assistant Recruiting Officers are working in the headquarters office, one of whom is confined to work in connection with non-combatant recruitment, while an officer of the headquarters staff in each district has been appointed District Assistant Recruiting Officer.

Government have no definite information regarding the number of committee meetings attended by the Recruiting Officers (the Divisional Recruiting Officer has himself addressed more than 30 meetings), nor as to the exact number and membership of the committees in Bengal beyond that contained in the pamphlet issued by the Bengali Regiment Committee to its members. As the matter is primarily of local interest, they doubt if it would serve any useful purpose to call for the information."

By the Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR :—

Internment of a Head Master.

LXXVIII. (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state the circumstances under which Hemanta Kumar Mazumdar, B.A., Head Master, Basanta Kumar High English School, Benodpur, Jessore, has been interned?

(*b*) Is it a fact that he has been detained in a very unhealthy place in the district of Faridpur, and that his health has greatly suffered thereby?

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(*c*) Is it also a fact that neither he nor his family are granted any allowance and that they have been put to great hardship in consequence?

(*d*) Are the Government inquiring into the matter with a view to removing his grievances?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. KERR:—

"(*a*) Hemanta Kumar Mazumdar has been interned because there are in the opinion of Government reasonable grounds for believing that he has acted and was about to act in a manner prejudicial to the public safety.

(*b*) The answer is in the negative.

(*c*) The answer is in the negative.

(*d*) Government are not aware of the existence of any grievances."

By the Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY:—

Removal of Secretariat Press.

LXXIX. (*a*) Is there any proposal to remove the Bengal Secretariat Press from Writers' Buildings and the Sealdah Building to Gopalnagar near Alipore?

(*b*) Will the Government be pleased to state the expenses likely to be incurred for such a scheme?

(*c*) Will the Government be pleased to state—

(*i*) the cost of removal of the press to Koila Ghat Street; and

(*ii*) the cost of removal to Sealdah?

Answer by the Hon'ble MR. DONALD:—

"(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The probable cost of the scheme, including land and buildings, is about nine lakhs, but no detailed estimates have as yet been framed.

(*c*) Including the cost of the necessary electric installation the figures are respectively (*i*) Rs. 17,461 and (*ii*) Rs. 31,141.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

HIS EXCELLENCY, THE PRESIDENT said:—"Before proceeding with the business which stands upon the agenda paper, it is my intention to make a statement with regard to the Defence of India Act, and the action taken by the Bengal Government under the powers conferred upon it by virtue of that measure. A number of resolutions in connection with the matter are down for discussion this afternoon, and it will be for the convenience of Hon'ble Members, I think, if, before any debate on them takes place, I explain the position and the attitude of Government with regard to the whole question of the revolutionary movement. I shall have to trespass somewhat, I fear, upon the patience of the Council; but I found my claim to your indulgence upon the importance of the subject with which I propose to deal, and upon the widespread interest which it naturally possesses for the public. I am also sanguine enough to hope that what I am now about to say may have the effect of curtailing the discussion which might otherwise be expected to take place upon the resolutions.

It seems to me that it is all the more necessary that Government should be as frank as possible with the public in this matter, because the exercise

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of powers under an Act of this kind is peculiarly open to misinterpretation. That the action of Government has been the subject of serious criticism and sometimes of violent condemnation is well known. A speaker at a public meeting, not long ago, described the Defence of India Act as 'an oppression of India's Act for the prosecution of innocent young men'; and even Sir Rabindra Nath Tagore, whose utterances carry with them the weight which attaches to his name and position, has deliberately stated that the public 'are justified in thinking that a large number of those punished are innocent'. That is a very grave charge for any responsible person to make against any Government, and it is one which I cannot allow to pass unnoticed.

Let us consider for a moment the character of the movement in Bengal which the Act was designed to meet. The movement as a whole was revolutionary in its aims and, to a considerable extent, anarchical in its methods. Though it has sought to take advantage of the war in which the Empire is engaged, it is not a product of the war. It existed long before the war; and Sir Reginald Craddock made it quite clear in the Imperial Legislative Council that it was intended that the Act should be employed to enable Government to deal with this movement. His words on this point were—'closely akin to this movement is the anarchist movement in Bengal, that we have had with us for a long time; sometimes it has been temporarily quiescent and sometimes it has recrudescenced . . . . These two movements in the Punjab and in Bengal are more closely connected than might be supposed. They may attract different kinds of followers and they may pursue slightly different methods; but their ultimate aims are the same, and the security of loyal India requires that they should be suppressed.'

I have reminded you of this because it is sometimes suggested that we are using the Defence Act for purposes for which it was not intended.

Very well, then the movement with which we have to deal is one of long standing, whose object is 'the subversion of the established Government'. These latter are not my words as I shall show in a moment. It is often denied that any organized conspiracy exists for the overthrow of Government; and I have been careful, therefore, to use the words of one of the conspirators themselves—words which were used not in the course of a confession to the Police or under any circumstances such as might conceivably render them suspect in the eyes of an abnormally suspicious person; but used by one of the organizers of the movement in his written instructions to his fellows. The document in which these words occur is an elaborate scheme for the organization of a conspiracy against Government, the nature of which is clearly indicated in the introduction, an extract from which I propose to read to you. It is headed :—

The scope and province of the League.

'Salvation is the goal to which every member of the League wishes to proceed. Salvation is not possible without the revival of the ancient spiritual Hindu culture in all its spiritual phases . . . . . It requires first of all political independence in its entirety. Political independence is not possible without the expulsion of the greedy and selfish foreigners from the country. They cannot be driven out without the subversion of the established Government by means of arms and munitions required for a national rising. Men and money are the two important requisites for a national rising. The whole thing in a nut-shell is that the confederacy should vigorously work to gather men, money and arms, and to organize these people into a sacred military band for the future struggle. Therefore, organization is the chief thing to which the confederacy must pay supreme attention'.

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After this preliminary explanation the writer goes on to describe the details of the organization. 'The League should be divided into two sections'—and here I again quote verbatim from the document—'(*a*) the inner section which is a secret one and is intended only for concealed works, and (*b*) the outer one intended for public organized works. These two organizations may work hand in hand, so that the public may take the entire body to be public philanthropists. But care should be taken not to divulge the existence of the inner section by a rash work or indiscreet remark'.

After this, minute instructions are issued under different heads such as training, the diffusion of literature, formation of character, discipline, local organization, intelligence, finance and recruitment. The instructions under the head of recruitment are of peculiar interest because we are in possession of a mass of corroborative evidence which shows that the lines here laid down are those which are actually followed by those revolutionary organizations of which we have specific knowledge. A few extracts will suffice to show the insidious nature of the campaign adopted for obtaining recruits. The following, for instance, are some of the agencies to be employed for securing recruits :—School Masters and Professors of Colleges, Nursing Associations, religious institutions and religious associations, messes, hostels, reading clubs and so on. Then we have a digest of the subjects which should be discussed with those whom it is intended to recruit. In this connection India past, present and future is to be discussed from three points of view—political, religious and social. It is then to be pointed out that it is to bring about an ideal India that their activities must be devoted. The relative merits of constitutional agitation and of methods of violence are then to be discussed, and this portion of the document proceeds as follows :—'After discussing these things if the recruit wishes to be a member of the organization—whether of outward or of inward—admit him, having got him gone through the process of membership'. And it ends with a note of caution—'In the case of an unknown recruit, try to understand his hidden motives and intentions by casual remarks, follow him to the circle of his friends. Throw certain things, written or concrete before him and watch him in what light he takes them and what is his genuine attitude. Try to have him entrapped through proper channel like a patient huntsman'.

So much for the general lines of procedure actually laid down in black and white. I do not suggest that all the revolutionary organizations, of which we have knowledge, possess such carefully elaborated schemes. What I do say is that these are the general lines upon which a number of revolutionary bodies, with ramifications throughout the Presidency, are actually working. The evidence now in our possession, proving that this is so, is overwhelming. I wish I could place before the public all the information which Government possess. If I could, I venture to think that such phrases as 'the oppression of India's Act for the persecution of innocent young men' would speedily disappear from the *repertoire* of our platform orators and from the public press.

Lord Carmichael has publicly stated more than once the reasons why such a course is not possible—and the reasons which he gave still hold good. But if I cannot place before you all the information which we possess, I can at least give you an indication of the kind of evidence which we receive and which corroborates evidence already in our possession.

I informed you just now of the instruction contained in the document from which I have been quoting on the subject of recruiting. School Masters were selected as one of the most suitable agencies for recruiting young men and the mode of procedure to be followed was laid down. Now, let us see what evidence we have that these orders are carried out. The following is a statement made by a young man during the present year (1917). For obvious reasons I shall not disclose the actual names of persons or of places. The statement is as follows :—'*X* was a teacher in a certain

school. In December he began to lecture me on religious and moral subjects. advised me to practice *Bramachariya* and to give up play. He used to give me books to read on religious and moral subjects. By and by I was given to know by *X* that there was an *Anushilan* party whose aim was to do good to the country. At first I had no idea that this party also planned dacoities and murders; *but gradually I came to know this*'. Can any one deny that here we have a striking example of the instructions on recruiting faithfully carried out?

Here is another statement by another young man also made very recently:—

'When I was reading in the first class of a certain high school, one *Y*, a teacher of History in the said school, used to deliver lectures in the class about freedom and unfairness of British Government in dealing with the subject race. He delivered similar lectures for about ten days in his class hours. He took me to Wellington Square after the school hours for about 20 days and gave instructions to me as to liberate India from her bondage of slavery. He also encouraged me, saying that we were hopes of India and with us lay the freedom and welfare of the mother-country. He said that time will come when our assistance will be required to join the Army, to wage war against the British Government. When we used to reach Wellington Square I saw many youths numbering from 2 to 15 at different times coming to said the Square and talking privately with him one after another'.

These are two examples which illustrate the insidious methods which are widely adopted for obtaining recruits for the revolutionary organizations. Had I the time I could give many more. There are, however, other aspects of the question with which I desire to deal, and I will quote only one other statement in illustration of the *modus operandi* of the revolutionary recruiting agents. In quoting from the revolutionary document a moment ago. I showed that the revolutionary society was to be so organized that the public might take the entire body to be public philanthrophists. I invite you to bear this in mind while I quote from a statement made recently by an unfortunate young man who was caught in the toils of the revolutionary organization. This is what he says—'*Z* used to give me religious books such as the works of *Vivekanada*. . . . . He gradually impressed on me by quoting instances that our legitimate rights could not be given and our grievances adequately remedied by a foreign Government, and that in these circumstances our final aim should be to secure independence and to get rid of the foreigners. He used to say that one of our steps should be to have the public sympathy with us, and to secure this we must' philanthropic works . . . . One of his ideas to secure the required number of men for a revolution was that our men should be appointed generally as School Masters in all important villages who would try to influence the public to side with us. *Z* said that when in this way we have secured a sufficient number of men, we would secretly import arms from foreign countries with the help of our rich men'

Let me now deal with some of the criminal actions for which these organizations are responsibile. In the introduction of the revolutionary document which I have already qouted, occur these words:—'The confideracy should vigorously work to gather men, money and arms.' It is, perhaps, hardly necessary for me to attempt to prove that this injunction is acted upon. The facts known to the public afford sufficient proof in themselves. It will scarcely be denied for instance—even by those who accuse us of locking up innocent youths—that the large number of arms stolen from Messrs. Rodda & Co. in 1914 were intended for criminal use. Let me remind you of the details of that theft. On 26th August 1914, no less than 50 mauser pistols and 46,000 rounds of ammunition were stolen from Messrs. Rodda & Co. Here, surely, is a sufficiently striking example of what is meant by 'gathering arms'. Now, bearing this in mind, consider the following facts. Since the date of the theft, no less than 50 outrages have been committed in which

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pistols of the kind stolen have been used. In the course of these 50 outrages 32 persons have lost their lives and 51 have been wounded ; and loot to the value of Rs. 4,78,706 has been stolen. Should not these melancholy facts give pause to those who indulge in overhasty criticism of our action ?

Perhaps I can best illustrate the kind of crime which we have to deal with and the kind of justification which we have for the action which we take to meet it. by taking a concrete example.

I will take a case of dacoity, accompanied by murder, which has occurred during the present year.

On 7th May last, a dacoity was committted at a jeweller's shop in Armenian Street in this city. Money and jewellery to the value of about Rs. 5,000 were carried off and four innocent persons were wounded, two of whom died. Nine persons took part in this crime of whom one—whom I will call '*A*'—was wounded and assassinated the same day by his own companions, and six have been arrested under the Defence of India Act and are now under restraint. If I am to justify the action which we have taken agrinst these persons, I must prove to the satisfaction of reasonable men, *firstly*, that these six men did actually take part in the outrage, and *secondly*, that the outrage was perpetrated in furtherance of the objects of a conspiracy against the State.

I will deal with these two questions in order.

Of these six men, five have made admissions confirming the information against them in our possession—a fact which inferentially strengthens the case which we have against the sixth, whom, for convenience sake, I will call '*B*'.

I shall have something more to say in proof of the guilt of '*B*' while dealing with the second question which I have to answer, namely, was this crime committed in pursuance of the objects of a conspiracy against the State ?

Let me give my answer to that question. First of all there is the reply made by one of the persons concerned to the written charges made against him. He was charged, among other things, with being a member of a revolutionary party whose object is the overthrow of British rule in India, and with having taken part in the Armenian Street dacoity, a crime committed by the revolutionary party.

He admitted the correctness of all the charges against him, and stated so in his own hand writing.

We have also the replies given to similar charges by another of those concerned. They read as follows :—'As regards the first charge, my reply is that I was a member of the revolutionary party whose object is to overthrow British rule in India'.

Second.—' In pursuance of the objects of the conspiracy I confess that I took part armed in the Armenian Street dacoity on 7th May 1917. This dacoity was the work of the revolutionary party of which I was a member'. Here, then. we have it definitely stated by two of those who took part in the crime that they were members of a revolutionary society and that, as such, they assisted in the commission of this dacoity.

Now let me adduce evidence in connection with the dead man '*A*'. He is mentioned in a mysterious unsigned letter, dated the 24th September 1916, which came into the hands of Government. In the course of the letter, the writer asks if '*A*' is ready to abscond and go to a certain place where he would have to undergo several hardships ; it is added that he will have to abandon all thoughts of prosecuting his studies and will have to turn a deaf ear to the tears and entreaties of his relations. The handwriting of this letter has been identified as that of '*B*'. At the time at which this letter was written '*A*' was a student at the Ripon College ; and it is, surely, something

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more than a mere coincidence that he should have disappeared at about the time that the letter was written, and that his whereabouts, up to the time of his death, should have remained unknown, both to the college authorities and to his parents. Finally, let me set forth further evidence against '*B*'. Before this man's arrest he was spoken against by no less than 19 persons, every one of whom confessed to being guilty of revolutionary conspiracy. Letters in his handwriting had also been found with stolen arms and ammunition. When he was arrested, he had on his person, a fully loaded revolver which he endeavoured to use, and a phial of poison, together with revolutionary letters. When charged he did not deny the charges, he merely wrote at the foot of the charge sheet 'I refuse to answer these charges'. and signed his name.

These facts are surely sufficient in themselves to prove that this man is not an innocent person; and if I was desirous merely of proving the guilt of this individual, I should be content to leave the matter there. But I am anxious to do more than that. I am anxious to make it quite clear to all reasonable men, *firstly*, that the corroborative evidence which we have against the men is so great as practically to eliminate the possibility of our making mistakes; and *secondly*, to show that they are members of a widespread revolutionary conspiracy. In order to do this, I propose to trace an altogether different line of evidence which we have against this same individual. In 1916, a person who had long been indulging in revolutionary activities and whom I will call '*C*', made a statement to certain officers of Government. This statement implicated a considerable number of persons, and the question which Government had to ask themselves was this—'is the statement a true statement, or is it a fabrication inspired by private enmity against those implicated, or (to take another possibility) has he been tutored by the Police'? Fortunately, before proceeding under the Defence of India Act against those implicated by him, Government were given striking proof of the truth of some part, at any rate, of his statement. He had spoken of a certain place as being the resort of certain conspirators. The place in question was visited one night by the Police. The Police were attacked with firearms, but after a struggle they succeeded in arresting two of their opponents, one armed with a mauser pistol, and the other a person at whose house high explosives had previously been discovered and who had been evading arrest ever since.

After this striking example of '*C's*' reliability, Government felt justified in proceeding against those whom he accused of being engaged in revolutionary activities and two of these whom I will call '*D*' and '*E*' made statements verifying the information already given by '*C*'. '*D*' mentioned a certain person as being a custodian of arms. Here then was another chance of testing the truth of the information which had been given to us. This man's house was searched and there were found there two bottles of strong acid. seditious leaflets 'from the office of the Director-General, Indian Revolution, Vigilance Department', and other incriminating articles.

Now, with regard to '*E*'. He gave information against '*B*' of the Armenian Street dacoity. As a result of further information a certain house was searched, and in a locked almirah the following articles were found :—Four of the mauser pistols stolen from Messrs. Rodda & Co., mauser cartridges, a revolver, revolver cartridges, a letter containing detailed proposals for a rising against the British, and other letters similar to those which I spoke of earlier as being in the handwriting of '*B*'.

The letter which contained detailed proposals for a rising mentioned the fact that certain mauser pistols were hidden in a certain place. On search being made there seven more of the pistols stolen from Messrs. Rodda & Co. were recovered. The other letters referred to a person whom I will call '*F*'. On being arrested this man confessed his guilt and detailed the activities of '*B*'. It would be possible to go on giving corroborative evidence against

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'*B*'; but I have said enough, I hope, to show that we have a good deal more to act on than the idle tales of informers or the mere suspicion of the Police. The case of '*B*' seemed to me to be a good one to use by way of illustration, because it has been definitely stated that he has been dealt with on the suspicion of the Police. In a petition from his father asking that he should not be dealt with under the Regulation III of 1818 appear these words :—'That the petitioner believes that the said person was arrested on the suspicion of the Police'.

It may be said, 'if the evidence against these men is so strong why do you not prosecute them in the Courts'? I wish we could, but there are, unfortunately, two grave difficulties in the way of our doing so. Much of our evidence, including the numerous confessions made to us by persons who have actually taken part in these crimes, consists of statements made to the Police. In England, such statements made after due warning has been given, are admissible as evidence before the Courts ; here they are inadmissible under the provisions of the Indian Evidence Act. There you have a difficulty which can only be overcome with the assent of the witnesses themselves, and that assent they have not so far been willing to give.

The second great difficulty is this—that there is an unfortunate disinclination on the part of the public to come forward and give evidence against these persons. We cannot compel those who are in a position to give evidence to go into the witness-box ; and it is largely on this account that we have been given the powers conferred upon us by the Defence of India Act. At the same time it must not be assumed—as some of our critics are prone to do—that we do not take every opportunity of bringing these cases into the Courts. We are very far from regarding the Defence of India Act as a satisfactory substitute for prosecution in the Courts. We regard it as a special measure for dealing with a special situation in regard to which the ordinary procedure, for reasons to which I have already referred, has proved impracticable. In order that I may make this clear let me point out to the Council that *pari passu* with the operation of the Defence of India Act we have successfully proceeded against a considerable number of revolutionary criminals in the ordinary Courts. Since the Defence of India Act was put into operation early in 1915, we have taken 26 separate cases into Court. Of the 54 persons whom we have prosecuted under the Indian Penal Code, the Criminal Procedure Code or under the Arms Act, 7 only have been discharged in the first instance, 1 acquitted in the first instance, and 2 discharged on appeal to the High Court.

Now, I have given you a very frank statement of our case. I have given you actual examples of the kind of men we are dealing with and of the kind of evidence upon which we act. I have explained the difficulties which too often stand in the way of our taking these cases into the Courts. And having done so I put this question to you with complete confidence—'Do you seriously suggest that it would be in the best interests of society at large that these men should be released to continue their career of conspiracy and crime'? There can, surely, be but one answer to that question. At any rate, Government are convinced that they have a sacred duty towards the rising generation in Bengal, namely, that of doing what lies within their power to protect them against being led into ways which can only lead to dishonour and disaster.

And, lest any one be tempted to think that the case I have chosen for purposes of illustration is an exceptional one, let me ask him to consider these facts—over 200 persons dealt with under the Defence of India Act alone have confessed to definite complicity in a revolutionary movement ; nearly 300 others are implicated by their associates, the evidence of their complicity being corroborated in every case by other evidence of an entirely independent character. Rather more than 200 others are implicated by their

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own incriminating statements, or by finds of arms or seditious literature or by the circumstances of their arrest, the evidence in nearly all of these cases being confirmed by information obtained from other sources. In the course of their investigations into this form of crime the Police have made more than 60 finds of arms and ammunition and nearly 100 finds of seditious literature apart from revolutionary vows and leaflets. Evidence in regard to the use and custody of arms has been obtained against nearly 400 interned persons. The charges against a very large number of those against whom proceedings have been taken are, I am sorry to say, of a serious character. No less than 60 are charged with murder, and over 90 with abetment of, or preparations for, or plots for the same crime. Nearly 270 are charged with dacoity and over 70 more with abetment of, or preparations for dacoity, or with lurking to commit crime. Again, as many as 67 of the persons interned are charged with steps taken to assist the King's enemies or to stir up mutiny in the Army.

I do not say for one moment that all those dealt with are guilty in equal degree. Certainly not. There are many who have been led to join the revolutionary movement under a misapprehension as to what they were doing. In many cases the regret which is often expressed by such men for their past action is no doubt perfectly genuine. And it is the policy of Government, deliberately adopted with a full knowledge of all the facts, steadily to release such men as can in our judgment be set free without unduly endangering the safety of society and the public peace. Men who have been guilty only in a minor degree and for whose good behaviour security can be obtained, have been set at liberty from time to time during the past year. During the past three months ending with 31st October, 34 persons have been released on guarantees for their good behaviour being given ; and during the same period 31 persons who were interned away from their homes, have been granted home domicile. These men are on their honour. It is up to them to see that they do not abuse the trust which has been placed in them.

Now I have one thing more to say. The administration of this Act is peculiarly distasteful to us, but it has been forced upon us by a grave necessity, and however disagreeable our duty, it is one from which we cannot shrink.

We have taken the most careful precautions against the chance of our committing injustice by any action which we are driven to take by virtue of it. Every person dealt with under it is charged in writing with a definite offence, and is invited to write his reply. The whole of the evidence against him is submitted to a Judicial officer for his opinion. I do not believe the Act could have been administered with greater care or with more consideration for those against whom it has been employed. Indeed Government—and if I may say so the public also—owe a deep debt of gratitute to the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming for the unfailing care, the unwearying patience and the tact with which he has discharged the heavy duties which have fallen to his lot in this connection.

Nor can I let this opportunity pass without paying a tribute to the Police, both European and Indian, who, in circumstances of the greatest difficulty and in face of much calumny, have carried out their disagreeable and often dangerous duty, with loyal devotion to Government and to the public, and with conspicuous consideration towards those against whom they have been obliged to act. I have had some opportunities of visiting persons under restraint, and I am pretty confident that accusations of spiteful or unfair treatment brought against the Police, whether they be officers of the Criminal Investigation Department or of the District Forces, whose duty it is to supervise the movements and conduct of those under restraint, would meet with little support from the détenus themselves.

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But while I hold this belief I realize that there may be persons among the public who are genuinely apprehensive less injustice should be done. The information which is at my disposal is not open to them ; and this being so, both I myself and my colleagues have given our most careful thought to the question of providing safeguards which will re-assure the public at large. The proposal to submit all the evidence against a suspected person to a Judicial officer before a decision in his case was taken, emanated from the Bengal Government. That procedure, as I have already pointed out, is invariably followed by us. If, however, it is suggested that a small Judicial Committee would be regarded as a more satisfactory form of safeguard against possible error on our part, we should be prepared in future to submit our cases against all persons whom we propose to place under restraint under the Defence of India Act, the Ingress Ordinance or Regulation III of 1818, to such a body consisting of two Judges for their opinion. This would ensure that the case of every individual concerned was investigated and pronounced upon by an impartial body having no interest in his conviction.

So much for the question from the point of view of the individual. But we are anxious to do more than that. Our contention is that there is in existence in Bengal a widespread conspiracy for the overthrow of Government ; and such information, as I have been able to give you to-day, should show, I think, that we have good grounds for our belief. Nevertheless we are anxious that the whole matter should be submitted to a strong, outside, and wholly disinterested body for investigation and decision. One of the earliest acts of the Government, of which I am the head, was to ask the Government of India to assist us by appointing a strong Committee of Indians and Europeans, with a Judge of the High Court of England at its head, to undertake this task. I am glad to be able to inform you that our request has met with a willing response. With the good offices of the Secretary of State the services of an eminent Judge of the King's Bench Division have been obtained, and an announcement may be looked for shortly giving the names of those who will serve with him. It is our intention to place before this body the whole of the material in connection with the revolutionary movement which we possess, and to ask them for their verdict.

I have to thank Hon'ble Members for the patience with which they have listened to me. I have but one word more to add. No sane Government willingly employs measures of repression. I can say confidently for the Government of Bengal that such measures are resorted to only under stress of grave necessity. It was not until outrage upon outrage had been committed that extraordinary powers were reluctantly made use of. The remedy lies in the hands of those themselves against whom these powers are used. Let them cease preparing and fomenting rebellion ; and the necessity for the counter measures which we take will disappear.

I would that the appeal which I now make might find its way into every home in Bengal. A new chapter is opening in the history of India. How that chapter will be written depends upon the attitude of all those whose activities will go to form its subject-matter. Will it, when it is written, tell a melancholy story of racial antagonism flourishing like a poisonous weed in an atmosphere of latent distrust and of thinly-veiled suspicion ; of irritation seething and bubbling until it breaks out like the symptoms of some fell disease, in deeds of violence and disorder ; of bitterness and resentment on one side, of severity and repression on the other? I trust not. Most devoutly do I pray that this may not be so. And why, indeed, need it be so? May not the story to be told be of a very different kind? May it not tell of the men of Great Britain and of India working together in helpful co-operation? Of the great qualities of the people of this Presidency devoted to the social betterment of all classes and communities and to the building up of a political edifice of which both Great Britain and India may be proud? Let those in this Presidency who have consecrated

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their energies to the wrongful cause of rebellion and destruction pause and let them ask themselves what is the end towards which they are travelling, and what sort of a road it is by which they seek to reach their goal. Then let them try to realize that there is ample scope for the help of all in the vast work of reconstruction which must be undertaken when civilization emerges from its present travail. Let them ask themselves if they should not rather strive to help East and West to join hands in raising up on the ruins of this world-wide conflagration a future for mankind worthy of the infinite sacrifice which humanity has been called upon to make".

That is the story which, I trust, will fill the chapter of the history of Great Britain and India which is now about to open."

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS—ITEM No. 3.

THE BENGAL TENANCY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING presented the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1917.

He said :—

"My Lord, I beg to present the Report of the Select Committee on the Bengal Tenancy (Amendment) Bill, 1917.

The Committee have been able to submit an unanimous Report and meet practically all the criticisms which the circulation of the Bill elicited. The opinions which were received indicated that there was some misapprehension as to the object of the Bill, and this misapprehension was also apparent when the Bill was referred to a Select Committee. The Bill was drafted primarily with reference to the Santhals residing in the western districts of this Province; and its primary purpose was to prevent the alienation of land, particularly to money-lenders, and to maintain the communal system as far as possible. The Bill was not directed against landlords as such, and the principles proposed were not new; they had already been adopted in other parts of India for the purpose of dealing with similar problems. The Santhals in the areas in question in the Birbhum, Bankura and Midnapur districts know the protection that is given to their tribe in the neighbouring districts, especially in their Magna Charta, Regulation III of 1872, for the Santhal Parganas. They also know their own weaknesses, and in order that they should be protected against themselves, they have themselves asked that their power of alienation of land should be restricted; and finally the opinion of all officials and non-officials who have had personal knowledge of the areas in question, both Indians and Europeans, is practically overwhelming in favour of such prohibition of alienation.

The two main subjects of criticism were, *first*, the absence of a definition of the term 'aboriginal' and, *secondly*, the powers which it was proposed to give to the Collector. As regards the first point, the Bill, as now drafted, will apply at once to the Santhals in the area in question, and power has been taken to notify other aboriginals, a definite list of whom is given in the Schedule included in the Bill. As regards the second point, it is now proposed that there will be no interference if a landlord settles a holding with an aboriginal, and that a landlord will have power to deal with the land in any way he likes including settlement with a non-aborginal, if in the meantime the Collector has tried to settle a particular land with an aboriginal and has not succeeded. Furthermore, the Select Committee have recommended that the execution of a decree of the Civil Court shall not be transferred to the Collector as proposed in the original draft, but should remain with the Civil Court.

With these remarks, My Lord, I beg to present the Report of the Select Committee, and to add that under the rules the latest time for the receipt of any amendments will be 11 A.M. on the 3rd December".

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THE CALCUTTA MUNICIPAL BILL, 1917.

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend and consolidate the law relating to the Municipal affairs of the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta.

He said :—

"My Lord, the Bill is designed to take the place of the present Act which was passed so late as 1899, as well as of the amending legislation in the interval which has elapsed since that date. My Lord, I venture to think that before I describe to the Council the main features of this Bill, it might be both interesting and at the later stages perhaps helpful if I state as shortly as I can and I hope without tiring the patience of the Council, a history of the municipal administration of this great city—a history which I think testifies alike to the public spirit of its citizens and to the far-sighted wisdom of the Government; and for the greater part of these facts I am indebted to the admirable book which Mr. Goode has written on the Corporation over which he so ably presided lately. Beginning with the autocratic control of one of the Civl Servants of the old Company, styled the Zamindar of Calcutta, and later the Collector, the civic administration of Calcutta was vested subsequently in Justices of the Peace appointed by the Government under a Statute of 37 G. III (1794). The authority of these Justices of the Peace was practically superseded again by the autocratic control of an officer then called the Chief Magistrate. He combined in his person the offices now held by the Chairman of the Corporation, the Commissioner of Police and the Chief Presidency Magistrate, duties obviously beyond the capacity of any one man. On the written recommendation of the Chief Magistrate himself, an attempt was made as early as 1833 to introduce an element of representation into Municipal administration. On Mr. Macfarlane's advice an attempt was made in the year 1833 to form Advisory Committees, called Municipal Committees, to be elected by the rate-payers in each of the four divisions into which the town was then divided, but unfortunately the attempt failed to elicit public interest. Later, on the basis of a report of a Committee presided over by Sir John Peter Grant, Act XXIV of 1840 was passed, which empowered the Government on the application of two-thirds of the rate-payers in any one of the four divisions of the town to entrust to them the assessment, collection and management of the rates of their division. No such application was, however, made and this attempt to introduce a system of representation never came into effective operation. Yet another attempt was made to introduce the elective principle in 1847, when the conservancy functions of the Justices were transferred by Act XVI of 1847 to a Board of 7 Commissioners, of whom 3 were to be appointed by the Government and 1 elected by the rate-payers of each of the four divisions. This system also proved a failure and the operation of the elective system was suspended by Act XXVIII of 1854, which empowered the Lieutenant-Governor to fill up vacancies on the Board. The number of Commissioners was subsequently reduced to 3. Then came the first Municipal Act, viz., that of 1863 by which the property of the town of Calcutta and the general management of its Municipal affairs were entrusted to a corporation, consisting of all Justices of the Peace for Bengal, Bihar and Orissa, who might be resident in Calcutta along with the Justices of the Peace for the town. The appointment of their Chairman rested with the Government, but he might be removed by a resolution of two-thirds of the Justices. The Justices were to nominate their own Vice-Chairman, who was to preside over their meetings in the absence of the Chairman, but the appointment required the Lieutenant-Governor's approval. The powers of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman were to be exercised in carrying out the orders of the Justices or in executing works sanctioned by

them and generally in the management of Municipal business. They were not to act in opposition to, or in contravention of any orders of the Justices nor to usurp any power expressly reserved to the Justices; Committees of a general or special nature might be appointed by the Justices at their discretion, the Chairman or Vice-Chairman being a member of every such Committee. The appointment of the superior staff consisting of the Secretary, Engineer, Surveyor, Health Officer, Collector and Assessor was made by the Justices. All minor officials were appointed by the Chairman, subject to the confirmation of the Justices in the case of appointments carrying a higher salary than Rs. 200 a month. A tax on trades and professions was introduced, the maximum house-rate was fixed at 10 per cent, and provision was made for the imposition of a water-rate. The right of the Justices to expend Municipal funds as they thought fit was limited only by the obligation to obtain Government sanction for any work estimated to cost more than Rs. 5,000. The clumsiness of the machinery of a body composed of such a large number and the want of definition and distinction between the powers of the Justices and the Executive gave rise to considerable popular feeling against the new constitution; and though solid results were achieved under the system, Sir Richard Temple considered that a smaller body of Commissioners would prove more suitable for Executive purposes and he was willing to consider the introduction of the elective principle which his predecessor, Sir George Campbell, had favoured. Accordingly Act IV of 1876 was passed, under which two-thirds of the Commissioners who numbered 72, exclusive of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, were to be elected by the rate-payers, the remainder being appointed by the Local Government, a provision over which there was prolonged discussion at the time. The electoral divisions were to correspond with the thanas or Police divisions; they were 18 in number and were termed 'wards'. Six of these divisions returned only two Commissioners, while 12 had each three representatives. The appointment of the Chairman who might hold the office of Commissioner of Police, of the Vice-Chairman and other officers, as well as the appointment of Committees, was governed by provisions practically identical with those contained in Act VI of 1863, except that under the new Act the appointment of all statutory officers was subject to the approval of the Local Government. There was a provision enabling the Local Government to intervene if at any time it was of opinion that the Commissioners had failed in their conservancy duties.

Origin of the General Committee.—A large deliberative body was, however, found inconvenient for dealing with the details of business and in 1877 a Committee which had no statutory sanction was appointed under the name of the 'Town Council' in which were merged the finance, roads, conservancy and water-supply committees, etc. In 1881, the Town Council was vested with a legal status and it became a committee for the consideration of such matters as the Commissioners might think fit to refer to it with a view to advise and aid the Chairman in the discharge of any portion of his executive work. It became subsequently known as the 'General Committee'.

As the result of the report of an influential Commission appointed in 1884, Act II of 1888, was passed, the most important changes introduced being the following:—

(1) The increase in the number of Commissioners to 75, of whom 15 were to be appointed by the Local Government, 50 to be elected by rate-payers (2 by each of the 25 wards into which the Municipality with the addition of the suburban areas was divided), 4 to be selected by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce; 4 by the Trades Association and 2 by the Port Commissioners.

(2) The Town Council was reconstituted as the General Committee consisting of 18 members of whom 12 were to be chosen by the elected Commissioners and 6 by the nominated Commissioners.

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(3) The Act made obligatory—the expenditure of two lakhs a year for drainage works and the improvement of bustees and three lakhs for the improvement of the area newly added to the town.

This Act continued in operation without any serious complaints until 1896 when Plague first appeared in Calcutta and a Medical Board was appointed and five medical men deputed to report on the state of the town. The reports they submitted disclosed a state of things constituting a standing menace to the health of the city. After considerable public controversy, the Government of Bengal reported to the Government of India in 1898 that the constitution of the Municipality was ill-adapted to stand the strain of a grave and sudden emergency and failed to secure the prompt and continuous executive action which was necessary in view of the fact that the sanitation and conservancy of the great Indian maritime cities had become a matter of international concern. The Government was of opinion that the Act vested in the Commissioners all powers whether they were such as a large deliberative body could properly exercise or not. It allowed the Chairman to exercise all the powers vested in the Commissioners, except those reserved to the Commissioners in meeting, subject to such limitations and conditions as might be imposed before or after the Chairman acted under this power by a resolution of the Commissioners. It further conferred an unlimited power of controlling the Chairman by the action of Committees and it thus failed clearly to define the powers of the executive. The defects of the working of Act II of 1888 were graphically described by Sir Herbert Risley in introducing the Calcutta Municipal Bill of 1898 which subsequently became Act III of 1899. Shortly the accusation was that there was too much talk, that the Commissioners failed in driving power and that the executive had no responsible powers at all and were liable to be interfered with at any and every stage of their work. The remedy proposed was to provide an efficient executive and to interpose a small working committee between the Chairman and the main body of the Commissioners. The functions of the three authorities—the Corporation, the General Committee and the Chairman—were to be precisely defined and carefully distinguished. All powers conferred by the Bill were distributed among these authorities with reference to their fitness to exercise them.

After a prolonged controversy, and some remarkable changes during the progress of the Bill, to be described later, it was passed by the Legislature and became Act III of 1899, the main constitutional features of which are the creation of the three co-ordinate authorities above described, and the reduction of the number of Commissioners from 75 to 50, 25 elected by the wards, 15 appointed by the Government, 4 by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, 4 by the Calcutta Trades Association, and 2 by the Port Trust.

The Bill itself had proposed not to alter the number of Commissioners but to secure increased executive action by means of the small Committee that I have mentioned. Members will remember that after the Act was passed, 28 of the most efficient members of the Corporation left the body, refusing to work therein; many of them refused even to the last to work in the Corporation, though a few afterwards returned. Still, whatever the merits of the controversy, for the first three years after the passing of that Act, the reports of the Corporation and the Government resolutions thereon disclosed very satisfactory working; every department was thoroughly overhauled and in particular the Collection Department was improved—though in course of time some friction appears to have developed between the three co-ordinate authorities, the Corporation, the General Committee and the Chairman. But notwithstanding that, I think, the Corporation is entitled to claim that there has been much improvement in their administration in every direction under the existing constitution. Now, though I have dwelt at what might seem unnecessary length regarding the history of the Municipal administration of Calcutta, I have done so purposely, because I think it might be helpful at later stages of the consideration of the Bill which I am

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about to introduce and because to my mind there emerge from this long history, a history which can undoubtedly be claimed as one of continued progress and development, certain inevitable conclusions. The conclusions which I think emerge from this history are that *firstly*, executive power and responsibility for the administration of the affairs of a great city should be vested not in a number of individuals, not even in a Committee, but in a single individual, on condition that proper safeguards are provided against arbitrary action. *Secondly*, that the general policy and conduct of such administration should be controlled by representatives of the rate-payers, and *thirdly*, that provision should be made for the due representation of all classes and interests, and that in cases where that is not possible by reason of existing circumstances, the Government should have the power of nomination. Now, though this Act of 1899 has worked fairly satisfactorily, as it has been in work for the past 18 years, doubts and difficulties have, from time to time, arisen with regard to its construction and practical operation, and there has been also a growing volume of public opinion that the constitution of the Corporation should be further liberalized.

The present Bill is the result of prolonged consideration of the various opinions received in consultation with the Government of India for over five years, *i.e.*, from 1912 to 1917.

The scheme of the Bill is so fully explained in the Statement of Objects and Reasons that I do not propose to go through its provisions in any detail. I may mention, however, that the technical chapters and schedules of the Bill, *e.g.*, as to buildings, water-supply, etc., have been framed after careful consideration by experts and in the light of the practical experience of the Corporation itself. The main features of the Bill are—

(*i*) the restoration of the old number of Commissioners, viz., 75.

(*ii*) that Muhammadans should elect their representatives by separate District Electorates, being at the same time precluded from taking part in the general or ward elections.

(*iii*) the abolition of plural voting;

(*iv*) the appointment of a Commissioner by the Government as the head of the Executive and the election of a Chairman by the Corporation to preside at its meetings ; and

(*v*) the abolition of the General Committee and the creation of a General Appeals Committee and a Buildings Appeals Committee.

In the address which the Chairman and the Commissioners of the Calcutta Corporation presented on behalf of the citizens of Calcutta, to His Excellency Lord Carmichael, on his arrival in Calcutta, to take up the Government of the Presidency, they expressed the opinion that their administration would not be effective without some radical alterations in the law and in the constitution of the Corporation, and they invited consideration of the suggestions of the Royal Commission on Decentralization regarding the Corporation. Several representations were subsequently submitted to Government from private individuals, as well as from representative Associations, and various proposals were suggested for the consideration of Government with a view to the amendment of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899. The Government of Lord Carmichael realized that there was a widespread feeling in favour of amending the Act, and in particular of an alteration in the constitution of the Corporation. The various proposals and suggestions which had been put forward were considered and examined, and a Resolution was published in 1913, inviting the views of the Calcutta Corporation and the general public on the main alterations suggested in the law, which related principally to the constitution of the Corporation and the administrative machinery employed.

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Constitution of the Corporation.—It has been urged that the existing number of elected Commissioners one for each ward is inadequate to secure a proper representation of the local interests of each ward, and that there should be a uniform representation of 2 members for each ward, as was the case under the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act, 1888. It has also been pointed out that the Muhammadan community does not succeed in securing adequate representation on the Corporation. Under the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act, 1888, when the suburbs were amalgamated with the town, the area of the Municipality increased from about 6 square miles to 19 square miles approximately, and the population rose from 4 lakhs to 6 lakhs. The increased area was divided into 25 wards instead of 18 and the number of Commissioners was raised from 72 to 75. In the Bill, which subsequently became Bengal Act III of 1899, the number of Commissioners was left intact. It was, however, provided that in the General Committee consisting of 12 members, which was to be the Executive Committee of the Corporation, the 50 Ward Commissioners would elect 4 members, while the 10 representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, the Trades Association and the Port Commissioners would elect an equal number of members, and Government would appoint the same number direct. Some popular representatives, who were dissatisfied with the arrangement urged that it was unfair and anomalous, that of the 12 members who were to form the General Committee, the 50 Ward Commissioners should elect only 4, and that the 10 representatives of the European local bodies should elect an equal number. They also pointed out that the Ward Commissioners, though in a majority in the Corporation, would be in a hopeless minority, and the representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and Trades Association and the Port Trust, along with the Government nominees, would be in an overwhelming majority, in the General Committee. They, accordingly, prayed that the Ward Commissioners should be allowed to elect a larger number of representatives in the General Committee, a number in proportion to their representation in the Corporation. The Government of India admitted the anomaly and suggested that it should be removed, not by increasing the number of representatives of the Ward Commissioners in the General Committee but by reducing the number of elected Commissioners, to one-half of the total number of Commissioners and allowing each of the two-halves of the Corporation thus formed to elect an equal number of representatives in the General Committee. The reduction was also justified on the ground that it was unreasonable that 13,890 voters should return as many as 50 members, or that the interests of a city of 681,000 inhabitants should require the services of as many as 75 Commissioners for their proper protection. While the numerical strength of the Corporation was held to be disproportionately and unnecessarily large, it was also pointed out that the constitution of the Corporation failed to secure just and adequate representation of the various interests that composed the corporate life and wealth of the community. The number finally determined—25 elected and 25 nominated—constituted a balance between the two main interests and classes in the city at that time, viz., the European interest largely predominating in wealth and influence and the Indian interest, largely predominating in numbers. But since then the population of Calcutta has increased from 681,000 in 1899 to 861,501 at the present day and the number of voters has more than doubled in the same period, being now 38,412. The increase in the total population is a strong argument in favour of enlarging the strength of the Corporation and as the proportion of voters to the population has increased from 2 to 4 per cent. there is clear justification for an increase in the number of elected representatives. The necessity for restricting the number of elected Commissioners within reasonable bounds and maintaining as far as possible the balance in the representation of the European and the Indian interests has, however, imposed the limitation that

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any increase in the number of elected Commissioners should be confined to the 12 more populous wards, and that to these wards only should be given the right to elect two representatives. This will increase the representation by election from the wards from 25 to 37. The claims of the Muhammadan community for adequate representation have been carefully considered. The Muhammadans form more than 25 per cent. of the total population of the city, but the percentage of their votes to the total voting power is as low as 7·8, and, in ordinary circumstances, the chances of a Muhammadan seeking election as a ward representative are small. The Muhammadan population, it is true, is in an absolute majority in two wards of the Municipality, and it exceeds the Hindu population in three other wards. But even in these wards, the number of votes commanded by Muhammadans is very small, the highest in any ward being 32 per cent. The result is that this community, though forming more than 25 per cent. of the population of the city, fails to receive its fair share of representation on the Corporation. In the General Election held in March 1915, not a single member of this community succeeded in winning a seat. There is, therefore, a legitimate grievance; and the Government had to face a problem of great difficulty, the solution of which must be faced, though a great deal could be said on either side. Two courses were suggested to mitigate the grievance, one, that the Muhammadan representation should be a mere minimum representation based upon voting power, and the other, that the Muhammadan community should be given that degree of representation which, upon the whole, it might expect, in view, not merely of its voting power, but of its numbers and its importance. As stated above, public opinion was invited on the subject and in spite of the unanimous opposition of the Hindu associations the consensus of opinion, including that of the Corporation, has been in favour of securing adequate representation to this important community by a separate communal electorate. Government accordingly proposes to adopt the latter of the two courses, which appears to be the mode least open to objection amongst several alternative suggestions made for the attainment of the object in view. It is accordingly proposed to constitute an entirely separate Muhammadan electorate on the principle by which Muhammadan representation is secured on the Legislative Council, to return their own Councillors, while Muhammadan voters have been denied the privilege to vote at the General Ward elections. In consideration, both of its numerical strength and voting power, it is proposed to allot to this community nine seats.

Clause 45 provides that Calcutta shall be divided into four districts for the purposes of the election of Muhammadan Councillors, the respective numbers and composition of which are specified according to the proportion of Muhammadan residents as follows :—

District No. I, comprising wards 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 to elect one Councillor.

District No. II, comprising wards 7 to 12 inclusive, electing three Councillors.

District No. III, comprising wards 13 to 17 and 19 and 20 electing three Councillors.

District No. IV, comprising wards 18 and 21 to 25 inclusive two Councillors.

Schedule IV.

Clause 47 empowers the Local Government to alter Schedule IV as to boundaries of districts and the number of Councillors to be elected, in view of the possibility of changes in the Muhammadan population of a district.

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The importance of the Marwari community, the Calcutta University and the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce has been recognized by representation on the Corporation, an increase of two in the representatives of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, and of one in those of the Calcutta Trades Association being also made. The number of Government nominees has at the same time been reduced by three. the total strength of the Corporation being thus raised from 50 to 75 as shown below :—

Existing constitution.

Elected Commissioners (one for each ward)			...	25
Commissioners appointed by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce			...	4
Ditto	ditto	Calcutta Tades Association	...	4
Ditto	ditto	Port Trust	...	2
Ditto	ditto	Government	...	15
		Total	...	50

Proposed constitution.

Clause 8 of the Bill.

Elected Ward Councillors (25 *plus* 12 extra representatives for the 12 most populous Wards			...	37
Elected Muhammadan Councillors			...	9
Appointed by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce			...	6
Ditto	Calcutta Trades Association		...	5
Ditto	Port Commissioners		...	2
Ditto	University of Calcutta		...	1
Ditto	Marwari Association		...	2
Ditto	Bengal National Chamber of Commerce		...	1
Ditto	Government		...	12
		Total	...	75

It is further proposed that plural voting should be practically abolished (clause 38) in order to make the constitution of the Corporation more democratic. The provisions relative to voting in the existing Act have been revised with a view to do away with the system under which a man having the necessary qualifications in regard to two or more wards could vote in each of those wards, subject to certain limitations, while a voter was also allowed to have extra votes in a ward according to the aggregate value of his land and buildings on it. The only form of plural voting recognized in the Bill is that a qualified person is allowed as many votes in a ward as there are vacancies, provided that he does not give more than one vote to any one candidate. Clause 38 otherwise reproduces the existing voting qualifications with one addition, viz., that the owners of huts in bustees valued at Rs. 200 per annum or upwards have been given the right to vote.

Administrative machinery.—The recommendations of the Royal Commission upon Decentralization have been followed in the proposal to adopt the system in force in Bombay by vesting all executive authority in a Municipal Commissioner appointed by Government, who will not be a member of the Corporation. Under the present law, the Chairman is at once the Head of the Executive of the Corporation and of the Corporation as a deliberative body, which sits in judgment over the action of the executive, and is thus frequently called on to give a vote, and sometimes even a casting vote in favour of his own actions. He has to preside at all meetings of the Corporation and the General Committee, and practically of all the Special and Sub-Committees, which occupy a considerable portion of his time. The modification adopted in the Bill will relieve the Head of the Executive from the dual functions which he now exercises, and will allow him to devote a greater measure of his time and attention to his executive duties. He will have the right of attending all meetings whether of the Corporation or of Committees and of taking part in the discussions but he will not be entitled to vote on

any question considered at such meetings A President of the Corporation will be elected by the Municipal Commissioners (who will be called Councillors in future) from among their own number and his duties will be limited to presiding at the Corporation meetings. In his absence, a Vice-President will be elected for the same purpose by the Councillors. The Municipal Commissioners will be assisted by the Deputy Commissioner who will also be appointed by Government, and the present post of Vice-Chairman will be abolished.

The General Committe, which is constituted under section 9 of the existing Act, has been the subject of much discussion, and there is a strong body of opinion, including that of the Corporation itself, in favour of the abolition of this Committee and the transfer of its powers, partly to the Corporation, and partly to the Municipal Commissioner. On the score of inconvenience arising from the existence of three separate co-ordinate authorities, viz., the Chairman, the General Committee and the Corporation whose functions sometimes overlap, the abolition of the General Committee is considered desirable. Moreover, the principle adopted in the Bill is that all executive functions or functions entailing prompt action should be entrusted to the Municipal Commissioner, and that the Corporation as the deliberative assembly should direct the general policy of the administration, and exercise powers of control. This leaves no room in the constitution for the General Committee. Its powers and duties have, therefore, been distributed between the Corporation and the Municipal Commissioner, according as they relate, respectively, to general policy or executive functions. The result is a considerable increase in the powers of both authorities but it is thought that the Corporation would experience no difficulty in exercising their extended powers through the agency of Standing and Special Committees, and that the existence of a right of appeal in all important matters should effectively check any undue concentration of authority in the Commissioner.

The Commissioner would thus have extensive powers of dealing with matters of sanitation and city improvement which will affect the interests of house-holders and other private individuals. It is considered desirable that a right of appeal should be granted to persons affected by the exercise of the more important of the Commissioner's powers and it is, therefore, proposed to constitute two separate Appeals Committees to hear appeals against orders of the Commissioner in two different classes of cases.

These Committees are—

(1) *Clause 9.*—The General Appeals Committee which will consist of seven Councillors (of whom not more than four shall be elected Councilors) to be appointed annually by the Corporation to hear appeals in cases (other than cases arising out of the application of the building rules) in which an appeal to that Committee is expressly provided for in the Bill, or in any bye-law, and ;

(2) *Clause 10.*—The *Buildings Appeals Committee* which will consist of three members (who need not be Councillors) appointed annually—one by the Corporation and two by the Local Government—to hear appeals in cases in which an appeal to that Committee is provided for in the Bill in the Chapter and Schedule dealing with the erection of buildings, or in any bye-law relating to the application of the building rules.

It has been thought desirable to provide a separate appellate authority (that is the Buildings Appeals Committee) to hear appeals in cases relating to the application of the building rules which are of a technical nature, and to leave it open to the Corporation, as well as to the Local Government to appoint experts to be members of this Committee. The two Appeals Committees above referred to will take the place of the General Committee

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only so far as the latter's powers to hear appeals is concerned, and will constitute a kind of Court of Equity between the Commissioner and the rate-payers. Their decisions are to be final, but they will be in no sense co-ordinate Municipal authorities.

It is proposed to amplify the provisions contained in section 96 of the existing Act relating to the appointment of Special Committees. The Bill provides for the appointment of two kinds of Committees, viz., Standing Committees and Special Committees. The Corporation are authorized to delegate any of their powers, duties or functions to Standing Committees. These Committees will deal with all matters comprised in their delegation as they arise, and their proceedings, when confirmed by the Corporation, will become resolutions of that body. Special Committees are intended to be appointed to enquire into and report upon specific matters which may arise in the course of the administration and they will confine their enquiry to such matters. They will ordinarily deal with important questions in which a full enquiry is necessary, while the Standing Committees will deal with matters of ordinary administration. With regard to Standing Committees, however, certain special provisions have been introduced. The number of members of such Committees is limited to ten, and no Councillor may be a member of more than two Standing Committees or the President of more than one. The object of these provisions is to induce Councillors to take a special interest in some particular branch or branches of the administration, and thus enhance the efficiency of the work done by these Committees. It should be remembered that the importance of the Standing Committees will be considerably increased owing to the abolition of the General Committee.

Under the existing Act, the different Municipal rates are levied as one consolidated rate, but the various funds are nevertheless kept distinct. This only leads to complications in the accounts without producing any corresponding advantage. The Bill provides for the amalgamation of the four existing funds and for only one consolidated rate which will not exceed the maximum of 23 per cent. on the annual valuation as at present levied under Chapter XII of the existing Act.

A special procedure will be adopted, as in Bombay, for the assessment of Government buildings and lands while unlike Bombay no separate rate of taxation will be allowed in the case of Government properties.

Two changes of some importance are proposed in Chapter XIII of Act relating to the tax on carriages and animals. It is proposed to introduce a tax on dogs. The tax proposed is Rs. 2 per annum, and is intended to act more as a check upon the growing nuisance of ownerless dogs than as a means of revenue. An increase is also proposed in the connected schedule—No. VII—in the tax on motor-cars, making the amount payable on all cars of approximately 12 horse-power or over, the same as that payable on a carriage and a pair of horses.

Some additional provisions have also been introduced with regard to the registration of carts. Under the present law, road-trains, steam-lorries and similar vehicles pay the same tax as bullock-carts, viz., Rs. 4. every half-year. It is proposed to raise this tax to Rs. 24 for all vehicles which come under the definition of 'cart' propelled by mechanical power and Rs. 12 for trailers drawn by such vehicles. Provision has also been made to prescribe by means of bye-laws a minimum width for the tyres of carts and to increase this width proportionately to the load. It is also provided that all cart-drivers must be registered and must have a number assigned to them. This is intended to check the large number of thefts from carts which have lately been complained of by the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and other mercantile bodies. These thefts cannot be traced to any one at present and it is thought that registration will facilitate the identification of drivers of carts from which thefts occur.

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The provision of Chapter XXIII of the existing Act, relating to streets and public places have been revised with a view to distinguishing more clearly between the 'street alignment' and the 'building line'.

Two points deserve mention in connection with the regulation of buildings. In accordance with the recommendation of the Corporation, provision has been made for the licensing of buildings surveyors. No plan of a proposed new building will be sanctioned unless it is prepared and signed by a licensed building surveyor, and the construction of all buildings costing Rs. 5,000 or upwards must be supervised by a licensed building surveyor or by a person approved by the Commissioner. It is also proposed to allow an appeal to the Buildings Appeals Committee against practically all orders of the Commissioner relating to the building rules. Under the existing law, the appellate power in such cases has frequently been abused in that there has been a tendency to relax the rules in almost every case. Having regard, however, to the constitution of the proposed Buildings Appeals Committee, which is to be a more or less expert body, it is thought desirable to enlarge the right of appeal.

The development of building sites which, owing to size or shape or to the want of road frontage or proper means of access, are unsuitable for building upon, is to a certain extent provided for by sections 364 to 366 of the existing Act, but there are so many practical difficulties in the way that these sections have never actually been worked. In Bombay the important question of the development of building sites is dealt with in a separate Act (Bombay Act I of 1915) on the lines of the Housing, Town-planing, etc., Act, 1909 (9 Edw. 7, c. 44), and it is thought that it will be best to deal with the development of building sites in Calcutta in a separate Bill drawn on somewhat the same lines. It is proposed, therefore, to omit altogether from the present Bill the provisions of sections 364 to 366 of the existing Act.

The question of food adulteration is dealt with in the Bill in a more comprehensive manner than has been attempted hitherto. Hon'ble Members will remember the Ghee Act for Calcutta which was passed as an emergency measure just before the last Poojahs. That Act is now proposed to be repealed, as its provisions are incorporated in the Bill. A definition of 'adulterated' has been inserted in clause 3, and it is made an offence to sell or expose for sale, manufacture or store for sale any article of human food which comes within that definition. Besides this, clause 426 makes special provision for the regulation of the sale of milk, ghee, mustard oil and any other article of food or any drug which may hereafter be notified in that behalf by the Local Government. A strict standard of purity is prescribed in respect of each of these articles, and it is made an offence to sell, expose for sale, manufacture or store for sale, anything which falls short of this standard. Food adulteration has reached alarming proportions in Calcutta and the existing law has entirely failed to check it. In the interests of the public health, it is considered necessary to have recourse to more drastic legislation, and in particular to provide for the purity of the main staple articles of food which appear to be most liable to adulteration.

Every change of any importance which it is proposed to make in the existing law is explained in detail in the Notes on Clauses appended to the Bill; it being thought desirable, in the case of a measure of this magnitude and importance to afford the Council the fullest possible assistance in its consideration. A table has also been prepared and annexed to the Bill showing which provisions of the existing Act have been omitted from the Bill and giving brief reasons for such omissions. The table also indicates where the provisions of the existing Act which have been retained are reproduced in the Bill."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Bengal Public Demands Recovery (amendment) Bill, 1917.

Mr. Cumming, Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.

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THE BENGAL PUBLIC DEMANDS RECOVERY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1917.

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913.

He said :—

"My Lord. I rise to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913.

The Bill is very short and very simple. Its object is to effect the realization of dues payable to a co-operative society which has gone into liquidation, such dues to be realized through the agency of the certificate procedure under the Public Demands Recovery Act. The Bill is in accordance with the recommendations of the last Bengal Provincial Co-operative Conference held in February last; in the second place, the Committee on Co-operation in India recommended in 1915 that, when the Co-operative Societies Act be revised, provision should be made for summary recovery of assets in liquidation; and, fianally, a similar provision is already law in the Public Demands Recovery Act of the Province of Bihar and Orissa.

One objection, which might be made to the acceptance of the proposition that the dues of the co-operative society should be realized by coercive measures through the agency of the State. is that such a proposition is a denial of co-operative principles. This, I venture to suggest, is a superficial criticism, as the fact that a co-operative society has gone into liquidation means that co-operative principles have ceased to exist in the area in question. If so, it is in the interests of the co-operative movement that any black mark against this movement should be wiped out as soon as possible, and that co-operative societies which are no longer co-operative should be closed down and liquidated as soon as possible.

I trust that the proposal will meet with the acceptance of this Council. and I beg now to move formally that leave be given to introduce a Bill to amend the Public Demands Recovery Act of 1913."

The Hon'ble Mr. Cumming also moved that the Bill be referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Stevenson-Moore, the Hon'ble Mr. Kerr, the Hon'ble Mr. Panton, the Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie, the Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy, the Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq, the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, the Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri and the mover, with instructions. to submit their report in time for its consideration at the meeting to be held in December next.

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, the principle of the Bill, as suggested, I suppose, cannot meet with any opposition. The Public Demands Recovery Act may be amended as suggested in the Bill. Clause 3 of the Bill is no doubt a very useful addition. There is one matter which I may be permitted to suggest to the Council. The certificate procedure is a speedy one for the recovery of the sums embodied in sub-section (*2*) of section 42, clauses (*b*) and (*d*) of the Co-operative Societies Act of 1912. I respectfully invite the attention of the Hon'ble Member in charge whether it will not be possible to modify clause (*5*) of section 42, wherein it is laid down that orders made under this section *shall* on application be enforced by the Civil Court. The word 'shall' is imperative; the words "on application" may be viewed as conferring jurisdiction on the Civil Court for the enforcement of the order of liquidation. Still, it may be argued that the clause empowers jurisdiction only upon Civil

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Courts. Sub-section (5) (a) of section 42 of that Act also demands the consideration of the Council which, as far as I can gather, remains untouched by the Bill. This is a suggestion which I submit for the consideration of the Council."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"Your Excellency, I hope the policy of this Bill will meet with general approval, and I desire to speak very shortly because it occurred to me that I should say something on a particular point. I was not present when my learned friend the last speaker said what he had to say, and I do not know whether he referred to the very same point. I trust Government are satisfied that the local Legislative Council has the power of passing the proposed provision into law in view of section 42, clause (5) of the Co-operative Societies Act (II of 1912) of the Indian legislature. Apparently the provisions of that clause make it mandatory that in regard to the order made by a liquidator determining the contributions to be made by members to the assets of the Society, as well as in regard to the order made by a liquidator determining by whom and in what proportion the costs of the liquidation should be borne, the procedure prescribed in that sub-section is that such order shall be enforced by a Civil Court having local jurisdiction in the same manner as a decree of such Court. That is a provision in a statute passed by the Indian legislature. The procedure proposed in the Bill has the effect of introducing an alternative procedure which is welcomed and which on merits deserves our support. I had only some doubts as a lawyer whether we have the power, when the Indian legislature prescribes an exclusive remedy, to provide an alternative one; but this is a matter which I have no doubt has received the consideration of the law officers of Government, and I have also no doubt that Government are satisfied that the local legislature has that power."

The motion was put and agreed to.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEMS Nos. 7 AND 8.

THE BENGAL JUVENILE SMOKING BILL, 1917.

The Hon'ble DR. ABDULLA-AL-MAMUN SUHRAWARDY moved for leave to introduce a Bill for the Prevention of Smoking by Juveniles.

He said :—

"My Lord, my justification for bringing forward this Bill is the rapidity with which the habit of cigarette-smoking is growing amongst juveniles.

The importation of cheap American tobacco and the rapid growth of tobacconists' shops in big towns are mainly responsible for the spread of this evil. This vice is not confined to youths still in their teens. It is fast growing amongst little children. Children, five or six years old, loitering about in the streets or in the vicinity of schools, puffing away at cigarettes, is a common and provoking sight.

The evil effects of smoking on the health of the young is well-known. According to expert opinion it 'arrests the normal developments of the body and the mind and gives rise to the distressing symptoms of dizziness, stupor, trembling of the limbs, palpitation on slight effort, feeble pulse, irregular circulation and nervous prostration.' According to Dr. Winslow Forbes, the brain specialist, cigarette-smoking is a very potent factor in the making of a lunatic. Dr. C. H. Clinton of the San Francisco Board of Education is of opinion 'that cigarette-smoking is as bad a habit as opium-smoking. It blunts

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the whole moral nature and has an appalling effect upon the system and stupefies the nerves.' For these reasons, my Lord, even tobacco-growing countries have passed laws for stamping out the evil of cigarette-smoking. Acts against juvenile-smoking were passed in many American States and British Colonies so far back as 1900. Legislation was undertaken in the United Kingdom in 1908 (8 Edw. 7, c. 67, s. 43, etc.), An Ordinance (No. 21 of 1909) for the Prevention of Smoking by Juveniles was enacted by the Governor of Ceylon in 1909. The State of Bhavnagar published a notification (No. 109 of 1917, dated 1st March 1917) forbidding the smoking of tobacco by children in the city of Bhavnagar. A Bill to prevent juveniles from smoking tobacco in any form is before the Punjab Legislative Council.

I have drafted the Bill on the lines of legislation in force in the countries and States mentioned above. The object of the Bill, as indicated in the Statement of Objects and Reasons, is to discourage cigarette-smoking amongst juveniles. The operation of the Bill is in the first instance limited to Calcutta, as the evil of cigarette-smoking is very pronounced here and also because it is desirable that legislation of this nature should begin in a place like Calcutta where public opinion is strong and there is little likelihood of harassment or abuse of power by the police. It may be noticed that (as many children of the working classes make a living out of cigarette and *biri* making) the provisions of the Bill do not apply to persons employed by a manufacturer of or dealer in tobacco for the purposes of his business. There may be some difference of opinion as to details, but I believe there will be none as to the principle of the Bill. I trust, my Lord, that I have only to ask leave to introduce the Bill, which I now formally do, to receive the full support of public opinion and of my colleagues in the Council. I move for leave to introduce this Bill."

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy also moved that the Bill be circulated for the purpose of eliciting opinion thereon.

The Hon'ble RAI DEBENDER CHUNDER GHOSE BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I will say only a few words in support of the Bill. I am not a medical man and cannot speak of the evil effects of cigarette-smoking among children or persons of immature age, but my experience is that it is not for the good of such people. I am myself a non-smoker and my Hon'ble friend Dr. Sarbadhikari is not only a non-smoker, but a militant anti-smoker; he has been instrumental in forming a society amongst students for the prevention of the smoking habit and that society is doing some good. I think if the legislature were to pass an Act of the kind suggested, it would do a great deal of social good."

The Hon'ble BABU MAHENDRA NATH RAY said :—

"I am also in support of the principles of this Bill. I wish, however, that in one respect it had been less comprehensive and in other respects more comprehensive, but these are matters of detail. There has been no distinction made in the Bill between boys and girls. I believe in the English Act of 1908 a distinction is made, and later on we will have to see in what respect a similar distinction may have to be made here. At any rate, in regard to the provision for seizure which involves a provision for the search of persons seized under the English statute, a distinction is very properly made between boys and girls. Then it might have been more comprehensive because I have looked into the provisions of the Bill and think that the law should also cover cases of smoking mixtures and papers which are very largely used in this

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country, and the provision in the Bill regarding pipes would not be enough to cover mixtures as well. However, these are matters of detail which will be considered later on. I have much pleasure in supporting the Bill."

The Hon'ble BABU AMBICA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, it is with sincere satisfaction that I welcome the introduction of this Bill. It is a summary measure no doubt, but I am sure it will have far-reaching consequences for the good of our youngmen. It is not so long ago that Hindus and Muhammadans alike considered it an act of gross impertinence for young men to smoke before their elders, but nowadays it is a common sight to see beardless boys with cigarettes or cigars as constant fixtures in their mouths in the public streets, playgrounds and other public places, and it is of the utmost importance that steps should be taken to check the growth of this vicious habit which is rapidly growing among our young men. While fully approving of the objects of the Bill I feel constrained to differ from its scope. It is said that in the first instance the Act shall apply to Calcutta. I ask, why? Is it on the principle of carrying coals to Newcastle? In Calcutta the Bill in all probability is likely to become a dead letter; besides the evil has its origin in the mufassal and not in Calcutta. In the mufassal if you allow young men of the student community to contract the habit, I do not think you can very easily control that habit when they come up to Calcutta for the purposes of higher education. I think we ought to begin where the root lies, and I earnestly ask the Hon'ble Mover of this Bill whether its application should not at once be extended not only to Calcutta, but also to all district towns and the head-quarters of subdivisions in every district. I would have gone a step further and asked him to extend it to all places where there exists a school, but there are certain objections and obvious difficulties in carrying it so far, but there can be no difficulty at all in extending it at once to the chief towns of every district and to the headquarters station of every subdivision. There are certain provisions on which we might make certain observations, but as my Hon'ble friend to the right has told us that there will be further opportunities for discussing them, I need not go into them at the present stage, although I may say that both the definition of teachers and the exemptions granted to certain classes of people will have to be widened a good deal. At any rate, we will have to exempt mill boys and boys working in manufactories. And I think also the limit of age will probably have to be reduced from 21 to something like 18, for there are lots of boys of this age working in mills, fields and factories and other places who do not read in schools, but begin their career in life as labourers either in one place or another. In regard to these people, we will have to extend the exemption which has been granted by the last clause. However, we shall have ample opportunity of discussing these provisions of the Bill which has been introduced, and at the same time I would again ask the Hon'ble Member in charge that he should consider whether it should not be at once extended not only to Calcutta but also to the chief towns of every district and the subdivisional headquarters of every subdivision. With these words, I cordially support the Bill which has been placed before the Council."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I also support the Bill, but I am afraid the object of the Bill will be defeated. If you study the clauses themselves carefully you will find that a lot of persons will escape, for instance, the seller of cigarettes, because it is said that 'if he sells them to young people *apparently* under 21 years....' The word 'apparently' is a very unhappy expression. In this way who is to decide the age of the person who is to purchase the article? Is the seller to

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sit in judgment upon it? Then again if the young man under 21 wishes to purchase the cigars or cigarettes, can he not manage it through other agency, that is, can he not send his adult servant to purchase them for him? The whole object of the Bill will be defeated if proper attention be not given to clause 3 and especially to clause 4. My Lord, I also think that this Bill as it stands will be an engine of oppression by the police. Care should be taken on this point, and clause 4 of the Bill demands a good deal of modification. We find also that as the seller is to be punished, the purchase of the article is not made an offence at all. Why not? That point should also be considered by the Select Committee. The state of things in England or in America is not the same here. However much we may approve the object of the Bill, we will have to consider also that the domain of positive law is not the domain of moral law. The two domains must be kept separate. Hitherto that was the view taken, and hitherto school discipline was considered to be the best remedy for the growing evil. When we find school discipline is not sufficient for the purpose, I have no objection to the Bill if these principles be embodied in the law, and I need not discuss further on the subject, but I will leave it to the consideration of the Hon'ble Member in charge of the Bill."

The Hon'ble DR. DEBA PRASAD SARBADHIKARI said :—

"My Lord, it is bad form to be guilty of anything like militancy and when one is unfortunately so guilty one tries to keep his militancy in the background. I have done so with regard to the smoking question so far, and was content to bide my time and let public opinion be better prepared through the instrumentality of our public bodies, educational institutions and the Press. I feel almost ashamed that my Hon'ble friend Dr. Suhrawardy should have had to be left to bring forward that which I should have done many years ago. I congratulate him on his courage and I hope the Bill will not share the same fate as the Punjab Bill has done. There are difficulties in the way which have been foreshadowed already and which will be very carefully considered in Select Committee. Therefore, into these matters, which are essentially of detail, I shall not go to-day. I quite agree with the Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur that if we are to have anything effective the seller and the buyer have alike to be provided for in the penal clauses. This has already been done, though not under the British Act. I find in some of the laws of the Native States of India, such as Hyderabad, Sirmur and Bundelkhand where the evil was very rampant and very real, they have to a certain extent combatted the evil, and if we are to do anything in that way, the penal clauses will have to be extended to the seller also. As regards young sinners trying to circumvent the law and getting adult abettors to pander to their vices, no law will ever be able to prevent such catastrophies. That would be however no reason against having the law at all. A young man's father who would not let him have anything like spirits found that his worthy son's perfumery bill went up every month, and a formidable collection of Eau-de-Cologne bottles was found under his bed, when liver abcess followed and the young man died. There is no reason why we should be discouraged in our efforts to meet the general evil as far as we can because of abnormal monstrosities like this. That the evil is very real in Calcutta and the mufassal, I have not the least doubt. I welcome the principles of the measure, and I hope it will be threshed out in the Select Committee, and all the objectionable features about which much public criticism has already been roused will be eliminated. The age question is a very real one; the British Act makes it 16, the Punjab Bill wanted to make it 18, which is the age of majority in this country. Then as regards the preventing agency; whether the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals or whether the

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preventive officers of the Police or Customs would be quite suitable, would be matters that will have to be considered, but I can assure the Council that the educational authorities and the authorities of the society to which the Hon'ble Rai Debender Chander Ghose Bahadur has referred, will be glad to co-operate in the matter and try to furnish agencies which, to begin with, ought to prove satisfactory. There need not be any misgiving so far; we cannot hope to carry out the provisions of a perfect measure in a perfect way; a beginning has to be made, and as the evil is real I hope a beginning will be made in Bengal. and that this Bill will not share the fate of the Punjab Bill. If it does it will go forth to the world that Government have legalised juvenile smoking. It was said, when some of our sanguine friends unsuccessfully approached Your Excellency with a view to keep down the prices of piece-goods, that the Government had sanctioned this increase. I hope that will not be the fate of this Bill."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, I cannot claim the same want of partiality for tobacco as some of the previous speakers; perhaps that is all the greater reason why I should say that I sympathise entirely with the object which my friend the Hon'ble Dr. Suhrawardy has in initiating this legislation. Inasmuch as the Bill has to be circulated for the purpose of eliciting public opinion thereon, I do not think that I need say anything more than direct attention to a few points upon which public opinion should declare itself before this legislation is further proceeded with. In the first place—and I hope in saying this I will not be considered unsympathetic towards the Bill, by reason of my confessed partiality for the weed—I think the public ought to consider whether the need for this legislation has been made out, *i.e.*, whether there is such a great evil by reason of the cigarette-smoking habit among our young men that we need add yet another offence to the statute-book. One of my friends who spoke before me has already indicated the line of thought which is necessary to follow in matters of this kind, viz., that the remedy might, in many cases of admitted evils, be left to domestic or school discipline. However, this is only a matter to which I direct public attention. The next point which, I think, requires consideration, and which has also been mentioned by previous speakers, is as to the age-limit with regard to persons to whom tobacco of any particular kind is to be prohibited from being sold. The limit of age fixed in the Bill is 18, and as Dr. Sarbadhikari pointed out, in England it is 16 and not 18, and in the Punjab Bill it is not 18 but 16 also—I have got it before me—and there is the Ceylon Ordinance, which I think is referred to by Dr. Suhrawardy; I believe there also it is 16. Twenty-one does seem to me unnecessarily high. Further it will have to be considered as to how far we can have exemptions, because it might be considered a great hardship on many classes to whom a bit of tobacco is always a great solace, specially when they do not get sufficient food. It ought also to be considered very carefully as to whether the agency to whom the power to seize tobacco is to be entrusted, is the right kind of agency. To me it seems that officers of the preventive service, by which I presume that my friend means the Customs service, seem to be hardly proper agents for seizing cigarettes in the pockets or hands of young people loitering about in the streets. It may be possible for school-teachers to do this in regard to boys of their own schools, but whether it would be possible or desirable for them to deal in the same way with boys of *other* schools, is certainly a matter which requires careful consideration; and officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals may seem out of place in dealing with boys of *bhadralok* families; but all these I mention as matters which should be carefully considered by individuals and associations when they consider this Bill.

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One other point I must mention. The Bill makes no provision as to who is to initiate prosecutions. Supposing there is a prosecution ; who is to initiate it ? Is it to be the police, or is it to be anybody else ? That is a point also which I commend to public attention. Further, is it only cigarettes or tobacco in the forms mentioned that is to be prohibited. or is *hookka* smoking also to be included ? Perhaps it may not be as injurious to the young as cigarette-smoking, but if we are dealing with the prevention of smoking, it will be just as well to consider that also. But the principal thing that strikes me is the consideration as to whether legislation is desirable or necessary with regard to a matter of this kind. I have before me a note recorded by an officer high in His Excellency's Council, pointing out the probable result of the law being a dead letter. This is what he says :—' I never smoked until I was 21, not even a single cigarette, and I have probably been the better for my youthful abstinence, but if the police or college authorities had been enjoined by law to prevent me from smoking, I should certainly have begun to smoke long before I did : in fact cigarettes and politics are much on the same footing '—it may be desirable but not always feasible to prohibit either."

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(*Under the Rules for the discussion of matters of general public interest.*)

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM NO. 9.

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that shorthand-writers be appointed, as early as practicable. in all Sessions Courts, to take down the charge as delivered by the Sessions Judge to the Jury.

He said :—

" My Lord, in December 1913 I asked the following question in this House :—

' In view of the advance in education during the last 20 years. have the Government of Bengal considered the desirability of introducing the trial by jury in non-jury districts ? '

The answer was :—Within the last 20 years the Government of Bengal have considered the desirability of introducing trial by jury in non-jury districts. In 1897 the system of trial by jury was extended to the districts of Chittagong, Mymensingh. Rajshahi and Jessore, and in 1905 to the district of Khulna.

The real reason why I did not follow up the question by a Resolution for the extension of trial by jury was that proper men were not selected as jurors in those districts where trial by jury is in force, and that the verdict in many cases in those districts was not what it should have been ; and, secondly, because the Judge's charge to the jury as delivered in Court at the trial is not sometimes the same as that signed by the Judge and placed in the record of the trial. Now that the Resolution to extend the jury trial to non-jury districts has met with success, I think it would be useless simply to have the right extended if we do not get proper men in the jury list, and if the charge of the trying judge to the jury is not properly recorded. As regards the selection of proper men as jurors, I think it is the High Court which has the power to do so, and it will be necessary to move that authority for the purpose. I shall now deal with my resolution, viz., the appointment of

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shorthand-writers for taking down the charge to the jury by Sessions Judges. The general practice is for the Sessions Judge to deliver his charge to the jury and then to write out the same, sometimes some days after the verdict has been pronounced. In some cases, no doubt, the charge is written out beforehand by the Sessions Judge and then delivered to the jury. But the former method is the general practice. So far as I am aware, there is no shorthand-writer attached to any of the Sessions Courts in the jury districts of Bengal, except in the district of the 24-Parganas. It is not seldom that in appeals from Sessions cases to the High Court the appellant impugns the charge to the jury as in the record as not being the same as actually delivered by the Judge. One can very well understand the result of appeals in such cases. Sir Romesh Chandra Mitter, one of the members of the Jury Commission, thus remarked on this point :—

"It seems to me of the utmost importance that in cases tried by jury, there shall be an accurate record kept of the Judge's charge to the jury. At present, though the law requires that the Sessions Judge should record the heads of charge to the jury, it contains the provision as to when or how such record should be made. As a matter of practice, I am informed, Sessions Judges generally record from memory or their own notes the substance of the charge delivered orally after the verdict has been taken. This course is open to many obvious objections and is likely to lead to unsatisfactory results. When an appeal has to be preferred to the High Court in a jury case, the appellant, in appealing against an alleged misdirection of the Judge, is sometimes forced to complain of the Judge's charge, not as it was probably laid before the jury, but as it has been recorded by the Judge after the verdict has been delivered. I am of opinion that the record should contain a strictly accurate report of the charge as delivered by the Judge to the jury.

"In my opinion there are two courses, the adoption of either of which would secure this end :—

"First, it should be made obligatory upon the Judge to write out his summing up before he proceeds to charge the jury. But this is a course which, I am informed, though occasionally adopted by Judges in the mufassal, is fraught with inconveniences and is likely to delay the trial. I am, therefore, disposed to recommend that a Bench Clerk should be attached to such Sessions Court whose duty it should be to take down in shorthand the Judge's charge as it is delivered, and whose transcript of the charge when signed by the presiding Judge should form part of the record."

The note of Sir Romesh Chandra Mitter was attached to the report of the Jury Commission on the 24th March 1893. Nearly a quarter of a century has passed since the above suggestion was made. We were in the midst of normal times all these years. Why were no steps taken to give effect to his recommendation? I had a talk only last week with a retired District and Sessions Judge who had acted as such in three of the important jury districts and whose reputation as a Judge stands very high. He told me that the appointment of shorthand-writers in Sessions Courts to take down the charge to the jury was absolutely necessary and in the interest of public justice ought to be done.

The verbatim charge to the jury ought to be exactly reproduced and not substantially a charge with material variations. The jury in this country is entirely guided by the charge as orally delivered and upon which they base their verdict and have nothing to do with a charge subsequently written out by the Judge with certain alterations which he may think he ought to have placed before the jury A charge subsequently written out and then reproduced in substance cannot in the nature of things represent the charge as delivered. Therefore care should be taken that the charge delivered should be the same as recorded. This is specially necessary when an appeal against a verdict

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of jury is only capable of being questioned in appeal by the accused if the charge contains misdirection and is erroneous in law. A charge subsequently substantially reproduced may result in the elimination of the errors contained in the oral delivery at the trial, and in the result there may be serious miscarriage of justice. We find sometimes in the charge as subsequently written out. "The law on the subject explained." No one knows how it was explained and what errors, if any, crept in. It is not possible in all cases to challenge the charge from the subsequently written out charge which forms part of the record of the case. I need hardly say that when an appeal comes before the High Court and the objections raised by the appellant concern the charge, that the very words of the charge should be placed before the Judges of the High Court to enable them to decide legally as to the correctness or otherwise of the said charge.

My Lord, I invited the opinion of the Bar Associations of some of the jury districts, and this is what some of them have written to me :

This is from Mymensingh—'In the trial of Sessions cases the charge to the jury is generally written out by the Judges after the delivery, and except in cases where it is written out before delivery, the charge delivered to the jury is not invariably correctly reproduced in the subsequently written out charge.

'We know of a very large number of cases where the charge delivered to the jury has not been correctly reproduced in the subsequently written out charge, so that the High Court on appeal has not been able to see distinctly or appreciate properly whether the case was fairly and properly placed before the jury. It is not at all necessary to quote chapter and verse, as this is a matter of almost everyday experience in the Sessions Courts. In our opinion the employment of shorthand-writers in Sessions Courts to take down the charge to the jury would be a very welcome innovation and a salutary check on the existing evil.'

This is from Berhampore—"They do not think that in the trial of Sessions cases, the charge to the jury at the trial is invariably correctly reproduced in the subsequently written out charge by him.

'In their opinion shorthand-typewriters should be employed in the Sessions Court to take down the charge to the jury.'

This is from Rajshahi—'We quite agree with you in the matter of employment of shorthand-writers as it is expected to be of much help.'

My Lord, is this a state of things which ought to be allowed to continue? My information is that we have now shorthand-writers whose services can be secured for Rs. 60 a month. I enquired and was informed that the shorthand-writers attached to the Court of the District and Sessions Judge of the 24-Parganas get that pay. There are at present 12 jury districts. The monthly expenditure would be Rs. 720 per month if whole-time shorthand-writers be appointed. But this expenditure would not be necessary and could be considerably curtailed. I think it should be about Rs. 240 per month if the services of the present Peshkars or Bench Clerks attached to each Sessions Court be utilised and an increment of Rs. 15 or Rs. 20 a month be given on condition of their learning shorthand-writing.

When stenographers are appointed every year in the Police Department under the Criminal Investigation Department, when want of funds has not been put forward for these appointments, one really wonders why Government has not made these appointments in Sessions Courts all these years, specially when these appointments would have helped in the administration of justice and the expenditure is moderate.

If it is the duty of Government to employ shorthand-writers to take note of seditious language used by speakers so that there may be an exact representation of the words used by the speakers for the sake of justice, I fail to see why the Government should not appoint shorthand-writers to take down charges of the Judges as they were really delivered. I know that under

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section 367 of the Code of Criminal Procedure the Court of Sessions shall record the heads of charge to the jury, but is it not fair that the interest of an accused person should be properly safeguarded ? The charge to the jury when taken down by a shorthand-writer cannot no doubt be used as evidence in the case, nor can it be placed before the appeal Court, but it is sure to be of great help to the trying Judge in writing out his charge. It is for this reason that I have brought forward this resolution before your Lordship's Council. It is far from my wish to cast any imputation upon any Sessions Judge. But, however good the memory of a Judge may be, he cannot be expected to reproduce the exact words of his charge as orally delivered.

There are shorthand-writers employed in Sessions Courts in the Presidency of Madras, and I think also in the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh. It is only fair that they should be employed in this Presidency as well.

I may inform your Lordship that I had a talk only this morning with a very high authority that since the establishment of appeal courts in criminal cases, official shorthand-writers have been appointed in Assizes or Sessions Courts in England to take down charge to the jury."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I beg to support the resolution moved by the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray. Having been long attached to the Sessions Court, I cannot but say that the services of the shorthand-writers will be useful to the Judges. I am aware of a Judge writing his charge to the jury after 21 days since passing sentence on the accused. That matter was put before the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court, and they pronounced that the charge was *no* charge under the law. As a matter of fact, the Judges in the Sessions Courts have many cases and they hardly have time to record charges at the time before they deliver them to the jury, and for this reason we find that charges are recorded after some time. Hence there is absolute necessity for employing the services of shorthand-writers. This is so far as the resolution regarding the employment of shorthand-writers.

There is, however, another cognate matter,—we are not simply to complain of the inaccuracy of the charges—which demands the consideration of the Council, namely, the interpretation of a charge to the jury. The Hon'ble Mover wishes that shorthand-writers be employed in the Sessions Courts. We should also remember that the interpretation of a charge is the chief thing. A European Judge cannot talk the Bengali language very clearly and they have consequently to depend upon the interpretation which is done by their bench clerks. They are to explain the difference between 'murder' and 'culpable homicide not amounting to murder.' They are to explain to the jury the meaning of these highly technical expressions. The jury are, as a rule, men of commonsense ; they are not trained lawyers, and they may not follow the ideas of European Judges. Therefore, I think that it is necessary that highly competent interpreters should be employed. A European Judge cannot always follow the evidence given in the Bengali language and that language is explained either by the pleaders engaged on both sides. Therefore, as my Hon'ble friend presses upon the attention of the Council that shorthand-writers should be employed in the Sessions Court, I suggest that competent interpreters be employed for the purpose. The object of my Hon'ble friend in moving this resolution regarding the employment of shorthand-writers is to see that justice is done, but he would also consider that it is necessary that interpreters should be employed for that very purpose, and he should take notice of this matter. If we are to complain that Government will have to incur heavy expenses on this matter, then I submit that the services of competent interpreters who have a knowledge of shorthand may be secured. It is needless to say anything more. With these few words I beg to support my Hon'ble friend's resolution."

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The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I have great pleasure in supporting the proposal of the Hon'ble Mover, as I have got some experience of jury trial. The charge is often written afterwards. I may submit that a Judge is apt to be more careful in writing out a thing than he can possibly be in delivering a charge orally. Of course the difficulty in this matter lies in the cost. I think, however, that the *peshkars* may be made to do this work with some additional allowances, and they may be made to learn shorthand also. The suggestion is a very good one. It is very necessary in undefended cases. In defended cases the vakil or pleader appearing for the accused may make any correction in the mistakes made, if any, in interpreting a charge. I think that the work may be done by the peshkars or sherishtadars. But it is absolutely necessary that the charge should not be written afterwards. It ought to be taken down as soon as delivered. With these few words, I beg to support the resolution."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, this resolution, of which notice was given before May last, was admitted before I became a Member of your Excellency's Government, and I confess that I have felt some doubts as to the propriety or expediency of this matter being gone into in this Council, for the simple reason that my Hon'ble friend ought to have approached the High Court for this purpose. It is not an amendment of the law which is asked for. If it was so, it would not be for this Council to do it, but it is not. My friend is asking that we should take administrative action by providing shorthand-writers for every Sessions Court. Section 367 of the Criminal Procedure Code provides that in trials by jury the Court need not write any judgment but should record the heads of the charge to the jury. This means, as the Judges have interpreted it, that he may do it when he delivers the charge or almost immediately or so soon after the charge is delivered, that he has got the facts fresh in his mind, and it is for this purpose that the record is submitted to the High Court to enable the Judges to consider whether the case both as to the law and as to the facts has been properly laid before the jury, whose verdict ordinarily would be final. It would not be of much use to provide a shorthand-writer for every Sessions Court if the High Court did not consider it necessary or desirable to look at the transcript of the shorthand-writer's notes. Therefore, as I say, my Hon'ble friend ought to have approached the High Court, and they know more about it than we do here as to whether the charge as delivered was frequently deficient in these respects. What we considered proper therefore was to communicate with the High Court and ask them whether they thought it necessary or desirable that there should be a shorthand-writer in each Sessions Court in jury trials, and we received their reply late in August or September. The reply is that so far as the experience of the Hon'ble Chief Justice and Judges goes, the step recommended by the Hon'ble Member is neither necessary nor desirable, but their lordships are not aware of the reasons which have led to the proposal, and if they are furnished with further information as to the grounds upon which the innovation is suggested they would be pleased to give the matter further consideration. That convinces me more than ever that in this matter my hon'ble friend ought to have approached the Chief Justice and Judges and placed his reasons before them. However, what I propose to do is to send to the Hon'ble the Chief Justice and Judges reports of the speeches delivered in Council to-day for the further consideration which they promised in their letter. In the meantime may I inform the Hon'ble Members—inasmuch as Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter's opinion (when he was a member of the Jury Commission) has

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been quoted—as to what happened in connection with that recommendation. My Hon'ble friend seems to think that that recommendation was not considered, and that no effect was given to it either deliberately or otherwise. The facts are these : The majority of the Jury Commission were of opinion that the verbatim records of the Sessions Judge's charge to the jury were impracticable. The point was, however, urged by two eminent Indian members of the Commission, namely, the late Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter (whose experience in these cases no one would impugn) as also the late Maharaja Sir Jatindra Mohan Tagore. Neither of them thought it practicable to require the Judge himself to write out the charge, and although Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter advocated the expediency of attaching a shorthand-writer to the Sessions Court, the majority of the Commission considered that it was not practicable. The Government of India considered it carefully and were not prepared under these circumstances to press on Local Governments the suggestion about shorthand-writers. They said also that there was no evidence before them that the recorded heads differed from the charges delivered and that no general need was felt for a change in the existing law. They, therefore, recommended that the subject should be left untouched, and by a despatch dated the 21st August 1894, the Secretary of State agreed in the conclusions arrived at by the Government of India. So it is not correct that Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter's recommendation was not considered or that it was not given effect to without due consideration. May I also point out to my Hon'ble friends that there may be serious practical difficulties in the way of adopting the Hon'ble Member's suggestion? Out of the 34 Sessions Judges. 11 are Bengalis who deliver their charge not in English but in Bengali. How would you have it recorded in shorthand? Or, is it to be confined to the case of Judges other than Bengalis, which would be making an invidious distinction and also to my mind impracticable.

The Hon'ble Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur admitted that even English Judges have got a knowledge in Bengali, and having regard to the composition of juries in this country they have got to do the best they can for the purpose of delivering the charge in Bengali, and when they cannot do it themselves they get it interpreted. How it is then to be taken down in shorthand, as there is no such thing as Bengali shorthand, at least it is not generally known? Besides, attempts have been made amongst others in the very Court, of which mention has been made by my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Surendra Nath Ray, by two experienced District Judges to get the charge taken down in shorthand, and both of them found it to be a grievous failure, because the clerks whom they could get in the Sessions Courts could only take down slowly dictated judgments and were absolutely unable to take down rapidly delivered charges and they made such a mess it—if I may use that vulgar expression—that it was more trouble for the Judge to correct it than if he had to write it out himself. However, these are practical considerations which will be no doubt considered by those with whom the decision must rest, and all I can promise to my learned friend is that we shall send a copy of all the speeches, which give the reasons for the change advocated, to the High Court and ask them for the further consideration which they have promised in their letter."

The Hon'ble BABU SURENDRA NATH RAY said :—

" My Lord, I am thankful to the Hon'ble Member for the assurance he has given that he is going to send the discussion on this resolution to the Hon'ble Judges of the High Court for their reconsideration, and I beg to withdraw this resolution."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

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LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEMS Nos. 10 AND 11.

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA was to have moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that all political prisoners and all persons interned in Bengal under the Defence of India Act be released at once.

If the above resolution was not carried, the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta intended to move that this Council recommends to the Governor in Council that if there is any evidence that any of the persons interned in Bengal under the Defence of India Act are implicated in any conspiracy or crime, they be put on trial at once in Law Courts and that the rest of the *détenus* be forthwith released.

He said :—

' My Lord, I have listened with all attention and respect to the very interesting speech which Your Excellency has delivered this morning about the operation of the Defence of India Act. We all appreciate Your Excellency's solicitude in explaining the Government point of view to the public, but with Your Excellency's permission I shall make a submission that the speech has made my position very difficult and if I may add very delicate. I mean my position with respect to the resolutions on the subject of internments which stand in my name, and I really do not know what is my duty in the new circumstances for which I was not prepared. My difficulty has, however, been solved, for I have been advised by those for whom I have the greatest respect not to press for these resolutions—Nos. 10 and 11. I am in perfect agreement with that view, for apart from other considerations, supposing I move the resolutions and they are carried by this Council, they will even then have the force of merely being a recommendation to Your Excellency. I should therefore not feel justified in taking up Your Excellency's time in making out a case upon which Your Excellency has already expressed your verdict. I crave Your Excellency's permission to withdraw these two resolutions."

The resolutions were then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

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If neither resolution No. 10 nor resolution No. 11 were carried, the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta was to have moved that this Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a mixed committee of non-officials and officials, other than Police officers, with a non-official majority, be formed to examine the evidence upon which all orders of internment have been passed in Bengal under the Defence of India Act and to make such recommendations to the Government about each individual case as may be warranted by such examination.

He said :—

"My Lord, the position is somewhat different in this case. Your Excellency has given us an assurance this morning that a committee would be formed, but what the composition of that committee will be we have not been able quite accurately to follow. Before going into that and examining the scheme that has been suggested, I think if Your Excellency will allow us an adjournment we may watch and see what the composition of that committee is, because after all the committee that has been suggested may, after examination, prove to be quite satisfactory to us. In view of this

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fact I pray that the resolution may be postponed for the next meeting of Council, so that in the meantime we may be in a position to decide whether it will be worth our while to trouble Your Excellency any more over this matter."

The President :—

"I take it that the Hon'ble Member asks for a postponement to a future meeting of this Council."

The Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta said :—

"Yes my Lord."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, postponed to a future meeting of the Council.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 13.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR was to have moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that an advisory committee of officials and non-officials consisting, among others, of an Indian Judge of the High Court and a practising member of the Calcutta Bar, be appointed to investigate into and report upon all internment cases that have already taken place and that may take place in future and to recommend in each case—

(*a*) the place of detention ;
(*b*) the allowance to be granted to the *détenu* and to the members of the family as may be deemed necessary ;
(*c*) the educational facilities which may be required in particular cases ;

and that the said advisory committee be empowered to co-opt any resident in the district wherein the persons affected live and who, in their opinion, is likely to be of assistance in the investigation and examination of the case.

He said :—

"My Lord, I have listened with great attention and respect to Your Excellency's speech this morning. We should like, however, to read that speech carefully and to examine its contents. Perhaps, we shall be decided at the next meeting. I crave Your Excellency's permission to postpone this resolution to a future meeting of this Council."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, postponed to a future meeting of the Council.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM NO. 14.

The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL Bahadur moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that a Board of Visitors be appointed in each district to visit the *détenus* every month, or as often as may be required, to ascertain and report as to their health and

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other conditions and on any complaint that may be made by them regarding their wants and necessaries.

He said :—

"My Lord, it is not connected with the question of internment, and if I am permitted, I would move it. The question of internment has been so fully explained by Your Excellency that I need not take up the time of this Council in dwelling on it, in introducing this motion. From time to time more oftener than usual complaints are made that the persons interned under the Defence of India Act are not well looked after, that they are subjected to great privations and inconveniences and that they suffer in health. It is also stated that there have been cases of lunacy as the result of privations and solitary confinement and even suicide owing to unendurable circumstances in which the person was placed. Personally, I do not know anything about the truth or otherwise of these complaints, but they are very widespread and create a very unfavourable impression in the public mind. Occasionally the Government issue Press Communiqués. The public mind would be greatly relieved if Government would see their way to appoint visitors as is done in the case of ordinary criminals confined in jails. When Government out of humanity and solicitude for the health of the convicted criminals of the country have appointed non-official visitors to visit the jails and to note in the Visitors' Book any grievances any criminal may communicate to the visitors for investigation by the authorities, I do not see any reason why the same procedure should not be followed in the case of persons interned under the Defence of India Act. There is a great difference between the interned persons and the convicted criminals. Sir Reginald Craddock said in the Imperial Council that the wording of the Act itself indicates that a man to be interned is not necessarily a criminal nor is taken to have committed criminal offences. It will be seen therefore that the interned persons are not considered as criminals. If criminals in jails according to the humane policy of the Government require so much looking after by a Board of Visitors the interned persons deserve no less. In this way all complaints will, if not promptly communicated by the local Police, at once come to the notice of Government and every legitimate grievance will be removed. The Government will also be in a better position to correct abuses if any be found to exist and thereby earn the gratitude not only of the *détenu* and his disconsolate family, but also of the community.

My Lord, I do not want to dilate more on this matter. I hope that this simple resolution will be accepted as it does not interfere in any way with the administration of the Defence of India Act."

The Hon'ble Sir HENRY WHEELER said :—

"Sir, the Hon'ble Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur has moved his resolution with brevity and moderation and I will imitate him in pointing out certain objections to its acceptance. These are briefly two. In my opinion the necessity for the committees which the Hon'ble Member would favour is not made out, and their practical working would be a matter of difficulty almost amounting to impossibility. These unfortunate youths are distributed over a far larger number of villages than the Hon'ble Member appears to appreciate. The latest figures I have been able to obtain show that the number of these villages is 529, scattered over most of the districts in the province.

As regards the necessity for supervision by a committee, the Hon'ble Member bases his argument on the analogy of jails. I think in this he has

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been led astray. The reasons for jail committees are in a large measure historical. In the development of jail administration, the earlier days were sometimes characterised by scandals and instances of acts of jail officials—I am not speaking of India, but as a general statement in prison history—which considerably shook public confidence, and I take it that the idea of appointing outside committee of official and non-official visitors, with the right to go within the enclosure of the four walls of the jail, was to assure the public mind that things were not going on inside those walls which it would shock them greatly to know. But the case of these men dealt with under the Defence of India Act is quite different. They are not in jail; they are in open villages where their own people are around them; where they have opportunities for representing to the authorities any matter of which they have to make complaints. That these opportunities are availed of quite freely is well known. Petitions come in to the local officers, the District Magistrate, the Superintendent of Police and to the Government; they are inquired into and I maintain, with reference to the rumours to which the Hon'ble Member has alluded, and which, he was fair enough to say he did not endorse, that to the best of our knowledge from the inquiries we have been able to make, these men are treated with justice and humanity and have no reasonable ground of complaint. Many questions have been asked in the Council both to-day and on former occasions about the treatment of these youths; we have made inquiries, we have given answers, and I maintain that the answers that we have given should have dispelled any uneasiness which might be created by the questions themselves. The analogy on which the Hon'ble Member relies, namely, that of a jail visiting committee, therefore breaks down. As regards actual working, I have already mentioned the number of villages which would be involved in the inquiry, and it seems to me to be practically impossible to have non-official committees wandering around over these large areas making reports once a month. In a district the *détenus* are under the immediate supervision of the District Magistrate and the Superintendent of Police, and these officers are in touch with them. The necessity therefore for importing another cumbrous machinery is scarcely made out.

There are other grounds connected with the position of these youths, on which I would rather not dwell, which make it undesirable that the prominence should be given which certain aspects of the resolution would involve, but on the two grounds I have mentioned I cannot recommend that the resolution should be accepted by the Council."

The Hon'ble MR. CUMMING said :—

"My Lord, the subject of the treatment of *détenus* as regards their health and conditions, for which the Hon'ble Member has proposed a special Board of Visitors, is not one which is at present in my department. Perhaps, however, as I have had a certain amount of experience in the matter, I may contribute some remarks on the subject.

The Hon'ble Member appears to consider that improved machinery is wanted in order that reasonable grievances may be redressed. He also seems to contemplate that he can bring conviction to a number of people who at present are unconvinced. Well, as regards the first point, the question of the improvement of the machinery, I would be the last to say that the present arrangements are perfect or that things have not been overlooked, or that delays have not occurred. Human nature is frail and these things do happen; but at the same time I maintain that the department with which I was concerned was continually improving its machinery, and there has been no halt in that progress. During the last hot weather and rains I toured over more than half Bengal and saw the conditions as far as I could and made as

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many local inquiries as I could, both in order to see the effect of orders that had been issued from headquarters and also to find out local facts and conditions. Of course this is only a personal opinion, and the Council may take it for what it is worth, but I found that there was singularly little about which the *détenus* could complain. On the contrary, I did find during the last two years in petitions that have been presented to me and in statements that are made in the Press and elsewhere, that there is an extraordinary amount of what I may be pardoned for calling 'hyperbole'; a gross extravagance of statement. It was alleged that a boy is dying; I found that he had got a little fever, and so on. I do not think that Government can be accused that they are not sympathetic toward these young men who have been placed away under these special conditions; but nevertheless one cannot overlook the fact of gross and persistent exaggeration in the petitions that have been submitted to Government. At the same time, in my enquiries, I found that the officers, Indian and European, whose duty it was to look after these young men, showed a very high degree of humanity; and I should like to take this opportunity of bearing public testimony to that fact, because the public can only learn what is stated in the Press and in the questions in Council and in the rumours which are circulated, and they gather that these young lads are being unfairly treated.

May I mention what measures there are at present in order that you can judge whether a Board of Visitors is required? In the first place there is a daily inrush of petitions both from the local officers and from the *détenus* themselves or from their relatives, either through the central police in Calcutta or from the districts; in the second place, the Special Secretary to Government has a daily durbar in which he listens to anything that the friends of these young men have got to say. I may say, for my part, that I have had many pathetic interviews dealing with the cases of erring sons and heart-broken fathers. In the third place, there are very frequent reports from local officers; in the fourth place, ample opportunities are given to the *détenus* at their places of domicile to interview their friends or relatives; and in the fifth place, they cannot complain that no notice is taken of the complaints that are made in the public Press. Anything that appears in the Press is examined; and if it is found that there is any reasonable grievance, action is taken to remedy it. So far, then, as regards the point that there should be any improvement in the machinery.

The second point is that conviction should be brought to those who are at present unconvinced. As regards this my experience has shown, after interviews with several hundreds of persons, that they may roughly be divided into two categories,—the reasonable father and the absolutely unreasonable father. The reasonable father is often sincerely grateful for what has been done for his boy. The unreasonable father is perfectly hopeless; and I doubt whether my hon'ble friend even with his eloquence could satisfy him if he does not want to be convinced.

As regards what is actually done, Sir Henry Wheeler has explained that their interests are consulted. I have transferred boys from Alipore to Cox's Bazar and from Chittagong to Western Bengal, because it was said that their health was failing. I sent a boy to have his eyes tested because he said he was getting headaches from imperfect sight. I sent another to a hospital, and his gratitude was to run away when he got better. I sent a boy to Calcutta because his property was being looted by some other people; I sent a boy from Western Bengal to Eastern Bengal to attend the Civil Court because there was a case against him. I have sent boys to see their sick relative. I sent several boys under very pathetic circumstances to attend the *sradh* of their parents. I do not think that anybody can reasonably say that they are not well treated. Some even go so far as to say that they are Government pensioners and that we are pampering them. There was one case,

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a very pathetic case, in which a boy who was interned in a certain district headquarters was doing nothing; but his brother was studying in a local school and his father had to stint himself in order to pay his school fees. The good boy was suffering from want of food, while the bad boy was getting good food at the expense of Government.

As regards allowances, the procedure has been very much improved within the last few months. Undoubtedly there have been complaints of delays in the Press and there have been complaints which appear in the questions which have been asked in Council. I do not deny that there are delays, but I do maintain that there are limitations of time and space which prevent things being done as quickly as might otherwise be possible. I also maintain that Government err neither on the side of meanness nor of extravagance.

As regards the whole proposition, I doubt very much whether, when all these opportunities are open to *détenus* to express their grievances, either real or fanciful, and when there is genuine sympathy towards them on the part of our officers, the machinery suggested by the Hon'ble Member will be of any real benefit."

The Hon'ble BABU BHABENDRA CHANDRA RAY said :—

"MY LORD, I have followed with interest what has been said by the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming about the inquiries made as to the treatment of interned persons in Bengal. But as a member of a small committee which has been recently formed by the Indian Association to inquire into the internment cases, it has been my lot to be acquainted with charges often made against the police which I dare not believe, far less express. If I were free to believe all the reports that are conveyed to us, I could unfold here a harrowing tale of misery and suffering.

My Lord, if we are not to have a voice in determining as to how the Defence of India Act is to be administered, let us at least be permitted to see with our own eyes how about a thousand sons of Bengal, who have been deprived of their liberty without trial, are faring in their enforced domicile. Let us have district committees as suggested in this resolution, and let not the *détenus* depend entirely upon the tender mercies of the District Superintendents and Sub-Inspectors of Police as Haridas had to.

My Lord, on the 3rd July last I asked a question in this Council with regard to the arrangements for non-official visitors visiting persons dealt with under the Defence of India Act, while under detention in jails; and in answer I was told that no special arrangements had been made. When I followed it up with a further question, Government stated that they had no information as to whether non-official visitors generally visited *détenus* in jails, but that there was no prohibition against such visits. It was further stated that Government were not considering the desirability of instituting a system of regular inspection of *détenus* by a body of non-official visitors specially nominated for the purpose.

This attitude of the Government is very much to be deplored. Unless Your Lordship takes the non-official Indians into your confidence, how can you expect them to discredit the wild rumours that are afloat in the country, how can you expect them to believe that the *détenus* are well cared for and not subjected to torture, that they do not go mad and meet with early death as a result of the treatment they get from their warders, that they do not commit suicide to escape starvation and unnameable atrocities? My Lord, unless you accede to this humble prayer of the people, how do you expect to prevent them from thinking that all is not above-board in the matter of the treatment of *détenus*?"

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The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, I have listened with very great interest to the speeches of the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler and the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming. I thought that my resolution was such a simple one that it would commend itself for acceptance by Your Excellency's Government. I am rather surprised to find that, when the Governments, both here and at Home, are inclined to largely associate the people of this country in the administration of their own affairs, my resolution would be rejected. I am only craving for permission in this resolution to associate some of my countrymen not in the matter of the administration of the Defence of India Act, but in the matter of the supervision of the *détenus* under that Act. The board, I propose, will have no executive power at all. If they are appointed they will only help the Government by giving their opinion in smaller matters. It is a proposition not intended to wring from the Government any responsible government or what some people would call 'Home Rule.' It is a very simple affair; we ask that some of our people be associated with Your Excellency's officers in the supervision over these *détenus*. The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler has controverted the analogy of the jail visitors as a historical and perhaps an obsolete institution and has somehow or other to be maintained. I was then a schoolboy and I remember the agitation that was set on foot by Frank O'Donnel in Parliament and as a result of that agitation many of the abuses of the jail administration were exposed, though it was in the hands of high executive officers. Thanks to the humane policy of the British Government, in order to take the people into their confidence they have associated non-officials to visit the jails. I do not, however, mean that the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming or his successor, Mr. Stephenson, whenever they came to know that there was any real grievance or that any officer neglected to look into any complaint, did not remedy them; but what I mean is that the Additional Secretary sitting here in Writers' Buildings cannot be expected to know anything and everything in connection with the affairs of these *détenus* from one part of the Presidency to another. The Hon'ble Mr. Cumming has himself admitted that petitions come in a dilatory fashion from Sub-Inspectors of Police and thana officers to the Additional Secretary in Writers' Buildings. When they reach the Additional Secretary I have no doubt that he gives every attention to these representations. My Lord, if non-official gentlemen are appointed I think the complaints from any quarter will be immediately communicated to the higher officials and immediate steps will be taken, if any reasonable grounds exist, for the removal of the grievances.

The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler has stated that these young men who are interned are spread over 529 villages. I admit, my Lord, that these young men are scattered over a large part of the Presidency. There are, however, a sufficient number of public-spirited men of our community who are willing to undertake this task. They will report to Government any complaints which they note in their note-books, and these books will be submitted to some responsible officer of Government. I am sure that if visitors are appointed in different districts, there will be found a sufficient number of public-spirited men to take up the task and there will be no difficulty as regards that.

The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler has also stated that these young men are placed among their own people. My Lord, as far as I know, by 'own people,' I understand amongst 'one's relatives'."

The Hon'ble SIR HENRY WHEELER said :—

"My Lord, I referred to 'nationality'."

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The Hon'ble RAI RADHA CHARAN PAL BAHADUR continuing said :—

"My Lord, I do not of course know whether the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler means that when a boy of 17 years of age is transferred from Hughly to Cox's Bazar, because there are 4 or 5 Bengalis there, he is amongst his own people. I do not think that that is even admitted by the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, having regard to the experience he has had in Bengal—although he was away at Simla for some time.

As regards the visitors of jails I know that the District Magistrate, the Superintendent of Police and also the Civil Surgeon visit the jails. I have seen some remarks of Mr. Goode when he was Collector of the 24-Parganas in the Visitors' Book and he used to take every care to ascertain what were the grievances of the convicts there. But Government had not dispensed with the non-official visitors, and why they should be so chary in the twentieth century to keep out the non-official element from this important business. Would you lose anything, I respectfully submit, would the power of Government be weakened in any way, or would not their position be strengthened thereby ? I think Government will be in a better position to show how generously, humanely and considerately they are treating these people. There is no doubt improvement is necessary. I thank the Hon'ble Mr. Cumming for this admission ; it shows, my Lord, that things were not so bright as they were declared to be from official quarters. He said things are improving, but it can be fairly inferred therefore that things were not so well managed as he himself could wish. All these things show, my Lord, that there is necessity for the co-operation of Indians in the supervision of the *détenus*, and then it has been said, my Lord, that Government officers are very sympathetic. I do not deny that. I myself have associated over 20 years with Government officials ; I know many of them are sympathetic, and although some of them apparently may not be sympathetic, yet they act conscientiously according to their own light, but because there is a very large number of officials who are sympathetic, is that any reason why Indians are to be kept in the background ? I ask my friends, Mr. Cumming and Mr. Stephenson, why we should be dissociated from our own affairs. I appeal to Your Excellency because Your Excellency comes fresh from England, where your Excellency was largely associated in the affairs of the government of your own country. I do not think that any valid reason has been advanced either by Sir Henry Wheeler or by Mr. Cumming that this resolution should be rejected whether on any political or administrative ground. I yet hope and appeal to my friends here, both official and non-official, I appeal to their instincts of justice and fair-play, to vote for my motion."

A division was taken with the following result :—

Ayes—17.	*Noes—18.*
The Hon'ble Mr. J. Mackenzie.	His Excellency the President.
" " Mr. W. H. H. Arden-Wood, C.I.E.	The Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
" " Mr. Provash Chunder Mitter.	" " Sir Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, Kt.
" " The Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of Burdwan.	" " Mr. J. G. Cumming, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " Kumar Shib Shekhareswar Ray.	" " Mr. C. J. Stevenson-Moore, C.V.O.
" " Dr. Deba Prasad Sarbadhikari, C.I.E.	" " " J Donald.
" " Rai Debender Chunder Ghose Bahadur.	" " " L. S. S. O'Malley.
" " Rai Radha Charan Pal Bahadur.	" " " F. A. A. Cowley.
" " Maulvi Abul Kasem	" " " C H. Bompas.
" " Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul Haq.	" " " W. C. Wordsworth.
" " Khan Sahib Aman Ali.	" " " E. B. H. Panton
" " Babu Bhabendra Chandra Ray.	" " Rai Priya Nath Mukharji Bahadur, I.S.O.
" " Babu Akhil Chandra Datta.	" " Mr. R. Glen.
" " Rai Mahendra Chandra Mitra Bahadur.	" " " F. W. Carter, C.I.E.
" " Babu Mahendra Nath Ray, C.I.E.	" " Sir A. Birkmyre, Kt.
" " Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri.	" " Mr. E. B. Eden.
" " Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar.	" " " E. A. Martin.
	" " " H. R A. Irwin.

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The following members were absent :—

The Hon'ble Surgeon-General W. R. Edwards, C.B., C.M.G.
" " Mr. T. C. P. Gibbons, K.C.
" " " J. H. Kerr, C.S.I., C.I.E.
" " " C. F. Payne.
" " The Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad.
" " Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E.
" " Dr. Nilratan Sarkar.
" " Mr. Aminur Rahman.
" " Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E.
" " Babu Brojendra Kishor Ray Chaudhuri.
" " Mr. Arun Chandra Singha.
" " Dr. Abdulla-al-Mamun Suhrawardy.
" " Mr. M. Ashraf Ali Khan Chaudhuri.
" " " Altaf Ali.
" " Rai Sri Nath Ray Bahadur.
" " Babu Surendra Nath Ray.
" " Mr. K. B. Dutt.

The Ayes being 17 and the Noes 18, the motion was lost.

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Before moving the resolution (No. 15) which stood against his name the Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA said :—

"My Lord, my friend, the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, has given notice of an amendment to resolution No. 15. I had a talk with him and he tells me that it is just possible if we consult together that we may be able to formulate a demand which may be acceptable to all of us without any difference of opinion. I accept his suggestion and I pray that this resolution may be postponed to a future meeting in order to enable us to discuss the matter and come to a decision."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"The Hon'ble Member asks that his resolution may be postponed and has asked me for a ruling on a point of order, so that he and the mover of the amendment may possibly come to some agreement if further time is given. I cannot accept that as a valid reason for a postponement. I must point out to the Hon'ble Member that it was perfectly open to him to discuss the matter before the meeting of Council. That being so, I cannot accept that as a valid excuse for postponing a resolution that has been entered in the agenda paper."

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA them moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that—

(*a*) half the vacancies in the Provincial Civil Services, both Executive and Judicial, be hereafter filled by competition and the other half by selection ; and

(*b*) as regards the latter half, the appointments in the Provincial Judicial Service be hereafter equitably distributed amongst the five Divisions of the Presidency and that the vacancies be filled Division by Division, as in the case of the Provincial Executive Service.

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He said :—

"So far as the Executive Branch of the Service is concerned, I am not asking for any catastrophic changes—I am not pleading for any innovation at all —I am asking merely for the revival of an old system. The competitive system has had a chequered career in this country. We had originally a system of nomination which was replaced by a combined system of competition and nomination introduced by Sir Stuart Bayley; but this was afterwards abolished by Sir Andrew Fraser during the Viceroyalty of Lord Curzon giving place again to a system of nomination pure and simple. So the competitive system has been moving forwards and backwards like a veritable pendulum. The present system of nomination by Collectors and Commissioners is vicious and demoralising—demoralising to the candidates, demoralising to their guardians and friends, demoralising to the officers who have to make the nomination, and above all, demoralising to the Service itself.

A system of nomination encourages a spirit of servility among the applicants, and is at the root of the prevailing hunting for certificates which every self-respecting Indian, anxious for the maintenance and development of a spirit of manly independence in the youths of his country, must deplore. The scramble for letters of introduction and recommendation, the sycophancy required and resorted to in securing the same, the adoption of all manner of tactics—honourable and otherwise, the sins of commission and omission which the candidates and their guardians never feel any compunction in adopting, the conversion of the Collector's bungalow into a holy pilgrimage—all this is anything but wholesome. It is so much demoralising to our young men that they turn their backs upon all public movements, however constitutional and legitimate they may be. They will not cross the threshold of a Congress pandal and fight shy of all meetings of the Moslem League. Not only the applicants themselves, but their parents and guardians, their friends and relations, suddenly turn over a new leaf and bid a goodbye to all public activities. In some cases the metamorphosis is more sudden than the change of colour by a chameleon. And the pity is that sometimes the officers are successfully hoodwinked. It has been always a wonder to me that straightforwardness and sincereity should be at such discount and hypocrisy and double-dealing is at such premium. Those young men who walk with their heads erect—whose guardians refuse to sell their birth-right for a mess of pottage and to dance attendance upon the District Officer—have no chance.

I have said the system is demoralising to the officers who make the selection. Even in England the abuses of nomination were so gross and widespread that nomination was often synonymous with nepotism. Official patronage is not free from this sort of reproach in India. Individual officers are swayed by personal prejudices against, or prepossessions for, particular classes of the community or particular portions of the district. It is a matter of every day occurrence that in the matter of nomination the first becomes last and the last first. I have no quarrel with the individual officers—it is the system which is at fault : competition alone provides an effectual safeguard against the danger of partiality in the exercise of State patronage.

The system has a distinctly deteriorating effect, as I have said, on the *morâle* of the Service. The men feel that they have entered by the back-door, they feel that they have come through favour and not by merit. All this is bound to have a baneful effect on the independence and integrity of the Service. Not only is the moral effect disastrous. Less qualified men are appointed when better men are available. The universal verdict is that the Executive Service has appreciably deteriorated ever since the introduction of the pure nomination system.

It is very difficult to get at the principle which governs the recruitment of the Judicial branch of the Service. There are, however, two things about

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which, it is believed, we can be absolutely certain. The success of a candidate depends, in the first place, upon his connection with a member of the Service. It is said that the very first question which is put to an applicant is : 'What is your claim? Are you the son or son-in-law of a Munsiff or a Subordinate Judge'? The lucky sons and sons-in-law have a distinct advantage over others. A and B are two applicants. A is exceptionally meritorious, B is a mediocre. But B procures a letter of recommendation and gets in. Twenty years after C, son of A, and D, son of B, are arrayed as rival candidates. C, like his father, is a talented youth and D is a worse mediocre than his father. But C is thrown out, and D gets in, because D has his father in the Service. Thus the wrong done to A is perpetuated from generation to generation. I do not know if Tennyson was dreaming of such a state of things when, with a truly prophetic vision, he observed. 'There is something in heredity.'

In the second place, the success of a candidate depends upon another circumstance, which indicates neither his merits nor demerits, viz., the position and status of the District Judge who happens to recommend him. If he is a senior officer or if he is otherwise an influential man, his nominee gets an advantage over a decidedly better candidate whose misfortune might have placed him in a district where the Judge is a junior officer, or for some other reason, is lacking in influence. Some are thrown out even long after enrolment as age-barred, others are enrolled and appointed before time. Sometimes the candidates are enrolled very liberally; at other times even forms of application for enrolment are not vouchsafed to the applicants. Such things are inevitable when it all depends upon the pleasure of one individual, however exalted his position may be. In the absence of hard-and-fast rules the procedure inevitably changes with the change of authorities.

Speaking for myself I am decidedly of opinion that intellectual fitness should be the only test and open competition—competition pure and simple—without any adulteration of nomination should be the only method of recruitment.

I know this is also the decided opinion of the advanced sections of the community. But I am equally conscious that there is a large volume of opinion in the country that pure competition is not suitable to the communities and localities less advanced in Western education. As a representative of all classes of people in this Council, I think it is my duty to advocate that system which will reconcile all conflicting interests without, at the same time, much prejudice to the efficiency of the Service. This explains why I have not ventured to plead for absolute competition and why I have brought forward what, I myself feel, is a half-hearted and halting resolution, asking for eight annas competition and eight annas nomination. That, however, is precisely the recommendation of Mr. Justice Abdur Rahim, who says that his proposal was formulated in consultation with Mr. Gokhale whose name is a guarantee for soundness and moderation.

The scheme recommended by my Hon'ble friend, Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, before the Public Services Commission for the Executive branch appears to me to be quite suitable for both the branches of the Civil Service. All candidates should be required to present themselves for an open competitive examination. Half the appointments should be given to the successful candidates in order of merit. The rest of the appointments should be made by selecting representatives of various communities and localities in order to secure a due representation of divergent interests. In making these latter appointments, however, the principle of competition should again come in, care being taken to select the best representative of each particular community and locality, as shown by the number of marks obtained at the examination. This will prevent a double system of favouritism, viz., of communities and of individuals, and will to a certain extent minimise the inherent evils of the nomination system.

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The Selection Committee recommended by the Public Service Commission for recruitment of the Executive branch will be some improvement upon the existing system, but the sting of nomination will still be there, the system will remain in essence : a system of nomination and all the inherent evils of nomination system will continue to operate.

I have discussed only the direct appointments to the Executive branch, inasmuch as this resolution relates only to such appointments.

The second portion of my resolution seeks to recommend the same method of nomination for the Judicial branch as is now in vogue for the Executive. We tolerate the system of nomination only to secure a due representation of all communities and localities in the Service. Commercial representation receives due attention from all quarters and sometimes with vengeance. As regards representation of the different localities, the principle is recognised—though not fully, in the Executive branch when appointments are distributed amongst the Divisions. But it is strange that that principle has been overlooked in the Judicial branch. The result is a very disproportionate and inequitable distribution of appointments among the different Divisions and districts.

Out of a total number of 300 members in the Service one district has contributed 63, another 35, a third 25. Murshidabad, Jalpaiguri and Bogra have each got only one member. There are five districts which have got not a single member in the Service, Rajshahi being one of these districts. We have got only 11 members representing the eight districts of the Rajshahi Division, and 20 members to represent the Chittagong Division. Thus we have 31 members to represent two out of the five Divisions, in less than half enjoyed by a single district as shown above.

The district of Mymensingh with the largest population in the Presidency and which has got a first-rate College has got only six members in the Service. This was the position in 1916. Dinajpur and Rangpur—two very large districts—have not got a single appointment. It follows necessarily from the figures quoted above that the Muhammadans who form an overwhelming majority in some of these Divisions and districts have suffered very largely in the matter of appointment in the Judicial Service.

It may be said in defence that all districts and communities are not equally advanced in education, and hence this inequality. But because all communities and districts are not equally represented that is precisely the reason why we have got to tolerate the system of nomination. My Lord, it is high time that this state of things should be amended."

The Hon'ble MAULVI A. K. FAZL-UL-HAQ moved, by way of amendment, that at the end of the resolution (item No. 15) to be moved by the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta the following be added, namely :—

Provided as follows :—

(*i*) that half the appointments in the Provincial Executive Service be filled up by Muhammadans, the selection to be made by means of open competition amongst Muhammadan candidates in accordance with rules to be framed by the Governor in Council ;

(*ii*) that a suitable number of appointments be set apart for Muhammadans in the Provincial Judicial Service to be filled up by competition amongst Muhammadan candidates, the proportion of Muhammadan appointments to the total number of appointments being fixed by the Governor in Council from year to year, and that the said proportion be steadily increased as quickly as possible in order that the ultimate proportion of Muhammadans in the Provincial Judicial Service may also be half the total number of the members of that Service.

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He said :—

"My Lord, I extremely regret that I find it difficult to accord my whole-hearted support to a resolution which is certainly in accord with the progressive tendencies of the age and which seeks to introduce a much-needed reform in the system of recruitment for two of the most important branches of the public services in this country. My Lord, I admit that the system of recruitment by open competition is still, in spite of some obvious drawbacks and by common consent, much superior to the system of recruitment by pure nomination. My quarrel is not with the principle underlying the recommendation of the resolution, but with the proposed application of this principle in actual practice. And if, at the present moment, I rise to propose an amendment to the resolution which has just been moved, it is from this point of view alone that I move this amendment in this Council. My Lord, I feel sure that my Hon'ble friend who has moved this resolution will admit that it is essentially necessary, in the interests of the administration itself, that the various classes and communities should have as much effective voice in shaping the policy of the administration as could consistently be arranged having regard to the efficiency of the administration itself. In other words, I think it is an accepted principle that the various classes and communities should have as much representation in the various public services as is consistent with administrative efficiency. If that principle is conceded it becomes necessary for us to see how a recommendation like the one embodied in the resolution will work in actual practice. So far as 50 per cent. of the appointments are concerned, I think it goes without saying that very few of the other communities, except the Hindu community, will be represented amongst those who are interested in getting an appointment. The other communities are not sufficiently advanced to be able to win for themselves a sufficient number of places in the system of open competition. There remains therefore 50 per cent. of the appointments in the hands of Government in order to effect due representation of various interests. My apprehension, my Lord, is that in the distribution of these 50 per cent. posts the interests of my community may suffer. At the present moment, the whole number of appointments can be so adjusted as to secure a just and equitable representation of various interests. Take, for instance, the case of the appointments that have recently been gazetted. Of the ten Deputy Collectors that have been appointed, three are Muhammadans and seven belong to other communities. I believe, subject to correction of course, that not a single Muhammadan succeeded in securing any of the divisional nominations, and that Your Excellency gave three of the appointments in your gift to the three Muhammadans in order to secure proper representation of the Muhammadan interests in this Presidency. Supposing the recommendations contained in this resolution had been accepted, five of the appointments would have been filled by competition and the other five would have remained in the hands of the Government in order to secure the interests of other communities. One can say at once that the representation of other communities would have been lessened very considerably if the total number of appointments in the hands of Government had been reduced from ten to five. It is for this reason, and under this apprehension, that as soon as I got notice of this resolution I submitted a notice of the amendment which stands in my name. I must admit, however, that in asking that 50 per cent. be reserved for my community, I have asked a little too much more than I ought to have done. What I ought to have said was that every year Government ought to set apart a certain number of appointments in order to secure due representation of the various communities, and instead of providing for a system of pure nomination, we might have competition in compartments, if I may use the expression, competition limited to the members, of the various communities whose representation it is intended to secure ; for instance, of the ten appointments, arrangements might be made for four to be given to the

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Hindu community, to be filled up by competition amongst Hindu candidates four appointments to the Muhammadan community to be filled up by competition amongst Muhammadan candidates and two appointments to be distributed so as to secure the representation of other interests, *i.e.*, whenever you want to select the members of a particular community for the service, instead of making the selection by pure nomination you take the very best amongst the communities by means of a system of open competition. However, if Your Excellency's government think it fit to accept the resolution with the amendment I have proposed, the details will, of course, have to be worked out by Government and I shall have no objection if, in that readjustment, the proportion is slightly reduced from 50 to a lower figure. All that I require is that adequate provision be made in this system for the protection of our interests and instead of the appointments being filled by a system of nomination, they should be given to the best Muhammadans available who will be selected by a system of open competition. With these few words, I submit my amendment for acceptance by the Council."

The Hon'ble RAI MAHENDRA CHANDRA MITRA BAHADUR said :—

"My Lord, the system of competition is always a good thing. There was a time when the nomination system was in force, but with the spread of education it would be a welcome thing, if the nomination system is not adhered to. It is for this reason that we, the people of this Province, are very much anxious to have the competitive system to be enforced. With regard to the question that has been raised as to locating officers division by division is a question which demands the consideration of Your Excellency's government. If this resolution be adhered to, I am almost sure there will be no difference of opinion. At the same time the principle which is advocated by my friend, Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, ought to be considered in this manner, viz., that if the question be left to the decision of their community, there are persons who will press for it whenever the question comes up for discussion. As a matter of experience I have seen that many Muhammadans are not yet competent to hold their own against the claims of Hindus, but at the same time we Hindus and Muhammadans consider ourselves brethren; we live in the same soil, we drink the same water, and we are under the same paternal British Government, and therefore the question can be easily solved by ourselves. When my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, raised this important question for the decision of the Council, we thought it necessary to discuss it not only in the Council but outside, but as the question could not be solved in a way which would satisfy both communities, it will be for Your Excellency to consider whether the resolution as put forward should be carried out or not at present. I think the problem can be solved in the way in which the matter is put before Your Excellency's Council, viz., that as regards the claims of the Muhammadans. This point should be considered, when necessity arises."

The Hon'ble Babu AMBIKA CHARAN MAZUMDAR said :—

"My Lord, I have too great a regard for the strong commonsense of the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq to think even for a moment that he wants to imitate the example of Sir J. D. Rees in the House of Commons by interposing riders counterbalancing resolutions and thereby weakening them. I have not the slightest objection to his pressing the claims of his own community; he is fully justified in doing so, but ordinary prudence would dictate some degree of forbearance at the present moment. We had the competitive system for some time since the days of Sir Stuart Bayley; it was withdrawn under the policy of one of the reactionary Viceroys of India and since then we have seen the mischief done both in the Services as well as in the public

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morality owing to a system of nomination. I think we ought now all to join hands to see that the old system is restored, and we ought not to quarrel about the division of the crop when the seedlings have not yet sprouted again. The only service that we can do by raising this racial question now is to weaken our position and to make it quite easy for the judge or the bench of judges who have to decide over our resolution, to dismiss both the appeal and the cross appeal with costs, leaving both parties sadder though not the wiser for the result. I would therefore earnestly request my friend, Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, to withdraw his amendment for the present, so that if we could have the competitive system restored, it will be time for him as well as members of other communities to come forward for an equitable distribution.

Much has been said by the mover of the resolution as regards the evil consequences of this nomination system. They are well known to everybody in this Council. Lord Sydenham complains that we are not yet ripe for self-government because there is a caste system amongst us. I do not know if Lord Sydenham is aware that the British Government of the day has instituted an official caste system almost as rigid as the Brahmanical caste system. If Your Lordship will order a statement to be prepared just to see where this nomination system has taken us to, Your Excellency will be startled to find that the Services have been filled up nearly, I should say, by three-fourths of the appointments being given to the relatives of those who are already in the Services. In fact the rules have gone so far as to require one of the conditions of the application to state whether he has got any member of his house in Government service or not, and if it is this system which we are going to perpetuate, I believe I have not exaggerated the situation at all when I say that the Government have instituted a caste system more rigid and more tyrannical than the Brahmanical caste system which now stands in our way according to Lord Sydenham, in getting any reforms in this country. I hope and trust that sufficient unto the day has been the evil thereof. Let us now look to real merit—real merit which will not only be encouraging to the young generation that is coming before us, but will also conduce to strengthen, improve and elevate the services which they are called upon to fill. I hope and trust that the nomination system which has demoralised not only the people, but also those in whose patronage the services are, will be abolished and Your Excellency will inaugurate an era which will put an end to this demoralising system reckoning nothing but merit, intellectual qualifications, moral qualifications as well as status in society, if that is also to be considered to be the real basis of fitness for service under the Crown. In my opinion the nomination system, to say the least of it, is the most degrading system, and I think no one can advocate it except for the purpose of securing patronage in his hands. I will not say much on this point at this late hour, but I hope and trust that the day has come when there ought to be a change in the system of recruitment."

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM said :—

"My Lord, I rise to support the amendment of my Hon'ble friend to the left ; in doing so I shall associate myself fully with the principle of the resolution itself. I am, however, surprised to find that such a staunch leader of the nationalist party like Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar should have found fault with my friend's amendment because it demanded class representation. I believe that he and the whole people now recognise that communal representation is necessary. What my friend, Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq, said and I repeat it again—is that we want like other interests that these posts should be filled by the best men available in that community. Nobody denies that the system of nomination is demoralising because every appointment that goes vacant about 100 graduates and young men will run after in securing nomination. But if there be a

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system of competitive examination those young men will only compete who think themselves capable of meeting their fellows in the open field. And in these days every graduate that comes out of the University tries his best to get a nomination for the Provincial Executive Service. With reference to the appointment of Mahammadans I would only say that the present system affects very badly the Muhammadans of certain parts of this Presidency. Each Commissioner has to send one nomination and he has to choose either a Hindu or a Muhammadan and what has happened this year is this that no Commissioner sent in a Muhammadan nomination and what often naturally happens is tnat some of the eastern districts get Muhammadan nomination and the western districts get Hindu nomination. So the Muhammadans in the western districts have no chance of getting into the Provincial Service. I find that since 1910 not a Muhammadan from the Burdwan Division has been appointed to any of the Provincial Services on the recommendation of the Commissioner of the Division and only two have been appointed direct by the Government—one to the Educational Service and the other to the Executive Service. With these words I beg to support the amendment and I hope that the Hon'ble mover of the resolution will see his way to accept it though it introduces a stipulation of 50 per cent., but the mover of the amendment has himself said that we will be satisfied with a representation of the community which will be as adequate and equitable as the Government think fit."

The Hon'ble Sir H. WHEELER said :—

"Sir, it seems characteristic of anything connected with the recruitment of a service that no sooner is any plan decided on than influences are set on foot which sooner or later lead to a demand for a change, and that fact, read with the history of the fluctuating fortunes of the rules governing some of our services, leads almost to the pessimistic conclusion that we will never arrive at a system which is anything approaching perfection, or which will not be open to attack on theoretical grounds. In no service, perhaps, has this fluctuation been greater than in the case of the Provincial Executive Service. Various members have already referred to different changes in the rules, and I have no wish to recapitulate them in detail ; but since 1868 to the present day, there have been no fewer than six occasions on which radical modifications have been made in the system on which the service is recruited. During that time Government has traversed the ground between pure nomination, competition and partial competition between selected or nominated candidates, and we have finally arrived since 1905 at the present method which is firstly that of promotion from the Subordinate Service, a very important and unobjectionable method to which no reference has been made this evening, but to which few will probably take exception ; secondly, nomination by Commissioners of Divisions who submit names to Government for final approval, thus giving effect to the territorial distribution that has been advocated to-night, and thirdly, direct appointment by Government. That is our present method of recruitment to the Provincial Executive Service, and as I have said, it has been arrived at after many changes.

In the case of the Provincial Judicial Service, there has been more conservatism, whether because it is more associated with a body which is less exposed to the influence of public opinion than the Executive Government, and perhaps, therefore, less amenable to these influences, I will not excite controversy by attempting to surmise, but the system in force in the Judicial Service is one of nomination, subject to the possession of minimum educational qualifications, and the nomination practically rests in the hands of the High Court. That system, contrary to the experience of the Executive Branch, has been in force for the last 50 years, and a relevant point is that these particular rules are statutory rules, framed under the Civil Courts

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Act of 1867 (Act XII of 1867) after consultation with the High Court and subject to the approval of the Government of India. That fact militates against any rapid change made as the result of discussion here only.

That, Sir, is the present position as regards these two services. The resolutions which have been moved this afternoon are practically, in so far as that of the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta is concerned, that we should revert to a system of mixed competition and nomination, in the proportion of half and half for both services, extending to the Judicial Service something akin to the territorial distribution which we already have on the Executive side; to this the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq would add a rider specially protecting the interests of Muhammadans, and as I understand it, would reserve one half of the appointments to be competed for by Muhammadan candidates only. The net result of the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta's suggestion is that we should revert very much to what was the practice in 1893, although we then also had the channel of promotion from the Subordinate Service to which I have already alluded. The idea of the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq is newer in so far as the rules are concerned, in that he desires to introduce a racial stipulation. It may be welcome news that at this late hour I do not propose to re-traverse the oft-repeated arguments in the old controversy of nomination *versus* competition, but before passing to the recommendations which I would submit to the Council as regards the treatment of this resolution, there are three general points upon which I will briefly touch.

The proposal of the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, as I have said, is a reversion to a state of things which was once more or less in force and which could doubtless be introduced again; but in so far as it was in force and was abandoned after considerable discussion, there is at least *primâ facie* grounds for thinking that in practical working it proved defective. With much of what he has said, I am personally in very considerable sympathy, but it is going back to an arrangement which once existed and which was deliberately abandoned and also by introducing two methods of recruitment, one by competition and one by direct nomination, you considerably impair the homogeneity of the service.

The second point of the territorial distribution of appointments has received attention in the past, and on its merits is deserving of consideration. On the Executive side, as I have explained, we already provide for a fair distribution of appointments throughout the different Divisions of the Province. On the Judicial side, that is not the case, although the matter was raised in a question in this Council in 1916, and figures were then compiled in the Secretariat which undoubtedly showed that the Dacca Presidency (including Calcutta) and Burdwan Divisions, in that order, did get a lion's share of the appointments. The High Court was not at that time addressed, partly because the revision of the rules had already been mooted in 1914 and the whole subject was in abeyance pending the larger enquiry of the Public Services Commission. I admit this is a matter of some importance, but on the other hand the territorial argument is not the sole one, as obviously regard must also be had to considerations of fitness.

The third general point concerns the distribution of appointments between Hindus and Muhammadans, and that too is not a new topic, while it is one which is constantly occupying the attention of Government. Going as far back as July 1885, it was emphasised in a published resolution of the Government of India, and we have more recent instances in our Secretariat records. Thus in 1906 our predecessors addressed the High Court in the interests of Biharis and Muhammadans. The answer of the High Court was to the effect that the small proportion of appointments held by these classes was mainly the result of the paucity of qualified candidates from them. They maintained that on the basis of the numbers of these classes who passed the

B. L. examination in late years the ratio of the persons enrolled to qualify was in excess in the case of Muhammadans. But they promised to look into the matter. Again it was raised in 1914, and as showing that there are considerations on both sides, I will read a brief extract from what the High Court then wrote :—

"The paucity of suitable Muhammadan candidates, however, continues to be the chief difficulty in giving this class a proportionate share of appointments. Since April 1912, when the provinces were reconstituted, there have been only five applications from Muhammadans for admission to the Bengal cadre of the Provincial Judicial Service, and of these two had not the necessary qualifications. The remaining three candidates, however, were enrolled, and of these one has been given an appointment and the name of another is now on the special list. No Muhammadan has appeared for enrolment during the current year."

So much for the Judicial Branch. Touching the Executive Branch, this is a matter which we constantly keep in view, and the Hon'ble Member himself admits that attention has been paid to it in the selection of candidates this year, though possibly not to the extent to which he himself desires. But in any argument based on the totals of Hindus and Muhammadans in the different services, I would ask the Council to remember that until recent years, as I think will be admitted even by my Muhammadan friends, the proportion of educated Muhammadans was not as high as it is now. Therefore, if you merely look to the total proportion of Muhammadans, the position of Muhammadans seems to be worse than it really is, and to get a fair idea of the facts, you should pay more attention to the figures of recent years. By way of illustration I will merely quote some figures that were compiled in 1913, which show that at that time in Bengal since 1903, 179 Hindus and 61 Muhammadans were nominated for the Provincial Executive Service; in Eastern Bengal and Assam 56 Hindus and 39 Muhammadans. These proportions do not amount to the half and half which the Hon'ble Maulvi Fazl-ul-Haq advocates, but as I have said they are better than the conclusions which might be drawn if you merely look to the totals of the whole service. The proposal to embody a racial qualification in the rules is new, and is open to various objections, since there are other considerations which should affect the selection of candidates, and one thing, to which there will probably also be agreement, is that in making promotions from the Subordinate Service you should not have regard to the particular religion of individuals who have already been admitted into the employment of Government.

So much by way of general criticism which will suffice to show that the problem is not altogether simple while the points that have been raised have not escaped the attention of Government.

If the pessimistic conclusion is correct that we can never arrive at perfection, I would urge that we should be very largely guided by the practical results of the method in force. We should judge it to a large extent by whether it produces on the whole a fairly satisfactory body of men, and I am not prepared to accept the contention of Hon'ble Babu Ambica Charan Mazumdar that the present members of the service are markedly inferior to those who have gone before them.

Well, Sir, so much for the general merits of the question, but as matters stand we are not in a position to make a final pronouncement upon it. As is well known, this is a subject which, among many others, engaged the attention of the Public Services Commission, and in the light of their recommendations we have to go into the whole matter, after consulting and giving opportunities for the expression of public opinion which we have already promised. As a matter of fact, the recommendations of the Public Services Commission are not in accord with the proposals embodied in these resolutions. In the case of the Executive Service, the Public Services

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Commission recommended nomination, subject to the possession of minimum educational qualifications, by a mixed official and non-official committee; while in the case of the Judicial Branch, they were satisfied with the position of that committee being taken by the High Court. That was their view, and it is one to which we shall have to attach weight. Directly we have heard from the Government of India, on the lines which have previously been explained in this Council and for which we are now waiting, further consultations will take place with those who are interested, and the debate to-day has been of value as affording an opportunity to various Members to express their views, to which due attention will be paid before we come to any final decision. I have explained that we are bound, both by law and practice, to consult the High Court, and therefore there is special reason in the case of the Judical Service for deferring a decision at the present moment. We therefore cannot accept the resolution which binds us to a particular plan, but we promise to pay attention to it in our subsequent consideration of what the future method of recruitment will be."

The Hon'ble BABU AKHIL CHANDRA DATTA said :—

"My Lord, after the assurance given by the Hon'ble Sir Henry Wheeler that the matter will receive the best attention of Government, I beg to withdraw this resolution."

The Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq also agreed to withdraw his amendment.

The resolution and the amendment were then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

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The following resolutions were also, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

17. If resolution No. 15 be not carried, the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta to move that this Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the appointments in the Provincial Judicial Service be hereafter equitably distributed amongst the five Divisions of the Presidency and that the vacancies be filled Division by Division as in the case of the Provincial Executive Service.

18. The Hon'ble Maulvi A. K. Fazl-ul-Haq to move, by way of amendment, that at the end of the resolution (item No. 17) to be moved by the Hon'ble Babu Akhil Chandra Datta, the following be added, namely :—

Provided as follows :—

(*i*) that half the appointments in the Provincial Executive Service be filled up by Muhammadans, the selection to be made by means of open competition amongst Muhammadan candidates in accordance with rules to be framed by the Governor in Council;

(*ii*) that a suitable number of appointments be set apart for Muhammadans in the Provincial Judicial Service to be filled up by competition amongst Muhammadan candidates, the proportion of Muhammadan appointments to the total number of appointments being fixed by the Governor in Council from year to year, and that the said proportion be steadily increased as quickly as possible in order that the ultimate proportion of Muhammadans in the Provincial Judicial Service may also be half the total number of the members of that Service.

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19. The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council—

(*i*) that immediate steps be taken for the reconstruction of the entire Subordinate Educational Service, with salaries ranging from Rs. 30 to Rs. 400 a month, the entire service being divided into two branches—the upper branch consisting of 9 grades such as grade 1 with 10 posts of Rs. 400 a month each, grade 2 with 20 posts of Rs. 300 a month each, grade 3 with 30 posts of Rs. 250 a month each, grade 4 with 50 posts of Rs. 200 a month each, grade 5 with 75 posts of Rs. 150 a month each, grade 6 with 100 posts of Rs. 125 a month each, grade 7 with 125 posts of Rs. 100 a month each, grade 8 with 175 posts of Rs. 75 a month each and grade 9 with 241 posts of Rs. 60 a month each ; and the lower branch consisting of 4 grades such as grade 1 with 100 posts of Rs. 60 a month each, grade 2 with 132 posts of Rs. 50 a month each, grade 3 with 206 posts of Rs. 40 a month each and grade 4 with 300 posts of Rs. 30 a month each ;

(*ii*) that the total additional outlay of Rs. 3,80,760 approximately on account of this proposed reconstruction of the Subordinate Educational Service be met from the recurring additional Imperial grant of Rs. 9,00,000 for the improvement of the pay and prospects of the teachers of the Primary and Secondary Schools ; and

(*iii*) that the Lecturers and Demonstrators who have hitherto formed a part of the Subordinate Educational Service be allowed to have the benefit of the proposed reconstituted service if their prospects cannot be immediately improved otherwise.

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I hoped that in distributing the recurring educational grants from the Government of India some relief would be granted to this service, and in September last I also inquired if Government contemplated any change as regards the maximum or minimum pay of the service. The reply was not favourable and I understood that nothing of the sort was under contemplation. I have reason to believe that the whole amount required is not available this year, but provision should be made to grant relief to the members of this service next year. In fact, at present Government spend about Rs. 8,64,000 for the upper branch of the Subordinate Educational Service and about 2 lakhs for the lower grade of the existing service. In the lower grade there are 720 posts and in the upper grade there are 819 posts. I am really anxious for the bottom of the lower branch. About 256 men accept service at Rs. 15 rising to Rs. 35 receiving an annual increment of Re. 1 in 20 years. Now-a-days, when even a cooly earns more than Rs. 20 a month, surely it is not possible for a man with some education and with some family members of his own to maintain himself and his family with this small income. Your Excellency will kindly consider my prayer at this late hour. I do not wish to take up the time by any speech. All I can say is that as far as I understand the recurring grant made by the Government of India also shows that Government are fully convinced of the necessity of some improvement and that improvement should be made as early as possible. In my proposal

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instead of beginning with Rs. 15, I wish to raise the pay to Rs. 30, and instead of ending with Rs. 250, I propose that the maximum should be Rs. 400 so that the service may be somewhat more attractive. The clerks in the Judges' and Collectors' offices begin with an initial pay of Rs. 25 to Rs. 30 a month, and it is but reasonable that in the Educational Department similar provision should be introduced. If the officers are discontented and if it is not possible for them to devote their whole time to the arduous task of educating the people of tender age, it is no wonder that the result is not very satisfactory. With the spread of education we have gained in quantity no doubt, but it is an admitted fact that in quality much improvement has not been made and secondary education has rather deteriorated. My idea is that the present system is responsible to a great extent. In submitting this proposal I have thought over the question of some of the lecturers who are engaged in teaching in the College Department who are not in the Provincial Service. Some of them are qualified, and if no relief can be granted to them immediately, some improvement in their salary might be made by including them in this service. My request is a very modest one, and I believe that it is also in the contemplation of Government that something ought to be done. If an inquiry is needed, that may be made. I have submitted a scheme. which, if accepted, will make it attractive to a certain extent. With these few words I beg to move this resolution."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, although my friend, the Hon'ble Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri. has called his resolution a very modest one, the Government of India are apparently of a different opinion, because when we went up, as we did many years ago, suggesting not very much more than what Babu Kishori Mohan Chaudhuri asks, viz., Rs. 3,80,000—we asked for a little over 4 lakhs—and the Government of India returned it to us on the ground that we could not afford the expense. I mention this only for the purpose of showing that this Government have for many years been extremely anxious to improve the position and pay of the teachers in the Subordinate Services. As the Council is aware, we have now, besides the Indian Educational Service, and the Provincial Educational Service, a third grade, the Subordinate Service which came into existence in 1897, as the result of a recommendation of the Public Services Commission. In that service, that is the Subordinate Educational Service, there are 8 grades ranging from Rs. 50 in the last to Rs. 250 in the first; but over and above the members of the Subordinate Educational Service. there was a very large number of teachers in the lower or ungraded service whose chances of promotion to the grades of the Subordinate Educational Service were practically nil; and it was with reference to these people who are in receipt of pay ranging from Rs. 6 to Rs. 45 a month and with a view to increase their pay that the proposal I mentioned was made by this Government as early as 1903. However. as I have said, that was ineffective and we were asked to send up a more modest scheme. Well, we did put up a more modest scheme and by that another graded service was made up in 1905 which is known as the Lower Subordinate Service, so that besides the Indian Educational and the Provincial Educational Services we have the Subordinate Educational Service with its eight grades from Rs. 50 to Rs. 250 and the Lower Subordinate Service with its 5 grades ranging from 15 to Rs. 20 and Rs. 35 to Rs. 45, When this Lower Subordinate Service was organised, it was quite understood that the grades and the pay fixed were only provisional, and we waited and are still waiting to be able to increase their pay. Speaking not only for myself, but I venture to think for the Government of which I am a member, I can say this, that there is no subject upon which we are more anxious than an increase in the pay of the teachers in our schools. Therefore, though I cannot accept the

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resolution of my Hon'ble friend, I can promise him this that this scheme of reorganization in 1905 which was understood to be provisional will again be considered as early as possible with a view to introduce what he contemplates. We cannot do it now for the simple reason that the pay of the other service, the Provincial Educational Service, and the grades thereof must be first fixed before we can fix the pay and grades of the lower services. That is being done now. There is now a Committee considering that question with regard to the Provincial Educational Service, and when this is finished we will take up these other services. As regards the source from which my Hon'ble friend proposes that we should pay the increased cost of the increase in pay, I can only remind him that this is ear-marked by the Government of India—the 9 lakhs granted by them—and that we cannot spend it otherwise than in accordance with the purpose for which the grant is made. I hope, therefore, that the assurance which I am able to give my Hon'ble friend that an inquiry will be made as soon as possible into the question of the reorganization of the Subordinate Educational and Lower Educational Services, will be sufficient to induce him to withdraw his resolution."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"In view of what has fallen from my friend the Member in charge of Education, I think I should not press for it, and I am glad and am really thankful to him that an inquiry will be made as early as possible and some improvement will be made. With these words I beg to be permitted to withdraw the resolution."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

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The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI, before moving his resolution (item No. 20), said :—

"I ask Your Excellency's permission to move this at the next meeting of the Council as the hour is rather late."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I am afraid I cannot permit Hon'ble Members to postpone resolutions after once they have appeared in the Agenda Paper unless there is a good reason for it. If it is for the general convenince of the Council I am quite prepared to adjourn the Council till tomorrow."

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord. I shall be able to satisfy my Hon'ble friend in a few minutes that he is under an entire misconception."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI then moved the following resolution :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the amendment made under Government Order No. 380—84—F.L.S.G., dated the 22nd September, 1915, in rule 5 of the model rules for the management of Provident Funds (authorising District Boards to contribute to the Provident Funds of their employees a sum equal to that contributed by the employees themselves) may be extended to the Municipalities of the Province, with the option to any individual Municipality to claim exemption from its operation on grounds of financial difficulty.

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He said :—

"The proposal which I have to submit is not a new one. If my information is correct, it was raised by the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division and the Commissioner of the Rajshahi Division also supported it at the instance of the Jalpaiguri Municipality—that the concession granted to the employees of the District Board as stated in the resolution might be granted to the Municipal employees, and the reply was that that concession could not be granted to the Municipal employees because the Municipalities themselves were too poor to afford such a contribution. That was the reply given, I believe. If my information is correct, that concession has been granted to the employees of the Darjeeling Municipality. My proposal as I have submitted it to your Excellency is that an amendment be made in Government Order No. 380 in rule 5 of the Rules for the Management of the Provident Funds. As I submitted, when there was a request made by some Municipalities and it was supported by the Commissioners of two important Divisions, Rajshahi and Chittagong, it was possible that many Municipalities will not raise any objection. If there is any exemption claimed by any Municipality on account of its lack of funds that may be done. So my request is a very modest one, and I hope that the prayer I have made may be granted. It is a very small concession and I hope Government will not reject it. With these few words I commend this resolution for the acceptance of the Council.'

The Hon'ble SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"My Lord, I think this resolution proceeds on a misconception. Both District Boards and Municipalities are required to have Provident Funds for their employees. The employees of a District Board contribute an anna in the rupee and the District Board contributes the same amount under their rules. In Municipalities, the employees contribute an anna in the rupee and the Municipality contributes half an anna, not an anna as in the case of the District Boards. What my friend wants is this that the Municipalities should be made to contribute an equal amount as the District Boards do, that is, an anna in the rupee. There is nothing to prevent Municipalities doing that if they want to. They have only to pass a resolution to that effect and that resolution is according to the law subject to confirmation by the Local Government. The model rules which my friend refers to in the resolution are simply put in for the purpose of Municipalities accepting them or not as they choose. It is not obligatory upon them ; if they like they can fix any amount as the rate of contribution by the Municipalities. They can pay more than they do now if they like. In the case of Darjeeling and Kurseong which was mentioned by my Hon'ble friend, and also in the case of Howrah which was not mentioned, they came up and said that they were able to pay as their contribution the same amount as their employees paid, and in fact if they did not, it was rather difficult for them to get good men living there, for instance in Howrah, to serve under less favourable circumstances than in Calcutta ; therefore, they wanted to pay more and Government said they could if they liked. With regard to the others, for instance, Chittagong, when they came up and said they wanted to do the same, the Government looked into the state of their finances. The law requires that they should do so before giving sanction, because if Municipalities propose to pay, they should have enough left for other purposes. It is entirely for the Municipalities to consider this ; there is no compulsion. They have to come to the Government if they want to contribute more, and the Government have to consider in each individual case whether they are in a position to do so.

My Hon'ble friend suggests that we should make it compulsory for all Municipalities, whether they are willing or not, and whether they can afford it or not ; that we should impose upon them the obligation to pay one anna in the rupee, whereas they cannot now always afford to pay even half-an-anna.

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The Municipalities would be the first to object, if we did so, that we are most oppressive in our control of municipal affairs. I think it is obvious that we cannot possibly accept this resolution and impose upon an unwilling Municipality the duty of paying more to its Provident Fund than it can afford to do."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"My Lord, I cannot understand. It is not my intention to ask Government to make it obligatory. It is clear in my resolution that it should be left to the option of any Municipality to claim exemption on the grounds of financial difficulty. I simply want that option might be given, as in the case of Chittagong it was rejected. Of course I am satisfied with the Hon'ble Member's observation that, if any individual Municipality is in a position to do it, it will be allowed. If that is done, of course many Municipalities will be willing to show that indulgence to their employees. I do not wish that any hard-and-fast rule should be made by Government to force it upon unwilling Municipalities as well. If this is done, it will be quite satisfactory—I mean—if that expression is given publicity, that the Municipalities, if they like, and if they can show that they are in a position to bear the expense, then they will be allowed and Government will have no objection to it. If that is a fact, I will be fully satisfied."

SIR S. P. SINHA said :—

"That is what is being done now."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"If that is so, I do not press for my resolution."

The PRESIDENT said :—

"I think the Hon'ble member may be sure of that fact, which has been made quite clear."

The Hon'ble BABU KISHORI MOHAN CHAUDHURI said :—

"I do not wish to press the resolution; I am satisfied with the observation of the Hon'ble Member that if the Municipalities choose they can do it."

The resolution was then, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

LIST OF BUSINESS—ITEM No. 21.

The Hon'ble MAULVI ABUL KASEM asked for leave to withdraw the following resolution which stood in his name :—

This Council recommends to the Governor in Council that the name of the Asansol Municipality be removed from the first Schedule to the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Ben. Act III of 1884).

The resolution was, by leave of the President, withdrawn.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Council was then adjourned to Tuesday, the 18th December, 1917, at 11 A.M. at Government House, Calcutta.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal and Secy.
to the Bengal Legislative Council (Offg.).

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Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

PERSIAN GULF.

Kharag Island—Position of a new Wireless Telegraphy Masts.

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The Masts are 88 yards apart and bear 315° (N. 47° W. Mag.) and 135° (S. 47° E. Mag.) from each other.

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Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, with plan.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 272.

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INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal replaced.

No. 324 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 173M. of 1917), are republished :—

Subject.—The following buoys were replaced in their positions on the dates given against each :—

	1917.
Ambulgad Buoy	15th October.
Chalden Rock Buoy	13th „
Rájkot Buoy	24th September.
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy ...	24th „
Málwan Harbour Buoy	24th „
Bubra Rock Buoy	9th October.
Vengurla Harbour Buoy	4th „

Authority.—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 7th November 1917.

ADEN.

Position of Wireless Masts.

No. 325 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position—The centre mast is situated 1,020 yards, 180° (S. 1° W.) from S. E. corner of Commandant's House, and in lat. 12° 49′ 23″ N., long. 45° 2′ 10″ E.

The two other masts bear respectively 95½° (S. 83½° E.) and 275½° (N. 83½° W.) from centre mast, distant 167 yards.

Description.—Steel masts, 305 feet high (from ground).

Variation—1° W.

Charts affected—No. 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches, No. 66, Gulf of Aden, Sheet 2.

Publication—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, p. 404.

Authority—Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "Lunka," November 22, 1916.

CEYLON, EAST COAST—Trincomalee Bay.

Foul Point light—Temporarily extinguished.

No. 326 (first publication).—

Subject—The Foul Point light will be extinguished temporarily for repairs from the 7th January 1918.

Position.—Lat. 8° 32′ N., long. 81° 19′ E.

Remarks.—A further Notice will be issued when the light is re-exhibited.

Charts affected.—No. 816, Trincomalee harbour.
„ 815, Harbour and Bays of Trincomalee.
„ 2031, Ceylon, east coast.
„ 828, Cape Comorin to Cocanada.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 519.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 158.

Authority.—Master Attendant, Colombo, Notice dated 13th November 1917.

The 26th November 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

LINGEH—POSITION OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY MASTS.

New British Consulate and Flagstaff.

No. 308 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 168M. of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) The position of the South-western Mast.

At a distance of about 6¼ cables 342½° (N. 19½° W. Mag.) from Custom House.

Lat. 26° 33′ 34″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 23″ E. } On a plan of Chart No. 3380.

(*b*) The North-eastern Mast is lying at a distance of about ¼ a cable 45° (N. 43° E. Mag.) from (*a*).

The Masts are 288 feet apart and bear 45° (N. 43° E. Mag.) and 225° (S. 43° W. Mag.) from each other.

Height.—The South-western and the North-eastern Masts are 156 and 152 feet high, respectively.

(*c*) The position of the New British Consulate and Flagstaff.

At a distance of about 3½ cables 14½° (N. 12½° E. Mag.) from Custom House.

Lat. 26° 33′ 16″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 42″ E. } On plan of Chart No. 3380.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No. 3380, Plans in the Persian Gulf.

„ 35, Basidu and its approaches.

„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 228.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 9th October 1917.

PERSIAN GULF—KISHM ISLAND.

Existence of a rock East of Ras Tarkun.

No. 309 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 169M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles 83° (N. 81° E. Mag.) from Ras Tarkun.

Lat. 26° 38′ 8″ N.
Long. 55° 38′ 20″ E. } Approximately on Chart No. 753.

Details.—A rock is reported to exist in the above position, having a least depth of 5 feet at L.W.O.S.

The rock is 100 yards long and 20 yards wide, extending in the directions of 337½° (N. 24½° W. Mag.) and 157½° (S. 21½° E. Mag.), with a depth of 12 feet close to it.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 214.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

ARABIAN SEA—MAKRAN COAST.

Jashk—Removal of Wireless Telegraphy Station.

No. 310 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 170M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 38′ 20″ N.
Long. 57° 45′ 37″ E. } Approximate.

Description.—Two conspicuous Wireless Masts, referred to on page 191, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915.

Remarks.—The position of these two Masts is not shown on a New Chart No. 145 ; the Persian Gulf Pilot is to be corrected accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 145, Plans on Makran Coast.
„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 191.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

INDIA WEST, BOMBAY COAST.

"Whale reef" buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 311 (second publication).—With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners, No. 163 of 1917, the Bombay Government has given further Notice No. 1577, dated the 5th November 1917, that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the south-west monsoon, was replaced in position on the 22nd October 1917.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN, NEW HEBRIDES—AMBRYM ISLAND.

Dip Point Anchorage—Caution.

No. 312 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 987 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Sealark hill, Lat. 16° 13′ S., Long. 167° 56′ E.

Caution.—The entrance to the small harbour situated southward of Sealark hill is completely closed, and a note "*Entrance silted up (1917)*" is to be inserted on the Charts.

Charts affected.—No. 856, Plan of Dip Point anchorage.
„ 2225, Ambrym island.
„ 1579, Malekula island (southern part).
„ 1570, Malo island to Efate island.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 356; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—British Residency, Vila. (*H. 5585/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—Jidda Approach.

Mismari Reef—New Beacon erected.

No. 313 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 989 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the centre of the reef.
Lat. 21° 19′ 10″ N., long. 39° 01′ 00″ E.

Description.—A coral and stone mound about 10 feet high, white in colour.

Remarks.—The former beacon, which had disappeared, is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 8*c*, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 320; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5549/17.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

River Pungue Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 314 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 993 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 20 miles south-eastward from Macuti point light.
Lat. 20° 05′ 30″ S., long. 35° 08′ 15″ E., on chart No. 648.

Details.—A shoal patch, which nearly dries at low water, has been reported to exist in the above position.

Note.—The shoal is to be marked "*Reported (1917) (posn. approx.)*" on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean, southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4631/17.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Caution.

No. 315 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 995 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Fremantle, lat 32° 03½′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Caution.—Until further Notice, vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle are cautioned not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5708-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Point Gellibrand Lighthouse—Alteration in Fog-Signals.

No. 316 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1020 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about half a mile south-eastward from Point Gellibrand.

Lat 37° 52¼′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Details.—The fog-signals at this lighthouse have been altered and are now as follows :—

(*a*) A siren operated with compound air, giving *one* blast of four seconds' duration *every five minutes.*

(*b*) A rocket fired *every thirty minutes.*

(*c*) A submarine bell sounded as hitherto.

Remarks.—In the event of the siren becoming disabled, a rocket will be fired every ten minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra, and Melbourne.

„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2468.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 456; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 12 of 1917. (*H. 5552-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Sorrento Jetty Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 317 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1026 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At the outer end of Sorrento jetty.

Lat 38° 20¼′ S., long. 144° 44¼′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W.R.G., ev. 3 sec.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing every three seconds* with *white, red,* and *green* sectors.

Remarks.—To enable vessels up to 7 feet draught to make Sorrento jetty, narrow sectors of *white* light will be shown to the northward between the buoys marking the entrance channel off Point King and to the eastward over a safe course from Canterbury jetty to Sorrento. On either side of the *white* sectors the light will show *green* on the starboard and *red* on the port side when approaching Sorrento jetty by the abovementioned channels.

Note.—The sectors referred to above are not to be shown on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.

„ 1171, Port Phillip.

„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2429.

Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 438.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 6 of 1917. (*H. 3721/17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE, SOUTH CHANNEL.

Portsea—Amended Depth on Shoal north-westward of.

No. 318 (second publication).—The following particulars etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of Portsea jetty light, and about 7¼ cables northward of the Boundary flagstaff
Lat. 38° 18¼′ S., long. 144° 42¼′ E.

Depth.—28 feet instead of 23 feet.

Remarks.—Vessels are advised to round the Portsea light buoy at a distance of about one cable.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 441.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 13 of 1917. (*H. 5553/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 319 second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1032 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles, westward, from Abú Matna,

Lat. 18° 53′ 15″ N., long. 41° 07′ 30″ E.

Description.—A 2-fathom coral patch, about half a cable in extent.

Note.—This shoal, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock, with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 8*c*, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 344.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5581/17.*)

PERSIAN GULF ENTRANCE.

Shoal Depth reported.

No. 320 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1037 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 26° 08′ 45″ N., long. 56° 50′ 15″ E.

Details.—A shoal depth of 9¼ fathoms has been obtained in the above position, surrounded by depths of over 40 fathoms.

Note.—A note, "*Probably less water (1917),*" is to be inserted on the charts against the shoal depth mentioned above, together with the note "*posn. approx.*"

Charts affected.—No. 753, Entrance of the Persian gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian gulf, eastern sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 195.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5631/17.*)

BORNEO. NORTH COAST.

Sipindung—Beacon established south-westward of.

No. 321 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1917), are republished:—

Position.—On the 2-fathom patch situated about 1½ miles, south-westward, of Sipindung.
Lat. 6° 50′ 54″ N., long. 117° 32′ 30″ E.

Description.—Not stated.

Charts affected.—No. 1650, Mallawallé island to Lankayan.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 967, Palawan island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 161.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Sandakan. (*H. 5723/17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—MIHARA SETO.

Aoyi Seto—Existence of a Rock

No. 322 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1917), are republished:—

Position.—At a distance of 6$\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 290° (*N. 65° W. Mag.*), from Konejima lighthouse.
Lat. 34° 20¼′ N., long. 133° 03¼′ E.

Description.—A pinnacle rock, over which there is a depth of 2¼ fathoms.

Remarks.—The above rock is to be substituted for the 5-fathom rock shown on the charts.

Variation.—5° W.

Charts affected.—No. 3325, Channels between Neko seto and Mekari seto.
„ 2875, Niakai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 345.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 178 of 1917. (*H. 5784/17.*)

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Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

The 17th November 1917.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel—Storm Warning Signals.

No. 304 (third publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum. has given Notice, dated 23rd July 1917, that the Madras Cyclone Code, as published on page 260 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* No. 9, dated 29th February 1916, has been adopted in this State, and will be brought into force at the Ports of Alleppey, Quilon, Trivandrum and Colachel at a date to be notified later. Copies of the Code may be seen at any of the above Port Offices.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Port limits of Quilon.

No. 305 (third publication).—The Dewan, Trivandrum, has given Notice, dated the 11th August 1917, that the limits of the Quilon Port have been fixed as follows :—

East.—So much of the foreshore as lies between the north and south boundary pillars and within 50 yards of high water.

North.—A line drawn west-south-west from the north boundary pillar until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

South.—A line drawn from the south boundary pillar west-south-west until Tangacherry lighthouse bears north.

West.—A line cutting the north and south boundary lines and with Tangacherry lighthouse bearing north.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST—COLACHEL.

Patna Rock Red Buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 306 (third publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore, Alleppey, has given Notice, dated the 19th September 1917, that the Patna Rock Red Buoy has been replaced.

INDIA, WEST—TRAVANCORE COAST.

Quilon—Buoys replaced.

No. 307 (third publication).—The Principal Port Officer, Travancore Alleppey, has given Notice dated 12th October 1917, that the buoys marking the entrance to the Inner Anchorage at Quilon have been replaced and their position is as follows :—

Red buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. distance about 8¼ cables.

Black buoy bears from Tangacherry lighthouse S. E. ¼ S. about 11¼ cables.

The attention of the Mariners is drawn to the note appearing on the chart (No 750) of the Quilon Road, with reference to these buoys.

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RESOLUTION ON THE ANNUAL IRRIGATION REVENUE REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1916-17.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

CALCUTTA, THE 8TH DECEMBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 5452*I*.

READ—

The Annual Irrigation Revenue report for the year 1916-17.

THE **Major Irrigation Works** in Bengal are the Midnapore and Hijili Tidal Canals. The works are in operation. The **Minor Works** for navigation are the Calcutta and Eastern canals, the Madaripore Bhil channel, a portion

of the Orissa Coast canal, the Nadia rivers and the Gaighatta and Buxi khal. The only irrigation work of this class is the Eden canal. The Utterbhag Lock, which was constructed in connection with the Magra Hat Drainage Scheme, but treated as a Minor Work for navigation, has since been amalgamated in the drainage scheme. Training works on the rivers Ganges, Bhagirathi, Dhaleswari and Buriganga are also classed under this head.

2. The capital outlay on the Major Works up to end of March 1917, amounted to Rs. 1,11,08,615. The works constructed for this outlay comprise two weirs at Midnapore and Panchkura, and 98·75 miles of main and branch canals, of which 69·75 miles provide for both irrigation and navigation, and 29 miles for navigation only; there are, in addition, 254½ miles of distributaries. The Terapakia Pass khal, Palaboni khal and the khal leading to the Gewankhali Lock entrance, of which the aggregate length is 20¾ miles, are also maintained for navigation and included as part of the Hijili Tidal canal. During the year under review no addition was made to the length of the canals or distributaries.

3. The total receipts from the Major Works amounted to Rs. 2,89,408, and the working expenses to Rs. 1,98,504, the net result being a net revenue of Rs. 90,904 against Rs. 71,199 in the preceding year. This better result is partly due to increase in traffic on the Hijili Tidal canal and partly due to the cutting down of expenses on maintenance to the lowest possible limit on account of the present financial conditions. It is not anticipated that this low level of expenditure on maintenance can be continued without detriment to the efficiency of the canals. The general revenues of these canals, which depend considerably upon receipts from navigation, have suffered of late years from railway competition.

4. The area irrigated during the year was 85,827 acres as compared with 83,649 acres in 1915-16 and an average of 80,713 acres for the triennium ending March 1916.

5. The capital outlay on canals classed as **Minor Works and Navigation** was Rs. 7,24,225 during the year and Rs. 1,34,01,651 to end of the year. The receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 7,31,849 and the working expenses to Rs. 5,35,290. The financial results of the year and the capital expenditure to date are exhibited in the following statement :—

	Capital expenditure (direct and indirect)		Receipts of the year *less* refunds.	Expenditure of the year *less* refunds.	Net revenue of the year.	Net revenue of the previous year.
	Of the year.	To end of the year.				
Minor Works and Navigation.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Calcutta and Eastern Canals	5,19,189	94,52,261	3,22,179	2,69,679	52,500	—2,99,573
Madaripur Bhil Channel ...	2,04,508	38,96,352	3,56,547	69,513	2,69,034	63,294
Orissa Coast Canal ...	...	...	14,142	18,347	—4,205	—5,427
Nadia Rivers ...	...	...	15,788	1,21,967	—1,06,179	—98,167
Gaighatta and Buxi Khal ...	...	...	1,575	...	1,575	3,641
Eden Canal ...	...	...	32,618	55,784	—16,166	—35,673
Grand Trunk Canal ...	468	53,038	...	...	...	...
Total ...	7,24,225	1,34,01,651	7,31,849	5,35,290	1,96,559	—3,71,905

The Utterbhag Lock shown in the statement for 1916-16 has been amalgamated in the Magra Hat Drainage Scheme.

6. **The Calcutta and Eastern Canals** form a series of navigable channels mostly natural but partly artificial, by which communication is maintained between Calcutta and Eastern Bengal. The receipts from navigation tolls amounted to Rs. 2,98,117, as compared with Rs. 3,03,189 in the preceding year. The capital outlay incurred during the year was expended principally, as in the previous year, on the improvement of the Gabkhan Bharani khal from Chowkighatta to Jhalakati.

7. The capital expenditure during the year on the **Madaripore Bhil Channel** which connects the Madhumati and Kumar rivers in the district

of Faridpur was incurred, as in the previous year, on (1) dredging the Lower Kumar river and (2) constructing an embankment with sluices along the south bank of the channel. A complete revised estimate for the project was under preparation during the year for submission to the Government of India for their approval and for the sanction of the Secretary of State. The total capital outlay (direct charges) to end of the year amounted to Rs. 38,39,976 against the sanctioned estimate of Rs. 34.32,491. The receipts and working expenses (direct and indirect) during the year were, respectively, Rs. 3.38,547 and Rs. 69,513 as against Rs. 1,87,704 and Rs. 1,24,410 in the year 1915-16. The increase in receipts is due to the fact that the western entrance of the canal at Manikdah remained free from silt deposit throughout the season, as a result of the construction of the bund along the south bank of the canal. This also accounts for the decrease in working expenses.

8. The **Orissa Coast Canal** in conjunction with the Hijili Tidal canal affords communication between Bengal and Orissa, and previous to the opening of the Bengal-Nagpur Railway was the only inland route by which supplies of food could be thrown into Orissa in time of famine. This canal, which is intended for navigation only, now lies partly (*i.e.*, for a length of 45 miles) in this Presidency, and partly in the province of Bihar and Orissa. The receipts and working expenses (direct and indirect) for the portion within Bengal were, respectively, Rs. 14,142 and Rs. 18.347 as against Rs. 11,106 and Rs. 16,533 in the year 1915-16.

9. The work in the **Nadia Rivers** consists in the training of the river channels by bandals with the two-fold object of maintaining by the scouring of shoals a sufficient depth of water for boat traffic and at the same time improving the sanitation of the country. The former object is only partially attained, but the work done is of use, however, in the interests of sanitation. The report on the Nadia Rivers by Major F. C. Hirst, I.A., Director of Surveys, Bengal, referred to in the last year's Resolution, was published during the year under review and a committee was appointed in February 1917 to advise Government upon the steps which should be taken to carry out systematic observations of the changes in the Nadia Rivers and also, if possible, to improve their condition as navigable channels and as feeders for the Lower Hooghly. The committee have not yet finished their deliberations. The receipts and working expenses of the Nadia Rivers were Rs. 15.788 and Rs. 1,21,967. respectively, as against Rs. 16,316 and Rs. 1,14,483 in the preceding year. With the growth of railway lines on either bank of the Bhagirathi and the continued deterioration of the navigable conditions in the rivers, in addition to reduction in the rates of tollage from 1906, there has been a continuous decline in the receipts, from two lakhs in the year 1890-91 to less than a tenth of that sum in 1916-17.

10. The **Gaighatta and Buxi khal** is a short channel connecting the rivers Damodar and Rupnarain. No expenditure was incurred during the year on the maintenance of the khal. The collection of tolls and fishing rights on the khal was leased out for one year from 1st April 1916 to 31st March 1917 at a rental of Rs. 2,750.

11. The **Eden Canal** was originally constructed for sanitary reasons, but it is now used to some extent for irrigation. It was worked during the year at a loss of Rs. 16,166 against a similar loss of Rs. 35,673 in the preceding year. The works in connection with the new supply channel and connected works referred to in last year's Resolution were completed during the year under review. These works caused an improved supply of canal water during the *kharif* season which had the effect of increasing the receipts of the year.

12. (*i*) **Training works** were carried out in the Dhaleswari and Buriganga rivers, as in the previous year, to facilitate navigation and to improve the water-supply of the town of Dacca. Some dredging was also done in the Buriganga near Dacca by the Inland Steamer Companies on their own account.

(*ii*) Training works were carried out also during the year, through the agency of the India General Navigation and Railway Company, Limited, on the river Ganges between Rajmahal and Goalundo.

(*iii*) To improve navigation as well as the sanitary conditions and water-supply of the town of Rampur-Boalia training works were carried out on the inner channel of the river Ganges.

(*iv*) At the mouth of the Bhagirathi river, at its offtake from the Ganges, dredging and bandalling operations were continued to improve sanitary conditions by an increased flow in the river. The operations, however. were not particularly successful owing to adverse circumstances.

13. **General.**—The most important problems with which the Irrigation Branch of the Public Works Department in Bengal have to deal are mainly of a sanitary character, or are in connection with navigation or works of protection against floods. The solution of these problems depends to a very great extent on the observations of land levels and the collection of accurate hydraulic data over very large areas. These questions have for various reasons only recently been approached in a systematic way, although some of these, *e.g.*, the Grand Trunk Canal project, the Damodar flood problem, the improvement of steamer routes have been under consideration for a considerable time. Fresh problems are arising every year, and it is unlikely that the progress will be so rapid that there will remain no more problems of the kind to tackle.

14. The Irrigation Department during the year was in charge of Mr. C. P. Walsh and of Mr F. A. A. Cowley. The thanks of Government are due to these officers for the efficient conduct of the affairs of the department during the year. The good work of other officers has also been noted by Government.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and that a copy thereof and of its accompaniments be submitted to the Government of India in the Public Works Department and circulated to other Governments and to all departments and officers of this Government, as usual.

By order of the Governor in Council,

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Third Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

[*Note.—On an average of the five years ending 1915-16 the area under the Cotton Crops in Bengal represent some 0·2 per cent. of the total area under Cotton in India.*]

Explanatory.—The early crop is chiefly grown in the Chittagong Hill Tracts and in the State of Hill Tippera and to a small extent in the districts of Bankura, Midnapore and Mymensingh. The late crop is grown only in Bankura and Midnapore.

Character of the season.—The crop is reported as generally unsatisfactory in the Chittagong Hill Tracts, Hill Tippera and Midnapore, owing to excessive rainfall, and as fair in Bankura and Mymensingh.

Area sown.—The total area sown of the early crop is estimated at 69,130 acres as against 70,806 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. The area sown with the late variety is reported to be 2,100 acres, being the same as last year.

Outturn.—The estimated outturn of the early cotton works out at 19,104 bales as against 20,124 bales reported in the corresponding forecast of last year. The outturn of the late cotton is estimated at 1,068 bales as against the same estimate last year.

S. MILLIGAN.

Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA :

The 7th December 1917.

Third Forecast of the Cotton Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

	District.	AREA (IN ACRES)— Of current year's crop (1917-18).	Of previous year's crop (1916-17).	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) area in— Column 3.	Column 4.	YIELD (IN BALES OF 400 LBS. EACH— Of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding—		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (—) area in— Column 8.	Column 9.	Date at which the harvesting of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District officers.
1		2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12	13
				5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs. 10 yrs.			5 yrs.	10 yrs.		5 yrs. 10 yrs.		
Bengal-Sind.	Bankura—														
	Early ...	300*	300*	537	415	...	-44 -28	135	135	260	213	...	-52 -37	20th October.	The general condition of the crops has been fair The date of harvesting in case of early variety was normal.
	Late ...	1,400*	1,400*	1,400	1,420	...	... -2	1,015	1,015	1,120	1,144	...	-9 -11	Not yet commenced.	
	Midnapore—														
	Early ...	1,500*	1,500*	1,540	1,620	...	-3 -7	90	90	142	130	...	-37 -31	November	Excessive rainfall in June and July affected the growth of the crop. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	700	700	900	868	...	+17 +5	53	53	43	50	...	+23 +6	Not yet commenced.	
	Mymensingh—														
	Early ...	17*	17*	...	...	...	... ...	75	25	—	...	...	... ...	November and December.	The weather has been generally favourable and the condition of the crop is fair. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
Comillas.	Chittagong Hill Tracts—														
	Early ...	46,000	51,000	47,100	38,030	-6	+2 +26	15,600	16,575	19,989	14,354	-6	-22 +9	Beginning of November.	The weather condition has not been favourable for the crop. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
	Hill Tippera—														
	Early ...	19,313	17,989	24,634	24,577	+7	-22 -21	3,254	3,299	5,196	4,546	-1	-37 -28	Last week of October.	The weather was unfavourable for the crops. The date of harvesting was normal.
	Late ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...	...	...	...	...	...	... ...		
	Total—														
	Early ...	69,130	70,806	73,811	64,642	-2	-6 +7	19,104	20,124	25,607	19,254*	-5	-25 -0·8		
	Late ...	2,100	2,100	2,000	2,088	...	+5 ...	1,068	1,068	1,163	1,194	...	-8 -11	—	

* Conventional area

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 10th December 1917.

Summary.—The week was rainless. Harvesting of winter paddy and sugarcane is proceeding. Sowing of spring crops also continues but is nearing completion in places. Prospects of standing crops are good. Cattle-disease is reported from four districts, viz., Burdwan, Birbhum, Bakarganj and Cooch Behar. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 4 per cent. below that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sugarcane crops are going on. Sowing of *rabi* crops is completed in Barasat subdivision. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	10	$11\frac{7}{16}$	
	Barrackpore	Nil	$8\frac{7}{8}$	$8\frac{1}{4}$	
	Barasat ...	Nil	11	10	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	14	11	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	10	$10\frac{1}{2}$	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	10	9	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	10	8	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	$10\frac{1}{2}$	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
3	Murshidabad	Nil	12	13	Weather seasonable. Potato is being gathered at places in Kandi. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	11	$10\frac{1}{2}$	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	13	$12\frac{1}{2}$	
	Kandi ...	Nil	13	12	
4	Jessore ..	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	15	15	
	Narail ...	Nil	13	13	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	$13\frac{15}{16}$	$13\frac{15}{16}$	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	14	13	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	13	13	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	14	14	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy are going on. Sugarcane and other standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ondal.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	13½	12½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	10¾	10¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Nanoor.
	Rampurhat	Nil	12	12	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	13	14	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14	14	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 1/16	9 11/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice still continues. Prospects of the standing crops are excellent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10⅛	10	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	9⅛	9⅛	
	Contai ...	Nil	13	12	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	Nil	8	8	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	10	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Standing crops are doing well. The harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	10	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	10	10	
	Nator ...	Nil	10	10	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10 3/16	10 3/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearing completion. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	10	9½	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	11 7/16	(*n*)	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable Winter rice, *marua*, millet and cardamom are being harvested. Wheat, barley, rape and mustard are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	10	10	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	8	8	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	8	9	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	9	9	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8½	8	
	Gaibandha...	Nil	9	8½	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished. Ploughing of land for jute and *bhadoi* crops has commenced. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	9	9	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter paddy continue. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	10	9½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy, and transplanting of tobacco seedlings are in progress. Condition and prospects of standing crops are favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from the interior.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	12	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Outturn is excellent. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is falling and that of salt, sugar, chillies and cloth is very dear.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	11	10	
	Narayanganj	Nil	10⅝	10⅝	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	10	10	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4.	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	10	8⅛	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues briskly. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8⅛	8	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	11¼	11	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8½	8½	
23	FARIDPUR ...	Nil	12½	12½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12 3/16	12 3/16	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	12	11	
	Gopalganj†...	Nil	14	13	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	12	10	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from four thanas of Bhola subdivision.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	10	(*n*)	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	12	(*n*)	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	10	(*n*)	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	11	10½	Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Outturn is good. *Panga* salt is selling at 5 seers per rupee both at Sadar and Cox's Bazar.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10½	10	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Harvesting of the crop is in full swing. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	13⅓	10⅓	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	10	10	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	11	10½	Weather seasonable. owing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 4½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	Nil	14½	13	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8	8	Weather cloudy. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

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for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1917.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the Second-half of November 1917.

Division.	Number.	Districts and Marts.	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas.														
			Common rice — Average.			Common rice — Cheapest.			Kalai dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Tur, Gadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*)			Salt.		
			Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding returns of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hat ...	8 0	8 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	5 6	8 0	11 8†
	2	Magra Hat ...	9 7	8 14	8 14	11 7	10 0	9 6	7 4	7 4	6 11	6 10	6 10	6 14	6 3	8 0	12 13
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	7 9	6 15	5 14	8 4	8 0	8 12	8 4	8 0	7 0	8 0	6 8	7 1	6 6	7 7	11 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Goari	9 0	10 8	6 12	11 0	11 4	8 8	5 5	5 13	5 3	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 14	10 10	11 4
	5	Ranaghat	9 0	9 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	6 12	6 6	6 6	6 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 5	9 0	10 8
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	11 0	11 0	9 0	11 8	11 8	9 4	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	8 0	11 0	11 8†
	7	Kandi	12 0	12 0	8 0	13 0	12 4	10 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 8
	8	Jangipur ...	12 0	10 12	8 0	13 0	11 8	9 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	13 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	10 0	8 0	8 0	12 8	10 0	9 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 6	8 0	12 0
	10	Bangaon	11 7	9 6	7 12	13 8	10 10	8 14	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	6 6	5 12	8 0	13 0
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	8 8	8 0	8 0	13 0 (d)	12 8	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0 (e)	8 0	7 0	5 8	6 8	10 8
	12	Bagerhat	10 0	8 0	7 0	14 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 8	6 8	10 0
Burdwan.		Burdwan.															
	13	Sadar	10 8	10 0	8 0	13 0	12 8	10 0	8 0	7 12	7 8	8 8	9 0	8 0	8 4	9 0	13 0
	14	Kalna	10 0	10 0	7 8	10 8	10 8	7 12	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 8	6 4	8 4	13 0	13 0	13 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	11 8	11 8	10 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	11 0
	16	Rampur Hat	11 0	11 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	11 0	14 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	12 8	10 12	9 0	14 0	13 12	10 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	8 0	11 8
	18	Vishnupur	11 0	11 0	7 8	14 0	14 0	10 0	8 0	9 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	12 8
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	11 6 (d)	9 11	8 1	12 8 (d)	10 1	8 11	7 0	7 0	6 0	{ 8 0 to 8 0	{ 6 0 to 8 0	} 6 8	5 4	7 0	10 0
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	8 8	13 0	13 0	8 11	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	5 8	8 0	13 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	8 0	8 0	7 0	9 8	9 8	8 0	8 0	7 12	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	6 0	7 0	13 0†
	22	Arambagh ...	10 0	10 0	8 0	10 4	10 4	8 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	4 8	7 4	12 0
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 3	8 2	7 0	9 0	9 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	5 5	8 0	13 0
	24	Uluberia	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 0	5 10	8 0	13 4
Rajshahi.		Rajshahi.															
	25	Rampur-Boalia .	9 0	8 4	7 2	10 8	8 10	7 14	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	4 14	6 12	9 12
	26	Nator	8 8	7 8	6 12	10 0	9 0	7 8	8 0	6 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	4 0	7 8	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hat.	10 3	10 3	9 0	10 12	10 12	9 10	6 9	5 11	6 0	7 13	7 13	6 10	6 0	7 12	11 0
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	9 8	8 0	8 0	11 0	9 8	9 8	8 0	8 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 8	4 8	7 0	11 0

(d) New autumn rice.
† Inaccurate.
(e) Patna.
(n) Not reported.

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			Common Rice.						Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*).			Arhar (Dal) or Thun, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*).			Salt.		
			Average			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
		Darjeeling.															
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 0	7 0	5 8	8 4	8 4	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	5 8	5 8	4 8	5 8	6 0	8 0
	30	Siliguri	7 0	7 0	5 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	7 0	6 8	5 8	4 0	6 8	10 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	8 8	8 0	6 12	9 8	8 12	7 0	5 12	5 12	5 4	8 0	8 0	5 4	6 12	6 12	9 8
	32	Nilphamari	8 8	8 8	8 0	9 0	9 0	9 8	6 8	6 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 12	5 8	6 8	11 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar	6 0	7 0	8 4	12 0	9 12	9 12	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 7	7 8	12 0
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	10 8	7 4	6 14	12 0	8 8	8 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	6 0	8 8
	35	Sirajganj	8 0	7 8	7 6	8 8	8 0	7 14	7 8	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 0	6 8	11 0	12 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	11 0	9 8	8 0	14 0	10 0	9 0	6 0	6 8	8 0	6 8	7 0	...	8 0	6 8	9 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj	11 4	10 0	9 0	16 4	10 8	10 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	10 8
Dacca.		**Dacca.**															
	38	Sadar	10 0	8 8	8 0	12 0	10 0	9 8	5 8	5 8	5 4	8 0	8 0	6 4	5 0	5 8	10 8
	39	Munshir Hat	10 0	9 4	7 12	10 0	9 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	4 ...	6 10	10 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	8 8	8 0	6 14	8 14	6 8	7 2	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0	8 8	11 8
	41	Netrakona	9 0	8 0	6 6	10 0	8 8	7 4	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 8	7 8	5 12	5 0	9 0	11 4
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	12 0	9 8	7 0	12 8	10 8	8 0	6 4	6 8	5 8	6 0	6 4	5 4	5 0	6 8	10 0
	43	Goalundo	12 0	11 5	8 12	12 13	12 0	8 12	8 0	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	4 12	5 5	9 10
		Bakarganj															
	44	Barisal	10 8	8 0	6 12	10 12	9 12	9 0	9 7	9 7	10 0	6 8	6 11	5 5	5 8	8 0	10 10
	45	Pirojpur	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 12	7 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 0	10 0
		Tippera.															
	46	Comilla	10 8	7 11	6 12	13 14	7 14	8 11	5 5	5 5	4 9	6 6	6 6	5 8	5 8	6 8	10 11
	47	Chandpur	8 0	8 0	6 12	10 2	10 0	8 12	5 5	5 4	10 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	5 4	6 8	15 0
Chittagong.		**Noakhali.**															
	48	Kalitara Hat	9 0	9 0	7 8	10 0	10 0	7 12	9 0	9 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 0	6 8	10 8
	49	Feni Hat	12 0	8 4	9 2	13 0	13 0	10 2	8 0	8 4	9 2	•	•	...	4 2	7 6	12 13
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar	10 8	10 0	8 0	11 0	11 0	8 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	6 0	5 0	7 8	13 0
	51	Cox's Bazar	10 0	9 8	9 0	10 0	9 8	8 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	6 8	11 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati.	8 0	8 0	7 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 8	8 0

† Crushed.

WALI-UL ISLAM,
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CALCUTTA,
The 10th December 1917.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1917.

MARTS.	PADDY (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE (BEST QUALITY).			RICE (COMMON QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 4 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 2 0
Chatin Hát ...	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan	2 4 0	2 2 0	3 12 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	5 5 5	6 0 0	9 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	1 13 0 to 2 4 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	1 10 0 to 1 14 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	3 8 0 to 4 2 0	4 2 0	5 4 0
Chittagong .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	5 0 0
Chandpur ...	... ..	....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	2 1 0	2 8 0	3 1 0	1 13 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	6 12 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	5 12 0
Narayanganj ...	...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	...	...		...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Pabna	1 12 0	2 12 0	2 11 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	8 0 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 4 0
Serajganj ...	....	..	... ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur .	2 8 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	6 0 0	7 0 0	7 4 0	4 10 0	5 0 0	5 12 0

MARTS	WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.			GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 6 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	5 4 0
Chatin Hát ...	.....	.....	...	.....	... .	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 12 0	5 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	5 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	...	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.. ...	.....	. ..	.. ...	.....	...		.....	.....	.....	. ....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 4 0	4 6 0 to 5 0 0	5 0 0 to 8 8 0	5 0 0 to 3 8 0	6 8 0
Chittagong ...	.... .	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.. ...	.. ...	.....	. ...	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ..	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	. ....	....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Serajganj ...	.....	.....	3 13 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	5 2 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	4 12 0	7 13 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1917.

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD			GUR			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	30 0 0	35 0 0	19 0 0
Chotla Hát ...	...	.....		...	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Burdwan ...	6 0 0	.....	7 0 0	5 4 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	10 0 0	7 4 0	25 0 0 to 33 0 0	25 0 0	21 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	...	.. ..
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	. .
Midnapore .	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	6 4 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	9 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	32 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	. .....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	. . .	.....	.....	.....	. . ..	. .....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....
Pabna	5 4 0	6 10 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	6 2 0	8 10 0	10 0 0	8 5 6	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	... ..	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Rangpur	.....	.....	.....	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	10 8 0	11 8 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....

MARTS	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	52 0 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	375 0 0
Chotla Hát ...	...	.....	.....	. ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	4 8 0	.....	9 0 0	55 0 0	53 0 0	51 0 0	36 0 0	Per maund. 40 0 0	48 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.....
Midnapore ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	58 0 0	58 0 0	55 0 0	300 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 300 0 0 Uncleaned piece per 100.	375 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 60 0 0 54 0 0	275 0 0	275 0 0	350 0 0
Chandpur ...	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 6 8 0	6 8 0 to 9 8 0	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	(c)	(c)	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	5 8 0 to 5 12 0	8 8 0 to 9 12 0	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	4 4 0 to 6 12 0	7 8 0 to 9 8 0	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Pabna ...	.....	.....	.....	63 0 0	62 0 0	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	6 8 0 to 8 8 0	.....	... .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	70 0 0	65 0 0	56 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	3 0 0

(c) Bhaisa Ghee not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of November 1917.

MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	25 0 0	25 0 0	16 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	2 14 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 8 6(a)
Ghatia Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	14 8 0 to 15 8 0	14 0 0	12 8 0	4 4 0	3 8 0	2 13 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	2 12 6(a)
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	2 0 0 to 16 0 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0(a)
Chittagong ...	13 0 0	17 0 0	15 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	2 14 0‡	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 13 0(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	16 0 0	7 12 0	6 8 0	3 4 0*	3 3 0	3 1 0	2 13 6(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	28 0 0	20 0 0	15 0 0	7 0 0	5 12 0	3 11 0	5 8 0	4 3 0	2 13 0(a)
Sirajganj ...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	22 0 0	22 0 0	14 0 0	7 0 0	5 12 0	4 0 0*	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Paura. | ‡ Crushed.

MARTS.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	18 0 0	18 0 0	14 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	...
Ghatia Hat ...	...	...	.....	.....	...	.....	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 8 0
Burdwan ...	17 0 0	16 8 0	14 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 6	0 5 0
Kalna	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	0 12 6	0 12 6	0 7 6
Raniganj ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 2 4	0 2 4	0 1 6
Midnapore ...	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	16 0 0 to 16 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	0 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	20 0 0	20 0 0	17 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	16 0 0	17 11 0	16 11 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CALCUTTA,
The 10th December 1917.

WALI-UL ISLAM,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4 4 0	4 12 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
„ medium ...	4 15 0	5 0 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4 5 0	4 13 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 0 0	5 2 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
(iv) Dudhkalma ...	.....	.....	0 2 0	0 2 3
(v) Rangoon (boiled) ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
(vi) Kajla	3 6 0	3 8 0	0 2 0	.....
Wheat, Dudhia	5 6 0	5 7 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	.....	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali	5 2 0	5 3 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole) —	3 6 0	3 12 0	0 1 6	0 2 0
„ dal	4 3 0	4 12 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
Mung „ (Hari)	5 12 0	6 10 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 9	0 3 0
Arhar „	3 12 0	6 0 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
Masur „ (split)	4 2 0	5 4 0	0 2 3	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5 8 0	5 14 0	0 2 6	0 3 6
Kalai „	5 8 0	6 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 9
Salt	5 6 0	5 8 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
Sugar (brown Java) ...	10 14 0	11 6 0	0 4 6	0 6 0
Gur, Bheli	6 8 0	8 0 0	0 4 0	.....
„ Bhursut	10 0 0	10 4 0	0 6 0	.....
Milk	10 0 0	10 8 0	0 3 0	0 4 0
Mustard oil	17 0 0	18 8 0	0 6 6	0 8 0
Flour (country)	6 14 0	7 12 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
Ata No. 3	5 0 0	5 4 0	0 2 3	0 3 3
„ „ 2½	5 14 0	6 0 0		
„ „ B	8 0 0	.....		
Suji	7 10 0	8 4 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.). ...	70 0 0	.....	2 0 0	.....
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	65 0 0	.....	1 14 0	.....
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.) ...	56 6 0	.....	.....	.....
Maize	2 8 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
Potato	4 6 0	6 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 3
Patal	4 2 0	4 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
Brinjal	.....	.....	.....	.....
Onion	3 0 0	6 0 0	0 1 6	0 2 3
Fish, Rahu	15 0 0	18 0 0	0 8 0	0 12 0
Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
Beef (2hd and 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets, (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar.

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,

for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 10th December 1917.*

Statement showing the weekly gauge-readings on the river Buriganga at Dacca Water-works for the week ending the 1st December 1917.

Date.	Time.	Height of water above zero of gauge.	Height above mean sea-level.	Height above zero on the same date last year.	Remarks.
25th Nov. 1917	At low tide.	56·6	Not connected with mean sea-level.	55·7	Top of the settling tank is 88·00 feet above zero of gauge.
26th „ „	Ditto	56·5		55·8	
27th „ „	Ditto	56·4		55·7	
28th „ „	Ditto	56·5		55·6	
29th „ „	Ditto	56·6		55·5	
30th „ „	Ditto	56·6		55·4	
1st Dec. „	Ditto	56·5		55·4	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

27th August	1906	70·5	Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	67·86	
10th August	1910	69·86	
1st „	1911	68·46	
18th „	1912	67·16	
31st „	1915	69·7	
18th „	1916	68·1	
12th „	1917	67·1	
23rd February	1907	51·06	Taken at low tide.
18th „	1906	51·06	
12th March	1912	51·06	
6th „	1914	50·06	
22nd February	1915	50·03	
15th „	1916	50·6	
3rd March	1917	51·0	

DACCA,
The 3rd December 1917.

C. B. LINES,
Executive Engineer, Dacca Divn.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 8th December 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
	A.M.				
2nd Dec. 1917	7-0	12·9	12·9	10·4	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
3rd „ „	7-0	12·7	12·7	10·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
4th „ „	7-0	12·5	12·5	10·0	
5th „ „	7-0	12·3	12·3	9·8	
6th „ „	7-0	12·0	12·0	9·7	Its reduced level is 22·41.
7th „ „	7-0	11·8	11·8	9·5	Goalundo ghat has been shifted from Fakirabad on 27th November 1917 to old Goalundo ghat and readings have been taken from the old ghat from 28th November 1917.
8th „ „	7-0	11·6	11·6	9·4	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest „	... 4·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Highest „	... 25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	... 25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).		Ditto „	... 25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).		Ditto „	... 25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	... ...	Lowest „	... 1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·42 on 18th March 1908.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	... ...	Ditto „	... 3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

FARIDPUR,
The 9th December 1917.

D. C. SEN GUPTA,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Statement of Weekly Gauge Readings on the River Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 8th December 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: *minus* sign for those below zero R. L. of zero =41·40.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1917.					
2nd December	8 A.M.	7·20	48·60	47·70	R. L. of gauge post is 41·40.
3rd ,,	8 ,,	7·10	48·50	47·60	B. M. on College step is 69·74
4th ,,	8 ,,	7·00	48·40	47·40	
5th ,,	7 ,,	6·90	48·30	47·30	
6th ,,	8 ,,	6·70	48·10	47·20	
7th ,,	8 ,,	6·60	48·00	47·10	
8th ,,	8 ,,	6·50	47·90	47·00	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest ,,	...	40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest ,,	...	69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest ,,	...	37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	38·18 on 14th-15th April 1888.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	38·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto ,,	...	39·26 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 8th December 1917.

M. SEN GUPTA,
Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 1st December 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 2nd December 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	717	39,665	686	377	32,672	543
Jute	224	95,362*	1,184	282	94,428†	1,395
Firewood	58	24,475	352	54	48,175	751
Other articles	915	184,536	2,187	864	184,570	2,563
Total ...	1,914	344,238	4,409	1,577	359,845	5,252
Empty boats and rafts ...	592	...	1,094	633	...	1,030
GRAND TOTAL ...	2,506	344,238	5,503	2,210	359,845	6,282

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement 102,750
† Ditto ditto 104,136

CALCUTTA,
The 7th December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1917-18.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of October 1917.

Circle.	District	Canal.	Estimated full discharge	Average discharge in month	Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						RAINFALL, 1917-18.		RAINFALL, 1916-17		Remarks
								Long-term leases.	SEASON LEASES.					During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.	
									Kharif.	Rabi.	Sugarcane	Hot-weather.	Total.					
			C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	
SOUTH-WESTERN	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	269	421	75,231	77,490	67,653	7,753	...	...	...	7,753	75,406	13·45	64·87	6·56	65·20	
		Panchkura	522	11	10	3,927	8,069	7,830	...	...	...	...	...	7,830	9·12	53·0	10·43	50·83	
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches. Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	–	...	...	...	...	...	11·69	68·95	13·74	66·31	
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	79,208	85,559	75,483	7,753	...	...	...	7,753	83,236	...	...	...	...	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year.	...	...	...	...	...	74,033	11,666	...	...	...	11,666	85,699	...	...		...	
	Hurdwan and Hooghly.	Eden Canal	1,000	269	269	25,013	28,176	24,787	377	56	5	...	438	25,225	13·13	55·16	10·9	55·47	
		Total of the corresponding period of last year	...	...	...	...		26,178	1,994	109	7	...	2,110	28,288	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	104,221	113,717	100,270	8,130	56	5	...	8,191	108,461	...	...	...	...	
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	100,211	13,660	109	7	...	13,776	113,987	...	...	...	...	

CALCUTTA,
The 7th December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on (e)1,576 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	681,640	3,83,080 0 0	2,795,800 0	3,85,100 0 0	28,790 0 0	(f)7,46,220 0 0	83,287	(d) 55,349	137,536
Per mile of railway per week	(a)416	(a) 218 0 0	1,773 0	244 0 0	(c) 14 0 0	(c)469 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	4,237,750	21,60,340 0 0	16,641,520 0	24,57,790 0 0	2,39,470 0 0	48,47,550 0 0	539,629	378,520	938,157
Total for 8 weeks ...	4,879,390	24,93,370 0 0	19,437,320 0	28,42,890 0 0	2,68,210 0 0	55,94,470 0 0	641,916	433,778	1,075,693
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	691,060	3,43,336 0 0	2,906,845 0	4,14,057 0 0	35,203 0 0	7,93,596 0 0	100,093	61,928	162,021
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,538 mean mileage worked)	(b) 442	(b) 219 0 0	1,786 0	254 0 0	17 0 0	493 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	5,450,643	25,56,436 0 0	24,146,759 0	33,85,670 0 0	3,65,823 0 0	63,07,929 0 0	784,490	508,390	1,292,880

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 7,250.
(d) Including ballast train-miles 5,500.
(e) As per Chief Engineer's mileage statement for the half-year ending 30th September 1917.
(f) Decrease is chiefly due to coal, rice and sundry articles.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	52,300	20,930 0 0	95,920 0	6,060 0 0	3,190 0 0	30,180 0 0	3,483	(b) 3,333	6,816
Per mile of railway per week	450	180 0 0	827 0	52 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 284 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	397,330	1,37,410 0 0	677,540 0	56,330 0 0	22,590 0 0	2,16,130 0 0	27,775	24,740	52,515
Total for 8 weeks ...	449,720	1,58,340 0 0	773,460 0	62,390 0 0	25,780 0 0	2,46,310 0 0	31,258	40,073	71,331
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	68,926	26,402 0 0	139,690 0	7,425 0 0	3,072 0 0	36,899 0 0	6,954	2 504	9,458
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	593	228 0 0	1,204 0	64 0 0	1 0 0	293 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	516,199	1,79,902 0 0	1,319,677 0	79,261 0 0	23,186 0 0	2,82,349 0 0	54,839	20,128	74,967

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,000.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 700.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	4,140	2,480 0 0	26,410 0	2 710 0 0	40 0 0	5,230 0 0	793	169	962
Per mile of railway per week	125	75 0 0	800 0	82 0 0	1 0 0	158 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	38,360	17,360 0 0	190,310 0	14,600 0 0	300 0 0	32,160 0 0	5,295	1,233	6,528
Total for 8 weeks ...	42,500	19,840 0 0	216,720 0	17,310 0 0	340 0 0	37,390 0 0	6,088	1,392	7,480
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	6,001	3,662 0 0	34,551 0	2,988 0 0	57 0 0	6,707 0 0	950	507	1,457
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	182	111 0 0	1,047 0	90 0 0	2 0 0	203 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	44,364	23,969 0 0	271,930 0	23,497 0 0	376 0 0	48,842 0 0	7,478	2,398	10,876

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,610	6,330 0 0	193,470 0	8,830 0 0	40 0 0	15,200 0 0	1,311	2,003	3,314
Per mile of railway per week	314	113 0 0	3,455 0	157 0 0	1 0 0	271 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	113,130	39,110 0 0	1,315,490 0	58 810 0 0	250 0 0	98,170 0 0	8,360	11,587	19,882
Total for 8 weeks ...	130,740	45,440 0 0	1,508,960 0	67,640 0 0	290 0 0	1,13,370 0 0	9,316	13,590	23,106
Total for 21 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	342,885	1,23,468 0 0	3,937,312 0	1,88,574 0 0	685 0 0	2,80,724 0 0	21,686	27,791	59,477
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	17,844	5,755 0 0	188,434 0	8,006 0 0	35 0 0	13,778 0 0	1,677	1,804	3,481
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (38 mean mileage worked).	313	102 0 0	3,345 0	143 0 0	1 0 0	246 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	135 189	43,617 0 8	1,739,988 0	73,913 0 0	251 0 0	1,17,980 0 0	15,333	12,883	28,115
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	342,819	1,04,974 0 0	4,117,605 0	1,63,813 0 0	714 0 0	2,69,500 0 0	27,671	39,690	67,361

(a) Audited figures to end of September 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 24th November 1917, on (a) 49 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Minmral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	17,380	4,610 0 0	37,750 0	2,030 0 0	20 0 0	6,660 0 0	1,190	1,088	2,278
Per mile of railway per week	355	94 0 0	770 0	43 0 0	.....	136 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	63,220	19,530 0 0	214,660 0	16,100 0 0	120 0 0	35,750 0 0	7,975	6,466	14,441
Total for 8 weeks ...	80,600	24,140 0 0	252,390 0	18,130 0 0	140 0 0	42,410 0 0	9,165	7,554	16,719
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	9,800	3,599 0 0	45,897 0	2,523 0 0	27 0 0	5,149 0 0	1,498	701	2,199
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	196	53 0 0	918 0	50 0 0	1 0 0	103 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	78,045	21,498 0 0	359,419 0	25,837 0 0	148 0 0	48,483 0 0	11,470	5,840	17,310

(a) As per Chief Engineer's mileage statement for half-year ending 30th September 1917.
N.B.—Increase in coaching earnings is due to general development of traffic and decrease in goods is due to inclusion of certain adjustment last year

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 24th November 1917, on 2,056 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,056 mean miles worked	395,040	(a)1,72,770	1,094 350	(b)1,64,110	28,740	3,65 620	53,039	(c)42,146	(e)95,185
Or per mile of railway per week	192·14	84·03	532·37	79·83	13·98	177 83			
For previous 8½ weeks of official half-year ...	2,387,190	10,43,460	6,607,600	10,11,240	1,42,980	21,96,680	342,925	277,111	620,036
Total for 7½ weeks ...	2,782,230	12,16,230	7,701,950	11,75,350	1,71,660	25,62,240	395,964	319,257	715,221
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	470,367	2,18,220	1,286,397	2,07,721	28,124	4,54,065	63,675	(d)55,185	118,860
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	228 67	106·09	625·37	100·98	13·67	220·74			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	3,807,629	15,44,396	9,285,128	13,40,414	2,05,164	30,89,873	499,730	387,946	887,676
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the week ...		3·26		3·89	·30	3·84			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·33		4·91	·34	3·83			

(a) Increase mainly in foreign passengers.
(b) General decrease.
(c) Includes 1,982 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 2,389 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 24th November 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	582,600	6,78,406 0 0	72,40,814 0	14,35,576 0 0	71,700 0 0	21,85,682 0 0	138,241	287 907	426,348
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	259 2 1	.....	548 5 7	27 6 2	834 13 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year ...	3,871,668	48,06,805 0 0	57,071,682 0	98,88,693 0 0	3,70,940 0 0	1,50,66,028 0 0	970,390	2,213,786	3,184,176
Total from 1st October ...	4,453,858	54,84,801 0 0	64,312,496 0	1,13,24,269 0 0	4,42,640 0 0	1,72,51,710 0 0	1,108,731	2,501,695	3,610,426
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	685,004	6 32,333 0 0	8,225 980 0	14,30,233 0 0	29,100 0 0	21,50,656 0 0	181,579	315,650	497,209
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	242 13 3	.....	571 14 5	11 2 10	825 14 6	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	5,374 000	48,31,906 0 0	69,534,806 0	1,15,41,502 0 0	1,21,791 0 0	1.64,55,199 0 0	1.409,623	2,583,850	3,993,503

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The decrease is both in merchandise general and coal.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs.	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A P
2,650	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,765	13,95,861	18,813,844	28,26,486	65,450	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 12 10
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580 650	7,74,908	9,566,632	15,72,085	56,700	24,03,673	909	495,249	4 15 3
2,618	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	526,394	6,19,470	7,027,312	11,62,617	71,700	18,53,787	708	464,052	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,762	7,23,489	7,268,583	13,65,380	60,690	21,49,559	821	483,617	4 15 6
2,618	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	548,186	6,84,280	9,222,913	16,94,480	57,700	23,96,460	915	469,098	5 1 9
2,618	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	526,803	6,29,417	7,582,398	13,97,685	56,700	20,83,802	797	462,701	4 8 2
2,618	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	582,600	6,78,406	7,240,814	14,35,576	71,700	21,85,682	835	426,348	5 2 1
	Totals up to date ...	4,453,858	54,84,801	64,312,496	1,13,24,269	4,42 640	1,72,51,710	835	3,610,426	4 12 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No of passengers.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,372,076	12,68,220	18,446,367	28,18,523	7,321	[illegible],94,074	748	1,027,496	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ,,	638,529	5,93 090	9,996,715	15,94,503	1,800	[illegible],89,395	841	537,801	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,883	5,39,735	9,606,846	15,34,786	7,400	20,71,891	796	518,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	688,966	6,47,623	8,981,528	14,96,701	19,913	21,64,236	831	518,315	4 3 6
2,604	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	711,039	6,09,961	8,855,745	14,71,914	29,000	21,10,875	811	488,940	4 5 1
2,604	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	696,261	6,34,511	8,736,782	15,27,760	28,000	21,90,271	837	493,579	4 6 8
2 604	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	685,004	6,32,323	8,225,980	14,89,233	29,100	21,50,656	826	497,209	4 5 9
	Totals up to date ..	5,372,966	49,15,463	70,649,853	1,17,23,392	1,23,513	1,67,61,398	805	4,067,391	4 1 11

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 24th November 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,969	42,845 0 0	580,044 0	47,567 0 0	285 0 0	90,697 0 0	11,554	10,079	21,633
Or per mile of railway...	.....	219 11 6	.....	243 14 11	1 7 5	465 1 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year.	324,134	2,98,967 0 0	4,937 907 0	3,59 847 0 0	1,957 0 0	6,60,771 0 0	85,276	58 918	144,194
Total from 1st October...	370,103	3,41,812 0 0	4,517,951 0	4,07,414 0 0	2,242 0 0	7,51,468 0 0	96,830	68,997	165,827
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	44,066	36 297 0 0	501,694 0	42,858 0 0	312 0 0	79,467 0 0	11,399	9,918	21,317
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	. .	186 2 2	.....	219 13 7	1 9 7	407 8 4	....	....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	346,970	2,99,193 0 0	4,175,155 0	3,28,579 0 0	2,296 0 0	6,30,078 0 0	94,421	81,661	176,082

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18 Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,379	78,883	1,133,191	79,664	522	1,59,069	439	37,872	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	969,067	62,731	365	1,19,001	610	20,686	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	38,138	36,239	673,647	51,088	765	87,585	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	45,684	45,158	578,838	46,907	295	92,460	474	20,806	4 7 1
195	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	43,426	40,084	914,750	67,921	285	1,08,190	555	21,786	4 15 5
195	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	38,831	42,605	628,494	51,576	285	94,466	484	22,875	4 2 1
195	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	45,269	42,845	580 044	47,567	285	90,697	465	21,533	4 3 1
	Totals up to date ...	370,103	3,41,813	5,517,951	4,07,414	2,342	7,51,468	490	165,827	4 8 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88,079	72,538	993,786	64,072	576	1,36,986	351	43,165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,813	29,157	289	74,857	384	23,359	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,966	35,048	509,453	41,838	289	77,160	396	20,824	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	42,829	37,729	644,200	49,577	246	87,552	449	22,106	3 15 4
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	51,989	42,740	569,128	48,735	312	91,787	471	24,103	3 13 11
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	47,800	44,670	565,684	46,503	312	91,485	469	25,229	3 10 0
195	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	44,066	36,297	501,694	42,808	312	79,417	408	21,817	3 11 6
	Totals up to date ...	382,959	3,04,233	4,238,228	3,23,705	2,338	6,39,276	410	179,913	3 9 2

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 24th November 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,611	1,520 0 0	14,393 0	572 0 0	15 0 0	2,107 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	34 8 9	.....	13 0 0	0 5 5	47 14 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year.	46,540	12,371 0 0	1,56,578 0	7,553 0 0	103 0 0	19,027 0 0	6,386	2,091	8,379
Total from 1st October...	52,151	13,791 0 0	1,70,971 0	8,125 0 0	118 0 0	23,034 0 0	7,303	2,396	9,601
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	4,468	1,138 0 0	17,362 0	270 0 0	11 0 0	1,418 0 0	459	153	612
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	25 1 8	.....	6 2 2	0 4 0	33 1 10	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	20,433	5,627 0 0	25,009 0	416 0 0	37 0 0	6,082 0 0	1,573	524	2,097

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,651	28	5,689	70	2,769	2 6 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,806	2,884	30,759	1,287	15	4,186	94	1,223	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,300	1,570	19,749	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,223	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,207	1,558	19,824	1,188	15	2,761	63	1,223	2 4 3
44	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	6,703	1,843	15,728	726	15	2,574	59	1,223	2 1 8
44	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	5,154	1,446	18,670	528	15	1,989	45	1,223	1 10 1
44	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	5,611	1,520	14,393	572	15	2,107	48	1,223	1 11 7
	Totals up to date ...	52,151	13,791	170,971	8,125	118	23,034	64	9,601	2 4 9

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

		No of passengers	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
25*	First 4 days of Nov. ...	718	140	...	...	8	134	...	348	0 6 2
44	We k ended 11th ,, ...	7,765	2,230	3,822	74	11	2,305	52	612	3 12 3
44	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	7,662	2,179	3,425	74	11	2,264	51	612	3 11 2
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	4,466	1,142	17,362	270	11	1 413	32	612	2 4 11
	Totals up to date ...	20,611	5,660	25,009	418	38	6,116	39	2,184	2 12 10

* Mean miles for the week.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,673	2,537 0 0	65,290 0	9,630 0 0	(a)349 0 0	12,525 0 0	513	(d 688	1,201
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	70 0 0	...	268 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 339 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year.*	52,294	16,170 0 0	512,711 0	92,804 0 0	3,805 0 0	112,838 0 0	4,098	5,379	9,477
Total for 9 weeks ...	59,967	18,716 0 0	578,001 0	102,493 0 0	4,154 0 0	125,363 0 0	4,611	6,067	10,678
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	8,961	2,638 0 0	87,298 0	13,944 0 0	(b)510 0 0	17,092 0 0	546	(e)773	1,319
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	73 0 0	...	387 0 0	4 0 0	(c) 464 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	80,158	22,239 0 0	691,553 0	101,096 0 0	3,949 0 0	127,284 0 0	4,740	7,837	12,577

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 314.
(b) Ditto. 1916. Rs. 364.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 45.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 41.
* Includes audited earnings for the mon

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	16,481	5,003 0 0	89,767 0	14,627 0 0	36 0 6	20,666 0 0	1,800	(a) 3,314	5,114
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	51 0 0	...	125 0 0	...	176 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 8 weeks of half-year.*	123,097	41,180 0 0	757,251 0	1,34,771 0 0	2,428 0 0	1,78,379 0 0	14,723	25,102	39,825
Total for 9 weeks ...	139,578	47,183 0 0	847,018 0	1,49,398 0 0	2,464 0 0	1,99,045 0 0	16,523	28,416	44,939
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	17,380	6,302 0 0	120,905 0	21,444 0 0	87 0 0	28,333 0 0	1,669	(b)4,080	5,749
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	53 0 0	...	183 6 0	1 0 0	242 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	168,818	56,680 0 0	951,476 0	1,54,731 0 0	856 0 0	2,12,267 0 0	15,226	34,610	49,836

(a) Ballast train-miles, 595.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 1,320.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate return of traffic for week ending 24th November 1917, on 51 miles run.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,294	13,620 0 0	22,755 0	10,110 0 0	61 0 0	23,691 0 0	2,753	3,175	5,928
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	265 0 0	.....	199 0 0	1 0 0	465 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	42,182	1,38,958 0 0	198,084 0	83,220 0 0	1,324 0 0	2,23,502 0 0	20,431	21,443	41,874
Total traffic up to 24th November 1917 ...	47,476	1,52,478 0 0	220,839 0	93,330 0 0	1,385 0 0	2,47,193 0 0	23,184	24,618	47,802
(55 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	381 0 0	.....	233 0 0	3 0 0	617 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,612	10,187 0 0	31,835 0	13,664 0 0	126 0 0	23,977 0 0	2,794	3,613	6,407
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	200 0 0	.....	268 0 0	2 0 0	470 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	49,112	1,14,850 0 0	257,035 0	1,16,433 0 0	1,526 0 0	2,32,809 0 0	21,720	28,156	49,876
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	287 0 0	.....	290 0 0	4 0 0	581 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week	+	3,333		— 3,554	— 65	— 286			
Difference up to date	+	37,628		— 23,103	— 141	+ 14,384			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers, Troops and Parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in public coal, rice, and building materials.
The traffic during this month is also good and it is expected that the estimated earning Rs. 5,60,000 for this half-year will be reached.
The up to date increase in coaching is mainly in local and foreign passengers, luggage and parcel traffic.
The up to date decrease in goods is mainly in public coal, rice and building materials.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 24th November 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Totals
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,926	4,827 0 0	20,800 0	1,836 0 0	21 0 0	4,684 0 0	684	1,276	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	41 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	67 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	30,411	17,844 0 0	1,24,474 0 0	12,367 0 0	334 0 0	30,545 0 0	4,421	9,159	13,580
Total traffic up to 24th November 1917 ...	35,337	20,671 0 0	1,45,274 0 0	14,203 0 0	355 0 0	35,229 0 0	5,105	10,435	15,540
(55 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	26 0 0	1 0 0	64 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,620	2,962 0 0	18,321 0	1,126 0 0	28 0 0	4,116 0 0	915	1,237	2,152
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	43 0 0	.....	16 0 0	.....	59 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	31,849	20,071 0 0	1,58,350 0	11,004 0 0	134 0 0	31,209 0 0	7,207	7,038	14,245
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES:—Difference for the week ...	—	135		+ 710	— 7	+ 568			
Difference up to date ...	+	600		+ 3,199	+ 221	+ 4,020			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in local passengers.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in wool traffic.
It is expected that the earnings will reach the estimated figure for the half-year namely Rs. 1,25,000.
The up-to-date increase in coaching is mainly in parcels traffic.
The up-to-date increase in Goods is mainly in potatoes traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 24th November 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	996	776 0 0	8,849 0	1,828 0 0	5 0 0	2,609 0 0	212	354	566
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	26 0 0	.....	61 0 0	.....	87 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of the half-year	4,608	4,661 0 0	20,778 0	4,259 0 0	35 0 0	8,945 0 0	1,472	1,370	2,842
Total traffic up to 24th November 1917	5,604	5,437 0 0	29,627 0	6,087 0 0	30 0 0	11,554 0 0	1,684	1,724	3,408
(55 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	23 0 0	.....	26 0 0	.....	49 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	1,255	769 0 0	11,149 0	1,752 0 0	1 0 0	2,522 0 0	171	273	444
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	26 0 0	.....	58 0 0	.....	84 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	5,3884	3,201 0 0	68,745 0	9,922 0 0	22 0 0	13,145 0 0	1,041	1,571	2,612
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	14 0 0	.....	42 0 0	.....	56 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES :—Difference for the week + 7 + 76 + 4 — 87
Difference up to date + 2,236 — 3,835 + 8 — 1,591

The traffic during the month on this section is not improving. However, it is expected that the estimated earnings of Rs. 85,000 will be reached.
The up to date increase on coaching is mainly in Parcel traffic.
The up to date decrease in goods is mainly in wool and building materials.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 24th November 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	99,049	65,987 0 0	348,732 0	54,702 0 0	5,775 0 0	1,26,464 0 0	14,911	19,829	34,740
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	74·99	.....	61·26	6·47	142·72	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	605,339	4,13,582 0 0	2,272,550 0	4,04,044 0 0	41,753 0 0	8,59,379 0 0	89,478	139,857	229,335
Total for 7½ weeks ...	704,388	4,79,569 0 0	2,621,282 0	4,58,746 0 0	47,528 0 0	9,85,843 0 0	104,389	159,686	264,075
COMPARISON.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	111,610	59,965 0 0	366,207 0	52,213 0 0	7,601 0 0	1,19,779 0 0	17,290	20,560	37,850
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	76·86	.....	68·44	9·24	149·54	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	810,884	4,31,274 0 0	3,189,391 0	5,67,393 0 0	74,094 0 0	10,72,761 0 0	126,012	159,955	285,967

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 24th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 24th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 24th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 24th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,26,464	142·72	823	1,19,779	149·64	*45,03,568	45,20,712	.....	17,144

* Includes Audited figures up to September 1917.

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 24th November 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	13,468	5,009 0 0	40,788	4,906 0 0	.....	9,915 0 0	1,208	937	2,145
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	87·09	.....	85·01	.....	143·10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6½ weeks of half-year	80,884	27,084 0 0	238,904	32,062 0 0	.....	60,046 0 0	8,049	5,820	13,869
Total for 7½ weeks ...	94,147	32,093 0 0	279,692	37,868 0 0	.....	69,961 0 0	9,257	6,757	16,014
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 24th November 1917.			Receipts for week ending 24th November 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 24th November 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 24th November 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·59	9,915	143·10	...	.....	...	*1,07,850	.....	1,07,850	.....

* Includes Audited figures up to September 1917.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 6825A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6586A.—The 11th December 1917.*—Mr. Bertie Munro Staig, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Rajshahi Division and is posted to the headquarters station of the Rajshahi district.

Rajshahi.

No. 6589A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Donald MacPherson, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Dacca Division and is posted to the headquarters station of the Dacca district.

Dacca.

No. 6592A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Jnanankur De, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Indian Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Burdwan Division and is posted to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district.

Midnapore.

No. 6666A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Probodh Chandra De, I.C.S., Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Nadia, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Nadia.
Murshidabad.

No. 6669A.—The 12th December 1917.—Babu Atul Chandra Datta Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Murshidabad, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Murshidabad.

No 6671A.—The 12th December 1917.—Babu Shailendra Nath Basu Mallik, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the headquarters station of the Murshidabad district.

Murshidabad.

No. 6685A.—The 14th December 1917.—Babu Harendra Kumar Ghosh (No. II), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted temporarily to the Barrackpore subdivision of the 24-Parganas district.

24-Parganas.

No. 6696A.—The 14th December 1917.—The services of Mr. O. Mawson, Superintendent of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 6700A.—The 14th December 1917.—Mr. A. J. W. Harris, Assistant Superintendent of the Chittagong Hill Tracts, is appointed to act as Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. O. Mawson, or until further orders.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 6773A.—The 17th December 1917.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Roy, I.C.S., on special duty, is appointed to act as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. C. W. Gurner, I.C.S., or until further orders.

Calcutta.

No. 6779A.—The 17th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. K. Jameson, I.C.S., Settlement Officer, Midnapore, to be Additional District Magistrate of that district, in addition to his own duties, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore.

No. 6783A.—The 17th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (2) of section 10 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. E. M. Mannooch, I.C.S., Additional District Magistrate, Midnapore, to be Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, for a period not exceeding six months, and to direct that he shall have, during the period he is so employed, all the powers of a District Magistrate under the said Code.

Midnapore.
24-Parganas.

No. 6802A.—The 18th December 1917.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to appoint Second Lieut. E. B. C. Woodbury, Coldstream Guards, to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff with effect from the 14th December 1917.

Calcutta.

No. 6806A.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Muhammad Nasiruddin, substantive *pro tempore* Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is transferred to the headquarters station of the Jessore district

Howrah.
Jessore.

POLICE.—*No. 6634A.—The 11th December 1917.*—Lieutenant M. H. Ravenhill, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached 26th Punjabis, is appointed to be an Assistant Commandant, Dacca Military Police Battalion, *vice* Captain E. D. Dallas-Smith, I.A.

Dacca.

No. 6691A.—The 14th December 1917.—Mr. T. Clear, Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. M. Mackenzie, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 6692A.—The 14th December 1917.—Babu Nikhil Chandra Basu, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Narayanganj, Dacca, is appointed to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Dacca, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police of that district, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. T. Clear, or until further orders.

Dacca.

No. 6796A.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. C. E. S. Fairweather, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Eastern Bengal Railway Police, Saidpur, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional Superintendent of Police, Rangpur, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Rangpur.

No. 6798A.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. R. W. Bell, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional Superintendent of Police, Rangpur, and, under the provisions of section 1 of Act V of 1861, to perform the duties of a Superintendent of Police in that district.

Calcutta.
Rangpur.

No. 6800A.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. M. F. Cleary, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Serampore, Hooghly, is transferred to the Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department, Bengal.

Hooghly.
Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL.—*No. 6663A.—The 11th December 1917.*—Mr. Mohammad Yusuf, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Murshidabad, is allowed leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Murshidabad.

No. 6769A.—The 17th December 1917.—Mr. C. W. Gurner, I.C.S., Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department, is allowed leave for eleven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Calcutta.

No. 6804A.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Gopendra Kumar Ghose Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is allowed leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Jessore.

No. 6809A.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Amarendra Nath Pal Chaudhuri, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed leave on medical certificate for three months, under articles 235 and 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 22nd June 1917.

POLICE.—*No. 6690A.—The 14th December 1917.*—Mr. J. M. Mackenzie, Superintendent of Police, Dacca, is allowed leave for one month, under article 26) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Dacca.

No. 6735A.—The 14th December 1917.—Mr. G. R. Smith, Officiating Additional Superintendent of Police, Rangpur, is allowed combined leave for one year, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 11th December 1917 and furlough on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 308 (*a*) of the Regulations.

Rangpur.

No. 6702A.—The 14th December 1917.—In modification of the orders of the 28th September 1917, Mr. H. C. Hunt, substantive *pro tempore* Superintendent of Police, Intelligence Branch of the Criminal Investigation Department of the Bengal Police, is allowed leave for six weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917.

Calcutta.

RESIGNATION.

GENERAL.—*No. 6742A.—The 15th December 1917.*—Mr. F. J. Jeffries has been permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 19th September 1917.

No. 6819A.—The 18th December 1917.—His Excellency the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to accept the resignation tendered by Commander E. A. Constable, R.N. (retired), of his appointment as an Honorary Aide-de-Camp on His Excellency's personal staff.

The following order is republished from the *Assam Gazette*, dated the 12th December 1917:—

No. 9069J.—The 5th December 1917.—The Hon'ble Mr. A. Majid, Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Assam, is granted combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for three months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 19th September 1917, and furlough for the remaining period under articles 233 and 338 of the Regulations.

This cancels Judicial Department Notification No. 7773J., dated the 6th October 1917.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6790A.—The 18th December 1917.—Whereas Maulvi Muhammad Kazim Ali, a duly nominated candidate for election as an Additional Member of the Bengal Legislative Council by the Muhammadan community in the Chittagong Division, has addressed to Government a memorial, dated the 5th October 1917, disputing the validity of the election of the Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali as an Additional Member of the Bengal Legislative Council and alleging corrupt practices :

And whereas it appears, from the report of the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division, that no sufficient grounds for questioning the validity of the said election have been disclosed, that none of the charges of corrupt practices have been substantiated and that there existed no reasonable grounds for bringing such charges ;

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council declares, in pursuance of Regulation XVI (2) of the Regulations for the nomination and election of Additional Members of the said Council, that the Hon'ble Khan Sahib Aman Ali was duly elected by the said electorate.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8607 L. R.—The 15th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Government Management of Private Estates Act, 1892 (Act X of 1892), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following rates be levied for the year commencing the 1st April 1918 and ending the 31st March 1919.

Levy of general rate

1. The rates leviable under section 3 of the Act on all private estates, as defined in clause (*3*) of section 2, in order to cover, as nearly as possible, the cost of all Government establishments employed and contingent expenditure incurred by the Government for the supervision and management of such estates shall be as follows :—

One per cent. on the estates of—

(1) Nawab Khwaja Habibullah and others.
(2) Khwaja Attickulla.
(3) The late Khwaja Mahomed Ashruff.
(4) Amina Banoo Khatun.
(5) Khwaja Abdul Karim and Khwaja Abdul Rahim.
(6) Khwaja Mahomed Ismail.
(7) Azghari Khanum.

One and a half per cent. on the Bhawal estate and three per cent. on all other estates.

Levy of general rate for a portion of the year.

2. If any estate is under Government management for a portion of the year only, the rate is to be levied only upon the gross income received during the period of such management.

Levy of audit rate.

3. Under section 4 the rate leviable on all private estates having a current rent and cess demand of Rs. 50,000 and upwards, which are subjected to audit by the Examiner of Local Accounts, shall be as follows :—

Four annas per hundred rupees on Bhawal estate which has an income of over five lakhs.

Eight annas per hundred rupees on other estates.

Legal Remembrancer's fees.

4. Under section 4 the payment of fees shall be obligatory on all estates for legal business done for them by the office of the Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs. This scale of fees is as follows :—

	Rs.
Drawing plaints, written statements and memoranda of appeals	5 to 85
Settling appeals	5 to 85
Settling petitions	5 to 85
Opinion	5 to 85
Compromise	20 to 85
Consultation	20 to 85
Motion	85
Contested motion	85

No. 8645L.R.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Harihar Banerji, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed as Manager of Pachetgarh Wards' Estate, in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 19th October to 22nd December 1917.

Midnapore.

This cancels Notification No. 5910L.R., dated the 11th August 1917.

No. 8651L.R.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Harihar Banerji, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 23rd December 1917 or any subsequent date on which he may join his appointment.

Midnapore.

No. 8673L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—It is hereby notified that the survey carried out under the orders of Government made under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Bengal Act V of 1875), and sub-section (1) of section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), and embodied in Notification No. 1085T.R., dated the 2nd July 1911 (published at page 990, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem), Notification No. 3181L.R., dated the 20th November 1911 (published at page 1580, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem), Notification No. 2004L.R., dated the 11th July 1912 (published at page 1173, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 17th idem), Notification No. 2315L.R., dated the 10th August 1912 (published at pages 1331-2, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem), and Notification No. 2781T.R., dated the 18th October 1913 (published at pages 1618-9, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem), in respect of all lands comprised within the external boundaries of thanas Kharakpur, Dantan, Sabang, Pataspur, Egra, Sutahata and Mahisadal in the district of Midnapore, is adopted as defining villages within the said area in the said thanas for the purposes of clause 10(*b*) of section 3 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885).

Hooghly.

No. 8676L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 101 (2)(*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885) as amended up to date, the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands which are comprised in estate Patni lot Borhal appertaining to tauzi No. 21 of the Burdwan Collectorate situated in mauza Borhal Revenue Survey No. 1595 and chak Gangahari included in mauza Borhal in thana Kristonagar, in the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following :—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant ;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rents or rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and, if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a parmanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure ;

(*c*) the situation and quantity, and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier ;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord ;

(*e*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the lands, if any, which are his private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act ;

(*f*) the rent and cess lawfully payable by each tenant at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared ;

(*g*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court or otherwise ;

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each landlord and tenant in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*j*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*k*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*l*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free—whether or not rent is actually paid and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

Hooghly.

No. 8677L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 101 (2) (*a*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), as amended up to date, the Governor in Council is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands which are comprised in estate Patni lot Khatagram appertaining to tauzi No. 10 of the Burdwan Collectorate, situated in mauzas Khatagram and Jagatpur, in thana Goghat, in the district of Hooghly.

The particulars to be recorded in the survey and record-of-rights shall be the following:—

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant;

(*b*) the class to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rents or rates, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat or under-raiyat, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not, and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure;

(*c*) the situation and quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the land held by each tenant or occupier;

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord;

(*e*) the name of each proprietor, with the character and extent of his interest, and the situation, quantity and one or more of the boundaries of the lands, if any, which are his private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act.

(*f*) the rent and cess lawfully payable by each tenant at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*g*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed—whether by contract, by order of a Court, or otherwise;

(*h*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which, and the steps by which, it increases;

(*i*) the rights and obligations of each landlord and tenant in respect of—

(*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, *jhil*, tank or well or any other source of supply, and

(*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*j*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy;

(*k*) any right of way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*l*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free—whether or not rent is actually paid, and, if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and, if so entitled, under what authority.

No. 8708L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be an Assistant Settlement Officer, in the district of Jessore, with effect from the 21st November 1917.

Jessore.

No. 8709L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Jitendra Chandra Mazumdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to discharge, in the district of Jessore as well as in that portion of the district of Faridpur, which has been transferred to it by Notification No. 2275L.R., dated the 18th November 1913, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, as modified by Notification No. 3606Jur., dated the 28th March 1914, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 1st April 1914, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Jessore.
Faridpur.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act, in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 8712L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(*17*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned Kanungos and Revenue Officers, Rajshahi, are also appointed to discharge in the areas of the district of Malda, specified in Government Notification No. 8359, dated the 16th October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th October 1916, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights :—

Malda.

1. Maulvi Ghulam Akbar.
2. Babu Kumudini Nath Ray.
3. „ Umesh Chandra Banarji.
4. „ Monoranjan Das Gupta.

No. 8713L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3(17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Babu Anath Bandhu Ray, Kanungo and Revenue Officer, Rajshahi, is also appointed to discharge in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad and Nadia which are specified in the Government Notification No. 9076L.R., dated the 13th September 1915, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th September 1915 and in those areas of the district of Malda which are specified in Government Notification No. 8359, dated the 16th October 1916, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th October 1916, the functions of a Revenue Officer under the provisions of Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Pabna.
Murshidabad.
Nadia.
Malda.

No. 8715L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the undermentioned officers are appointed to discharge, in the areas of the district of Malda comprised within the external boundaries of villages falling entirely or partly within five miles from the main stream of the river Ganges, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi.
Malda.

They are also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the Rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of aforesaid areas :—

1. Babu Jamini Kanta Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector.
2. Maulvi Muzammil Haq, Sub-Deputy Collector.
3. Maulvi Muhammad Ilahad, Sub-Deputy Collector.

No. 8717 L.R.—The 18th December 1917.—Under the provisions of section 3 (17) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), Maulvi Muhammad Aziz Meser, Deputy Collector, is authorised to discharge, in the district of Rajshahi as well as in those areas of the districts of Pabna, Murshidabad, Nadia and Malda, which lie in mauzas falling, wholly or partly, within five miles of the main stream of the rivers Ganges and Padma, the functions of a Revenue Officer under Chapter X of that Act, so far as they relate to surveys and the preparation of records-of-rights.

Rajshahi. Pabna. Murshidabad. Nadia. Malda.

He is also vested with the powers of an Assistant Settlement Officer under Chapter VI, Part I, of the rules under the Bengal Tenancy Act in respect of the aforesaid areas.

No. 8732 L.A.—The 18th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land in the district of Rangpur is likely to be needed for a public purpose, viz., for the conversion of Teesta-Kurigram line into metre gauge, notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council has authorised the Engineers of the Eastern Bengal Railway, for the time being engaged on this undertaking, to enter upon and survey land, and do all other acts required for the proper execution of their work as provided for or specified in the said section.

Rangpur.

The general route to be taken for the survey will be from Teesta to Kurigram, 1,000 feet, on both sides of the existing railway lines.

No. 8608 L.A.—The 15th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of a piece of land measuring, more or less, 9 cottahs of standard measurement, in village Chandiber, and bounded as described below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 2008 L.A., dated the 23rd February 1914, published at page 363, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, and required for ferry terminal station and religunment to Bhairab Bazar in the district of Mymensingh :—

Mymensingh.

North—By Station Master's and Loco Foreman's bungalows,

East—By Mr. Girth's bungalow,

South and West—By acquired land.

No. 8678 Agri.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. Dibakar De, Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, second grade, and lecturer Bengal Veterinary College, is promoted to first grade, with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. E. H. Brand, deceased.

No. 8679 Agri.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. Saiyid Sultan Ahmad Deputy Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department, third grade, and lecturer, Bengal Veterinary College, is promoted to second grade, with effect from the 1st October 1917, *vice* Mr. Dibakar De, promoted to first grade.

L. BIRLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8618 L.A.—The 15th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for a police-station in the town of Calcutta, zilla 24-Parganas it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring

24-Parganas.

more or less, 5 bighas 3 cottahs 9 chitaks and 5 square feet of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By a common passage appertaining to premises Nos. 5 and 5-1, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane, premises No. 5, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane, Badur Bagan Row, portions of premises Nos. 119-4 and 115, Upper Circular Road, and premises No. 114, Upper Circular Road,

East—By premises Nos. 119-4, 117, 116, 115 and 114, Upper Circular Road, Upper Circular Road, premises Nos. 112, 111 and 108-B, Upper Circular Road,

South—By premises No. 112, Upper Circular Road, premises Nos. 45, 46, 47-1, and portion of 48, Sukea Street and premises No. 4, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane,

West—By premises Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane, premises No. 5, Brindaban Mullick 1st Lane, premises No. 1, Badur Bagan Row, and Badur Bagan Row,

is required within the aforesaid town of Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8660L.A.—The 17th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for borrow-pits for extensions of station-yard at Joyrampur, in the village of Joyrampur, pargana Baggowan, zilla Nadia, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose five pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 3 bighas 7 cottahs and 2 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Nadia.

PLOT NO. I.

North, East and South—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

West—By the land of Sur Malti, Baro Haran Mandal and Chipai Mandal,

PLOT NO. II.

North, East and South—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

West—By the lands of Choto Haran Mandal, Golam Shaikh and Kuber Mandal,

PLOT NO. III.

North, West and South—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

East—By the lands of Fazer Joardar and Tariff Shaikh,

PLOT NO. IV.

North—By the level crossing,

East and South—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

West—By the lands of Meher Mandal,

PLOT NO. V.

North—By the level crossing,
East—By the lands of Khosal Mandal,
South and West—By the lands of the Eastern Bengal Railway,

are required within the aforesaid village of Joyrampur.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894 to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Executive Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway, Paksey district.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8657L.A.—The 17th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a Guru-training School at Sirajganj, in the village of Pakuria, pargana Barabazoo, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 12 bighas 12 cottahs and 8 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Pabna.

North—By lands of Badan Munshi, Jadab Bepari, Motor Kaibarta and Rajnath Saha in village Puthiabari,
East—By land of Srimanta Shaha in village Pakuria,
South—By lands of Rahimbox, Nitai Das and Reajuddin Shekh in village Hossainpur,
West—By side cutting land of Pabna road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Pakuria.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Sirajganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8735L.A.—The 18th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz , for Forest office clerks' quarters at Khulna, in the village of Toothpara, pargana Hogla, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 15 cottahs and 1·50 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

Khulna.

North—By the lands of Khulna Union School and of Raj Kishore Chatterjee,
East—By the land of Jogendra Bose,
South—By the lands of Derajtulla Shaikh and Jogendra Bose,
West—By Dinobandhu Ghose's Road,

is required within the aforesaid village of Toothpara.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 8603Regn.—The 15th December 1917.—Babu Pankaj Behari Das, Sub-Deputy Collector, acted as Sub-Registrar of Kurigram, in the district of Rangpur, from the 15th to the 28th November 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 8605Regn.—The 15th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Sub-Registrar, Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kurigram, in the district of Rangpur with effect from the 29th November 1917, until further orders.

Howrah.
Rangpur.

No. 8619Regn.—The 15th December 1917.—Maulvi Khwaja Abdul Fattah, Sub-Registrar, grade III, under orders of transfer to Bhandaria, in the district of Bakarganj, is granted combined leave, for six months, with effect from the 10th December 1917, or any subsequent date, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for twenty-two days, or the amount due on the date he availed himself of the leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on private affairs for the remaining period, under article 337 of the Civil Service Regulations.

Bakarganj.

No. 8621Regn.—The 15th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdur Rahim (No. I), Sub-Registrar of Raiganj, in Dinajpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-two days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1375T.—R., dated the 22nd September 1917.

Dinajpur.

No. 8686Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Masudul Huq, District Sub-Registrar, grade IV, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Murshidabad.

Murshidabad.

No. 8688Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Bibek Mohan Sehanabis, Sub-Registrar, grade IV, Calcutta, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Kushtia, in the district of Nadia.

Calcutta.
Nadia.

No. 8690Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Surendra Nath Gangali, Sub-Registrar, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 7106Regn., dated the 2nd November 1917.

No. 8692Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Narendra Nath Basu, Sub-Registrar of Guskara, in the district of Burdwan, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one and a half months, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Burdwan.

No. 8694Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Halim, Sub-Registrar, Calcutta, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Guskara, in the district of Burdwan, with effect from the 2nd January 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Narendra Nath Basu, or until further orders.

Calcutta.
Burdwan.

No. 8696Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Akshay Kumar Ray, Sub-Registrar of Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and twenty-seven days, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Bankura.

No. 8698Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Bhupendra Lal Ray, Sub-Registrar, Nadia, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Vishnupur, in the district of Bankura, with effect from the 2nd January 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Akshay Kumar Ray, or until further orders.

Nadia.
Bankura.

No. 8700Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Prabhash Chandra Banarji, Sub-Registrar of Kajlagarh in the district of Midnapore, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for forty-four days, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Midnapore.

No. 8702Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Upendra Nath Chatarji, Probationer, Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Kajlagarh, in the district of Midnapore, with effect from the 2nd January 1918, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Prabhash Chandra Banerji or until further orders.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 8704Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Mazharul Haq, Sub-Registrar of Lalmonirhat, in the district of Rangpur, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for twenty-eight days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1109T.R., dated the 14th September 1917.

Rangpur.

No. 8706Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Shashi Bhusan Datta, Sub-Registrar, Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Anandapur, in the district of Midnapore, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abul Faiz, or until further orders.

Hooghly.
Midnapore.

This cancels Notification No. 8133Regn., dated the 1st December 1917.

No. 8720Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdur Rashid, Sub-Registrar of Sundarganj, in the district of Rangpur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Badarganj in the same district.

Rangpur.

No. 8722Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Mazharul Haq (No. III), Sub-Registrar of Lalmonirhat, in the district of Rangpur, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Sundarganj in the same district.

Rangpur.

No. 8724Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Surendra Gopal Mitra, District Sub-Registrar of Birbhum, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Jessore.

Birbhum.
Jessore.

No. 8726Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Charu Chandra Mitra, District Sub-Registrar of Burdwan, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Birbhum.

Burdwan.
Birbhum.

No. 8728Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Tarak Nath Biswas, District Sub-Registrar of Bankura, is appointed to be District Sub-Registrar of Burdwan.

Bankura.
Burdwan.

No. 8730Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Bir Singh Roy, Officiating District Sub-Registrar of Howrah, is appointed to act as District Sub-Registrar of Bankura.

Howrah.
Bankura.

No. 8739Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Habiluddin, Sub-Registrar, Howrah, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Potaspur, in the district of Midnapore, from the afternoon of the 26th October 1917, until further orders.

Howrah.
Midnapore.

No. 8742Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. A. R. Penheiro, Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

Chittagong.

No. 8744Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Mr. J. D. Moreino, Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, is appointed temporarily to act as Sadar Joint Sub Registrar, Chittagong, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. R Penheiro, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 8746Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Hamid, Sub-Registrar, Tippera, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Hathazari, in the district of Chittagong, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. D. Moreino, appointed temporarily to act as Sadar Joint Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

No. 8748Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Babu Jyotirindra Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub-Registrar, is granted combined leave for six months, with effect from the 31st October 1917, under article 233 of the Civil Service Regulations, viz., privilege leave for one month and twenty-two days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations.

2. This cancels Notification No. 7784Regn., dated the 20th November 1917.

No. 8750Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidal Haq, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Amua, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Rajapur in the same district.

Bakarganj.

No. 8752Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Ismail Molla, Probationer of Bakarganj, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Amua, in the same district, until further orders, *vice* Maulvi Abu Yusuf Wahidal Haq, transferred.

Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 8754Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mirza Muhammad Baqer Shiraji temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar of the Shia sect, within the thanas Hooghly, Polba and Balagarh, in the district of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Hussain Shiraji, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 8755Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mirza Muhammad Baqer Shiraji temporarily to be Kazi of the Shia sect, within the thanas Hooghly, Polba and Balagarh, in the district of Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Saiyid Hussain Shiraji, or until further orders.

Hooghly.

No. 8760Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi A. F. M. Serajul Huq, temporarily to be a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar within thana Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, excluding the villages which form the jurisdiction of the Muhammadan Registrar of Adhunagar, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdus Samad, or until further orders.

Chittagong.

Chittagong.

No. 8761Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis' Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Maulvi A. F. M. Serajul Huq, temporarily to be Kazi of thana Satkania, in the district of Chittagong, excluding the villages which form the jurisdiction of the Kazi of Adhunagar, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdus Samad, or until further orders.

No. 8682Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—The report of the Examination Board on the second Half-yearly Departmental Examination of Fifth-grade Sub-Registrars and Probationers held on the 19th and 120th November 1917, having been received the Probationers named below are declared to have passed the Examination :—

(*In order of merit.*)

1.	Maulvi Abdul Bari, B.A.	...	Bankura.
2.	„ Muhammad Abdul Hamid	...	Malda.
3.	Babu Upendra Lal Chatterji	...	Howrah.
4.	„ Saroj Kumar Sen, B.Sc.	...	Nadia.
5.	Maulvi Muhammad Zainul Abedeen	...	Murshidabad.
6.	Babu Bidhu Bhusan Raha, B.A.	...	Tippera.
7.	„ Upendra Lal Deb	...	Ditto.
8.	Qara Hussain Qaisar Mirza	...	Alipore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

Tippera.

No. 8684Regn.—The 18th December 1917.—In line 4 of Notification No. 2155T.R., dated the 22nd October 1917, published at page 1706, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, regarding the grant of leave to Maulvi Makbul Ahmad, Sub-Registrar of Tippera, *for* " 16th September 1917 " *read* " 15th September 1917."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta.

No. 1546Edn.—The 17th December 1917.—Mr. Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, Professor, Presidency College, in class I of the Provincial Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Indian Educational Service as a Professor of History in the same College, with effect from the 1st April 1917.

No. 1550Edn.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*q*) of section 138 of the Bengal Local Self Government Act of 1885 (Ben. Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the following rules shall supersede the existing rules contained in section VII of the rules made under clauses (*j*) and (*q*) of section 138 of

the said Act and published with Notification No. 3373, dated the 25th September 1895, at pages 976 to 990 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 2nd October 1895 :—

UNION COMMITTEES.

62. Subject to any general or special order made by the District Board in this behalf, the Union Committee shall be responsible for any Board primary school in the Union, of which the maintenance and management may be made over to it by the Board.

63. Every primary school for the maintenance and management of which a Union Committee has been made responsible shall be called a Union school.

64. Subject to any general or special order that may be made by the District Board in this behalf, every Union Committee shall have the power within the Union—

(*a*) of determining the places at which Union schools shall be opened ;

(*b*) of transferring existing Union schools within the Union ;

(*c*) of fixing the rates of school fees payable by the pupils of Union schools ;

(*d*) of repairing the buildings of Union schools ;

(*e*) of fixing holidays for Union schools with due regard to local conditions and to the agricultural requirements of the people ;

(*f*) of sanctioning casual leave to teachers of Union schools.

65. Every Union school shall be open to inspection and examination by the Commissioner, district officer and subdivisional officer, inspecting officers of the Education Department, and members of the District Board.

66. Except with the previous general or special sanction of the District Board, a Union Committee shall not make any grant to primary schools which are under private management within the Union, nor shall it exercise any control over such schools.

No. 232Eccle.—The 17th December 1917.—The Revd. T. A. Thomson, a Chaplain on the Bengal (Calcutta) Ecclesiastical Establishment, has been appointed as Assistant Chaplain of Darjeeling (Civil), with effect from the afternoon of the 30th September 1917.

Imperial Library.

No. 1385Mis.—The 18th December 1917.—It is hereby notified for general information that during the Christmas and New Year Holidays the Reading Room of the Library will be closed on the 25th December 1917. On all the other days (including Sunday, the 30th December, and New Year's Day) it will be open from 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2907S.R.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Prasanna Kumar Banerjea Superintendent of Excise and Salt, Birbhum, is promoted to the first grade of Superintendents of Excise and Salt.

Birbhum.

No. 2917S.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1918 will consist of about 5,600 chests of Benares Opium prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1915-16 and 1916-17, in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

	Chests.
Supply from 1915-16	2,004
Ditto 1916-17	3,596
Total ...	5,600

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held are specified below. The Government of Bengal reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

1st sale	... ...	Thursday,	3rd January.
2nd „	... ...	Tuesday,	5th February.
3rd „	... ...	Tuesday,	5th March.
4th „	... ...	Tuesday,	2nd April.
5th „	... ...	Tuesday,	7th May.
6th „	... ...	Wednesday,	5th June.
7th „	... ...	Thursday,	4th July.
8th „	... ...	Tuesday,	6th August.
9th „	... ...	Tuesday,	3rd September.
10th „	... ...	Wednesday,	2nd October.
11th „	... ...	Tuesday,	5th November.
12th „	... ...	Tuesday,	3rd December.

3. The quantity to be sold monthly will ordinarily be notified before each sale, but Government reserve to themselves the right, at any time, without previous notice to reduce the quantity or alter the class of opium to be offered for sale.

4. The following are the conditions of sale. Government reserve to themselves the right of altering all or any of these conditions after giving three months' previous notice, and power is reserved to vary the upset price referred to in condition (ii) at any time without such previous notice :—

(i) The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

(ii) The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 3,200 per chest of uncertified opium and will be sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause (xiii) of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

(iii) The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of Government, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Government may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

(iv) Each lot shall ordinarily contain five chests.

(v) A promissory note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such promissory notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as Government shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 3,600 per chest, Rs. 800 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 3,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,000 per chest, Rs. 900 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 4,000 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,400 per chest, Rs. 1,000 per chest.
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400.

(vi) The said promissory notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or, whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

(vii) The promissory notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale, or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

(vii) No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause (v) on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted: Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said promissory note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. (v) and No. (vi).

(ix) The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day after the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as Government shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

(x) Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorising the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

(xi) No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for

deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

(xii) The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a promissory note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

(xiii) With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 3,200 specified in the second of these conditions.

(xiv) The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of opium not exceeding altogether ten lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said ten.

(xv) In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

5. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal :—

No. 1.—Certificate of the opium advertised for sale.

No. 2.—Report of the examination of such opium.

6. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Ghazipur Factory, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal.

7. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Government entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,

Secretary.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

No. 2890S.R.—The 14th December 1917.—The following draft of a notification which the Governor in Council proposes to issue under section 85 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899, is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 31st January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 85 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), as amended by the Bengal Excise (Amendment) Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VII of 1914), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make the following amendment in the rules published under Notification No. 595S.R., of the 30th March 1915, as subsequently amended, namely:—

For rule 57, clause (*iii*) (*a*), of the said Notification, *substitute* the following:—

"In the case of export to a district in British India, of an authority granted by an officer empowered in that behalf by the Government of the Province into which import is to be made."

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTICE.

No. 2903S.R.—The 15th December 1917.—Applications for ticket of admission to the opium sale-room for the year 1918 should be made to the Finance Department, Government of Bengal, on or before the 21st December 1917.

Tickets for the year 1917, which have not already been surrendered, should be returned at the same time.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 6826A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6631A.—The 11th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 557 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Shashi Shekhar Basu the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three years from the date of this notification,

24-Parganas.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Alipore Bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language.

POWERS.

No. 6586A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. B. M. Staig, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Rajshahi district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Rajshahi.

No. 6589A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Donald MacPherson, I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Dacca district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Dacca.

No. 6592A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Jnanankur De. I.C.S., Assistant Magistrate, who has, under the orders of this date, been posted to the headquarters station of the Midnapore district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class.

Midnapore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4104J.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Krishna Kumar Sen, Munsif of Patuakhali, in the district of Bakarganj, is appointed to act as Additional Subordinate Judge of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 4106J.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Paresh Nath Ray Chaudhuri, Officiating Additional Subordinate Judge of Bakarganj, is allowed leave, for six weeks, under article 271 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 4th December 1917.

Bakarganj.

No. 4108J.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Mitra, B.L., is appointed to act as a Munsif, in the district of Bakarganj, to be ordinarily stationed at Patuakhali, during the absence, on deputation, of Babu Krishna Kumar Sen, or until further orders.

Bakarganj.

No. 4110J.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Jitendra Kumar Biswas, B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Munsif, in the district of Bankura, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station.

Bankura.

No. 4112J.—The 17th December 1917.—Babu Subodh Kumar Bhattacharji, Munsif of Bankura, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Magura, *vice* Babu Ashutosh Gosain, deceased. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi

Bankura.
Jessore.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4080J.—The 17th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 13 of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the village Char Sibpur, bearing General Jurisdiction List No. 323 of thana Rupganj (Dacca), shall henceforth be excluded from the local limits of the Narayanganj munsifi, in the district of Dacca, and shall be included within the local limits of the Nabinagar munsifi in the district of Tippera.

Dacca.
Tippera.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15876P.—The 12th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), read with section 21 of the General Clauses Act, 1897 (X of 1897), and rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the said Act IV of 1915 (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No. 10873P., dated the 11th September 1915), and in partial modification of Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, as subsequently amended, the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to appoint Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, and Mr. C. H. Moseley, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi, to be Commissioners for the trial of all persons accused, in the Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, respectively, of any of the offences referred to in the first paragraph of the said Notification No. 3332P.D., dated the 14th September 1917, *vice* Mr. J. C. Twidell, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong, deceased, and Mr. J. Cornes, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge, Rajshahi, respectively, and

(*b*) to nominate the said Mr. J. Cornes and Mr. C. H. Moseley to be the Presidents of the Bench of Commissioners for the Chittagong and Rajshahi Divisions, respectively, *vice* the said Mr. J. C. Twidell and Mr. J. Cornes.

No. 16235P.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council directs that all persons accused of any offence punishable under section 395 or section 412 of the Indian Penal Code (Act XLV of 1860), committed in the district of Noakhali between the 30th November 1917 and the 8th December 1917, or of criminal conspiracy to commit, or of abetting, or of attempting to commit or abet any such offence, the trial of whom in respect thereof has not commenced before the Court of Sessions prior to the date of this notification, shall be tried by Commissioners appointed under the said Act IV of 1915.

Noakhali.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 15896P.—The 15th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), the Governor in Council is pleased to extend that section to the town of Magura, in the district of Jessore, within the boundaries specified below:—

Jessore.

North—The river Navaganga.
East—The channel known as Satdaha.
South—The Jhenida-Magura road with continuation towards the east known as the Magura-Mahammudpur road up to Satdaha.
West—The western limit of the Magura Hât (known as Rajar Hât) up to the river Navaganga and the Union Committee road from Rajar Hât to the Jhenida-Magura road.

This cancels the Notification of the 13th August 1879, published at page 849, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem.

No. 15870P.—The 14th December 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang residing in villages Khilgaon, Parsipara, Garaber, Dighirpar, Sepan, Amatia, Ghagra, Sanjib, Uthari, Bailua, Bhaturi, Datta Noapara, Mukhi and Nidherchar in the jurisdiction of Gaffargaon police-station in the district of Mymensingh and generally known as the Tear Bap's gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences;

Mymensingh.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 15871P.—The 14th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Tear Bap's gang, which has been declared by Notification No. 15870P., dated the 14th December 1917 to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence, and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

Mymensingh.

No. 16170P.—The 18th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 (*l*) (*s*) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), and in modification of all previous notifications published in the *Calcutta Gazette* relating to the area included in the Narsingdi police-station in the district of Dacca, and to the boundaries of that area the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the village Char Sibpur, bearing general jurisdiction list No. 323, of thana Rupganj, Dacca, which has hitherto been included in that police-station, shall henceforth be included in the police-station Banchārampur, in the district of Tippera.

Dacca.
Tippera.

No. 16208P.—The 18th December 1917.—Maulvi Elamuddin Khan, Sub-Deputy Collector, Feni, Noakhali, is transferred to the Jangipur subdivision of the Murshidabad district, and is appointed to be a Chaukidari Circle Officer in that subdivision.

Noakhali.
Murshidabad.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 16186P.—The 18th December 1917.—In Notification No. 13994P., dated the 12th November 1917, published at page 1767, of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem, *for* the words and figures "by Notification No. 13993P., dated the 8th November 1917", *read* "by Notification No. 13993P., dated the 12th November 1917."

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 14th December 1917.

No. 113.—In continuation of this Department Notification No. 45, dated the 14th April 1917, Babu Adya Nath Basu, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Burdwan Division, with effect from the 20th October 1917, and until further orders.

C. T. WALES,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 114.—Mr. C. P. M. Harrison, Executive Engineer, is granted furlough for three months, under article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, in extension of the leave previously granted.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 11th December 1917.

No. 109Marine.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 20 of the Inland Steam-vessels Act, 1917, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint, until further orders, the gentlemen noted in the margin to be examiners for the examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of inland steam-vessels.

Mr W. W. Nind, I.C.S., Collector of Customs, Chittagong	President.
Mr S J. Lockhart, Pilot of the Port of Chittagong	Members.
Mr. H. W. Fox, Manager of the Firm of Messrs. Turner Morrison & Co., Ltd., at Chittagong	

2. The operation of rule 2 of the rules published under Bengal Government Notification No. 22Marine, dated the 20th March 1917, so far as it relates to the Port Officer of Chittagong holding the above examination, is suspended until an officer of the Royal Indian Marine is appointed as Port Officer.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 110Marine.—The 17th December 1917.—The following notification by the Government of India is republished for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 538D., dated Delhi, the 17th November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Govt. of India, Dept. of Commerce and Industry.

IN pursuance of section 69 of the Inland Steam Vessels Act, 1917 (I of 1917), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following portions of the said Act shall apply to Inland steam-vessels belonging to,

or in the service of, His Majesty or the Government of India, other than vessels of the Indian Marine Service, namely :—

Chapters I, IV and V		...	The whole.
Chapter	VI	...	... The whole, with the exception of sections 50 and 51.
„	VII	...	... Sections 60, 61, 63, 65 and 66.
„	VIII	...	... The whole, with the exception of Sections 71 and 72.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 6827A.

No. 6636A.—The 11th December 1917.—Mr. Alexander Jitendra Lal Mitra, Sub-Deputy Collector, Calcutta, is allowed, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, leave up to the 22nd December 1917, in extension of the leave previously granted to him.

Calcutta.

No. 6763A.—The 15th December 1917.—Maulvi Muhammad Amjad Ali, Sub-Deputy Collector and Chaukidari Circle Officer, Bogra, is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the date on which he may avail himself of it to the 22nd December 1917.

Bogra.

No. 6757A.—The 15th December 1917.—Babu Birendra Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Chittagong Division and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the second class.

Chittagong Divn.

No. 6788A.—The 17th December 1917.—Maulvi Akbar Husain Ahmad, Sub-Deputy Collector, Balurghat, Dinajpur, is allowed leave for two months, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Dinajpur.

J. H. KERR,

Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 16422, dated Calcutta, the 13th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Ray did general duty in the Presidency General Hospital from the 25th November to the 7th December 1917, both days inclusive.

No. 16424, dated Calcutta, the 13th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jatindra Nath Ray is posted temporarily to the Presidency General Hospital with effect from the 8th December 1917, *vice* temporary Assistant Surgeon Srish Chandra Sarkar.

No. 16516, dated Calcutta, the 14th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Tinkari Acharji did supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, on the 6th December 1917.

No. 16518, dated Calcutta, the 14th December 1917.—Third grade Assistant Surgeon Jitendra Nath Ghosh is appointed temporarily to be Resident Assistant Surgeon, General Hospital, Howrah, with effect from the 2nd December 1917, until further orders.

No. 16531, dated Calcutta, the 15th December 1917.—Second grade Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, of the Goalundo subdivision and Eastern Bengal Railway Hospital, Rajbari, is allowed privilege leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the date on which he is relieved of his duties.

No. 16535, dated Calcutta, the 15th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Jagadispada Datta is appointed to act at the Goalundo subdivision and Eastern Bengal Railway Hospital, Rajbari, during the absence, on leave, of second grade Assistant Surgeon Surendra Nath Sen Gupta, or until further orders.

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABU SATIS CHANDRA MOZUMDAR, Deputy Collector of Birbhum, has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury from the 3rd December 1917 and he is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. S DUTT, *Collector.*

BIRBHUM TREASURY, *the 4th December 1917.*

I AUTHORISE Babu Bimal Chandra Sinha, Deputy Collector, to draw bills on other treasuries from the forenoon of the 2nd January 1918.

A. CASSELLS, *Collector.*

RAJSHAHI, *the 14th December 1917.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

BABU SUBODH KUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Magura, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Magura Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 11th December 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HARI PADA BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 250 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Burdwan.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 13th December 1917. *Registrar.*

MR. ABUS SOBAH MUHAMMAD ZIYAUR RAHAMAN, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Basirhat Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 13th December 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU BIMAL CHANDRA CHATARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Sherpur, in the district of Mymensingh, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100, within the local limits of the Sherpur Munsifi.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 13th December 1917. *Registrar.*

BABU HARI PADA BANARJI, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Burdwan, is vested under section 19, sub-section (2) of the Bengal, Agra and Assam Civil Courts Act, 1887 (XII of 1887), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), with powers to try, under the ordinary procedure, original suits up to the value of Rs. 2,000 arising within the local limits of the district of Burdwan.

HIGH COURT; By order of the High Court,
CIVIL: H. M. VEITCH,
The 13th December 1917. *Registrar.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Causes Courts Act), for the month of January 1918, until further orders, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah, and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

January 1918.

Hooghly from 1st to 10th.
Serampore from 11th to 21st.
Howrah from 22nd to 31st.
Sundays and holidays are excepted.

MONMOHAN NEOGI, *Judge of Small Causes Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 29th November 1917.*

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

The 14th December 1917.

No. 112P.—Babu Satish Chandra Sen (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service) is confirmed in his appointment as Head Master of the Hindu School, with effect from 4th December 1916.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 113P.—Miss Niroj Bashini Shome, Officiating Assistant Inspectress of Schools, 24-Parganas, Jessore and Khulna (class VIII of the Provincial Educational Service), is allowed leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months, with effect from 2nd January 1918.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, "these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the following days during the ensuing X'mas holidays :—

"28th and 29th December 1917."

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 15th December 1917.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 234R.G.—This office notification No. 221R.G., dated the 7th December 1917, transferring Babu Anadinath Lahiri, sub. *pro tem.* Sub-Deputy Collector, 24-Parganas, Sadar, temporarily to Bagerhat, in the district of Khulna, is cancelled.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 15th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 225R.G.—It is hereby notified that Babu Nalini Ranjan Bose, Sub-Deputy Collector, Barasat (24-Parganas), was on privilege leave from 19th October to 4th November 1917, both days inclusive.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 8th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that 8th March 1918 has been fixed for holding a bye-election of a member of the Gopalganj Local Board for the Muksudpur thana, in the district of Faridpur, in place of Babu Srish Chandra Chakrabarty, demised.

J. G. DUNLOP, *District Magistrate.*

FARIDPUR MAGISTRACY, *the 8th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the election under section 29 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885, by the members of the Serampore Local Board in the district of Hooghly of Mr. H. C. V. Philpot, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer of Serampore, as their Chairman, *vice* Mr. A. C. Todd, deceased, is approved.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

IT is hereby notified for general information that at a bye-election held under section 19 (*1*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act III of 1885, Babu Adhar Chandra Ghosal has been duly elected as a member of the Uluberia Local Board in the district of Howrah, *vice* Babu Jotindra Nath Ghosal, deceased.

D. H. LEES, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURA, *the 14th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 58L.S.-G.—In exercise of the power conferred on me in paragraph 2 of the Government Notification No. 998L.S.-G., dated the 1st July 1913, issued under section 41 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, as amended, I appoint Babu Rai Charan Sardar, a member of the Hajipur Union Committee in the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas, in the place of Babu Ram Krishna Mandal, deceased.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 11th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

Under section 7 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, V of 1908, the following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Board of Chittagong :—

1. The Civil Surgeon of Chittagong ... ...
2. The Subdivisional Officer, Chittagong Sadar ... } *Ex-officio.*
3. The Subdivisional Officer of Cox's Bazar ...
4. The District Deputy Inspector of Schools, Chittagong
5. The Hon'ble Khan Saheb Aman Ali.
6. Rai Satis Chandra Sen Bahadur.
7. Rai Upendra Lal Roy Bahadur.
8. Babu Kshirod Chandra Roy.
9. „ Surendra Chandra Roy.
10. „ Durgadas Dutta.
11. „ Umesh Chandra Mutsuddi.
12. Maulvi Muzaffar Ahmed Chowdhuri.
13. „ Moqbul Hossain.
14. „ Jalaluddin Ahmed.
15. „ Fauzal Kabir Khan.
16. „ Ala Mia.
17. „ Mazharuddin Ahmed.
18. Mr. G. B. Gill.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 11th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5431G.—It is hereby notified for general information that in exercise of the powers under section 6, clause (*b*) of the Bengal Ferries Act, I of 1885, delegated to Commissioners of Divisions by the Bengal Government Notification No. 3403L.S.-G., dated the 1st December 1904, the undersigned hereby takes possession of the private ferry of Salimganj over the river Titas in thana Nabinagar, district Tippera, and declares the same to be a public ferry.

2. In exercise of the power conferred upon him by the Government Notification No. 217L.S.-G., dated the 12th January 1905, the undersigned also directs that the said ferry be managed by the District Board of Tippera, and that all the proceeds of the ferry and all the fines levied and compensation received under the said Act in respect thereof, be paid into the District Fund of Tippera with effect from the date of this Notification.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 11th December 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET No. XXVI (ENTALLY PARK AVENUE).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed public street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXVI (Entally Park Avenue).

The plan provides for a Park Avenue of a width of 300 feet connecting Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street No. III (Gobra Main Road) and also provides for several new and existing road widenings, and is one of a series of Alignments which are being published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the E. B. Railway and linking up Proposed Public Streets Nos. XXIV (Linton Street Area) and XXV (Gora Chand Road Area). The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal holdings:—

Name of Street.	No of Municipal Holdings.
Hati Bagan Road North ...	8-5, 8-5-1A, 8-5-1B, 8-7, 9, 9-3, 10, 11, 12, 12-1, 13, 14, 15, 15-1, 16, 17.
South Road Entally	37-A, 37-1, 37-2, 37-3, 37-4, 38, 38-A, 39, 40, 40-1, 43, 43-1, 44, 44-1, 45, 47, 47-1, 47-1-1, 48, 48-1, 49.
Christopher Road	10, 14, 16, 24-1 (includes old No. 4, Tiljala Road).
Dihi Serampore Road ...	1, 1-1, 1-2, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8-1, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12-1, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 22-1, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 27-1, 28, 29, 30, 30-1, 31, 32, 32-1, 34-1, 34-2, 34-3, 34-4, 34-5, 34-6, 34-7A, 34-7B, 35, 35-2, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40.
Linton Street	81, 83, 154, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 212-1, 212-2, 214, 216, 218, 220.
Gora Chand Road ...	17, 17-1, 18, 18-1, 18-2, 18-3, 18-4, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 27, 28, 29, 29-1, 30, 31, 31-1, 32.
Darga Road	24, 24-1, 24-2, 24-3, 24-4.
Kasaipara Lane	15.
Tiljala Road	1, 2, 2-1, 73, 74.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 28th February 1918.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1917.*

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plan of a Proposed Public Street No. XIX (Taltolla Diagonal) which was originally notified in the issue of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th October 1916.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

The 8th December 1917.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 63 (5) OF BENGAL ACT V OF 1911 AS AMENDED BY BENGAL ACT III OF 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has applied to the Local Government for sanction to the Plans of Proposed Public Streets Nos. XVII—Alternative—and XVIII—(Kyd Street Extension)—which were originally notified in the issues of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 23rd May 1917 and 9th August 1916, respectively.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

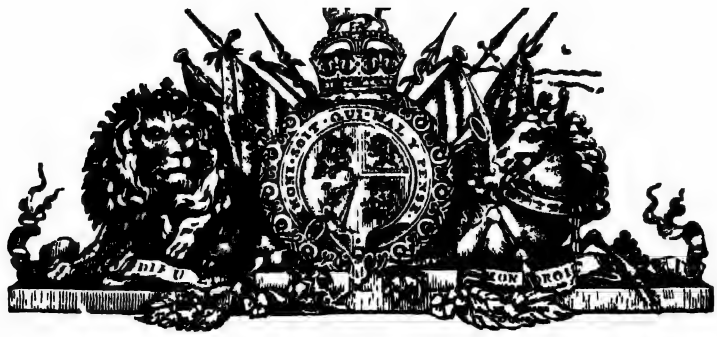
The 8th December 1917.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 14Exc.—The 12th December 1917.—Mr. Godfrey Jnanendra Natl Adhikari, Probationary Inspector of Excise and Salt, Bankura, is allowed privilege leave for five days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, from the 13th November 1917 to 17th November 1917.

A. N. MOBERLY,
Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.



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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notifications, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 15th December 1917.

No. 1489-D.—The following Order in Council is published for general information:—

AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL.

The 18th day of October 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act 1914, that any proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs

(Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted :—

(*a*) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium ;

(*c*) Arsenical ore ;

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(*c*) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic ;

(*a*) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol (except saponified cresol) and nitro-cresol ;

(*b*) Cresol (saponified) ;

(*b*) Fencing staples ;

(*c*) Fishing gear, including tackle for fishing by rod and line ;

(*b*) Goat skins ;

(*b*) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof ;

(*b*) Lead ore ;

Leather goods of the following descriptions :—

(*b*) Belting, hydraulic leather, pump leather and leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery ;

(*a*) Machinery, agricultural, and component parts thereof, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes ;

(*c*) Nails, wire ;

(*b*) Needles, hosiery, machine (latch and bearded) ;

(*b*) Oil, fish and seal, not otherwise prohibited, and mixtures containing such oils ;

(*c*) Oils, essential (except turpentine oil) ;

(*c*) Paper, Japanese tissue ;

(*b*) Sheepskins, haired or woolled and pelts ;

(*b*) Waxes, animal, mineral, vegetable, and composite waxes, not otherwise prohibited ;

(*c*) Wood-screws made of iron or steel ;

Wool and wool manufactures, the following :—

(*b*) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof ;

(*b*) Wool tops and mixtures thereof ;

(*b*) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof ;

(*b*) Woollen and worsted yarn and mixtures thereof ;

(*b*) Woollen rags, shoddy, and mungo, applicable to other uses than manure.

(2) That the following headings should be added :—

(*a*) Aluminium, alloys of aluminium and manufactures of aluminium, or of its alloys ;

(*b*) Arsenical ore ;

Chemicals, etc., the following :—

(*a*) Acriflavine, proflavine and other acridine derivatives having antiseptic or therapeutic properties, and

mixtures or preparations containing any of those substances;

(*b*) Arsenic, compounds of arsenic, and mixtures containing arsenic;

(*a*) Cresol, compounds and preparations of cresol and nitrocresol;

(*a*) Fibre, coir;

(*a*) Fish hooks;

(*c*) Fishing gear, including tackle (other than fish hooks) for fishing by rod and line;

(*a*) Goat skins;

(*a*) Hair, animal, and tops, noils, mixtures, waste, and yarns thereof;

(*a*) Lead ore;

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(*b*) Belting, leather manufactures suitable for textile machinery and leathers cut or shaped for hydraulic or pump purposes;

(*a*) Machinery, agricultural, or farming, and component parts thereof, including hand tools for agricultural or farm purposes;

(*a*) Needles, hosiery, machine (latch and bearded);

(*b*) Oil, fish, not otherwise prohibited, and mixtures containing such oil;

(*b*) Oil, sandalwood;

(*a*) Oil, seal, and mixtures containing such oil;

(*c*) Oils, essential (except sandalwood and turpentine oils);

(*c*) Paper, Japanese tissue and similar cellulose papor, whether in the piece or roll or cut into shapes for domestic or other uses;

(*b*) Sandalwood for medicinal purposes;

(*a*) Sheepskins, haired or woolled and pelts;

Seeds, the following:—

(*c*) Vegetable, not otherwise prohibited;

(*b*) Watches;

(*b*) Waxes, animal, mineral, and vegetable, not otherwise prohibited.

(*a*) Waxes, composite;

(*a*) Wood-screws made of iron or steel;

Wool and wool manufactures, the following:—

(*a*) Wool, raw, and mixtures thereof;

(*a*) Wool tops and mixtures thereof;

(*a*) Wool noils and wool waste and mixtures thereof;

(*a*) Woollen and worsted yarns and mixtures thereof;

(*a*) Woollen rags, shoddy, and mungo, applicable to other uses than manure.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Almeric Fitzroy.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 1454-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rule:—

(1) Where an order has been made under section 7 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916, vesting any property in a Custodian appointed under the Enemy Trading Act, 1915, such Custodian may by a written notice require any person having in his custody or control such property or any part thereof, or any document of title, security or voucher relating thereto, to deliver the same to him within such time and at such place as may be specified in the notice.

(2) If any person refuses or without lawful excuse (the burden of proving which shall lie upon him) neglects to comply with any notice issued in accordance with sub-rule (1), he shall be punishable with imprisonment which may extend to a term not exceeding six months or with fine which may extend to Rs. 1,000 or with both.

No. 1523-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in the Schedule appended to this Department Notification No. 8413, dated the 21st July 1917, as subsequently amended, viz.:—

Additions.

Gatton, S.,	Shanghai.
Gilson, E. H.,	,,
Hillel, E. A.,	,,
Jin Ann Wholesale Drug Depôt, Swatow.	

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 1442-D.—In supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 336-C.D., dated the 23rd December 1916, Mr. A. E. McKenna, Head Accountant in the Calcutta Custom House, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* Assistant Collector in the Imperial Customs Service at Calcutta, with effect from the 21st December 1916.

POST OFFICE.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 1466-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), as amended by Act III of 1912, the Governor General in Council is pleased to empower the postal officers noted in the margin to search, or cause search to be made, amongst all articles in course of transmission by post to any place in British India, for living plants and all portions thereof (including seeds and fruits) the import of which by sea or land into British India is prohibited, regulated or restr cted by the Notification in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture No. 13-C., dated the 7th November 1917, and to direct that the said officers shall deliver all postal articles reasonably believed or found to contain such goods to the nearest Customs Collector.

(1) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Bombay.
(2) The Postmaster and Deputy Postmaster, Karachi.
(3) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Calcutta.
(4) The Presidency Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Madras.
(5) The Postmaster and Deputy Postmaster, Dhanushkodi
(6) The Postmaster, Negapatam
(7) The Postmaster, Deputy Postmaster and Assistant Postmasters at Rangoon.

SALT.

The 15th December 1917.

No. 1574D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 1 (2) of the Defence of India (Salt) Rules, 1917, the Governor General in Council is pleased to extend the provisions of those rules to the territories administered by

His Excellency the Governor of Bengal in Council.
His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of Bihar and Orissa in Council.
His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner in the Central Provinces and Assam.
The Chief Commissioner of Delhi.
The Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General of the North-west Frontier Province

A. H. LEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Army Department, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th December 1917, are republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Delhi, the 14th December 1917.

No. 2151.—The following acting promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval:—

46th Punjabis.

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Lieutenant R. Douglas, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, attached, to be acting Captain while commanding a company. Dated 21st November 1917, *vice* Captain E. J. Arthur, Indian Army Reserve of Officers, vacated, with effect from 6th November 1917.

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INDIAN DEFENCE FORCE.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Scottish Volunteers.

No. 2165.—Lieutenant George Fullerton Ross resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

Lieutenant Edwin George Lister Laird Macgregor resigns his commission. Dated the 31st March 1917.

A. H. BINGLEY, *Major-General,*
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2281M.—The 15th December 1917.—In pursuance of section 63, sub-section (7), of the Calcutta Improvement Act, 1911 (Bengal Act V of 1911), as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, it is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (6) of that section, the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the plan of the proposed public street No. III (Gobra Main Road) from Lower Circular Road to Kamardanga Road South, in Wards Nos. XIX and XX of the Calcutta Municipality, as notified by the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta in their notice of the 4th September 1915, published at page 1578 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th September 1915, and republished at page 1627 of Part I of the said *Gazette* of the 22nd idem, subject to the following modifications (*inter alia*) :—

Calcutta.

The widening of Hatibagan Road is omitted.

Changes have been made in the alignment of the eastern portion of the proposed public street.

2. The proposed public street will pass through the following holdings :—

Name of Street.	No. of Municipal holdings.
Lower Circular Road ...	... 167, 167-1.
Beniapukur Road ...	... 29, 31, 32, 32-1.
Noorally Lane ...	... 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9-1, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 15-1, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27.
Mistreepara Lane ...	... 1.
Tantibagan Road ...	... 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19.
Tantibagan Lane ...	... 1, 2, 2-1, 3, 4, 23-1, 24.
Hajee Lane ...	... 4.
Cantopher Lane ...	... 2.
Phulbagan Road ...	... 12, 13, 14, 14-1, 14-2, 15, 16-1, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 32, 37, 38, 39, 40.
Hatibagan Road (North)	... 1, 2, 3, 12, 12-1, 17, 17-1, 18, 19.
South Road, Entally	... 33, 33-1, 34, 35, 35-1, 36-1, 37, 37A, 51, 51-1, 51-3, 51-5, 52, 52-1.
Bechulal Road ...	... 1, 3, 3-1, 4, 5, 6-1, 7, 8.
Kamardanga Road (South)	... 5-1, 5-1R,* 6R,* 6-1.
Christopher Road ...	... 1, 3, 7, 11.
Canal South Road ...	... 14-1*

*(E. B. Railway property).

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Mohsin scholarships, Special scholarships for Muhammadans, and Mohsin Fund stipends, etc., 1917.

THE following students are awarded the above scholarships and stipends on the results of the Matriculation Examination of 1917. The scholarships and stipends take effect from the 1st June 1917 for two years.

(Principals of Colleges are requested to inform the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, of the names of holders of the scholarships and stipends as soon as they are admitted. No scholarship or stipend can be drawn until this information is available with respect to every scholarship or stipend holder.)

Seven Mohsin Scholarships.

One of Rs. 10.

1	Masihur Rahman	...	Calcutta Madrasa.

Six of Rs. 8 each.

2	Lal Mohammed	...	Hooghly Collegiate School.
3	Syed Najmal Haq	...	Ditto.
4	Muhammad Kafiluddin	...	Idilpur High School.
5	Aftabuddin Ahmed	...	Dhalla High School.
6	Abidur Rahman	...	Annada High School, Brahmanbaria.
	Abdul Quader	...	Zilla School, Comilla.

Two Nizamat Scholarships of Rs. 8 a month each.

1	Hamidulla Sarker	...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution, Murshidabad.
2	Mobarak Hossain Chowdhury		Ditto.

MOHSIN FUND STIPENDS.

One special stipend of Rs. 10 a month for Shia Students.

1	Syed Muhammed	...	Raja Surjjya Kumar Institution, Rajbari

One special stipend of Rs. 5 a month for *bona-fide* natives of Hooghly town given this year to a native of Hooghly district in the absence of a candidate from Hooghly town.

1	Muhammad Abdur Rauf	...	Zilla School, Bankura.

Forty-nine Mohsin Fund stipends of Rs. 5 a month each.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

(Including Calcutta Town.)

1	Sahadat Ali Mollah ...	...	Bangabasi Collegiate School.
2	Muhammad Hasan ...	...	Ripon Collegiate School, Calcutta.
3	Toazuddin Ahmed ...	...	Jhenidah High School.
4	Samsuddin Biswas ...	...	Kotchandpur High School.
5	Mir Ali Gazi ...	...	High School, Basirhat.
6	Ahmed Mahtabuddin	...	High School, Kushtia.
7	Abul Aziz ...	...	M. N. High School, Sutragarh.
8	Abdulla Khan	...	Jangipur High School.
9	Abdul Jubber	...	Government High School, Barasat.
10	Welayet Husain	...	Calcutta Madrasah.

BURDWAN DIVISION.

1	Shaik Abdul Quader	...	Ramgopalpur High School.
2	Abdur Rabban	...	Rampurhat High School.
3	Mohammed Abdul Mohi	...	Town School, Midnapore.
4	Shamsul Huque	...	J. L. High School, Labpur.
	Abul Fazal Badrazzaman	...	Collegiate School, Midnapore.

DACCA DIVISION.

1	Ashraff Ali	...	Pogose School, Dacca.
2	Tayyab Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
3	Mir Kadar Ali	...	P. J. K. High School, Ramgopalpur.
4	Abdul Ghaffur Gazi	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Syed Jafforuddin Ahamed	...	Government High School, Pirojpur.
6	Aminuddin Ahmed	...	Narayanganj High School.
7	Muhammad Abdul Kaddus	...	K. M. D. M. High School, Telirbagh.
8	Abu Ahamed Mazhar Ali	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
9	Sayed Abdul Hai	...	M. A. O. High School, Karatiya.
10	Nader Ali Rarhi	...	Banari High School.
11	Mefazuddin Khan	...	Government High School, Jhalakati.
12	Abdur Rahman Khan	...	Government Moslem High School, Dacca.
	Ali Ahmed Khan	...	Ditto, ditto.
	Ahmad	...	Mrityunjay High School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

1	Mahmed Sekandar	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
2	Abdul Hai	...	Kasba High School.
3	Abdur Rauf	...	Municipal High School, Chittagong.
4	Nurul Alom	...	Government Moslem High School, Chittagong.
5	Fazla Ullah	...	Yusuff High School, Comilla.
6	Basharat Ulla	...	Zilla School, Noakhali.
7	A. K. Serajuddin Ahmed	...	Collegiate School, Chittagong.
8	Ziauddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Comilla.
9	Bilayet Hossain	...	Baburhat High School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

1	Efaz Uddin Ahmed	...	Zilla School, Bogra.
2	Mahammad Abbas Ali	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
3	Keramat Ulla Ahmed	...	Kailas Ranjan High School, Rangpur.
4	Abu Muhammad Abedali	...	Salap High School.
5	Khoda Baksha Shah	...	Zilla School, Dinajpur.
6	Muhammad Abdul Mojid	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
7	Serajuddin Mondle	...	Gaibanda High School.
	Muhammad Abul Hares	...	Collegiate School, Rajshahi.
9	Muhammad Wajed Ali Khan	...	Zilla School, Rangpur.
10	Amir Hossain Ahmed	...	P. N. High School, Naokhila.
11	Malekuddin Tarafdar	...	Zilla School, Bogra.

Two Amir-i-Kabir Scholarships of Rs. 10 a month each.

1	Hedayetullah	...	Calcutta Madrasah.
2	A. Abdur Rauf	...	Ditto.

One Syed Ali Khan Bahadur and Amir-i-Kabir Continuation Scholarship of Rs. 10 a month.

1	Mohammed Israil	...	Calcutta Madrasah

EVAN E. BISS,

Offg. Asstt. Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 3rd December 1917.*

FINAL EXAMINATION OF THE B CLASSES OF BENGAL AND BIHAR AND ORISSA, 1918.

THE examination will be held at the following centres according to the following routine:—

Bengal.—Civil Engineering College, Sibpur (for Khulna), Dacca, Rajshahi, Pabna and Rangpur.

Bihar and Orissa.—Bhagalpur.

Standard time.	8 to 11 A.M.	1 to 4 P.M.
Friday, 8th March...	Manual Training ...	Manual Training.
Saturday, 9th „ ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Tuesday, 12th „ ...	Arithmetic and Algebra	Geometry and Mensuration.
Wednesday, 13th „ ...	Drawing and Practical Geometry.	Elementary Engineering.
Thursday, 14th „ ...	Surveying ...	Modern English I.
Friday, 15th „ ...	Modern English II ...	Elementary Science.

[NOTE.—The Manual Training Examination will commence at 8 A.M. on 8th March, and will extend over two or more periods as may be determined by the Examiner.]

2. The examination will be conducted under the general supervision of the B Final Examination Board, Bengal and Bihar and Orissa. All applications for admission to the examination must be despatched by the Principals and Head Masters of the institutions concerned so as to reach the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, who is Secretary to the Board, by the 17th January 1918. No candidate whose application has not reached the Principal by that date will be admitted to the examination.

3. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12, which will in no case be returned. Candidates must pay the fees when registering their names with the Head Master or Principal, who will deposit the money in the Local Treasury and send the Treasury receipt with the application forms to the Secretary.

4. The prescribed Registration form must be used and the full details shown as required thereon. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary on application.

B. HEATON,
Secretary, B Final Examination Board.

SIBPUR,
The 7th December 1917.

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

THE undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Matriculation Examination held in July 1917:—

First Division.

Kunwar Maheshwari Narayan Singh ...	... 19-7	Foley Rajput High School.

Second Division.

Kunwar Rajnet Singh	... 17-9	Foley Rajput High School.

Third Division.

Lal Bahadur Sinha	... 22-9	Foley Rajput High School.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 15th December 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

(In all cases where reference is made to Chapters Sections, Pages or Lines, thus Chapters I—IX, the reference is to be understood as inclusive.)

B. A. EXAMINATION, 1920.

ENGLISH.

Pass Course.

Shakespeare	...	Merchant of Venice. Henry V.
Milton	...	Paradise Lost, Books X, XI and XII.
Palgrave	...	Golden Treasury of Songs and Lyrics, Book IV.
Burke	...	Speech on Conciliation with America
Landor	...	Imaginary Conversations. (Published by the University.)

Select English Speeches of the Nineteenth Century with introduction, by C. J. Sisson (Oxford University Press).

Honours Course.

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Shakespeare	..	Coriolanus.
Greene	...	Friar Bacon and Friar Bungay.
Shelly	...	Adonais.
Bryce	...	Studies in Contemporary Biography.

The following books are recommended for the study of the Philology of the English Language and the History of English Literature :—

Earle	...	Philosophy of the English Tongue.
Thomson	...	Students' English Literature, founded upon the Manual of Thomas B. Shaw.
Saintsbury	...	Short History of English Literature.

The following books are prescribed for candidates who take up the alternative paper in English :—

Matthew Arnold	...	Essays in Criticism, Second Series (Essays I—VII only).
Ruskin	...	The Crown of Wild Olive.

Vernacular Composition—

BENGALI.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Bankimchandra Chatterjee	...	Kapalkundala.
Chandicharan Banerjee		Life of Vidyasagar.
Rajendranath Vidyabhushan	...	Kalidasa.

HINDI.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Harischandra	...	Satya Harischandra.
Lakshman Sinha	...	Sakuntala.
Mayasankar Dube	...	Swapna Vasabdatta.

ASSAMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Selections from Katha Bhagabat—

1. Sri Krishner Janma.
2. Kaliya-damana.
3. Varsha aru Sarat Varnana.

Selections from Jonaki—

1. Samsara Pravaha.
2. Atma-Samyama.
3. Sukuntala, by Lambodar Bora (the whole).

BURMESE.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Buridat Zat | Narada Zat.
Zinatthapakathani.

URIYA.

(Books recommended to be read as presenting ideals of character and models of style.)

Radhanath Ray ... Mahajatra, Cantos I—IV.
Raghuvansa, translated by Bichhanda Patnaik.

URDU.

Nairang-i-khayal, by Azad.
Ibn-ul-Waqt, by Nazir Ahmad.
Selections of Urdu, by Jalaluddin Ahmad Jafri.

SANSKRIT.

(Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Manusamhita ... Chapters I and II with Kulluka's commentary.
Sisupalabadha ... Cantos I and II with Mallinath's commentary.

Drama.

Abhijnanasakuntalam.
Mudrarakshasa.
Macdonell ... History of Sanskrit Literature, (omitting Chapters II—IX).

Grammar.

Panini Primer, by Debendrakumar Vidyaratna (for reference only).

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Bhattikavyam ... Cantos XII and XIII.
Kadambari ... Pages 1—24, Bombay edition.
Rigveda Samhita ... Hymns from the Rigveda, with Sayana's commentary, edited by Peterson, Part I, Suktas 1—12.
Weber ... History of Sanskrit Literature (Tran. Mann & Zachariæ, pp. 1-171).

Grammar and Rhetoric.

Siddhanta Kaumudi —Karaka and Samasa.
Dandi—Kavyadarsa.
Sahitya Darpan, Chapter VI.
Students are recommended to consult Macdonell's Vedic Grammar.

PALI.

(Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Dhammapada ... Khuddaka Patha.

Prose.

Milinda-panha (Trenckner's edition), pages 1—126.
Dhammapada—Attha-Katha, Vol. I, edited by Mr. Norman in the P. T. S.

Grammar.

Rupasiddhi (Rangoon or Colombo edition).
Kielhorn's Sanskrit Grammar.

COMPARATIVE PHILOLOGY.

Sayce ... Principles of Comparative Philology (omitting the appendices).

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Mahavamsa .. Chapters 1—5.
Dighanikaya ... Mahagovinda Sutta, Mahaparinibana Sutta.
Rhys Davids ... Buddhist India.

PERSIAN.

(Pass Course.)

Persian Selections to be compiled by Khan Bahadur Maulavi Muhammad Ibrahim, B.A.
The Pass Course includes the elements of Persian Prosody and Rhetoric.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the pieces selected for the Pass Course.)
The Honours Persian Course compiled by Lieut.-Col. D. C. Phillot, I.A.
The Honours Course includes the outlines of Mahomedan history in so far as it relates to Persia, Central Asia and India and the history of Persian literature.
Arabic grammar to be published by the University for the Matriculation and Intermediate Examinations.

ARABIC.

(Pass Course.)

Selections in Arabic to be compiled by Maulavi Muhammad Irfan, M.A.

Grammar.

Arabic Grammar according to modern method to be published by the University.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)
University Selections to be compiled and edited by Shams-ul-Ulama Ahmad and Shams-ul-Ulama Abu Nasr Muhammad Waheed, M.A.

The Honours Course in Arabic also includes the elements of Arabic Prosody and Rhetoric; the outlines of Mahomedan History down to the fall of the Abbasid Caliphate; and a general knowledge of the History of Arabic literature.

CLASSICAL ARMENIAN.

(Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Bagratoonie's translation of Paradise Lost, Books IX, X, XI, and XII.

Prose.

Agathangalo's History, Parts I and III.
Moses of Khoren's History.
The course includes the History of Armenia.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Poetry.

Bagratoonie's Haik Dientsazn, Books I, II, III, IV and V.

Prose.

John Catholicas. | Elishe.

The course includes the History of Armenian Literature and the Elements of Armenian Philology.

HEBREW.

(Pass Course.)

Judges and I Samuel.

Psalms	...	...	...	... I-XLI.
Proverbs	...	...	...	... 1-20.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Two of the minor prophets, Amos and Hosea.

SYRIAC.

(Pass Course.)

Paper I.

The Book of Leviticus (the Peshitto Version).
The Epistle to the Hebrews (the Peshitto Version).
The Liturgy of S. James.

Paper II.

Mar Ephrem: The Epistle to Montanos (Opera Selecta: overbeck).
The Book of the Dead.

Paper III.

Wright: History of Syriac Literature.
Recommended—
Noldeke: Compendious Syriac Grammar.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

Paper IV.

Philexinos of Mabbogh: Discourses on Poverty (Royal Society of Literature).
Bar-Hebraeus: Homilies on the Passion.

Paper V.

Select Narratives of Holy Women—Eugenia (Studia Sinaitica No. IV).

Eusebius—Ecclesiastical History Books I-III. (Wright and McLean.)

Paper VI.

A. Fortescue: The Orthodox Eastern Church.
A. Fortescue: The Lesser Eastern Churches.

GREEK.

(*Pass Course.*)

Homer	...	Iliad, Books II and III.
Sophocles	...	Antigone.
Plato	...	Meno.
Demosthenes	...	Phillipics, I, II and III.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Æschylus	...	Prometheus Vinctus.
Aristophanes	...	Aves.
Thucydides	...	Book I, Chapters 1—80.

Permanent Subjects.

The following books may be consulted :—

Philology of the Greek Language—

Giles	...	Comparative Philology.

History of Classical Greek Literature—

Murray	...	Greek Literature.

LATIN.

(*Pass Course.*)

Cicero	...	Second Phillipic.
Livy	...	Book XXI.
Virgil	...	Aeneid, Books XI and XII.
Horace	...	Epistles, Book I.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Lucretius	...	Book I.
Seneca	...	Epistolæ.
Cicero	...	Letters (Tyrrell's Selections).
Tacitus	...	Historiæ, Book I.
Virgil	...	Georgica.

Permanent Subjects.

The following books may be consulted—

Philology of the Latin Language—

Lindsay	...	Historical Latin Grammar.

History of Latin Literature to the end of the Augustan Period—

Mackail	...	Latin Literature.

FRENCH.

(Pass Course.)

Alphonse Daudet	...	Lettres de Mon Moulin, edited by C. H. Clarke (Macmillan).
Thierry	...	Lettres sur l' Histoire de France, edited by Masson and Prothero.
Berthon	...	Specimens of Modern French Verse, Part I.
Rostand	..	Cyrano de Bergerac.

The course also includes French Grammar and the outlines of French History.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Corneille	...	Cid.
Moliére	...	L'Ecole des Femmes.
Victor Hugo	...	Notre Dame de Paris.

The course also includes French Grammar and the outlines of French History and also the elements of French Philology and the History of a selected period of French Literature.

Grammar recommended.

V. de Vivas	...	Grammaire des Grammaires.

Text-book in French Philology recommended :—

Darmesteter	...	Historical French Grammar.
Brachet	...	Grammaire Historique de la Langue Française.

The period of French Literature selected for 1920 is the 17th century.

GERMAN.

(Pass Course.)

Heinrich von Kleist	...	Michael Kohlhaas.
Schiller	...	Wallenstein's Tod.
Hatff	...	Das Wirtshaus Im Spessart, edited by G. E. Fasnacht (Macmillan & Co.)

The course includes, in addition to the prescribed texts, Grammar and the outlines of German History.

(Honours Course.)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Gœthe	...	Iphigenie auf Tauris.
Lessing	...	Nathan der Weise.
Paul Heyse	...	Kinder der Welt.

The course includes, in addition to the prescribed texts, Grammar and the outlines of German History and also the elements of German Philology and the History of a selected period of German Literature.

Grammar recommended.

J. Wright	...	Historical German Grammar. (The period selected for 1920 is 1750—1882.)

HISTORY.

(Pass Course.)

Paper I.

Lodge—Modern Europe.

(Students are recommended to use the volumes included in the periods of European History Series and use an Historical Atlas like Dow's. An Historical Atlas of Modern Europe from 1789 by Robertson may also be usefully consulted for the period which it covers.)

Paper II.

Period—The Age of Elizabeth.

(*i*) Green's History of the English People, Book VI, Chapters III—VII.

(*ii*) The Age of Elizabeth, by Creighton (Epochs of Modern History Series).

(*iii*) Elizabeth (Twelve English Statesmen Series), by Beesly. Students and teachers may refer to—

(*a*) Froude's History of England.

(*b*) Cambridge Modern History, Vol III, Chapters VIII—XI.

(*c*) Political History of England, Vol. VI.

Paper III.

Vincent Smith	...	Early History of India.
Elphinstone	...	History of India, omitting Book V, Chapter I.
A. D. Innes	...	History of British India.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Paper IV.

Period from 479—404 B.C.—

Bury	...	History of Greece.
Holm	....	Ditto.
Grote	...	Ditto.

Paper V.

Period from 264—146 B.C.—

Shuckburgh	...	History of Rome.
Mommsen	...	History of Rome, translated by Dickson.

Paper VI.

Hallam	...	Europe during the Middle Ages.
Myers	...	History of Middle Ages.

Students are advised to refer to—

Church and State in the Middle Ages—Ford Lectures, by A. L. Smith.

ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY.

(*Pass Course.*)

Paper I.

Marshall	...	Economics of Industry.
Gide	...	Principles of Political Economy (Archibald's edition).
Jevons	...	Money.

Paper II.

Garner	...	Introduction to Political Science.
Woodrow-Wilson	...	The State.
Ilbert	...	Parliament, its History, Constitution and Practice (Home University Library).
Bryce	...	Hindrances to Good Citizenship.

The Indian Constitution—

Imperial Gazetteer, Vol. IV, pages 14—40.

Paper III.

(Application of the Principles of Political Economy to Indian Topics.)

Imperial Gazetteer, Vols. III and IV.
Vol. III, Chapters I—VII, IX—X.
Vol. IV, Chapters VI—VIII, XVI.

Keynes ... Indian Currency and Finance.

Land Revenue Administration (Calcutta University publication).
Land Revenue Policy of the Government of India, 1902.
Co-operative Credit Movement in India, by P. Mookerjee.

Morison ... Economic Transition in India.
Wolff ... People's Banks.

(*Honours Course.*)

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

Paper I.

Withers ... Meaning of Money.
R. T. Ely ... Outlines of Economics, revised and enlarged by Ely, Adams, Lorenz and Young (Macmillan & Co.).

Paper II.

Jenks ... Principles of Politics.
Alston ... Modern Constitution.

Paper III.

Census of India Report, 1911, Chapter XII.

Paper IV.

Flux ... Economics Principles.
Pierson ... Principles of Economics.

Paper V.

Specially selected texts—

Aristotle ... Politics (translated by Welldon or Jowett).
Hobbes ... Leviathan.

Paper VI.

(*Essays.*)

Books recommended for the guidance of teachers—

Mill ... Political Economy.
Nicholson ... Principles of Political Economy.
Sidgwick ... Development of European Polity.
Marshall ... Principles of Economics.
Green ... Principles of Political Obligation.
Pollock ... Introduction to the History of the Science of Politics.
Ranade ... Essays on Indian Economics.
Moreland ... Introduction to Economics for Indian Students.
Baden-Powell ... Land Systems of British India, 3 vols.

Fifth Report of the Select Committee of the House of Commons, 1812 (Extracts and Documents published by the Calcutta University).

Field	...	Introduction to Bengal Regulations.
R. C. Dutt	...	India in the Victorian Age.
R. C. Dutt	...	The Economic History of India under Early British Rule.
R. C. Dutt	...	Famines in India.
Bryce	...	American Commonwealth (Revised edition).
Strachey	...	India.
A Lawrence Lowell	...	Governments and Parties in Continental Europe (2 vols.). (Longmans, Green & Co.)
J. A. R. Marriott	..	English Political Institutions.
Palgrave	..	Dictionary of Political Economy.
Barker	...	Political Thoughts of Plato and Aristotle.
Wolff	...	Co-operation in Agriculture.
Nicholson	...	Report on Agricultural Banks.

Review of Trade of India, 1913-14.
Currency Commission's Report, 1893.
Currency Committee's Report, 1898.
Report of the Royal Commission on Currency and Finance, 1914.
Fifth Decennial Report on Moral and Material Progress, 1913.
Report of the Irrigation Commission, 1903.
Reports of the Famine Commission, 1898 and 1901.

Keatinge	...	Rural Economy in the Bombay Deccan.
Temperley	...	Senates and Upper Chambers.
Robertson	...	Report on Railway Administration.
Williams	...	The Economics of Railway Transport.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

The following books are recommended to be used in studying the subject of Mental and Moral Philosophy as defined by the Syllabus.

PSYCHOLOGY.

(Pass and Honours.)

Höffding	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Wundt	...	Human and Animal Psychology.
Stout	...	Manual of Psychology.
James	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Stephen	...	Elements of Analytical Psychology (3rd edition).
Sully	...	Outlines of Psychology.
Mitra (A. C.)	...	Elements of Psychology (2 vols).
Angell	...	Psychology.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Titchener	...	Primer of Psychology
Sarat Chandra Brahmachari.		Vyavaharik Manobijnan (Practical Psychology)
McDougall	...	Psychology (Home University Library)

before joining the regular class.

ETHICS.

(Pass and Honours.)

Seth	...	Study of Ethical Principles.
Martineau	...	Types of Ethical Theory.
Mackenzie	...	Manual of Ethics.
Mitra (A. C.)	...	Elements of Morals.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Muirhead	...	Elements of Ethics
Mohit Chandra Sen	...	Elements of Moral Philosophy.

before joining the regular class.

GENERAL PHILOSOPHY.

(*Pass and Honours.*)

Kulpe	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Marvin	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Paulsen	...	Introduction to Philosophy.
Watson	...	An Outline of Philosophy.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Croom Robertson	...	Elements of General Philosophy
Stephen	...	Problems of Metaphysics

before joining the regular class.

NATURAL THEOLOGY.

(*Honours.*)

Martineau	...	Study of Religion.
Flint	...	Theism and Antitheistic Theories.
Fraser	...	Philosophy of Theism.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read—

Rogers	...	Religious Conception of the World
Armstrong	...	God and the Soul
Binayendra Nath Sen		Intellectual Ideal

before joining the regular class.

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY.

(*Honours.*)

The following books are recommended :—

Weber	...	History of Philosophy.
Falckenberg	...	History of Modern Philosophy.
Thilly	...	History of Philosophy (Bell & Sons).

Preparatory Reading—

Schwegler	...	History of Philosophy.
Rogers	...	History of Philosophy.

SPECIAL TEXT.

(*Honours.*)

Rand	...	Modern Classical Philosophers (Selections from Bacon, Descartes, Spinoza, Locke, Berkeley, Hume and Kant).
Green	...	Prolegomena to Ethics, Book I.

MATHEMATICS.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

PHYSICS.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

CHEMISTRY.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

PHYSIOLOGY.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

BOTANY.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

ZOOLOGY.

(Same as for the B.Sc. Examination.)

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B.Sc. EXAMINATION, 1920.

MATHEMATICS.

Pass Course.

The following books are recommended :—

1. Higher Plane Trigonometry—
   - Todhunter ... Plane Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.
   - Loney ... Plane Trigonometry.
2. Plane Analytical Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Conic Sections.
   - Loney ... Elements of Co-ordinate Geometry.
3. Differential Calculus—
   - Edwards ... Differential Calculus for Beginners.
   - Ganesh Prasad ... Differential Calculus.
   - Taylor ... Differential and Integral Calculus and Differential Equations.
4. Integral Calculus and Differential Equations—
   - Edwards ... Integral Calculus for Beginners.
   - Taylor ... The Differential and Integral Calculus and Differential Equations.
   - Ganesh Prasad ... Integral Calculus.
5. Hydrostatics—
   - Besant ... Elementary Hydrostatics.
   - Loney ... Elements of Hydrostatics.
6. Astronomy—
   - Parker ... Elements of Astronomy.

Students are recommended to use "Stars in the Northern Tropic," by T. Bhattacharyya.

Honours Course.

1. Higher Algebra—
   - Hall and Knight Higher Algebra.
   - C. Smith ... A Treatise on Algebra.
2. Elementary Theory of Equations—
   - Cajori ... Introduction to Theory of Equations, Chapters I—VII.
3. Higher Plane Trigonometry—
   - Todhunter ... Plane Trigonometry, edited by Hogg.
4. Plane Analytical Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Conic Sections.
   - Salmon ... Conic Sections.
   - Askwith ... Plane Co-ordinate Geometry.
5. Elementary Solid Geometry—
   - C. Smith ... Elementary Treatise on Solid Geometry.
   - Bell ... Analytical Geometry of Three Dimensions.
6. Elementary Principles of Vectors—
   - Kelland and Tait Introduction to Quaternions, 3rd edition, edited by Knott.
   - Henrici and Turner Vectors and Rotors.
7. Differential Calculus—
   - Williamson ... Differential Calculus.

8. Integral Calculus and Differential Equations—

Williamson	...	Integral Calculus.
Murray	...	Introductory Course in Differential Equations.

9. Statics—

Minchin	...	Statics, Volume I.
Lamb	...	Statics.

10. Dynamatics of a Particle—

Loney	...	Dynamics of a Particle.
Lamb	...	Dynamics.
Cox	...	Mechanics.

11. Hydrostatics—

Besant	...	Elementary Hydrostatics.
Loney	...	Elements of Hydrostatics.
Minchin	...	Hydrostatics, Part I.

12. Astronomy—

Parker	...	Elements of Astronomy.
Young	...	Manual of Astronomy.
Bryan	...	Astronomy.

Candidates are recommended to use "Stars in the Northern Tropics" by T. Bhattacharyya.

N.B—Candidates who take up Mathematics at the B.A. or B.Sc. Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

PHYSICS.

Pass Course.

Hadley	...	Magnetism and Electricity for Students.
Watson	...	Text-book of Physics.

Pass Practical.

Schüster and Lees		Advanced Exercises in Practical Physics.
Harrison	...	A Course of Practical Physics.
Glazebrook and Shaw.	...	Practical Physics.
Allen and Moore	...	A Text-book of Practical Physics (Macmillan & Co.)

Honours Course.

(In addition to the books prescribed for the Pass Course.)

Poynting and Thomson	...	Sound.
Edser	...	Heat for Advanced Students.
Maxwell	...	Theory of Heat.
Edser	...	Light for Students.
Foster and Porter		Elementary Treaties on Electricity and Magnetism.
Wagstaff	...	Properties of Matter.

Honours Practical.

Watson	...	Text-book on Practical Physics.
Henderson	...	Practical Physics.

N.B.—Candidates who take up the Honours Course in Physics at the B.A. or B Sc. Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

CHEMISTRY.

Pass Course.

Newth	...	Inorganic Chemistry.
Holleman	...	Organic Chemistry.
Francis Jones	...	Practical Chemistry.

Alexander Smith		General Inorganic Chemistry.
F. Mollwo Perkin		Qualitative Chemical Analysis—Organic and Inorganic.
J. B. Cohen	...	Theoretical Organic Chemistry.

Honours Course.

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

H. C. Jones	...	Elements of Physical Chemistry.
Ostwald	...	Foundations of Analytical Chemistry.
J. Wade	...	Introduction to the Study of Organic Chemistry.
Clowes and Coleman.		Quantitative Analysis.
Cohen	...	Practical Organic Chemistry.
Caven and Landor		Systematic Inorganic Chemistry.
Ostwald	...	Outlines of General Chemistry.
J. Walker	...	Introduction to Physical Chemistry.
F. Mollwo Perkin		Practical Methods of Inorganic Chemistry.

N.B.—Candidates who take up Chemistry at the B.A. or B.Sc. Examination are recommended to refer to Saxelby's Practical Mathematics.

BOTANY.

Pass Course.

Vines, S. H.	...	An Elementary Text-book of Botany (London, 1905).
Scott, D H.	...	Structural Botany. 2 Vols. (London, 1904-06).
Darwin, F., and Acton, G. H.		Practical Physiology of Plants (Cambridge, latest edition).
Prain, D.	...	Bengal Plants (Calcutta, 1903)
		or
Roxburgh	...	Flora Indica, edited by C. B. Clarke (Calcutta 1874).
Strasburger and Hill-house.		Practical Botany (latest edition).

Honours Course.

(In addition to the text-books for the Pass Course.)

Strasburger, E.	...	Text-book of Botany, translated by Porter, revised by Lang (Third Edition, London).
Reynolds Green, J.	...	Vegetable Physiology.
Schimper, A. F. W.	...	Geography of Plants.
Stopes ...	...	Fossil Botany.
Bower ...	...	Practical Botany.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Pass Course.

Halliburton	...	Hand-book of Physiology.
Howell ...	...	Text-book of Physiology.

Practical.

Schafer ...	...	Essentials of Histology
		and either
Milroy ...	...	Practical Physiological Chemistry
		or
Halliburton	...	Essentials of Chemical Physiology
		and
Brodie ...	...	Essentials of Experimental Physiology
		or

Beddard, Edkins, Hill, Pembrey and Macleod Practical Physiology.

Honours Course.

(In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course.)

Starling	...	... Principles of Human Physiology.
Hill	...	... Recent Advances in Physiology.
Do.	...	... Further Advances in Physiology.

Practical.

The same as for the Pass Course.

SYLLABUS IN EXPERIMENTAL PHYSIOLOGY.

Pass Course.

The induction coil; single shocks, short circuiting key; effect of single shocks on the tongue; break-shock is stronger than the make-shock. Helmholtz's Modification; Neef's Hammer.

Pithing a frog; nerve-muscle preparation. Mechanical, chemical, thermal and electrical stimulation of muscle and nerve.

The graphic method; simple lever; crank lever (myograph); moist chamber, minimal and maximal excitation with single induction shocks (make and break). Stimulation by constant current; contraction of muscle only at make and break.

The muscle curve:—Single contraction of a frog's muscle; the latent period, the period of contraction and the period of relaxation. Time-tracing by tuning-fork. Method of after-loading. The influence of temperature and of load on muscular contraction. The work performed by a muscle during a twitch.

Elasticity and extensibility of muscle.

Summation of muscular contraction; tetanus.

Fatigue of muscle.

Thickening of a muscle on contraction.

Bernard's curare experiment.

Stimulation of a motor nerve; unequal excitability (greater nearer the centre of a motor nerve); excitability of flexor and extensor nerves.

Velocity of nerve-impulse (myographic method).

Efectro-Physiology:—Galvani's experiment of contraction with metals; Galvani's experiment of contraction without metals.

The Frog's heart:—Beating of the heart; effect of heat and cold (heart in situ); section of the heart; effect of heat and cold on excised heart.

Stannius' experiment.

Graphic record of the beat of the heart (suspension method and also direct registration with heart-lever).

Pulse-Sphygmographic tracing.

Blood-pressure in man; Sphygmometer and Sphygmomanometer. –

Reflex action (simple experiments on a pithed frog).

Vision:—Accommodation; Scheiner's experiment; near and far point.

Purkinje-Sanson's images; Phakoscope; Blind spot; Yellow spot; Colour vision; Complementary colours.

Honours Course.

Additional Experiments—

The induction coil—Break extra-current of Faraday.

The Rheonome; Effect of sudden variation of current.

Isotomic and Isometric contraction.

Influence of veratrine on muscular contraction.

Indefatigability of nerve.

Excitation of muscle by constant current; Polar excitation of a Muscle.

Electrotonus. Electrotonic changes in excitability and conductivity of a nerve.

Kuhne's experiment of contraction without metals.

Examination of currents in muscle, nerve and heart by means of the reflecting galvanometer.

Frog's heart—Minimal stimulus causes maximal contraction.

"Staircase effect." Single contraction of the ventricle.

Tetanisation. Refractory period, Stimulation of the vagus.
Action of drugs (Muscaring digitalin. Pilocarpin and Atropin) on the heart.
Voice and Speech ; Laryngoscope.
Vision : Ophthalmoscope ; Perimeter.

ZOOLOGY.

(To be notified hereafter.)

GEOLOGY.

No text-books are prescribed or recommended. The subject is to be studied with the help of the Syllabus prescribed in the Regulations.

EXPERIMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY.

The subject is to be studied as defined by the Syllabus. Students are recommended to use one or more of the following books :—

Pass Course.

I.—General Psychology—

Yerkes	...	...	Introduction of Psychology.
Wundt	...	...	Human and Animal Psychology.
Titchener	...	...	Text-book of Psychology.
Leckley	...	...	The Nervous System (Longmans & Co.).

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read Titchener's Primer of Psychology before joining the regular class.

II.—Experimental Psychology—

Sanford	...	...	Course in Experimental Psychology.
Myers	...	...	Text-book of Experimental Psychology, Part I—Text-book.

Preparatory Reading—Students are advised to read Myers's Primer of Experimental Psychology before joining the regular class.
Laboratory Course—Titchener's Experimental Psychology, Vol. I, Part I, and Vol. II, Part I (Student's Manual, Qualitative and Quantitative).
Myers—Text-book of Experimental Psychology—Part II (Laboratory Course).

Honours Course.

I.—General Psychology—Same as in the Pass Course with the addition of Kulpe's Outlines of Psychology.
II.—Physiological and Comparative Psychology.

Wundt	...	...	Principles of Physiological Psychology. Vol. I, Part I. (The Bodily Substrate of Mental Life.)
Ladd	...	...	Elements of Physiological Psychology.
Thorndike	...	...	Animal Intelligence.
Lloyd Morgan	...	...	Comparative Psychology.
M. Greenwood (Jr.)		...	Physiology of the Senses.

III.—Experimental Psychology—
In addition to the books recommended for the Pass Course, the following :—

Scripture	...	...	New Psychology.
Titchener	...	...	Lectures on the Psychology of the thought processes.
Titchener	...	..	Instructor's Manual—Quantatitive (Introduction).

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ORDERS BY THE HON'BLE THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

L. T. EXAMINATION, 1920.

(1) The Theory and Practice of Teaching in relation to Mental and Moral Science, and

(2) Methods of Teaching Specific Subjects and School Management—

Books recommended.

Thorndyke	...	Elements of Psychology.
G. D. Banerjee	...	A Few Thoughts on Education (S. K. Lahiri & Co., Calcutta).
Barnett	...	Teaching and Organization.
James	...	Talks to Teachers on Psychology and to students on some of Life's Ideals.
Sully	...	The Teacher's Hand-book of Psychology, new edition, 1909 (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Michael West	...	Education and Psychology.
Welton	...	Principles of Teaching (University Tutorial Press).
Findlay	...	The School (Home University Library).

The suggestions for the consideration of teachers and others concerned in work of Public Elementary Schools. (Board of Education, London.)

(3) Selected Educational Classics—

Spencer	...	Education.
Stanley	...	Life of Arnold, Chapter III.

(4) English—

Frederic Harrison	...	Choice of Books.
Goldsmith	...	Traveller and Deserted Village.

B. T. EXAMINATION, 1920.

(1) The Theory and Practice of Teaching in relation to Mental and Moral Science, and

(2) Methods of Teaching Specific Subjects and School Management—

Books recommended.

James	...	Talks to Teachers on Psychology and to students on some of Life's Ideals.
McDougall	...	Physiological Psychology (J. M. Dent & Co., London).
Sully	...	The Teacher's Hand-book of Psychology, new edition, 1909 (Longmans, Green & Co.)
Michael West	...	Education and Psychology.
Warner	...	The Study of Children and their School Training.
Thorndyke	...	Elements of Psychology.
J. Adams	...	Exposition and Illustration in Teaching (Macmillan & Co.).
Adamson	...	The Practice of Instruction (National Society's Depository).
G. D. Banerjee	...	A few Thoughts on Education (S. K. Lahiri & Co., Calcutta).
Russell	...	An Introduction to Logic from the standpoint of education (Macmillan).
Welton	...	Principles of Teaching (University Tutorial Press).
Barnett	...	Common Sense in Education.
Findlay	...	The School (Home University Library).

The suggestions for the consideration of teachers and others concerned in work of Public Elementary Schools. (Board of Education, London).

(3) History of Educational Ideas and Methods—

Institutes of Manu	...	Chapter II.
Lalita-Vistara	...	Chapter X (Rajendralala Mitra's translation and notes).
Saratchandra Das	...	Paper on Universities in Ancient India (*Hindustan Review*, March 1906).
Amir Ali	...	Spirit of Islam, Chapter XVIII.
Macdonald	...	Moral Training of the Young Muslims (*International Journal of Ethics*, April 1905).
Munro	...	Outlines of the History of Education (Macmillan & Co.).
Quick	...	Educational Reformers.
James (H. R.)	...	Education and Statesmanship in India.
Sadler	...	Special Reports on Educational Subjects. Vol. IX—Education in Germany— (*i*) The Unrest in Secondary Education in Germany and elsewhere. (*ii*) Note on the Revised Curricula and Programmes of Work for Higher Schools for boys in Prussia, 1901. (*iii*) The smaller Public Elementary Schools of Prussia and Saxony, with Notes on the Training and Position of Teachers. (*iv*) On the Measurement of Mental Fatigue in Germany.
Sadler	...	Special Reports on Educational Subjects, Vol. XI—Education in the United States of America— (*i*) The Curricula of the American Secondary Schools. (*ii*) Secondary Education in a Democratic Community. (*iii*) A comparison between English and American High Schools. (*iv*) Some Notes on American Universities. (*v*) A Contrast between German and American Ideals in Education.
Sharp	...	The Educational System of Japan (Government Central Press, Bombay.)

(4) Selected Educational Classics—

Spencer	...	Education.
Rousseau	...	Emile (International Education Series, if available; or any School edition).
Stanley	...	Life of Arnold (Chapter III).

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M. L. EXAMINATION, 1919.

(1) HINDU LAW OR MUHAMMADAN LAW.

Hindu Law.

Manu	...	Institutes, Chapters I, III, VII, VIII and IX.
Yajnavalkya	...	Institutes, Book II, on Vyavahara or Positive Law.
Vijnanesvara	...	Mitakshara.
Devananda Bhatta	...	Smriti-Chandrika.
Vachaspati Misra	...	Vivada Chintamani.
Nilakantha	...	Vyavahara Mayukha.
Mitra Misra	...	Viramitrodaya.
Jimutavahana	...	Dayabhaga.
Raghunandan	...	Dayatatwa.
Nanda Pandita	...	Dattaka-Mimansa.
Kuvera	...	Dattaka-Chandrika.
Gooroo Das Banerjee	...	Marriage and Stridhana (Tagore Lectures, 1878).
Golap Chandra Sarkar	...	Adoption (Tagore Lectures, 1888).
Mayne	...	Hindu Law and Usage.
Jogendra Chandra Ghose	...	Hindu Law.

Muhammadan Law.

Serajuddin	...	Al Sirajiya.
Baillie	...	Digest of Muhammadan Law—Shunni and Shia.
Ameer Ali	...	Muhammadan Law, Vols. I and II.
Wilson	...	Digest of Anglo-Muhammadan Law.
Abdur Rahman	...	Institutes of Musalman Law.
Abdur Rahim	...	Principles of Muhammadan Jurisprudence (Tagore Lectures, 1907).
Tyabji	...	Muhammadan Law.

(2) JURISPRUDENCE AND PRINCIPLES OF LEGISLATION.

Salmond	...	Jurisprudence.
Garies	...	Science of Law.
Korkunov	...	Theory of Law.
Lee	...	Historical Jurisprudence.
Maine	...	Village Communities.
Holmes	...	Common Law.

Evolution of Law Series, Vols. I—III (edited by Koconrek and Wigmore).

Continental Legal History Series, Vol. I (General Survey).

Bentham	...	Theory of Legislation (edited by Dumont and translated by Atkinson, Oxford Press Series).

(3) PRINCIPLES AND HISTORY OF ROMAN LAW.

Gaius	...	Institutes (translated by Poste).
Justinian	...	Institutes (translated by Moyle).
Sohm	...	Institutes (translated by Ledlie).
Muirhead	...	Roman Law.

(4) PRIVATE INTERNATIONAL LAW.

Foote	...	Private International Jurisprudence.
Nelson	...	Private International Jurisprudence.

(5) & (6) ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING.

(i) Principles of Equity.

Langdell	...	Brief Survey of Equity Jurisdiction.
Story	...	Equity Jurisprudence.
Underhill	...	Law of Trusts.
Agnew	...	Law of Trusts (Tagore Lectures, 1881).
White and Tudor	...	Leading Cases in Equity (8th edition).

(ii) Law relating to Transfer of Immovable Property and Law of Prescription.

Dart	...	Vendors and Purchasers.
Williams	...	Vendors and Purchasers.
Rashbehari Ghose	...	Law of Mortgages (Tagore Lectures, 1876).
Goddard	..	Law of Easements.

The Transfer of Property Act.
The Indian Easements Act.

(iii) Law relating to Wills.

Underhill and Strahan	...	On the Interpretation of Will and Settlements.
Theobald	...	Law of Wills.
Ingpen	...	Law of Executors.
Henderson	...	Law of Wills (Tagore Lectures, 1887).
Trevelyan	...	Hindu Will (second edition).
Asutosh Mukhopadhyay	...	The Law of Perpetuities in British India (Tagore Lectures, 1898).

The Indian Succession Act.
The Hindu Wills Act.
The Probate and Administration Act.

(iv) Law of Contracts and Torts.

Pollock	...	Principles of Contract, Law of Torts.
Street	...	Foundations of Legal Liabilities.
Fry	...	Specific Performance.
Finch	...	Cases on Contracts.
Kenny	...	Cases on Torts.
Salmond	...	On Torts.
Satishchandra Banerjee	...	The Law of Specific Relief in British India (Tagore Lectures, 1906).

The Indian Contract Act.
The Specific Relief Act.

(v) Principles and History of the Law of Real and Personal Property.

Williams	...	Real Property.
Williams	...	Personal Property.
Goodeve	...	Real Property.
Goodeve	...	Personal Property.
Challis	...	Real Property.
Digby	...	History of Real Property.
Leake	...	Law of Property in Land.
Finch	...	Cases on the Law of Property.

(vi) Principles and History of the Law of Evidence.

Best	...	Evidence.
Thayer	...	Preliminary Treatise on Evidence.
Phillimore	...	History of Evidence.
Wigmore	...	Cases on Evidence.
Wigmore	...	Principles of Judicial Proof.

Indian Evidence Act.

(vii) History of English Law.

Pollock and Maitland	...	History of English Law.
Reeves	...	History of English Law (edited by Finlason).
Holdsworth	...	History of English Law.
Jenks	...	History of English Law.
Kerly	...	History of Equity.
Maitland	...	Collected Papers.
Ames	...	Lectures on Legal History.

Selected Essays on Anglo-American Legal History (Cambridge University Press).

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CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

NOTIFICATION.

THE Leading Cases to be studied in the original judgments as expositions of important legal principles for the Preliminary, Intermediate and Final Examinations in Law to be held in July, 1919, and January, 1920, are the same as those prescribed for the corresponding Examinations in July, 1918, and January, 1919.

P. BRÜHL, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 15th December, 1917.*

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE STATE MEDICAL FACULTY OF BENGAL.

The undermentioned candidates are declared to have passed the Final Examination for the Licentiateship of the Faculty, held in November 1917:—

(In alphabetical order.)

	A. V. Rajagopal Mudali	...	Medical College, Madras.
	Bandyopadhyay, Haricharan	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Rasbihari	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Manmohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Bhattacharyya, Jatindrachandra		Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Bibhutibhushan		Campbell Medical School.
	„ Pasupati	...	Ditto.
	„ Raghunath	...	Ditto.
	„ Saradindu	...	Ditto.
10	Das, Harendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	„ Haripada	...	Ditto.
	„ Rajendrachandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Dasbhaumik, Narendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Dasgupta, Brajendrakumar	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Akhilchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Sasadar	...	Ditto.
	„ Satischandra	...	Ditto.
	De, Kshitischandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Pareschandra	...	Ditto.

20	Dhar, Debendrakumar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Dola, Emogency	...	Ditto.
	Effazuddin Chaudhuri	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Ghosh, Kiranchandra	..	Ditto.
	,, Sailajakanta	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Jay, Jatindramohan	...	Dacca Medical School.
	Loha, Biseswar	...	Campbell Medical School.
	Maiti, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Surendranath	...	Ditto.
	Md. Janabali	...	Dacca Medical School.
30	Mukhopadhyay, Rakhalchandra		Campbell Medical School.
	,, Sisirkumar	...	Ditto.
	Pal, Gobindachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Anujaykisor	...	Ditto.
	Raychaudhuri, Dhananjay	..	Ditto.
	Sanyal, Rakhalraj	...	Ditto.
	Sar, Pramathanath	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Haranchandra	...	Dacca Medical School.
38	Wasimuddin Tarafdar	...	Ditto.

G. C. MOOKERJEE, *Secretary.*

GROSVENOR HOUSE, *the 17th December 1917.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Middle Scholarships, 1917.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years from 1st January 1918.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M V.
	CALCUTTA.			
	Nine scholarships for general competition and two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans and seven free studentships.			
1	Bagalananda Chatterji ...	Calcutta Model School	Hindu School ...	M. E.
2	Sachindra Nath Rudra .	Shambazar A. V. ...	Town School ...	M. E.
3	Ajit Kumar Sarker ...	Ditto ...	Hare School ...	M. E.
4	Kartic Chandra Chatterji	Ahiritala Banga Vidyalaya.	Hindu School ...	M. E.
5	Lakshi Narain Mukerji ...	St. Barnabas A. V. ...	C. M. S. High, Garden Reach.	M. E.
6	Abdul Aziz	Karaya M. E. ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	M. E.
7	Satyendra Kumar Bose ...	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.	Hare School ...	M. E.
	Gopi Mohan Mallik ..	Chakraberia M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	M. E.
9	Jagannath Chandra ...	City Training M. E....	Hindu School ...	M. E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Md. Barakat-i-Khoda ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Calcutta Madrasah	M. E
2	Najmuddin Ahmed ..	Karaya M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
	Seven free studentships tenable for 3 years.			
1	Nikhil Ranjan Chatterji...	Charakdanga M. E. ..	South Suburban H. E.	
	Kanai Lal Sarker ...	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.	Hindu School.	
3	Radha Gobinda Bhattacherji.	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.	Hare School.	
4	Madhusudan Ganguli ...	Taltala M. E. ...	Hindu School.	
5	Tarapado Bhattacherji ...	City Institution ...	Ditto.	
6	Shyam Lal Chakraverti...	Chakraberia M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	
7	Tara Kumar Mukerji ...	Taltala M. E. ...	Hindu School.	

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.

24-PARGANAS.

Nine scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Nimaidas Pal ...	Bhatpara M. E. ...	Hindu School ...	M. E.
2	Kanai Lal Chatterji ...	Champapuker M E....	Dhankuria H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Bijoy Madhab Mandal ...	Raghunathpur M. E.	Ditto ...	M. E.
4	Hazari Charan Basu ...	Malangapara M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
5	Chuni Lal Mandal ...	Bhadura M. E. ...	Hare School ...	M. E.
6	Tulsi Charan Chatterji ...	Behala M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	
7	Kalipada Pal ...	Pifa M. V. ...	Basirhat H. E. ...	M. V.
8	Benode Behari Adhikari	Raghunathpur M. E.	Ditto ...	M. V.
9	Azizar Rahaman Khan ...	Baliaghata-Bridge Board M. V.	Baraset Government ...	M. V.

Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Alauddin Ahmed ...	Baraset H. E. ...	Baraset Government	H. E.
2	Aziar Rahman ...	Kalipur M. E. ...	Budge-Budge H. E. ...	M. E.

NADIA DISTRICT.

Five scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Krishna Chandra Das ...	Kantagazra M. E. ...	Pabna Zilla School ...	M. E.
2	Pranesh Ch. Mazumdar ...	Kustia H. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Nani Gopal Pal ...	Goari Debnath M. E.	Krishnagar College ...	M. E.
4	Ramendra Nath Sarkar ...	Kumari M. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
5	Hazari Kali Dutt ...	Bagadi K. G. M. E. ...	Amlasadarpur H. E. ...	M. E.

Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Ahmed Hossain ...	Chapra M. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Nasiruddin Ahmed ...	Kustia H. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.

MURSHIDABAD DISTRICT.

Four scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Tarapado Banerji ...	Geetgram M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Rakha Hari Das ...	Barman M. E. ...	Kandi Raj H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Sheik Rahasan Ali ...	Panchgram Srish Chandra M. E.	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.	M. E.
4	Kalipada Biswas ...	Baruipara M. V. ...	Berhampur Collegiate	M. V.

Two reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Mollah Abdul Wahed ...	Geetgram M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Sha Muhammad Biswas	Gobindapur M. E. ...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.	M. V.

JESSORE DISTRICT.

Four scholarships for general competition and three reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Susil Kumar Sen Gupta...	Harinakundu M. E....	Narail Victoria Collegiate.	M. E.
2	Girindra Mohan Chatterji	Mallikpur M. E. ...	Lakshmipasa H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Golam Muhmd. Molla ...	Manoharpur M. E. ...	Jessore Zilla ...	M. E.
4	Jahar Ali Biswas ...	Jessore Zilla ...	Ditto ...	M. V.

Three scholarships reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Dabiruddin Mollah ...	Bunaganti M. E. ...	Jessore Zilla School ...	M. E.
2	Mia Abdul Samud ...	Hazipur M. E. ...	Harinarayanpur H. E.	M. E.
3	Shamsur Ali Biswas ...	Fatipur M. E. ...	Calcutta Training ...	M. V.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M.E. or M. V.
	KHULNA DISTRICT.			
	Five scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.			
1	Tarini Charan Dutta ...	Ghatbhoge M. E. ...	Bahirdia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Rajendra Kumar Majumdar.	Piljang M. E. ...	Khararia H. E ...	M. E.
3	Lalit Mohan Majumdar ...	Kalaroa M. E. ...	Satkhira H. E. ...	M. E.
4	Amulya Ratan Bhattacherji.	Budhata M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
5	Kali Krishna Pal ..	Sibanandakati M.V.	Calcutta Training ...	M.V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadan candidates.			
1	Aftabuddin Sardar ...	Budhata M.E. ...	Babulia H.E. ...	M.E.
2	Md. Reja Karim ...	Sriula M.E. ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	M.V.

N.B.—The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of the publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Upper Primary Scholarships, 1917.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 3 a month, tenable for two years from the 1st January 1918.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	CALCUTTA.		
1	Pasupati Nath Bhattacherji...	Basupara U. P. ...	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.
2	Sudhan Charan Kumar ...	Calcutta Model ...	Calcutta Model.
3	Nakur Chandra Chatterji ...	Bag Bazar U. P. ...	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.
	24-PARGANAS.		
	Seven Scholarships.		
1	Dasarathi Chatterji ...	Mahinagar U. P. ...	Gobindpore M. E.
2	Kasinath Mandal ...	Nawpukhur U. P. ...	Dakhin Baraset M. E.
3	Dhirendra Nath Bhattacherji.	Kamarhati U. P.	
4	Balaram Mondal ...	Harishpur U. P. ...	Raghunathpur M. E.
5	Kazi Ansarulla ...	Baraset Government School	Chota Jagulia M. E.
6	Gurupada Das ...	Belsinga U. P. ...	Bhadura M. E.
7	Ananta Ram Gharami ...	Kulpi G. T. ...	Gabberia M. E.
	NADIA.		
	Five Scholarships.		
1	Chandi Charan Bhattacherji.	Betna U. P.	
2	Nalini Kumar Sen ...	Bhanpur U. P.	
3	Hazari Lall Sirkar ...	Bansberia U. P.	
4	Maksed Ali Pramanik ...	Bahadurpur U. P. ...	Damakdia M. E.
5	Jiban Kumar Parui ...	Amjhupi U. P. ...	Kathali M. E.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	MURSHIDABAD.		
	Five scholarships.		
1	Bhakti Bhusan Mandal ...	Muniadihi U. P.	
2	Birinchi Mohan Dhar ...	Ditto.	
3	Syed Mahmood Hussain ...	Beniagram U. P.	
4	Raghunath Biswas ...	Pareshnathpur U. P. ...	Rukunpur M. E.
5	Mahaboo Jan ...	Daulatmadar Islamic U. P.	
	JESSORE.		
	Six scholarships.		
1	Ahmad Ali Khan ...	Balidha Board U P. ...	Daulatpur M. E.
2	Kafiluddin Mandal ...	Ditto ...	Keshavpur M. E.
3	Deves Chandra Mukherji ...	Sindrani U. P.	
4	Smaraji Kumar Maulik ...	Kharikali U. P.	
5	Etin Biswas ...	Hat Dariapur Board U. P.	
6	Subodh Bala Dutt ...	Narail Model Girls' ...	Narail Model Girls.'
	KHULNA.		
	Five scholarships.		
1	Gopal Chandra Majumdar ...	Maheswarpasa Board U. P.	Daulatpur M. E.
2	Manindra Nath Dutt ...	Daulatpur Prac. U. P.	
3	Rastam Ali Gazi ...	Mukundpur U. P.	
4	Nani Gopal Sen ...	Bhara-Simla U. P. ...	Nalta M. E.
5	Surendra Nath Chakraverty...	Beniaganti U. P. ...	Gotapara M. E.

N.B.—The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*. U. P. scholarship-holders should join middle schools in order to be eligible for appearing at the Middle Scholarship Examination.

T. O. D. DUNN,

Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

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PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Name of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1421	Mirzat Bibi Chini, pargana Bogorgomedpur.	2,686 2 10	.....	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another.	995 10 10	.....	160 4 7
1445	Darlhat Rajbariganj pargana Bogorgomedpur.	721 13 0	Whole	.....	Parbati Charan Chakrabarti	.....	270 0 0	.....
1661	Taluk Bhijoy Baraja pargana Bogorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	.....	Residuary share containing 4gds. 1c. 2kt. 1di., will be sold the remaining 9as 15gds. 2c. 2di. will be excluded from sale.	Jagadanal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,041 8 1	.....	968 12 0
1865	Tappa Abdullapur, Zamindari 10as. 13¼ gds.	2,347 11 11	.....	Residuary share containing 7as. 9gd. 2c. 1kt. 1¼dt. will be sold, the remaining 8as 10gds. 1c. 1kt. 1¼dt. will be excluded from sale	Radha Govinda Banerjee and others.	1,106 15 11	.....	519 15 3

HARENDRA K. GHOSE, *for* Collector.

Barisal, the 13th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 3rd January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62 3	Baksipur, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	4as. 2gds. 1c. 2¼ks. 1kg. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Nath Biswas, son of late Kali Prasanna Biswas, and others.	5,446 2 3	.....	737 14 5
488 2	Sankar Chandra, pargana Shahanzial.	.....	,, ...	1 anna ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukherjee ...	682 5 2	.....	172 3 6
871	Char Naodapara, pargana Shahanzial.	976 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Siva Sundari Dasya ...	.....	292 0 0	.....
2450	Char Kodalkati, pargana Rajpur.	715 0 0	,, ...	,, ...	Siva Sundari Dasi ...	.....	208 0 0	.....
3521	Rani Jote Ashal, pargana Naokarpur.	820 0 0	,, ...	.....	Kumar Naresh Narayan Ray.	.....	267 14 7	.....

Krishnagar Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

D. K. MITTER, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
250	Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	2,682 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	.....	121 1 2	
5500	Jalkar Kotalipara, pargana Kotalipara.	2,050 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Chakravarty and others.	.....	925 0 0	
5443	Dotala Lafa Char Bhaga, pargana Kaitkpur, Sunabad.	776 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Sharajuddin Ahmed Choudhuri and others.	.....	280 0 0	
5498	Digor Mohal khali, pargana Nasti.	1,791 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Madan Mohan Banerjee.	.....	848 13 6	

Faridpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands of September 1917 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
135	Kismat Gouripur, pargana Chhootipur.	1,919 5 9	.....	Residuary share—12 as. 19 gds. 2 crs. $2\frac{162432}{234117}$ ds. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Neba Gopal Singha and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
34	Dogachhiar etc., pargana Kubajpur.	811 4 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Mrityunjoy Ray Chowdhuri and others.	.....	165 6 7	.....
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satwaika.	2,260 9 11	Ditto ...	.....	Rameswar Aich and others.	.....	230 13 6	.....

ABDUL GOFFAR, for Collector.

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 3 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,310 4 9	.....	$\frac{36}{2}$ Hissa 11 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhulcs.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
2703	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhai, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sundar Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. [EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 22nd December 1917 at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands remaining unpaid on the 25th September 1917, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
401	Thanas Fatikcheri, Hathazari, Satkania, Raozan, Patiya and town, kismat Balaram Sarkar, Babalta taraf Sanaulla Khan.	1,043 6 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Arun Chandra Pal, Kamini Kumar Pal and others.	.....	309 12 0	.....
478	Thanas Hathazari, Raozan, Patiya, Town and Fatikcheri, taraf Brindaban Chowdhuri.	2,456 9 7	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859, the residuary share only to the extent of interest 6 annas will be sold excluding the paid up shares Nos. 1, 4 and 5 to the extent of interest 10 pies 13⅓kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 135-15-6 and also unpaid shares Nos. 2 and 3 to the extent of interest 9 annas 1 pie 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,400-1-3.	Himangsu Bimal Ray, Ramesh Chandra Ray.	922 8 6	.....	248 15 2
1143	Thana Satkania, taraf, mauza Harina Babalta, taraf Mangat Ram Hazari.	692 13 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	108 4 0	.....
1236	Thana Patiya, Hathazari, Raozan and town, taraf Tuoch Alop.	2,265 15 8	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 of the residuary share to the extent of interest 10 as. 3 pies will be sold excluding the paid-up share No. 1, Kedar Nath Tewari, to the extent of interest 5 as. 4 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 737-6-10.	Sm. Mahamaya, Ram Dhan Chowdhury and others.	1,506 9 10	.....	169 6 0
1242	Thanas Satkania, Baushkali, Patiya, C. S. Survey Anwara, taraf Imambox.	697 5 4	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Abdul Roup Khan *alias* Danu Meah, Sm. Biabibi and others.	.....	207 0 8	.....
1513	Thanas Patiya town, Raozan, Satkania, Hathazari and Sitakund, taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	853 10 8	Ditto ...	.....	Sm. Pramada Kumari Sen on behalf of Ramesh Chandra Ray, Sm. Saudamini Ray.	.....	253 1 3	.....
1671	Thanas Patiya, Raozan, taraf Kaoja Hos Sung.	1,128 8 0	Ditto ...	.....	Haradn Krira Lala on behalf of idol.	.....	334 0 4	.....
1747	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town and Raozan, taraf Monohar Ray.	2,490 11 0	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1, Ram Kumar and others to the extent of interest 6 as. 3pies 10kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 3, 5, 6, 7 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 5 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-15-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 4, 6, 10 and 20 to the extent of interest 6 as. 3 pies 3⅓ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 969-2-5.	Sukhendhu Bikas Ray, Sm. Nirode Bala Ray.	979 10 10	.....	262 2 6
1742	Thanas Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Raozan, taraf Manohar Ray.	2,490 11 0	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 20, Amarendra Krishna Ray to the extent of interest 3 as. 4 pies 15 kts. will be sold excluding the residuary share and shares Nos. 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23 and 24 to the extent of interest 3 as. 6 pies 6⅔ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 521-15-9 and also unpaid shares Nos. 1, 4, 5 and 10 to the extent of interest 9 as. and 15⅓ kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 1,440-3.	Barada Charan Dhar, Sm. Monorama.	838 11 3	.....	96 10 3
1749	Thana Patiya, Satkania, taraf Mhd. Ali and Rastum Ali.	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid share No. 1 to the extent of interest 4 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 870-12-10.	Dhirendra Lal Gupta for self and on behalf of Sachindra Kumar Gupta, Upendra Lal Gupta.	2,612 6 3	.....	773 9 3
1749	Ditto ...	3,483 3 6	Ditto	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the share No. 1 Krishna Chandra Gupta to the extent of interest 4 annas will be sold excluding the unpaid residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas paying annual jama of Rs. 2,613-6-3.	Ditto ...	870 12 10	.....	258 7 7

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1884	Thana Fatikcheri, taraf Mhd. Ohhana Mir.	785 10 3	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Kutkobad Ahmed, mortgagee Misrijan Chowdhuri and others.	.....	146 12 10	.....
1885	Thanas Hathazari and Rauzan, taraf Mhd. Rafi.	926 14 0	Ditto ...	.....	Ram Kumar De, Chandi Charan Chowdhuri.	.....	273 9 11	.....
2584	Thanas Chakaria, Patiya, Town and Rauzan, taraf Ram Sundar Kanungoe.	849 6 6	Only a share will be sold.	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 1859 the residuary share to the extent of interest 12 annas 10 pies will be sold excluding the paid up share No. 1 to the extent of interest 3 annas 2 pies paying annual jama of Rs. 168.	Sm. Rahimunnesa herself and on behalf of Sultan Ahmed.	681 6 6	.....	202 3 0
3054	Thanas Rauzan, Hathazari, Patiya, Town, and Fatikcheri, Taraf Siva Durga Charan Chowdhuri.	2,942 2 2	Ditto ...	Separation of accounts having been made under Act XI of 859 the share No. 3, Nityananda Ray to the extent of interest 2 as. 9 pies 10 kts. will be sold excluding the paid up residuary share and shares Nos. 1, 2 and 4 to 17 to the extent of interest 13 as. 2 pies 10 kts. paying annual jama of Rs. 2,427-14-10.	Sm. Lakhi Kamini Sen.	514 3 4	.....	151 5 0
33341	Thana Chakaria, Kalmi taluk Kashi Chandra.	1,055 3 0	The whole estate will be sold.	.....	Sm. Mary Elizabeth Decruz and Shaik Waizuddin Shikdar.	.....	164 14 ...	.....

Chittagong, the 2nd November 1917. A. H. CLAYTON, Collector.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of land revenue.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
15-1	Kismat Kharibaria and others, pargana Maguru.	4,040 5 0	.....	3 annas share in the estate.*	Kali Pada Rai Chaudhuary.	758 13 5	.....	154 9 1
392	Hinda Joy, Railway station Chandipur, pargana Azimabad.	8,313 7 8	.....	Residuary share 2a. 13gds. 1c. 1kt. share.*	Nobo Kishore Mondal and others.	1,385 9 2	.....	126 12 11¼
392-4	Ditto ditto ...	8,313 7 8	.....	2a. 13gds. 1c. 1kt. share*.	Ditto ...	1,385 9 4	.....	126 11 7
567-1	Atghara and others, pargana Anapur.	2,0[illegible] 4 7	.....	8 annas share in the estate*.	Mohendra Nath Gain and others.	1,042 0 9½	.....	112 0 6½
2456	Mauza Krishnapur, pargana Khasalpur.	772 2 0	Whole estate	.....	Adyanath Bhattacharjee and others.	.....	238 11 10	.....

* All the shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 28th November 1917. H. C. CHATARJI, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share.—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
313	Ph. Batitaki ...	630 1 9	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share.	Satis Ch. Pal, and 14 others.	26 9 0	.....	21 14 8 up to June 1917.
314	Ph. Batitaki, M. Phulbheri.	1,602 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold :— Mauzas Satibatitaki, Abhoymukundapur, Astidangar, Baju, Bhatbar, Bhuma, Bhojpur, Chhatrishotya, Dahuka, Dangarpara, Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagora, Kraidangar, Kulbheri, Gargreyachak, Guri, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbar, Jamaria, Juti, Kalankoi Chhota, Kurangi, Kailkuchak, Kunorpur, Kotai, Khagrabheri, Khandorbhari, Khursai, Lakhanda, Modhubar, Mohamudchak, Masandichak Masagan, Mokundapurhat, Palasi Dakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangor, Satbani, Seruchak, Sonadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tafda, Tala, Taladiha, Trilochanpur, Suriha, Simulia, 9a. 11g. 1k. 1d. share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Ramani Moni Dasi, guardian of Amulya Charan Jana, minor.	954 2 2	.....	73 2 3
584	Ph. Chetua, M. Shyamsundarpur.	2,807 11 3	.....	S. A. No. 1 ... ... Eight annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Sailendra Nath Mitra.	1,464 15 9 including Paikan.	...	2 8 0 Paikan.
937	Ph. Kasijora, M. Gurpurmoth a mpur *alias* Chaitanyapur.	738 10 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 only. 12as. 16g. share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Trailokya Nath Maiti and another.	390 14 8	...	2 5 8 Sept. 1916 to Mar. 1917.
962	Ph. Kasijora, M. Jhagarkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	.....
983	Ph. Kasijora, M. Magnri.	3,776 15 7	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only. Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 2 others.	944 3 6	.....	74 7 10
983	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	.....	S. A. No. 3 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will excluded from the sale.	Adhar Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	.....	73 4 6
983	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	.....	S. A. No. 4 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Navadwip Chand Nandi.	944 4 0	.....	73 4 6
1025	Ph. Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan *alias* Dhaniarika.	1,442 6 7 12 6 11	L. R. entire Police.	.....	Chan. Paresnath Masanta and another.	.....	112 0 7 1 6 11	L. R. Police.
1466	Ph. Khandar, M. Barbansi.	19,085 0 0	.....	S. A. No. 23 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :—	Baikuntha Nath Marik Sabait of Lutki Janardanjew Thakur.	1,559 10 8	.....	121 13 7

	A.	G.	K.	C.
Mauza Satsaichak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Turiachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Narma ...	5	6	2	2
,, Panchanandachak	10	13	1	1
,, Paramaschandachak.	10	13	1	1
,, Paikanchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Paddarchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Ranjichak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Radhabenodechak	10	13	1	1
,, Manikpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Alankarpur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Arjunchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bamanchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Bandpala ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bichhachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Baicha ...	10	13	1	1
,, Brindabonchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bhaguchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomunda ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomaichak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gourangachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Jagatpur ...	5	6	2	2
,, Jogubarichak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Purichak ...	5	6	2	2

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1894	Ph. Matkadpur, M. Matkadpur.	1,070 8 10	Entire ...	.....	Navadip Chand Nandi and 3 others.	.....	2 6 6	.....
2246	Ph. Sabang, M. Mahar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1. 8 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mondol and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0. June and Sept. 1917.
2617	Ph. Shipur, M. Srirampur.	3,900 0 6	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share. Part II.	Chaudhuri, Srikanta Das Muhapatra, etc., and 24 others.	65 1 6	.....	181 9 2 Jan. 1916 to Mar. 1917.
2882	Ph. Pataspur, M. Mirjapur.	520 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nilkantha Rath and 9 others.	.....	11 3 6	.....

W. A. MARR, Collector.

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		RS. A. P.				RS. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Barabaru.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share only	Moulvi Wazed Ali Khan Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	238 12 3
26 3	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate Account No. 3 consisting of 6 as. 8 gds. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Bignold, General Manager, Court of Wards.	3,988 10 0	.....	120 2 6
13383	Joar Balukandi, pargana Baradakhat.	3,696 13 0	Yes ...	.....	Pyari Mohan Dhar Choudhury and others.	.....	709 10 6	.....
107	Zemindari, pargana Nadirujjal.	679 2 0	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Prosad Lahiri Choudhury.	.....	44 1 9	.....
11 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Atia.	910 8 0	No ...	Joint share.—10 as. 17 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of kismat Charau; 14 as. 16 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of kismat Charkaria, Khali Sindur Aller Bisha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina; 13 as. 12 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287½ dhuls share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 5 as. 2 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72½ dhuls share of kismat Charau; 1 a. 3 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72½ dhuls share of Char Karia, Khali Sindur, Aller Bisha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina and 2 as. 7 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72½ dhuls of all other remaining kismats of the estate will not be sold.	Girish Chandra Roy Choudhury and others.	766 0 0	.....	23 8 9

B. N. RAY, Additional Collector.

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 1st December 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, and section 11 of Act VII of 1868, that the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Noakhali will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 21st of December 1917, at 1 P.M., for the said arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.		*Estate.*		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Lot No. 7, 1.	Elahabad, His. 8 annas, pargana Elahabad.	1,705 0 6	Whole ...	.....	Golapraj Choudhurani and others.	...	296 12 0 1,086 2 3 1,382 15 0	...
				Khas Mehal tenure.				
Lot No. 13, 1669.	Char Maghdhara, Madhyasatta No. 1.	844 15 0	Do. ...	.....	Hoblal Laha	...	Rent ... 184 14 0 Cess ... 19 12 3 204 10 3	...
Lot No. 15, 1662.	Ditto. No. 78	649 12 0	Do. ...	.....	Kumudini Kanta Mukhopadhya and others.	...	Rent ... 142 0 0 Cess ... 26 0 0 168 0 0	...
Lot No. 19, 1666.	Char Alexander, Madhyasatta, No. 1.	761 4 0	Do. ...	.....	Serajal Haque Mian and others.	...	166 8 0 20 0 0 186 8 0	...
Lot No. 25, 1686.	Mauza Char Gazi, Madhyasatta, No. 2.	554 2 0	Do. ...	.....	Serazal Haque Mia and others.	...	116 13 0 10 2 9 126 15 9	...

Noakhali Collectorate, the 19th November 1917. J. N. SINHA, Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1918, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th January at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1518	Ph. Khandar, M. Churka *alias* Jhilonga.	687 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Kripasindhu Mahanta and three others.	.....	51 9 3	.....	Rev. 51 9 3 Cess. 18 4 9
1668	Ph. Khandar, M. Saharabar.	518 10 9	Do. ...	.....	Moheswar Mahanta and four others.	.....	24 3 9	.....	Rev. 24 3 9 Cess. 20 10 9

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917. W. A. MARR, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the Burdwan-Howrah Chord Railway in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, the 23rd January 1918, corresponding with the 10th Magh 1324 B.S., at Rudrani Railway Station (B. P. Railway).

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The purchasers shall be put in possession on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming the sale.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot
					B. K. C.	A. R. P.	Reasons for exclusion.	A. R. P.		
1	Hooghly...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Hoshenpur.	Mile No 32 of Burdwan-Howrah Chord.	Situated on the south side of the Railway.	2 1 0	·68	.....	.....	.....	*North and East*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company. *South*—By the lands of Khati Bibi, Jubbar Sheik and Kali Pada Ghose *West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company and Hriday Bari.
1A	Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Do ...	Ditto ..	0 17 8	·29	.....	.....	.....	*North, East, South and West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company
2	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Faridpur	Do. ..	Ditto ...	24 8 0	8·07	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the lands of Babulla Sheik, Hem Chandra Ghose, Annada Prosad Ghose and the East Indian Railway Company. *East*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company. *South*—By the lands of Choto Nara Ghose, Babulla Sheik, Purna Chandra Ghose and the East Indian Railway Company. *West*—By the lands of Hriday Bari, Abdu. Bari Masjid, Tinka t Ghose and Taleb Sheik under Kamran Bibi.
3	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Baida.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 6 15	·11	.....	.....	.....	*North, East, South and West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company.
4	Ditto ...	Pargana Chowmoha, mauza Birpur.	Do. ...	Ditto ...	0 19 8	·33	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By the lands of Babulla Sheik *East, South and West*—By the lands of the East Indian Railway Company
					28 13 15	9·47				

Burdwan, the 6th December 1917.

MATHURA NATH BANERJI, Collector under Act I of 1894.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plots of land, no longer required by Government, situated along the east side of the Eastern Bengal Railway, in the district of the 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 11-30 o'clock on Sunday, the 13th January 1918, corresponding with the 29th Poush 1324 fusli, at Mallikpur.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st.—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd.—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100 the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money exceeds Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th.—The plots of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th.—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	24-Parganas	Madanmolla, Mallikpur.	14th	East ...	3 13 12	1·218	.....	.....	The lot commences at mile No. 13, chainage 14·40 and terminates at mile 13 chainage 22·40.	*North*—Land belonging to Kali Das Roy Chowdhury and others and Mirza Ahmadally. *East*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others, Mirza Ahmadally and village road. *South*—Lands of Kalidas Roy Chowdhury and others. *West*—Eastern Bengal Railway land.

Alipore, the 21st November 1917.

W. D. R. PRENTICE, Collector, 24-Parganas.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated at the junction of Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane and the New 40 feet Road connecting Krishna Bihari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 28th January 1918, corresponding with the 15th Magh B. S., at the Land Acquisition Collector's Office, 2 Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres.		Land excluded from sale from each lot.		Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
					B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.		
1	24-Parganas	Portion of No. 5, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane, Calcutta.	.....	.....	0 0 15 6 sq.ft.	·0155	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane. *East*—By a New Road connecting Krishna Behari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street. *South and West*—By premises No. 5-1, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane.

Calcutta Collectorate, the 7th December 1917.

BUNGSIDHAR BANERJEE, Land Acquisition Collector.

DISTRICT CHARITABLE SOCIETY.

Cash Account for the month of October 1917.

Budget for 1917.	Income.	October 1917.	Total.	Total from January to Oct. 1917.	Budget for 1917.	Expenditure.	October 1917.	Total.	Total from January to Oct. 1917.
Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
5,911	Opening Balance ...	.....	.....	.....		POOR RELIEF—			
	GRANT-IN-AID—				25,737	Through Indian Committee, Pensions.	1,986 2 0		21,141 15 0
14,400	Government of India	1,200 0 0		12,000 0 0	1,900	Through Indian Committee, Establishment.	162 8 0		1,577 10 0
3,000	,, ,, Bengal	250 0 0		2,500 0 0					
4,000	Sunday fees	.....		3,520 0 0	21,500	Central Office, Pensions.	1,684 0 0		17,060 0 0
188	Corporation to Alms House.	.....		91 7 0	3,000	Central Office, Schooling.	282 8 0		2,199 8 0
2,000	Royal Calcutta Turf Club.	.....		.....	8,500	Central Office, Casual Relief.	387 13 6		5,991 5 6
			1,450 0 0		700	Central Office, Training and Outfit.	59 7 0		720 11 0
	PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTIONS—				1,500	Central Office, Private Orders.	165 0 0		1,974 2 3
6,000	Recurring	104 0 0		5,241 12 0	600	Central Office, Xmas Dinner account.	.....		.....
7,500	New Subscriptions and Donations.	242 0 0		3,761 5 0				4,677 6 6	
180	Contribution towards rent.	15 0 0		150 0 0		ALMS HOUSE—			
600	Xmas Dinner account	.....		.....	3,984	Establishment and Enquiry Officer.	344 0 0		3,380 0 0
			361 0 0		14,000	Dieting	979 7 6		9,600 4 6
	DONATION TO INDIAN COMMITTEE—				2,000	Contingencies ...	179 11 6		1,731 10 3
50	Received by the Central Office.	.....		20 0 0	1,000	Clothing and Bedding.	.....		191 11 0
			.....		1,500	Repairs	.....		546 12 0
	INTEREST ON INVESTMENTS—				5,900	Bakery account ...	424 12 6		3,722 3 0
540	General Fund ...	.....		471 0 0	5,000	Oil-crushing account	154 15 0		1,068 4 0
31,000	Trust Funds "A" ...	.....		20,865 0 7				2,082 14 6	
19,000	,, ,, "B" ...	200 0 0		12,216 7 4					
			200 0 0			ESTABLISHMENT—			
	RELIEF FUNDS—				9,216	Central Office, Staff and Menials.	677 8 0		7,160 0 0
1,500	Private Orders ...	144 14 6		1,909 5 9	300	Auditing	.....		300 0 0
			144 14 6		1,200	Rent	200 0 0		1,000 0 0
	ALMS HOUSE—				1,000	Contingencies ...	50 5 6		1,031 8 2
6,000	Bakery account ...	404 0 6		4,050 11 0	1,000	Printing and advertising.	25 8 0		721 10 6
7,000	Oil-crushing account	304 0 6		3,519 12 9				953 5 6	
			708 10 0						
7,500	DeSouza Home ...	549 12 3		5,384 4 3					
	Deposit account ...	34 0 0		6,939 12 0					
			583 12 3*			SUNDRY CHARGES—			
			3,448 4 9	93,640 13 8	100	Bank charges ...	.....	.....	32 9 9
				13,900 0 0					
	Stock Account, Babu Shewpershad Jhoonjhoonwallah, at 3½ per cent G. P. note and Rai Isur Chandra Mitra Bahadur, 5 per cent. Indian War Loan, 3½ per cent. Rai Durga Das Bose Bahadur's and 3½ per cent. G. P. Note Babu Pearl Mohan Paramanic and S. M. Hari Moti Dasi Fund*	1,500 0 0			7,500	DeSouza Home ...	534 7 9		5,391 3 6
						Deposit account ...	313 9 0		3,268 7 0
								848 0 9	
								8,361 11 3	94,851 7 5
						Bank of Bengal Safe Custody deposit.	.....	.....	13,400 0 0
						Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China fixed deposit.	.....	.....	2,000 0 0
			1,500 0 0						
1,16,464	Total ...		4,948 4 9	1,07,540 13 8	1,17,237	Total ...	.....	8,361 11 3	1,09,251 7 5

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance	.....	5,911 8 2	Total payments from 1st January to 31st October 1917.	.....	1,09,251 7 5
Total Receipts from 1st January to 31st October 1917	.....	1,07,540 13 8	Balance at Bank	2,224 9 9	
			Cash in hand	1,976 4 8*	
					4,200 14 5
Total ...	.....	1,13,452 5 10	Total ...	.....	1,13,452 5 10

* Babu Pearl Mohan Paramanic and Hari Moti Dasi Fund Rs. 1,500 in 3½ per cent. G. P. Note.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd November 1917.

S. K. BHUTTACHARJEE,
Accountant.

PERCY W. WOOLLEY,
Secretary.

		Rs.	Rs.
1916, Donations and New Subscriptions	from January to September ...	14,493	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in October	169	
			14,662
1917, ,, ,, ,,	from January to September ...	17,131	
,, ,, ,, ,,	in October	242	
			17,373

STATEMENT OF GOVERNMENT PROMISSORY NOTES ENFACED FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST IN LONDON

Under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the books of the Bank of Bengal on the 30th November 1917.

Particulars.	3 per cent. of 1896-97.	3½ PER CENT. LOANS					
		of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	of 1865.	of 1879.	of 1900-01.	Total.
Balance of 15th November 1917	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,72,300	64,41,500	19,98,200	7,38,17,500
ADD—							
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6301A., dated 3rd November 1908, into 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01.	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,400	47,400
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1917.	.....	.....	.....	2,600	.....	.....	2,600
Total ...	28,03,600	94,12,700	4,13,92,800	1,45,74,900	64,41,500	20,45,600	7,38,67,500
DEDUCT—							
Amount written off in the London Registers	55,300	.....	1,73,500	.....	....	15,000	1,88,500
Balance on 30th November 1917	27,48,300	94,12,700	4,13,19,300	1,45,74,900	64,41,500	20,30,600	7,36,79,000

Particulars.	4 PER CENT.		INDIAN WAR LOAN.			Grand Total.
	Terminable Loan of 1915-16.	Conversion Loan of 1916-17.	5 per cent. War Loan 1929-1947.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1920.	5½ per cent. War Bonds 1922.	
Balance of 15th November 1917	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,22,700
ADD—						
Amount of Loan Certificate transferred to stock in London.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount issued in London by conversion under Notification No. 6301A., dated 3rd November 1908, into 3½ per cent. loan of 1900-01.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,400
Amount enfaced at Madras up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Bombay up to	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Amount enfaced at Calcutta between 16th and 30th November 1917.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,600
Total ...	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,71,72,700
DEDUCT—						
Amount written off in the London Registers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,43,800
Balance on 30th November 1917	2,500	45,000	4,50,000	1,800	2,300	7,69,28,900

NOTE.—From 9th June 1917 to 30th September 1917—Enfaced from India, 12,410 lakhs; re-transferred from London, 12,093 lakhs.
" 1st October 1917 to 15th October " " " " 2 " " " 1 lakh.
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " " 5 " " " —
" 1st November " to 15th November " " " 1 lakh " " " 1 lakh.
" 16th " " to 30th " " " " " — " " " 2 lakhs.
12,418 lakhs. 12,097 lakhs.

L. A. VORLES,
Superintendent.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 7th December 1917.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned packages, lying unclaimed in the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, will be sold by public auction on or after the 7th January 1918, under section 118, Act III (B.C.) of 1890 :—

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. II.					
Oct. 3	Sept. 29	R & Co £ in a diamond ...	228	1	Package whipcord (defective).	SS. "Holywell."	
„ 12	Oct. 6	A K in a diamond or nil ...	...	1	Cement cask (broken and empty).	SS. "Ceylon Maru."	
„ 12	„ 6	No mark	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 6	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 6	1918 in a parallelogram, Rangoon below, or nil.	...	1	Case (broken and empty).	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 6	245 in a diamond, T L on top, & Co, Penang below.	...	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 6	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose rice sweeping.	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 6	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose planks = 16 pieces.	Ditto.	
„ 12	„ 5	Ditto	...	7	Packets cotton singlets.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 13	OEEC	42	1	Case Porac connection	SS. "Kongosan Maru."	
„ 22	„ 16	M & on top of a diamond, C O below.	...	1	Keg red lead (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	No mark	...	2	Kegs merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of bobbins	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	35	Pieces cotton undershirts.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	4	Pieces trousers ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Tin needles ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of glass beads.	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 13	78 in a diamond ...	2042	1	Case merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	$\frac{015}{2535}$ in a diamond, S M on top, I C below.	11	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 12	No mark	...	17	Casks merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 16	Ditto	...	1	Package bottles (defective).	Ditto.	
Nov. 8	„ 25	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	SS. "Ajax."	
„ 8	„ 25	Ditto	...	1	Empty drum or keg	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. II—*concld.*					
1917.	1917.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
Aug. 29	Aug. 20	D C in a diamond ...	324	1	Case merchandise ...	SS. "Japan."	
„ 29	„ 20	R G K M S	...	1	Bag rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 20	R G K	...	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 20	R S V G Long	...	2	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 20	S V G	...	2	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 20	S K D Bull	...	1	Bag rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 29	„ 20	S D D Sweet	...	2	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
Sept. 14	Sept. 5	G & Co in a double triangle, Sydney below.	X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	SS. "Chindwara."	
„ 14	„ 5	No mark	...	2	Tins jam (damaged)	Ditto.	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. IV.					
Oct. 13	Oct. 1	Don. W. Griffin Gwalior ...	1-29	29	Cases E. cutters and parts.	SS. "Yochow."	
„ 13	Sept. 29	No mark	...	188	Bags sugar ...	Ditto.	
„ 13	„ 29	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose sugar.	Ditto.	
„ 23	Oct 15	A H or nil	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	PS. "Asahi Maru."	
„ 23	„ 15	H C in a circle ...	...	6	Packages tea shooks (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	No mark	X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Ditto	...	3	Packages tea shooks (defective)	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Ditto	...	2	Bundles tea fittings ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Ditto	...	1	Case beer ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose empty phials.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 13	Ditto	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	H C in a circle or nil ...	...	1	Bundle tea shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 23	„ 15	Monghyr in a diamond, P T on top, C L below.	931 or X, 935 or X.	2	Bundles tea shooks ...	Ditto.	
Nov. 7	„ 22	C L 198 D M & Co. in a diamond, I T on top, C L below.	11118	1	Case merchandise (defective).	S.S. "Matra."	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. IV—*concld.*					
1917.	1917.						
Nov. 7	Oct 24	G & Co or C & Co. or nil ...	X	1	Case advtg matter (defective).	SS. "Matra."	
„ 7	„ 22	M S D A S	46-50	5	Cases brassware (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	M M B S Madras	...	7	Casks cement (defective.)	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	P S A C or nil	...	14	Bags cement (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	No mark	...	1	Package tea shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	Ditto	...	2	Bags fire-bricks (defective)	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 24	Ditto	...	4	Pieces buckets ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	R in a diamond or nil ...	...	1	Cask cement (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	R. Hockey c-o Secretary, British India Marine	X	1	Package clothing hooks (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 23	Spencer & Co., Madras ...	4136	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	No mark	...	11	Casks cement (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 22	Ditto	...	9	Empty drums ...	Ditto.	
„ 7	„ 25	.....	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 3	Aug. 25	238 in a diamond, M M on top, & Co below.	...	1	Keg paint ...	SS. "Clan Malcolm."	
		Withdrawn from last four sales.					
May 15	May 8	No mark	...	15	Pieces plates (iron) ...	SS. "Asahi Maru."	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. V.					
Sept. 22	Sept. 13	$\frac{175}{249}$ in a diamond, C E on top, C O below.	35	1	Case merchandise (defective).	SS. "Shirala."	
„ 22	„ 14	J B M 157 in a diamond, A H 1042 on top, & Co below.	110	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 15	648 in a diamond, K C on top, or 643 in a diamond, K C on top.	12	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 15	No mark	X	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 22	„ 14	008 in a diamond, S G on top, Park below.	25	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. V—*contd.*					
1917.	1917.						
Sept. 22	Sept. 13	$\frac{120}{1204}$ in a double triangle, S M S on top, & S sides, E E below.	2	1	Case merchandise (defective)	SS. "Shirala."	
„ 22	„ 17	No mark	...	8	Pieces plates, iron (rusty).	Ditto.	
Oct. 5	„ 27	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose empty Alpin milk tins.	SS. "Santacruz."	
„ 5	„ 27	S W & Co. or nil	X	1	Case oilman's stores (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 13	Oct. 12	M S in a diamond, S M on top.	779 or X	1	Case glassware (defective).	SS. "Taisho Maru."	
„ 16	„ 11	M G K in a diamond, or nil		1	Bundle tea chests (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 11	No mark	...	4	Bundles tea shooks ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 11	Ditto	...	1	Bundle planks or tea shooks.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 12	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose planks or tea shooks.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 17	Ditto	...	6	Pieces cotton undershirts.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 17	Ditto	...	22	Pieces banians ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 17	Ditto	...	1	Packet stockings ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 17	Ditto	...	1	Packet combs ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 17	Ditto	...	11	Coils or rolls brass wire.	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 10	H K D A2 or nil ...	...	23	Bags rice (torn) ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 10	No mark	...	9	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 10	H A H K or nil ...	...	8	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 11	R in a circle, Singapore ...	323	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 16	„ 13	T in a triangle, F S on top, or nil.	...	1	Bundle T shooks ...	Ditto.	
Nov. 1	„ 20	D A H B	...	1	Bag betelnuts ...	SS. "Hangsang."	
„ 5	„ 24	$\frac{1022}{8532}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	811-2	2	Cases cycle accessories (defective).	SS. "Kumeric."	
„ 5	„ 25	$\frac{1555}{1215}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below, or $\frac{1355}{1215}$ in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	33 or 35	1	Case cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 24	B & O A in a diamond ...	1-8, 10-12	11	Cases merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. V—*contd.*					
1917. Nov. 5	1917. Oct. 24	Dykes & Co. ...	X	1	Case autoparts (defective).	SS. "Kumeric."	
„ 5	„ 24	606/1198 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	50 51	2	Cases cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto	
„ 5	„ 24	1098/1122 in a diamond, G A on top. & Co below.	162-167	6	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 24	1630/1140 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	402 or X	1	Case cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 24	1658/1160 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	700-2	3	Cases cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 25	1507/83515 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	77	1	Case cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 25	1643/1206 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	10	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 25	1201/85299 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	737	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 25	1022/83433 or 38 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	106	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 24	1201/83457 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	76	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	Nov. 23	608/1225 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	6	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 23	G A on top of a diamond, & Co below or nil.	3 or X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 25	1349/83514 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co. below, or 1315/83514 in a diamond, G A on top & Co. below.	172 or X.	1	Case cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 26	No mark	...	122	Coils wire ...	Ditto.	
„ 5	„ 26	Ditto	...	1	Drum (leaky) ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
„ 5	„ 24	1096/1129 in a diamond, G A on top, & Co below.	452	1	Case cycle accessories (defective).	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. V—*concld*					
1917.	1917.	*Withdrawn from last sale.*					
Aug. 27	Aug. 18	Various marks or nil ...	...	50	Bags rice (torn) ...	SS. "City of Edinburgh."	
„ 27	„ 18	No mark	...	1	Bag pulse ...	Ditto.	H. G.
„ 27	„ 24	Ditto	...	2	Empty drums caustic soda (broken).	Ditto ...	
„ 27	„ 24	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VI.					
Sept. 24	Sept. 17	1505 in a triangle, M S on top.	X	1	Case cotton embroideries (defective).	SS. "Loredano."	
„ 24	„ 20	S J 4209 Rangoon	103-4	2	Cases iron safes (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 24	„ 21	No mark or 334 W B in a diamond, Rangoon below, or 334 W Y in a diamond, Rangoon below.	488 or X	1	Case iron safe (defective).	Ditto.	
Oct. 3	Oct. 3	No mark or Rangoon	...	1	Crate (empty) ...	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	L in a triangle, A S on top, or nil.	...	3	Packages tea shooks	SS. "Tenryu Maru."	
„ 8	„ 1	No mark	...	1	Package tea shooks (broken).	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	M B K	...	1	Package tea shooks (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	Ditto	...	1	Package empty phials (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	Ditto	...	4	Pieces undershirts ...	Ditto.	
„ 8	„ 1	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
Nov. 1	„ 22	1596 in an inverted triangle, A C & S on top.	4 or X	1	Bale merchandise (defective).	SS. "Clan Macquarrie."	
„ 1	„ 17	Blackwood	...	2	Casks cement (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 22	B in a diamond, Madras below, or nil.	...	1	Cask cement (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 18	B W W in a diamond, 180K 1105 Valparaiso below, or B W in a diamond.	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 22	Chokidinghi	267	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
„ 1	„ 19	Cable in a diamond, T M on top, J & Co below, Madras	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VI—*contd.*					
Nov. 1	Oct. 18	Mr. Fauthorne, c/o Messrs. Rufenes & Co., Lucknow.	...	1	Package folding camp bed stand (defective).	SS. "Clan Macquarrie."	
,, 1	,, 19	F B in a triangle, Colombo below.	735-6, 736.	3	Cases merchandise (repaired).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	Grand & Co ...	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 19	K 414 in a diamond, K B on top, Colombo below.	X	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 18	Property of Lall Chand and Sons, Printers.	X	1	Package merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	No mark	...	1	Bale paper (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	Ditto	...	2	Cases jams (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	Ditto	...	3	Empty casks (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	Ditto	...	6	Casks cement (3 broken and 3 empty).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	Ditto	63236 or X.	1	Package merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	Nil or H N	...	1	Bag groundnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	No mark	...	1	Keg merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	Ditto	...	2	Casks soda (broken)...	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 22	O in an inverted triangle, H E on top, Colombo below or C in an inverted triangle, H E on top, Colombo below.	...	1	Case merchandise (repaired).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 18	R 4691/4700 or nil ...	50964 or X.	1	Package electric lamps (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 18	R 6599/6607 or nil ...	51465 or X.	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 18	R 4207/11 or nil ...	1283 or X.	1	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	S 7ec G or nil Madras ...	...	1	Cask cement (broken)	Ditto	
,, 1	,, 20	12 in a diamond, V on top, Colo below, or nil.	X	1	Case merchandise (repaired).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	W N D in a diamond, S M on top, & Co below, or nil.	...	5	Casks cement (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	O A G, Colombo ...	...	4	Ditto ...	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 17	No mark	...	1	Weighing machine (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 1	,, 20	C H in a diamond, K Madras below, or G H in a diamond, K Madras below.	...	1	Keg empty ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 1	,, 20	Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum.	...	2	Drums mineral jelly...	Ditto ...	H G

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917	1917.	SHED No. VI—*concld.*					
Nov. 1	Oct. 20	Rifle Factory, Ishapore or nil.	...	4	Drums empty ...	SS. "Clan Macquarrie."	H.G.
,, 1	,, 20	No mark	...	...	A quantity of cement sweeping.	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Sept. 11	Sept. 1	M in a diamond ...	6-7	2	Cases merchandise (defective).	SS. "Jinsen Maru."	
,, 11	,, 4	No mark	...	19	Packages sulphur (loose).	Ditto	
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VII.					
Sept. 15	Sept. 3	B & Co in a triangle ...	X	1	Crate empty ...	SS. "Colaba."	
,, 15	,, 8	E I R	464	1	Cask merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	Leslie or nil	X	1	Package merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	No mark	...	1	Empty cask ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	Govt. or nil	...	1	Bundle iron (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 3	No mark	...	1	Empty groundnut bag.	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 3	Ditto	...	1	Bag groundnut sweeping (¼ empty).	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	A B R C S L Chittagong or nil ...	67	1	Piece plank ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 6	No mark	...	4	Empty cases (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 9	P & S	1154	1	Empty case ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	Rifle Factory, Ishapore, or nil.	...	1	Empty drum ...	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	Photo-Litho Office or nil ...	...	5	Empty drums ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 15	,, 8	No mark	...	4	Drums (leaky and empty).	Ditto.	
,, 15	,, 8	S. S. & Co	...	1	Empty drum ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 15	,, 8	No mark	...	2	Casks pitch (broken)	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 15	,, 8	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose pitch.	Ditto ...	H. G.
Oct. 23	Oct. 15	2001 in a triangle, G K on top.	3566.82	17	Bales merchandise (defective).	SS. "Mahronda."	
,, 23	,, 13	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 13	Ditto	...	12	Pieces rice bowls (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 13	Ditto	...	9	Pieces dishes (broken)	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 13	Ditto	...	9	Kodalies (defective)	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 13	Ditto	...	1	Piece wooden handle (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 23	,, 13	Ditto	...	7	Pieces shoe lasts (defective.)	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
		SHED No. VII – *concld.*					
1917.	1917.						
Oct. 23	Oct. 13	No mark	...	2	Pieces round iron bars (defective).	SS. "Mahronda."	
Nov. 2	,, 18	CC HK or nil	...	1	Empty paint keg ...	SS. "City of Marseilles."	
,, 2	,, 18	No mark	...	2	Cases (defective) ...	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 18	Ditto	...	5	Empty cement casks (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 18	Ditto	...	5	Bags copra ...	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 18	Ditto	...	1	Keg (defective) ...	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 22	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tea sweeping.	Ditto.	
,, 2	,, 22	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of copra sweeping.	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 31	Aug. 22	No mark	...	...	A quantity of rice sweeping.	SS. "Kirin Maru."	
		SHED No. VIII.					
1917.	1917.						
Sept. 17	Sept. 8	J B & M 220 in a diamond, P & on top, C O or Co below.	49	1	Case (defective) ...	SS. "G. Apcar."	
,, 17	,, 7	No mark	...	83	Bags sugar (defective)	Ditto.	
Nov. 5	Oct. 18	6132 in a diamond, I O on top.	...	1	Case shears (repaired)	SS. "Kasama."	
,, 5	,, 23	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose tin plates.	Ditto.	
,, 5	,, 18	A M X	119	1	Case merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	1024 in a triangle, M B on top.	...	1	Case rubber chest ...	SS. "Tamon Maru."	
,, 7	,, 25	No mark	...	1	Bag betelnuts (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 25	Ditto	...	1	Bag sago (nearly empty).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto	...	1	Package china plates (loose).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto	...	2	Cases merchandise (broken).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of loose empty soda water bottles.	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto	...	5	Pieces undershirts ...	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	H B P Penang	...	1	Bundle tea shooks ...	Ditto.	

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Mark	No.	Quantity	Description.	Vessel's name.	Remarks.
1917.	1917.	SHED No. VIII—*concld.*					
Nov. 7	Oct. 27	1 in a circle or T B ...	...	5	Bundles tea shooks ...	SS. "Tamon Maru."	
,, 7	,, 27	Various marks or nil ...	...	20	Bags betel nuts (defective).	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	Ditto ...	...	6	Bags sago (defective)	Ditto.	
,, 7	,, 27	708 in a diamond, A S on top.	X	1	Case matches (defective).	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 7	,, 27	No mark	...	1	Bundle case (broken)	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 30	Aug. 18	No mark	...	...	A quantity of broken pieces fire-bricks.	SS. "Mahanada."	
Sept. 6	,, 25	No mark or Lipton ...	...	1	Box tin plates ...	SS. "City of Naples"	
,, 6	,, 25	No mark	...	6	Bags sulphur (torn)...	Ditto ...	H. G.
,, 6	,, 27	Ditto	...	10	Drums caustic soda ...	Ditto ...	H. G.
1917.	1917	SHED No. IX.					
Oct. 13	Sept. 21	No mark	...	...	A quantity of loose tea shooks.	SS. "Consaltharoe."	
Nov. 6	Oct. 22	Ditto	...	...	Ditto ...	SS. "Kosuku Maru."	
,, 6	,, 22	Ditto	...	...	A quantity of broken fire-bricks.	Ditto.	
,, 6	,, 24	J R G Bombay	40525-27, 40529, 40531-32, 40538.	7	Drums merchandise (defective).	SS. "Caboto."	
,, 6	,, 24	No mark or J R G	...	1	Drum merchandise (defective).	Ditto.	
		Withdrawn from last sale.					
Aug. 11	July 30	C B Co Penang	...	2	Cases merchandise (defective).	SS. "Benten Maru."	
		Unidentified goods of Jetties.					
Nov. 12	...	No mark	...	1	Piece woollen sweater	.....	From Police.
,, 22	...	Ditto	....	5	Pieces cotton undershirts.	.....	Ditto.
,, 23	...	Ditto	...	3	Pieces cotton wrappers.	.....	Ditto.
Dec. 1	..	.....	...	...	About ½ seer of sago	.....	Ditto.
,, 1	...	.....	...	...	About 3 seers of nails	.....	Ditto.
,, 8	...	.....	...	4	Pieces cotton undershirts.	.....	Ditto.

Date of removal.	Date of landing.	Marks.	No.	Quantity.	Description.	Vessel's name	Remarks.
		Unidentified goods of Jetties—concld.					
		No mark	...	3	Cases merchandise (broken).		
		Ditto	...	4	Bags merchandise (torn).		
		Ditto	...	1	Roll merchandise.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of emery cloths.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of scrap iron.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of Dammer-batu (sweeping.)		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of nails		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tea shooks and fittings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of empty cases		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of fire-bricks		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of empty bottles.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of tin linings.		
		Ditto	...	...	A quantity of sundries		

T. J. McGLOUGHIN, Traffic Manager.

Port Commissioners' Offices, Calcutta, the 19th December 1917. (2941—1)

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 10th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.		Rs	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ..		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 2,13,01,260 9 11			
Ditto ditto at Branches „	1,51,54,570 0 6	3,64,55,830	10	5
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		30,40,87,728	10	8
Bank Post Bills, etc		14,97,801	14	0
Sundries		17,18,488	15	2
		88,54,59,840	2	8

ASSETS		Rs	A	P
Government Securities		6,87,81,784	0	0
Other authorized Investments		1,35,66,940	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities		5,00,59,586	15	9
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...		4,88,62,782	0	7
Bills discounted and purchased		3,54,49,961	4	8
Balances with other Banks		58,89,688	3	8
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		28,88,795	3	3
Stamps		12,577	0	2
Sundries		8,71,286	14	6
		22,08,33,196	10	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ...	Rs. 11,39,72,596 3 10			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ...	Rs. 5,06,04,047 3 10	16,45,76,643	7	8
		88,54,59,840	2	8

* Includes Sovs. & ½ Sovs.; value Rs 3,78,247 8 0
Do do do „ 5,79,547 8 0
Rs. 9,57,795 0 0

Rate for Demand Loans, 5 per cent
Percentage, 47·88.

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 13th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL,
Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN,
Secretary and Treasurer
(2901—1)

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

NOTIFICATION.

Tea Charges.

IN supersession of the Notifications, dated the 21st June 1900, 20th April 1905, 24th July 1911 and 24th June 1912, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th June 1900, 26th April 1905, 26th July 1911 and 26th June 1912, respectively, and all other notifications and charges repugnant hereto, it is hereby notified under the provisions of section 107 of the Calcutta Port Act III, 1890, and with the sanction of the Local Government that on and from the 6th December 1917 the following charges will be levied on tea at the Tea Warehouse and Kidderpore Docks :—

Tea Warehouses—Sale Teas.

1. *Receiving at Warehouse.*—Including Port Commissioners' wharf charges, per 90 lbs 6 pies.
2. (*a*) *Rent.*—Including cost of laying down, opening before and closing after broker's inspection, for the first month or part thereof, per 90 lbs. ... ... 2 annas.
   (*b*) Rent after first month, per week or part of a week, per package ... .. 6 pies.

N.B.—In the event of a congestion in the Tea Warehouse impeding the work in connection with sales, the rent on sold teas will be increased, after 7 days' notice, to As. 4 per week or part of a week, per package from the expiration of the 24th day from date of sale.

3. *Delivering from Warehouse.*—
   Teas not intended for shipment at Docks, per package ... ... 6 „
   Teas intended for shipment at Docks, including shipping charge, per 100 lbs. ... 9 „
4. *Removal charge.*—For transfers from one warehouse to another, per package ... 6 „

Kidderpore Docks and Auxiliary Sheds—Direct Shipment Teas.

5. *Rent charge*—Subject to rules for opening exports and shut out cargo, per week or part of a week, per package ... . 6 pies.
6. *Shipping charges.*—According to Schedule B (Exports).
7. *Removal charge.*—For transfers from one shed to another, per package ... 6 „
8. *Re-booking charge.*—When a consignment received for a vessel whose exports are open is re-booked to another vessel whose exports are open, per package ... 3 „

Miscellaneous Charges.

9.	Cross cutting chests on one side, per package	6 pies.
10.	Cross cutting chests on both sides, per package	1 anna.
11.	Re-opening for inspection and closing, per package	6 pies.
12.	Assorting and re-stacking, per package	2 „
13.	Bulking and repacking full chests into full chests or half chests into half chests, per 3 chests	Re. 1.
14.	Bulking and repacking full into half chests, per 2 chests	„ 1.
15.	Gross weighing, per package	3 pies.
16.	Nett weighing, including opening, resoldering and closing, per package ...	2½ annas.
17.	Loading into wagons from Tea Transit shed for direct shipment, per package ...	2 pies.
18.	Charge for permitting public to repack with their labour when space is available, per package	2 annas.
19.	Lead for repairs	Actual cost

N.B.—Charges for bulking and repacking are calculated on the original number of chests, and in the case of all charges, fractions of a unit shall be charged for as a unit.

By order of the Commissioners.

J. McGLASHAN, Offg. Secretary.

The 4th December 1917. (2814—1)

Notification of Sale.

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the Calcutta High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 5th day of January 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, pursuant to preliminary and final decrees in suit No. 63 of 1916 (Dhirendra Nath Dass, *versus* Srimati Bagalamoni Debi and others), and dated, respectively, the 13th day of March 1916 and the 12th day of March 1917, the undermentioned property,:—

First—All that partly one and partly two-storeyed brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging whereon and on part whereof the same is erected and built containing by measurement 1 cottah 4 chittaks and 36 square feet situate, lying at and being premises No. 20, Srimanto Dey Lane, holding No. 312, Block No. XIII, in the South Division of the town of Calcutta, and in respect of which an annual revenue of annas 4 and pies 6 is payable to the Calcutta Collectorate, and butted and bounded on the east by Srimanto Dey Lane, on the west by premises No. 18, Srimanto Dey Lane, on the north by premises No. 15, Srimanto Dey Lane, and on the south partly by premises No. 21 and partly by premises No. 17, Srimanto Dey Lane.

The abstract of title and the conditions of sale of the above property may be inspected at the office of Messrs. K. M. Rakshit & Co., attorneys for the plaintiff, at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, and also at the office of the said Registrar, High Court, Original Side, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

K. M. Rakshit & Co., Plaintiff's Attorneys.

High Court, Original Side. Calcutta, the 3rd day of December 1917. (2870—1—2873)

NOTIFICATION OF SALE OF LANDS.

In the Second Court of the Subordinate Judge at Midnapore.

RENT EXECUTION CASE No. 17 OF 1917.

(1) Raja Sati Prasad Garga Bahadur and (2) Raj Gopal Prasad Garga, residing at Garh Kamalpur, Pargana Mahisadal, district Midnapore, decree-holders,

versus

1. Manmatha Nath Kar.
2. Pramatha Nath Kar.
3. Brajendra Nath Kar,
4. Jogendra Nath Kar,
5. Sashi Bhusan Kar,
6. Ganganarayan Kar,
7. Rudranarayan Kar, } minors by their mother and natural guardian Sreemutty Ratnamala Dei

All residents of Habichak, pargana Aranganagar, thana Nandigram, district Midnapore, judgment-debtors.

Amount due under the decree to the decree-holders aforesaid, as notified in the Sale Proclamation—

Rs. 22,249-11-9 only.

IN the Rent Execution Case abovementioned a tenure, known as the Aranganagar Jalpai Chak, measuring 8,515 bighas 17 cottahs and 8 chitaks, situate in pargana Aranganagar and within the district of Midnapore, the yearly rental of which property amounting to Rs. 8,431-1-19½ gandas, exclusive of cesses, is payable to the decree-holders Zamindars aforesaid, will be sold at public auction in the premises of the Court aforesaid, on the 15th day of January 1918.

B. P. ROY, Sub-Judge.

Midnapore, the 11th December 1917. (2903—1)

Insolvency Notice.

COURT FOR THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS AT CALCUTTA.

In the matter of Beer Nursing Dutt, an insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tuesday, the 22nd day of January next, is appointed for the further hearing in this matter for the purpose of declaring a dividend and that an account in detail of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of February 1897 until the 19th day of November 1917 has been filed, and may be inspected in the office of the Chief Clerk. Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent will be heard, notice having been given at the office of the Chief Clerk, three clear days before the hearing.

The like Notice—In the matter of C. F. Barrow, an insolvent, wherein the account of the Official Assignee from 1st August 1900 to 20th November 1917 has been filed in the Registrar's office.

The like Notice—In the matter of Bhugwan Dass and another, insolvents, wherein the account of the Official Assignee from 25th November 1910 to 20th November 1917 has been filed in the Registrar's office.

The like Notice—In the matter of Bissessur Lall, an insolvent, wherein the account of the Official Assignee from 23rd September 1909 to 20th November 1917 has been filed in the Registrar's office.

The like Notice—In the matter of Jogendra Sree Ghose, an insolvent, wherein the account of the Official Assignee from 15th May 1907 to 20th November 1917 has been filed in the Registrar's office.

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917. (2897—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in Insolvency.

No. 66 OF 1917.

Re. Shaik Mahomed Kadir Meera Sahib, *ex parte* the debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend is intended to be declared in this matter and that the same will be paid at this office, on or after the 26th day of January 1918, except Saturday and Sunday

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 11th December 1917. (2898—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 17 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jitu Mondal, son of Digambar Mondal, of Sajina, chowki Suri, district Birbhum, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 20th November 1917.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Suri, the 14th December 1917. (2928—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 16(7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Sashi Bhushan Roy, of Ballavpur, thana Raniganj, district Burdwan, has, by an order of this Court, dated 7th December 1917, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 11th December 1917. (2904—1—2870)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtors (1) Kunja Ram Mandal, (2) Bhushan Chandra Mandal, of Bijnagra, thana Katwa, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 8th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 10th December 1917. (2905—1—2872)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 64 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Bhuban Mohan Karmakar, of Natu, thana Rayna, district Burdwan, has been admitted and that the 11th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing thereof.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 10th December 1917. (2906—1—2868)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 OF 1916.

[*Notice under section 16 (7) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Abdul Sheikh, of Raniganj, Naskardighi in Burdwan town, has, by an order of his Court dated 4th December 1917, been adjudged an insolvent.

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 11th December 1917. (2908—1—2869)

In the Court of the District Judge of Burdwan.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

[*Notice under section 12 (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

NOTICE is hereby given to his creditors that the insolvency petition filed by the judgment-debtor Barada Prosad Datta, of Saranga, thana Khandaghosh, district Burdwan has been admitted and that the 20th December 1917 has been fixed for hearing thereof

G. N. RAY, District Judge.

Burdwan, the 10th December 1917. (2907—1—2867)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 60 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Abdul Gafur, son of Alep Khan, of Chikandandi, thana Hathazari, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 2nd October 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 11th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th December 1917. (2889—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 71 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Jagat Chandra De, son of late Sharup Chandra De, of Guzara, thana Raozan, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 24th November 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 11th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 10th December 1917. (2890—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 73 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Uma Charan Biswas, son of late Ram Kinkar Biswas, of Shakpura, thana Boalkhali, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 28th November 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 9th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 11th December 1917. (2896—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 69 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Annar Ali and Ramjan Ali, sons of Laskar Ali, deceased, of Napora, thana Banskhali, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 22nd November 1917, to be declared insolvents under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all their creditors that the Court has fixed the 14th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 14th December 1917 (2935—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Chittagong.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 64 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Akhil Chandra Nath, son of late Ram Jibon Nath, of Kachua, thana Mirsarai, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 9th October 1917, to be declared an insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, this is to give notice to all his creditors that the Court has fixed the 16th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtors.

J. CORNES, District Judge.

Chittagong, the 14th December 1917. (2936—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 89 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th June 1917, filed by debtor Sheik Dukhi, son of late Sheik Kangali, of Gopalpur, police station Shaturia (Manikganj), district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 8th day of December 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub Judge.

(2891—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 90 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 28th June 1917, filed by debtor Isop, son of late Sheik Kangali, of Gopalpur, police station Shaturia (Manikganj), district Dacca, and on the application of debtor himself, and hearing his pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 8th day of December 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2892—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 91 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 28th June 1917, filed by debtor Sheik Makim, son of late Sheik Kangali, of Gopalpur police-station Shaturia (Manikganj), district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 8th day of December 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

(2893—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 130 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Hiru Mandal, son of late Gaduh Mandal, of Chowhat, police station Dhamrai, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 22nd December 1917 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1917. (2919—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 136 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Sita Nath Banikya, son of Brindaban Chandra Banikya, of Nawabpur, Bara Akdoar, police-station Sutrapur, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 13th December 1917. (2920—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 22 OF 1917.

ON the application of Dino Bandhu Haldar, son of late Nanda Kishor Haldar, residing in the house of Nagar Bashi Haldar, of village Chor Garkul, police-station Narainganj (Fatulla), district Dacca, for being declared insolvent, the 7th of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and for examination of the debtor.

S. E. STEVENS, Offg. District Judge.

Dacca, the 11th December 1917. (2934—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 85 OF 1917.

KERAMAL MAHOMAD, son of Sadoo Mahomad, deceased, resident of Kailadangi, police-station Raiganj, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 28th January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 10th December 1917. (2888—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Abbas Sheik, son of late Sukur Mahmed Sheik, of Biswambardi, police-station Muksudpur district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and that 3rd January 1918 has been fixed for hearing his application.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 3rd December 1917. (2909—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

TAKE notice that Prasanna Kumar Malitha, son of late Nabin Chandra Malitha, of Kadambari, police-station Rajair, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent, and that 11th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing his application.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 13th December 1917. (2910—1)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 44 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gopal Chandra Sadukhan, son of late Nafar Chandra Sadukhan, of Matla, thana Sankrail, district Hooghly, was on the 3rd December 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 22nd December 1917 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 4th December 1917. (2839—1—2865)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 37 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 2nd October 1917, filed by Tara Chand Mahata, son of late Nanda Lal Mahata, of Amlatorha, pargana Silda, applicant-debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself, and on reading deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Joy Hari Bera, Pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent. Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that 12th January 1918 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 8th day of December 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2871—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 38 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 4th October 1917, filed by William Melville Holding, shunter, Bengal-Nagpur Railway, residing at Loco-quarters No. 454, Kharagpur, district Midnapore, applicant-debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself, and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Nalini Behary Roy, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that 14th January 1918 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their claims on that date.

Dated this 13th day of December 1917.

W. N. DELEVINGE, District Judge.

(2913—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Murshidabad.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 48 OF 1917.

(ACT III OF 1907.)

In the matter of Bhrigu Ram Biswas, of Godagari, police-station Domkal, district Murshidabad.

NOTICE is hereby given to all concerned that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and his case has been fixed for hearing on the 5th January 1918.

K. MUKERJEE, Sub-Judge for District Judge.

Berhampore, the 13th December 1917. (2917—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 63 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ujal Bepari, son of Mekra Bepari, of Janakipur, police-station Dewanganj, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 10th December 1917. (2911—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 62 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Gaya Nath Saha, son of Guru Charan Saha, of Pakulla, police-station Bashail, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 5th of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 10th December 1917. (2912—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Kamala Kanta Bhattacherjee, son of Ram Lochan Bhattacharjee, of Betal, police-station Katiadi, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 13th December 1917. (2938—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 64 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jadunath Toipal, son of Tilak Chandra Toipal, of Gopalpur, police-station Gopalpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 13th December 1917. (2939—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 65 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Brajanath Toipal, son of Tilak Chandra Toipal, of Gopalpur, police-station Gopalpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 5th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 13th December 1917. (2940—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 136 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Saimulla Sheik, son of Jahir Mamud Sheik, of Khamar Dashalia, police-station Shadullapur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 10th December 1917. (2914—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 137 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Mahitulla Bepari, son of late Nabajan Sircar of Boali, police-station Palashbari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 10th December 1917. (2915—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 138 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Ketu Mamud Sheik, son of late Shaleya Mamud Sheik, of Nagdaha, police-station Ulipur, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 5th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 10th December 1917. (2916—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 120 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

NEBASUDDIN SARDAR, son of late Maharaj Sardar, of Shona Roy, police-station Sundarganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 8th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1917. (2922—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 117 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

SONAULLA, son of late Idu Gasu, of Tajpur, police-station Mithapukur, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 8th day of December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1917. (2923—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 115 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. MALLIK, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

JATRA MOHAN BARMAN, son of late Bhulla Barman, of Dimla, police-station Dimla, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 8th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1917. (2924—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 106 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

MAHIRUDDIN, son of late Mina Sheikh, of Arippur, police-station Mithapookhar, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 8th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 13th December 1917. (2925—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 139 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nazar Mamud *alias* Jaloo, son of late Badoo Mamud, of Bajaduburia, police-station Kishorganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 14th December 1917. (2926—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 140 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Sahar Mamud *alias* Jaloo Mamud, son of Nazar Mamud, of Bajaduburia, police-station Kishorganj, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 14th December 1917. (2927—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Tippera.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 6 OF 1917.

NISHI KANTA DAS, son of late Prasanna Kumar Das, of village Raerbagh, pargana Bikrampur, police-station Shirajdigha, district Dacca, at present residing at Kandirpar, Comilla, pargana Meherkul, station Kotowali, district Tippera, was, on the 8th day of December 1917, adjudicated an insolvent by this Court under section XVI of Act III of 1907.

F. W. WARD, District Judge.

Tippera, the 10th December 1917. (2902—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

[*Section 44 (i) of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 29 OF 1910.

In the matter of Nanda Lal Neogi, son of late Nabin Chandra Neogi, of Dakshinaswar, thana Barahanagar.

TAKE notice that the abovenamed insolvent has applied at the Court for his discharge, and that the Court has fixed the 7th day of January 1918 at 11 o'clock, for hearing the application.

Dated this 28th day of November 1917.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

(2746—1—2871)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of 24-Parganas.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 59 OF 1917.

Kinoo Mandal, son of late Chund Mandal, residing at Tegharia, police-station Baraset, district 24-Parganas, applicant.

To Tarini Chandra Sha and others, creditors.

ON the 1st day of December 1917 it was ordered that the matter of the petition of the applicant be heard on the 7th day of January 1918 and that the said applicant do attend to be examined by this Court on that date.

A. H. CUMING, District Judge.

Alipore, the 3rd December 1917. (2823—1—2866)

Indian Subordinate Medical Department.

A PUBLIC examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1918, at the stations and places marginally noted. Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from—

Calcutta.	Simla.
Dinapore.	Rangoon.
Allahabad.	Madras.
Agra.	Octacamund.
Lucknow.	Bangalore.
Meerut.	Trichinopoly.
Bareilly.	Jhansi.
Jubbulpore.	Sialkot.
Ambala.	Fyzabad.
Lahore Cantonment.	Aden.
Rawalpindi.	Maymyo.
Secunderabad.	Karachi.
Wellington.	Bombay.
Quetta.	Mhow.
Shillong.	Poona.
Peshawar.	Kamptee.
Kasauli.	Mandalay.
Ajmer.	

(1) The Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeons-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

H. E. CLEVELAND, COL., V.H.S., I.M.S.,

Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

Simla, the 21st November 1917.

Irrigation Department.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given for general information that, under the authority given by section III of Act V (B.C.) of 1864, the New Cut Canal will be closed for through traffic by cross dams at Chingrighatta for repairs to the Chingrighatta Syphon, from the 20th January 1918 to the 7th March 1918, both days inclusive.

Traffic from the New Cut Canal to places beyond (i.e. south) Chingrighatta will be able to proceed *vid* the Circular Canal. The traffic in the New Cut Canal from the Kristopur Canal junction to the cross bund at Chingrighatta will remain unrestricted.

F. A. A. COWLEY,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,

The 13th December 1917.

Notice.

LARGE quantities of earthwork are to be done in the Howrah District this season. The works are very urgent and estimated to cost about Rs. 2 lakhs or more. Notice is hereby given to intending contractors to submit tenders for the various works as soon as possible. All details of the works can be ascertained in the office of the undersigned. Satisfactory proof of commands of labour will be given preference. Only people who can start immediately need apply.

A. N. MITRA, Executive Engineer,

Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta, the 14th December 1917.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Engineers and Engine drivers of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at Goalundo on Monday, the 13th day of January 1918.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Subdivisional Office, Goalundo, not later than five days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

W. W. NIND, for Port Officer, Chittagong.

Chittagong, the 7th December 1917. (2899—1)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the next ordinary examination of candidates for Certificates of Competency as Masters and Serangs of Inland Steam Vessels under Act I of 1917 will be held at the Port Office, Chittagong, on Monday, the 14th January 1918.

Applications to be permitted to go up for examination for any of the above grade certificates must be made at the Port Office, Chittagong, not later than 3 days prior to the date of examination, the candidates producing their certificates and testimonials and paying the fees.

W. W. NIND, for Port Officer.

Chittagong, the 15th December 1917. (2937—1)

Notice.

THE Bengal and Madras Service Family Pension Fund which is provisionally managed and assisted by Government has for its object the provision of monthly pensions for the maintenance of the widows and children of subscribers and is open, with certain exceptions, to all active and pensioned members of the Uncovenanted Service of Government (except those serving under the Government of Bombay), and to Local Fund servants earning pensions from Government. Some of the special features of the Fund are—(1) that widowed daughters incapable of remarriage or children labouring under such mental or bodily infirmities as incapacitate them from earning their livelihood or preclude the possibility of marriage (in case of a daughter) are admitted to its benefits; and (2) that subscribers to the Widows' and Daughters' branches are entitled to a refund of 30 per cent. of the premia paid, should the nominees predecease them after five years of admission. The Fund is now of ten years' standing and has a balance of over three and-a-half lakhs with Government on four per cent. interest. For forms of applications and rules of the Fund apply to the Comptroller, India Treasuries, Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta.

In the matter of Indian Companies Act of 1913 under section 206.

Mukharji & Mukharjee, Ltd, in liquidation.

AT an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the above Company held on the 30th day of November 1917 it was resolved for voluntary liquidation of the Company and Babu Joy Krishna Sen of 23, Strand Road, Calcutta, has been appointed liquidator. All the creditors will pay to the said liquidator and anybody having any claims against the Company should file their claims to him.

N. C. KUNDU,

Mukharji & Mukharjee, Ltd., Nos. 96, 97, Lower Chitpur Road, Calcutta, in liquidation. (2869—1—2864)

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of the Indian Benevolent Provident Society, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Indian Benevolent Provident Society, Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of The Triumph Assurance Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of The Triumph Assurance Co., Ld., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

In the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (VII of 1913), and in the matter of the Bengal Plumbago Syndicate, Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the expiration of three months from date, the name of the Bengal Plumbago Syndicate, Ltd., will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the Company will be dissolved.

W. STATHER HALE,

Registrar of Companies, under Act VII of 1913.

Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

POST OFFICE.

DESPATCH OF SEA-BORNE MAILS.

MAILS FOR	Day or date of closing of mails	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
		UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
		Without late fee	With late fee *	Without late fee.	With late fee.*
		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
United Kingdom and Allied Countries, Aden, West Africa. Also South Africa, if superscribed on the cover via United Kingdom.	.....	6-15	7-15	5-30	6-0
America, Neutral Countries and Egypt ...	.....	6-15	—	5-30	—
Ceylon	Daily ...	4-30	5-0	4-0	4-30
Australia and New Zealand	Dec. 20 ...	3-30	4-0	3-0	3-30
Straits Settlements, Siam and French Indo-China ...	Wednesday	4 30	...	4-0	...
Burma	Dec. 20 ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0
Port Blair	„ 22 ...	7-30	8-0	6-0	7-0

* The late fee is 4 annas for each registered and unregistered article to any place named above except Aden, Burma, Ceylon and Port Blair, the late fee for which is ½ anna for unregistered articles and 2 annas for registered articles Letters are accepted with late fee only on occasions when a direct mail is closed by the Calcutta G P O for Foreign Countries

DESPATCH OF PRINCIPAL INLAND MAILS.

MAILS FOR	LATEST HOURS OF POSTING AT THE G. P. O.			
	UNREGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.		REGISTERED LETTERS AND PACKETS.	
	Without late fee.	With late fee of ½ anna.	Without late fee	With late fee of 2 annas.
	A.M.		P M.	P.M.
Assam, Chittagong, Dacca, Pabna, Tipperah and Silchar ...	6-0	—	(a) 6-0	(a) 6-30
	NOON.	P.M.	A M.	A.M.
Bombay (B..N. R.)	12-0	12-30	11-0	11.30
	P.M.		P.M.	P.M.
Darjeeling and Assam	3-0	3-30	2-30	3-0
Madras	4-30	5-0	4-0	4-30
Calcutta to Mokameh (Loop Line)	1-30	5-0	4-0	4-30
Punjab and Bombay (E. I R)	6-15	7 15	5-30	6-0
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NOTICE.

Advertisements, Notices, etc., intended for insertion in this Part of the Gazette cannot be received after noon on Monday.

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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 10th December 1917.*

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

Breaksea Spit—Establishment of light-vessel postponed.

No. 327 (first publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 187 of 1917, issued by this Office, the Comptroller-General of Customs, Melbourne, has given further Notice (No. 21 of 1917) that the proposed establishment of a light-vessel off Breaksea Spit is postponed until further notice.

AUSTRALIA—SOUTH COAST, SPENCER GULF.

Wedge Island Light—Intended Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 328 (first publication).—

Subject.—The Single Flashing White Light on Wedge Island will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 1st January 1918.

Position.—Lat. 35° 10½′ S., long. 136° 29′ E.

Structure.—Lantern carried on a square wooden cylinder house, painted red, in position of old skeleton tower. Height, 22 feet.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus :

Flash,	Eclipse,	Flash,	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—675 feet.
Visibility.—23 miles.
Power.—5,000 candles.
Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
„ 2759*b*, Australia, Southern Portion.
Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 187.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 22 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—North Coast, Dundas Strait.

Cape Don—Light established.

No. 329 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 209 of 1917.
Subject.—The flashing white light on Cape Don is now permanently established.
Position.—About 200 feet from the Western extreme of the Cape.
Lat. 11° 18½′ S., long. 131° 46′ E.
Structure.—*Grey* Concrete Tower, lantern painted *White*. Height 118 ft. The tower shows about 58 ft. above the trees on the Cape.
Character.—*White* Single Flashing, showing *one* flash every *five* seconds thus—

Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—163 feet; not 166 feet as formerly stated.
Visibility.—19 miles: from 320° (N. 43½° W. Mag.) through *North*, *East*, and *South* to 212° (S. 28½° W. Mag.). Obscured elsewhere.
Power.—150,000 candles.
Charts affected.—No. 613, Melville Island with Dundas and Clarence Straits.
No. 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern portion.
„ 942*b*, Eastern Archipelago, Eastern portion—Part 2.
Publications.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 91.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—East Coast, Inner Barrier Route.

Chapman Island—Intended New Light, Beacon to be discontinued.

No. 330 (first publication).—

Subject.—(1) The new Single Flashing White Light will be exhibited experimentally, on or about 1st December, 1917
(2) The Square Black Beacon will be discontinued on or about 1st December, 1917.
Position.—On the north-west end of the reef, about 1½ cables northward of the existing beacon.
Lat. 12° 53′ S., long. 143° 35½′ E.
Structure.—Steel Skeleton Tower, painted Red and White, on concrete piers. Height, 61 feet.
Character.—Single Flashing White Light, showing one flash every five seconds, thus—

Flash.	Eclipse
½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—56 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The Light will be unwatched. Further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2920, Cape Direction to Cape Grenville.

„ 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction.

„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern Portion.

„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-West Sheet.

Publications.—Australia Directory. Vol. II, 1907, page 421. List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 24 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST, INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Piper Islands—Light Established—Piper Islands Lightship Withdrawn—Beacon Discontinued.

No. 331 (first publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 210 of 1917.

Subject.—

(1) the Group Flashing White Light is now permanently established;

(2) the Piper Islands Lightship is withdrawn; and

(3) the Red Triangular Beacon is discontinued.

New Light—Position.—On the East Elbow of Eastern Reef, Piper Islands, in the position previously occupied by Red Triangular Beacon. Lat. 12° 15½′ S., long. 143° 14¾′ E.

Structure.—Steel Skeleton Tower, painted Red, on concrete piers. Height, 61 feet.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing four flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, thus:

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	15 secs.

Elevation.—56 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2920, Cape Direction to Cape Grenville.

„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.

„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-West Sheet.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern Portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917, No. 2747.

Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 430.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 25 of 1917.

The 3rd December 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Kharag Island—Position of a new Wireless Telegraphy Masts.

No. 323 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 171M. of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) The position of the North-western Mast. At a distance of about 9 cables 103° (S. 79° E. Mag.) from Mir Muhammad.

Lat. 29° 15′ 00″ N.
Long. 50° 20′ 00″ E. } Approximate.

(*b*) The South-eastern Mast is situated at a distance of about ·44 cable 135° (S. 47° E. Mag.) from (*a*).

The Masts are 88 yards apart and bear 315° (N. 47° W. Mag.) and 135° (S. 47° E. Mag.) from each other.

Height—The height of the Mast heads above high water is 105 feet, and the South-eastern Mast is 144 yards from high water line.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, with plan.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 272.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. "Lawrence", dated 25th August 1917.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal replaced.

No. 324 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 173M. of 1917), are republished :—

Subject—The following buoys were replaced in their positions on the dates given against each :—

	1917.
Ambulgad Buoy	15th October.
Chaldea Rock Buoy	13th ,,
Rájkot Buoy	24th September.
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy ...	24th ,,
Málwan Harbour Buoy	24th ,,
Bubra Rock Buoy	9th October.
Vengurla Harbour Buoy	4th ,,

Authority—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 7th November 1917.

ADEN.

Position of Wireless Masts.

No. 325 (second publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position—The centre mast is situated 1,020 yards, 180° (S. 1° W.) from S. E. corner of Commandant's House, and in lat. 12° 49′ 23″ N., long. 45° 2′ 10″ E.

The two other masts bear respectively 95½° (S. 83½° E.) and 275½° (N. 83½° W.) from centre mast, distant 167 yards.

Description—Steel masts, 305 feet high (from ground).

Variation—1° W.

Charts affected—No. 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches, No. 66, Gulf of Aden, Sheet 2.

Publication—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, p. 404.

Authority—Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "Lunka," November 22, 1916.

CEYLON, EAST COAST—TRINCOMALEE BAY.

Foul Point light—Temporarily extinguished.

No. 326 (second publication).—

Subject—The Foul Point light will be extinguished temporarily for repairs from the 7th January 1918.

Position—Lat. 8° 32′ N., long. 81° 19′ E.

Remarks—A further Notice will be issued when the light is re-exhibited.

Charts affected—No. 816, Trincomalee harbour.
„ 815, Harbour and Bays of Trincomalee.
„ 2031, Ceylon, east coast.
„ 828, Cape Comorin to Cocanada.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 519.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 158.

Authority—Master Attendant, Colombo, Notice dated 13th November 1917.

The 26th November 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

LINGEH—POSITION OF WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY MASTS.

New British Consulate and Flagstaff.

No. 308 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 168M. of 1917), are republished :—

(*a*) The position of the South-western Mast.

At a distance of about 6½ cables 342½° (N. 19½° W. Mag.) from Custom House.

Lat. 26° 33′ 34″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 23″ E. } On a plan of Chart No. 3380.

(*b*) The North-eastern Mast is lying at a distance of about ½ a cable 45° (N. 13° E. Mag.) from (*a*).

The Masts are 288 feet apart and bear 45° (N. 43° E. Mag.) and 225° (S. 43° W. Mag.) from each other.

Height.—The South-western and the North-eastern Masts are 156 and 152 feet high, respectively.

(*c*) The position of the New British Consulate and Flagstaff.

At a distance of about 3½ cables 14½° (N. 12½° E. Mag.) from Custom House.

Lat. 26° 33′ 16″ N.
Long. 54° 53′ 42″ E. } On plan of Chart No. 3380.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No. 3380, Plans in the Persian Gulf.

„ 35, Basidu and its approaches.

„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 228.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 9th October 1917.

PERSIAN GULF—KISHM ISLAND.

Existence of a rock East of Ras Tarkun.

No. 309 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 169M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles 83° (N. 81° E. Mag.) from Ras Tarkun.

Lat. 26° 38′ 8″ N.
Long. 55° 38′ 20″ E. } Approximately on Chart No. 753.

Details.—A rock is reported to exist in the above position, having a least depth of 5 feet at L.W.O.S.

The rock is 100 yards long and 20 yards wide, extending in the directions of 337½° (N. 24½° W. Mag.) and 157½° (S. 24½° E. Mag.), with a depth of 12 feet close to it.

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Charts affected.—No 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

„ 2837*a*, Persian Gulf, Eastern Sheet.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 214.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

ARABIAN SEA—MAKRAN COAST.

Jashk—Removal of Wireless Telegraphy Station.

No. 310 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc, relative to the above issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 170M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Lat. 25° 38′ 20″ N.
Long. 57° 45′ 37″ E. } Approximate.

Description.—Two conspicuous Wireless Masts, referred to on page 191, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915.

Remarks.—The position of these two Masts is not shown on a New Chart No. 145 ; the Persian Gulf Pilot is to be corrected accordingly.

Charts affected.—No. 145, Plans on Makran Coast.

„ 753, Entrance of the Persian Gulf.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 191.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. *Bramble*, dated 22nd October 1917.

INDIA WEST, BOMBAY COAST.

"Whale reef" buoy—Replaced in position.

No. 311 (third publication).—With reference to this Office Notice to Mariners, No. 168 of 1917, the Bombay Government has given further Notice No. 1577, dated the 5th November 1917, that the red buoy on the north side of the "Whale reef" off the Rajpuri Point, which was removed for the south-west monsoon, was replaced in position on the 22nd October 1917.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN, NEW HEBRIDES—AMBRYM ISLAND.

Dip Point Anchorage—Caution.

No. 312 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 987 of 1917), are republished:—

Position.—Sealark hill, Lat. 16° 13′ S., Long. 167° 56′ E.

Caution.—The entrance to the small harbour situated southward of Sealark hill is completely closed, and a note "*Entrance silted up (1917)*" is to be inserted on the Charts.

Charts affected.—No. 856, Plan of Dip Point anchorage.
„ 2225, Ambrym island.
„ 1579, Malekula island (southern part).
„ 1570, Malo island to Efate island.

Publication.—Pacific Islands Pilot, Vol. II, 1908, page 356; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—British Residency, Vila. (*H. 5585/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE—JIDDA APPROACH.

Mismari Reef—New Beacon erected.

No. 313 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 989 of 1917), are republished:—

Position.—On the centre of the reef.
Lat. 21° 19′ 10″ N., long. 39° 01′ 00″ E.

Description.—A coral and stone mound about 10 feet high, white in colour.

Remarks.—The former beacon, which had disappeared, is to be expunged from the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 8c, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red sea, &c., Pilot, 1909, page 320; Supplement No. 3, 1916.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5549/17.*)

PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.

River Pungue Approach—Shoal reported.

No. 314 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 993 of 1917), are republished:—

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 20 miles south-eastward from Macuti point light.
Lat. 20° 05′ 30″ S., long. 35° 08′ 15″ E., on chart No. 648.

Details.—A shoal patch, which nearly dries at low water, has been reported to exist in the above position.

Note.—The shoal is to be marked "*Reported (1917) (posn. approx.)*" on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 648, Delagoa bay to River Zambezi.
„ 597, Delagoa bay to Cape Guardafui.
„ 748*a*, Indian ocean, southern portion.

Publication.—Africa Pilot, Part III, 1915, page 223.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 4631/17.*)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Port of Fremantle—Caution.

No. 315 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 995 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—Fremantle, lat 32° 03½′ S., long. 115° 45′ E.

Caution.—Until further Notice, vessels entering or leaving the Port of Fremantle are cautioned not to load to a greater draught than 27 feet.

Publication.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 371.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 6708-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Point Gellibrand Lighthouse—Alteration in Fog-Signals.

No. 316 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1020 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about half a mile south-eastward from Point Gellibrand.

Lat 37° 52½′ S., long. 144° 55′ E.

Details.—The fog-signals at this lighthouse have been altered and are now as follows :—

(*a*) A siren operated with compound air, giving *one* blast of four seconds' duration *every five minutes.*

(*b*) A rocket fired *every thirty minutes.*

(*c*) A submarine bell sounded as hitherto.

Remarks.—In the event of the siren becoming disabled, a rocket will be fired every ten minutes.

Charts affected.—No. 624, Hobson bay, River Yarra, and Melbourne.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2468.
Australia Directory, Vol. 1, 1907, page 456; Revised Supplement (2), 1916.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 12 of 1917. (*H. 5552-17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP.

Sorrento Jetty Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 317 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1026 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At the outer end of Sorrento jetty.
Lat 38° 20¼′ S., long. 144° 44¾′ E.

New abridged description.—Lt. Fl. *W.R.G., ev. 3 sec.*

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed green to *flashing every three seconds* with *white, red,* and *green* sectors.

Remarks.—To enable vessels up to 7 feet draught to make Sorrento jetty, narrow sectors of *white* light will be shown to the northward between the buoys marking the entrance channel off Point King and to the eastward over a safe course from Canterbury jetty to Sorrento. On either side of the *white* sectors the light will show *green* on the starboard and *red* on the port side when approaching Sorrento jetty by the abovementioned channels.

Note.—The sectors referred to above are not to be shown on the charts.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.
„ 1695*b*, Bass strait—western sheet.

Publications.—List of Lights, Part VI, 1917, No. 2429.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 438*c*

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 6 of 1917. (*H. 3721/17.*)

AUSTRALIA, VICTORIA—PORT PHILLIP ENTRANCE, SOUTH CHANNEL.

Portsea—Amended Depth on Shoal north-westward of.

No. 318 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1028 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 9 cables north-westward of Portsea jetty light, and about 7½ cables northward of the Boundary flagstaff.
Lat. 38° 18½′ S., long. 144° 42½′ E.

Depth.—28 feet instead of 23 feet.

Remarks.—Vessels are advised to round the Portsea light buoy at a distance of about one cable.

Charts affected.—No. 2747, Entrance to Port Phillip.
„ 1171, Port Phillip.

Publication.—Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 441.

Authority.—Melbourne, Department of Ports and Harbours, Notice No. 13 of 1917. (*H. 5553/17.*)

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.

Kunfida Southern Approach—Existence of a Shoal.

No. 319 third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1032 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—At a distance of about 1¼ miles, westward, from Abú Matna.
Lat. 18° 53′ 15″ N., long. 41° 07′ 30″ E.

Description.—A 2-fathom coral patch, about half a cable in extent.

Note.—This shoal, which was not examined, is to be indicated on the charts by the symbol for a rock, with a depth of less than 6 feet.

Charts affected.—No. 8*c*, Red sea, sheet III.
„ 2523, Red sea.

Publication.—Red Sea Pilot, 1909, page 344,

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5581/17.*)

PERSIAN GULF ENTRANCE.

Shoal Depth reported.

No. 320 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1037 of 1917), are republished :—

Position (approximate).—Lat. 26° 08′ 45″ N., long. 56° 50′ 15″ E.

Details.—A shoal depth of 9½ fathoms has been obtained in the above position, surrounded by depths of over 40 fathoms.

Note.—A note, "*Probably less water (1917)*," is to be inserted on the charts against the shoal depth mentioned above, together with the note "*posn. approx.*"

Charts affected.—No. 753, Entrance of the Persian gulf.
„ 2837*a*, Persian gulf, eastern sheet.
„ 748*b*, Indian ocean, northern portion.

Publication.—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 195.

Authority.—Hydrographic Department. (*H. 5631/17.*)

BORNEO. NORTH COAST.

Sipindung—Beacon established south-westward of.

No. 321 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1044 of 1917), are republished :—

Position.—On the 2-fathom patch situated about 1½ miles, south-westward, of Sipindung.
Lat. 6° 50′ 54″ N., long. 117° 32′ 30″ E.

Description.—Not stated.

Charts affected.—No. 1650, Mallawallé island to Lankayan.
„ 287, Gaya bay to Sandakan harbour.
„ 2576, Sulu archipelago and north-east coast of Borneo.
„ 967, Palàwan island.

Publication.—Eastern Archipelago Pilot, Part I, 1911, page 161.

Authority.—Commissioner of Customs and Excise, Sandakan. (*H. 5723/17.*)

JAPAN, INLAND SEA—MIHARA SETO.

Aogi Seto—Existence of a Rock.

No. 322 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the British Admiralty (No. 1069 of 1917), are re-published :—

Position.—At a distance of $6\frac{4}{10}$ cables, 290° (*N. 65° W. Mag.*), from Konejima lighthouse.

Lat. 34° 20¼′ N., long. 133° 03½′ E.

Description.—A pinnacle rock, over which there is a depth of 2½ fathoms.

Remarks.—The above rock is to be substituted for the 5-fathom rock shown on the charts.

Variation.—5° W.

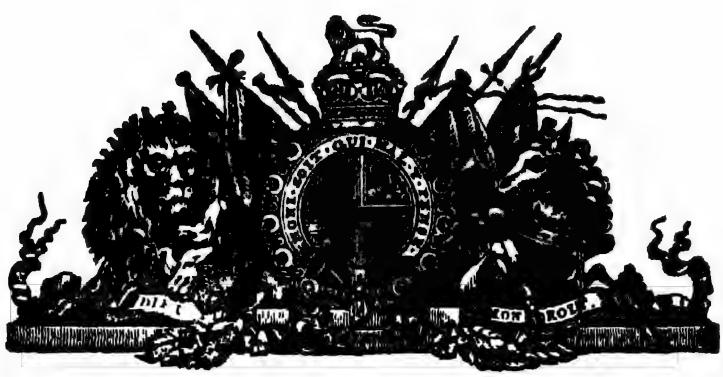
Charts affected.—No. 3325, Channels between Neko seto and Mekari seto.

„ 2875, Niakai (Seto uchi) or Inland sea.

Publication.—Japan Pilot, 1914, page 345.

Authority.—Tokyo Notice No. 178 of 1917. (*H. 5784/17.*)

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.



APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1917.

BALANCE SHEETS AND STATEMENTS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE CALCUTTA PORT TRUST AND HOWRAH BRIDGE FOR THE YEAR 1916-17 AND THE AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

General Balance Sheet

ACCOUNT

Account No.	LIABILITIES.		
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
II	**Capital Account—**		
	Credits on this account	.....	14,54,60,612 11 11
IV	**Revenue Balance Account—**		
	Balance on this Account	.....	31,658 0 7
V	**Sundry outstandings—**		
	Fixed general deposits	6,350 0 0	
	Ordinary deposits of Importers and Exporters.	1,97,223 13 10	
	Fixed marine deposits	4,000 0 0	
	Marine dues payable to Government ...	3,762 11 0	
	Security and other deposits ...	3,51,646 13 2	
	Miscellaneous Receipts Pending Disbursement.	1,339 4 9	
	Demands payable	7,72,999 7 3	
	Unclaimed wages and miscellaneous outstandings.	28,819 15 7	
	Stores Purchase Account	1,482 6 9	
			13,67,624 8 4
	Debenture Interest Account—		
V	Unclaimed debenture interest ...	.....	3,13,055 0 8
	Miscellaneous Funds—		
V	Revenue Reserve Fund	21,75,320 8 9	
	Vessels Replacement Fund ...	6,52,428 13 5	
	Fire Insurance Fund	7,10,836 14 0	
	Fines Fund	1,893 1 8	
			35,40,479 5 10
	Total ...	.....	15,07,13,429 11 4

NORMAN G. PARK,
Chief Accountant.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

The 15th June 1917.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

at 31st March 1917

No. I.

Account No.	ASSETS.			
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.
II	**Capital Account—**			
	Debits on this account	.....		14,09,18,451 11 1
V	**Outstanding Bills Recoverable—**			
	Rs. A. P.			
	Coal, Petroleum and Marine charges ... 1,94,260 12 7			
	Rent and other miscellaneous charges 1,90,196 14 8			
		3,84,457 11 3		
	Outstanding Earnings	1,05,944 12 9		
	Sundry Outstandings—			
	Debits pending adjustment (including excess in Sinking Fund) ...	2,50,570 14 10		
	Debits pending recovery (for stores supplied and works done) ...	1,20,352 9 0		
	Payments on imprest accounts ...	2,565 0 0		
	Unadjusted workshop charges (pending completion of works) ...	53,152 1 8		
	Fixed Security deposit in the Bank of Bengal	8,176 4 0		
V	Bank of Bengal, Debenture-holders' Interest Account	2,88,515 0 8		
V	National Bank of India, Ld., sterling Debenture loan of £700,000 Interest Account	20,160 0 0		
V	Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, sterling Debenture loan of £500,000 Interest Account	4,380 0 0		
				12,38,274 6 2
V	**Investment of Miscellaneous Funds—**			
	Revenue Reserve Fund ...	17,60,770 12 0		
	Vessels Replacement Fund ...	4,46,135 7 5		
	Fire Insurance Fund ...	6,98,600 14 0		
				29,05,507 1 5
V	**Stock Account—**			
	Stores in hand	11,93,830 7 3		
	Stores in transit	12,688 0 3		
				12,06,518 7 6
	Howrah Bridge Account ...	.....		5,29,775 0 11
	Cash—			
V	Coutts & Co., London, on current account	2,691 1 0		
	Coutts & Co., London, on deposit account	3,30,000 0 0		
V	London Agent	10,956 13 0		
...	Bank of Bengal on current account	2,50,232 9 0		
...	Fixed deposit with Banks ...	33,00,000 0 0		
...	Cash in hand	21,022 9 3		
				39,14,903 0 3
	Total ..	.....		15,07,13,429 11 4

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Capital Account

ACCOUNT

	Expenditure to 31st March 1916.	Transactions during 1916-17.	Total.
I.—To Block—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Cost price of land, works, etc., closed to Block Account ...	10,43,92,677 12 0	18,15,001 12 9	10,62,07,679 8 9
II.—To Works in Progress—			
Expenditure on works completed but not fully paid for and works under construction.	3,18,26,464 0 0	19,27,963 1 11	3,32,54,427 1 11
	13,57,19,141 12 0	37,42,964 14 8	13,94,62,106 10 8
III.—To Discount on Loans	11,21,845 0 5	2,00,000 0 0	13,21,345 0 5
IV.—To Stamp duty on Debenture loans	85,000 0 0	50,000 0 0	1,35,000 0 0
Total ...	13,69,25,486 12 5	39,92,964 14 8	14,09,18,451 11 1
V.—To Balance	.....	.....	45,42,161 0 10
Total ...	.....	.....	14,54,60,612 11 11

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The 15th June 1917.

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THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

to 31st March 1917.

No. II.

	Receipts to 31st March 1916.	Transactions during 1916-17. Credits.	Transactions during 1916-17. Debits.	Total.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
I.—By Government Loans—					
Loan for Port	17,55,000 0 0	.....	.....	17,55,000 0 0	
Do. Docks	2,87,70,565 14 8	.....	.....	2,87,70,565 14 8	
Less—Repaid ...	19,17,373 8 0	3,43,188 13 1	.....	22,60,562 5 1	
	2 68,53,192 6 8	Dr. 3,43,188 13 1	.....	2,65,10,003 9 7	
	2,86,18,192 6 8	Dr. 3,43,188 13 1	.....	2,82,75,003 9 7	2,82,75,003 9 7
II.—By Debenture Loans—					
Debenture Loans to end of 1915-16.	9,14,35,600 0 0	.....	.....	9,14,35,600 0 0	
Debenture Loan of 1916	.....	50,00,000 0 0	.....	50,00,000 0 0	
	9,14,35,600 0 0	50,00,000 0 0	.....	9,64,35,600 0 0	
Less—At credit of Sinking Fund.	1,45,04,490 10 8	21,49,424 6 2	.....	1,66,53,915 0 10	
	7.69,31,109 5 4	28,50,575 9 10	.....	7,97,81,684 15 2	7,97,81,684 15 2
III.—By Short term Loan from Bank of Bengal repaid.	20,00,000 0 0	.....	20,00,000 0 0	.....	.....
IV.—By Contributions and Transfers from Government—					
Contribution for road north of Ahseritollah	74,584 0 0	.....	.....	74,584 0 0	
Transfer of landing stage at Prinsep's Ghat	10,000 0 0	.....	.....	10,000 0 0	
Transfer of Port Approaches Block	3,91,661 0 0	.....	.....	3,91,661 0 0	
	4,76,245 0 0	.....	.....	4,76,245 0 0	4,76,245 0 0
V.—By Contributions from Revenue -					
Repayment of Consolidated Loan	60.25,100 0 0	.....	.....	60,25,100 0 0	
Repayment of Debenture Loans	60,00,000 0 0	.....	.....	60,00,000 0 0	
New Works	39,65,414 3 1	1,56,372 15 11	1,08,871 1 2	40,12,916 1 10	
Sinking Fund on Debenture loans	1,45.04,490 10 8	21,49,424 6 2	.....	1,66,53,915 0 10	
Repayment of Kidderpore Dock Loan	19,17,373 8 0	3,43,188 13 1	.....	22,60,562 5 1	
	3,24,12,378 5 9	26,48,986 3 2	1,08,871 1 2	3,49,52,493 7 9	3,49,52,493 7 9
VI.—By Vessels Replacement Fund—					
Amount Contributed to Capital Account for new Works ...	17,89,561 10 4	1,33,073 5 10	.....	19.22,635 0 2	19,22,635 0 2
VII.—By Deposits—					
Amount received from the public for special works ...	10,793 6 6	.....	.....	10,793 6 6	10,793 6 6
VIII.—By sales of Structures—					
Old Army Remount depot ...	38,115 15 3	3,641 5 6	.....	11.757 4 9	41,757 4 9
Total ...	14,22,76,396 1 10	52,93,087 11 3	21,08,871 1 2	14.54,60,612 11 11	14,54,60,612 11 11
				Total ...	14,54,60,612 11 11

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Revenue

ACCOUNT

EXPENDITURE.

		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
To	I.—Control and General						
	(*a*) Offices of Vice-Chairman, Chief Engineer, Traffic Manager, Deputy Conservator, Chief Accountant and Store-keeper ...	5,57,421	0	11			
	(*b*) Pensions and Leave Allowances	1,94,650	4	9			
	(*c*) Miscellaneous, including London Agency ...	2,45,014	1	1			
					9,97,085	6	9
„	II.—Jetties				9,90,521	3	10
„	III.—Tea Warehouse				1.39,986	2	8
„	IV.—Petroleum Wharf				24,205	15	7
„	V.—Inland Vessels Wharves				1,81,412	9	9
„	VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings				1,40 095	6	10
„	VII.—Port				6,51,163	15	9
„	VIII.—Port Approaches				8,82,620	7	8
„	IX.—Railway				13,12,187	4	4
„	X.—Wet Docks				30,55,657	5	5
„	XI.—Dry Docks				80,866	8	8
„	XII.—Ferry Service				3,47,792	15	9
„	Balance carried to Nett Revenue Account (page 9) ...				68,38,259	15	6
	Total				1,56,41,855	6	6

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THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Account for 1916-17.

No. III.

RECEIPTS

		Rs.	A.	P.
By	I.—Control	20,129	4	10
„	II.—Jetties	17,31,701	1	8
„	III.—Tea Warehouse	3,37,168	6	10
„	IV.—Petroleum Wharf	4,16,878	13	5
„	V.—Inland Vessels Wharves	4,22,698	2	3
„	VI.—Rentable Lands and Buildings	8,13,631	8	9
„	VII.—Port	4,91,340	4	0
„	VIII.—Port Approaches	5,96,074	2	3
„	IX.—Railway	15,70,061	10	11
„	X.—Wet Docks	41,31,446	2	1
„	XI.—Dry Docks	2,38,060	7	3
„	XII.—Ferry Service	4,33,361	3	9
„	XIII.—River Dues	16,60,581	8	7
„	XIV.—Special War Surcharges	26,60,896	9	10
„	Sale of unserviceable materials	54,844	3	5
„	Contribution from Howrah Bridge	24 193	15	11
	Amount transferred from Capital to Revenue on account of haulage and maintenance of rolling stock including establishment employed on reclamation works chargeable to Capital ...	38,787	12	9
	Total ...	1,56,41,855	6	6

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THE COMMISSIONERS FOR

Nett Revenue

ACCOUNT

Dr.

	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
To Interest on Government Loans—						
On Loan for Port (Book Debt) ...	79,425	0	0			
On Loan for Docks	10,70,729	12	7			
				11,50,154	12	7
To Interest on Debenture Loans—						
On Loans issued in India ...	25,04,755	10	3			
On £1,200,000 sterling loans issued in England*	7,20,000	0	0			
				32,24,755	10	3
To Sinking Fund Charges, &c.—						
On Government Loan for Docks ...	3,43,188	13	1			
On Debenture Loans	15,13,304	0	10			
				18,56,492	13	11
To Contributions to Funds—						
Contribution to Vessels Replacement Fund	.....			1,00,000	0	0
To Balance—						
Being surplus of income over expenditure on the year's working, carried to Revenue Balance Account (below) ...	.....			5,88,433	6	9
				69,19,886	11	6

Revenue

To Balance carried forward from 1915-16	.....			60,035	12	10
„ Further contribution to Vessels Replacement Fund †	.....			1,00,000	0	0
„ Depreciation of G. P. Notes held in Revenue Reserve Fund† ...	.....			3,96,739	9	4
„ Balance carried to General Balance Sheet	.....			31,658	0	7
Total ...				5,88,433	6	9

* At 1s. 4d. the rupee.
† Sanctioned by the Commissioners at their 1,655th meeting held on the 30th April 1917.

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The 15th June 1917.

THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

Account for 1916-17.

No. IV.

Cr.

	Rs.	A.	P.
By Balance—			
Balance brought forward from Revenue Account for 1916-17 (page 5)	68,38,259	15	6
By Interest—			
Interest on Revenue Reserve Fund Investments ...	81,576	12	0
	69,19,836	11	6
Balance Account—			
By Surplus for 1916-17 brought down	5,88,433	6	9
Total ...	5,88,433	6	9

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HOWRAH BRIDGE.

Balance Sheet as at 31st March 1917

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Contribution from Revenue—			Block of Howrah Bridge ...	.....	25,25,598 5 2
For repayment of Capital debt existing at the time of the transfer of the Bridge to the Commissioners ...	21,16,800 0 0		Bridge Reserve Fund—		
			3½ per cent. G. P. Notes for Rs. 5,12,500 at cost	.....	4,90,808 6 0
For new works ...	61,377 11 10		Reserve Section—		
		21,78,177 11 10	Value of Block ...	1,08,761 1 9	
			4 per cent. C. P. T. Deb. for Rs. 25,000 at cost ...	24,500 0 0	
Contribution from Reserve Fund—					1,33,261 1 9
For new works ...	.....	3,29,289 2 4	Pontoon Renewal Fund—		
			Rs		
Contribution from Pontoon Renewal Fund—			4 per cent C. P. T. Deb. for 71,000		
			3½ per cent. G. P. Notes for 10,000		
For new pontoons...	.....	18,131 7 0			
			81,000 at cost ...	.....	79,144 9 7
Reserve Fund ...	5,55,452 0 2				
Less—Railway subway under Calcutta approach to Howrah Bridge ...	†2,00,905 12 11		Suspense Account—		
		3,54,546 3 3	Stock of battens ...	1,441 0 3	
Reserve Section Fund	.....	1,33,866 2 0	Stock of mooring materials ...	28,937 12 1	
Pontoon Renewal Fund	.....	97,283 1 6	Items pending adjustment	62,844 13 0	
					93,223 9 4
Balance on Cash Account at 31st March 1917	.....	5,29,775 0 11	Balance on Revenue Account at 31st March 1917 ...	.....	3,19,032 13 0
Total ...	.....	36,41,068 12 10	Total ...	.....	36,41,068 12 10

† The total cost of the work is to be borne by the Port Trust and Howrah Bridge in equal proportions as sanctioned by the Government of Bengal in letter No. 3275 Marine, dated 8th 9th September 1914, vide 1,550th Meeting held on 5th October 1914. The above sum of Rs. 2,00,905-12-11 represents the proportion of expenditure to 31st March 1917 borne by the Howrah Bridge.

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The 15th June 1917.

HOWRAH

Revenue Account from

Grant No.	Expenditure.	Estimate.	Actuals.	
		Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	ESTABLISHMENT.			
1	Office	3,708	3,707 8 6	
2	Bridge	36,120	34,916 0 0	
3	Ferry Steamer *Howrah* ...	9,756	9,754 4 6	
4	„ „ *Buckland* ...	9,756	6,154 6 3	
5	Armenian Ghat landing stage	900	624 0 0	
6	Leave and acting allowances ...	500	.....	
7	Police establishment ...	2,948	2,547 12 4	
8	Compassionate allowances ...	848	847 12 0	
8(*a*)	Howrah Pontoon Staff ...	.....	188 14 0	
	Total ...	64,536		58,740 9 7
	STORES.			
9	For Bridge	8,750	8,567 3 5	
10	„ Steamer *Buckland* ...	2,500	2,544 2 6	
11	„ „ *Howrah* ...	2,500	3,588 2 0	
	Total ..	13,750		14,699 7 11
	MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.			
	Bridge—			
12	Metalled approaches ...	3,700	2,121 14 8	
13	Abutments			
14	Chief Officers' and lascars' quarters.	100	9 6 3	
15	Pontoons, fenders and shieldings	20,000	11,919 2 4	
16	Superstructure	15,000	12,789 7 7	
17	Roadway surface and footpaths	55,000	48,257 13 5	
18	Watering roadway ...	2,500	1,474 6 4	
19	Electric Lamps	300	581 5 11	
20	Dredging	30,000	22,874 0 0	
	Vessels and Boats—			
21	*Buckland*	2,750	2,989 7 1	
22	*Howrah*	2,750	3,048 12 9	
23	Buoy boat	1,000	525 14 5	
24	Commission on workshop charges.	10,000	4,052 10 9	
		1,43,100		1,10,644 5 6
	Carried over ...	2,21,386	.....	1,84,084 7 0

BRIDGE.

1st April 1916 to 31st March 1917.

Income.	Estimate.	Actuals.	
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Receipts from railway traffic	1,65,000	.....	2,00,000 0 0
Interest on Reserve Fund Investments	18,938	.....	18,913 10 0
Earnings of Ferry Steamers—			
Buckland ...	1,400	150 0 0	
Howrah ...		10,373 6 7	
		----	10,523 6 7
Miscellaneous receipts ...	...	.....	100 0 0
Sales	...	.....	13,953 8 0
Rent of Howrah Dockyard Land	...	.....	7,056 1 0
Carried over ...	1,85,338	.....	2,50,546 9 7

HOWRAH

Revenue Account from

Grant No.	Expenditure.	Estimate.	Actuals.					
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	Brought forward ...	2,21,386	...			1,84,084	7	0
	Miscellaneous.							
25	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for administration	18,500	18,500	0	0			
26	Contribution to the Calcutta Port Trust for use of S. L. *Psyche*	1,400	1,641	5	2			
27	Lighting	4,743	7,536	8	4			
28	Advertising	3,000	3,454	15	3			
29	Stationery and printing ...	500	363	4	3			
30	Rent of telephone ...	113	150	0	0			
31	Uniforms	700	1,260	14	0			
32	Taxes	804	803	9	0			
33	Sundry charges not classed ...	350	903	9	11			
34	Interest on advances from Port Trust	...	19,200	10	0			
		30,110	53,814	11	11	53,814	11	11
	Extraordinary Expenditure—							
	(*a*) Renewals to Bridge structure	...	1,71,890	7	1			
	(*b*) Repairs to Howrah Ferry Landing stage ...	...	38,665	10	6			
			2,13,556	1	7	2,13,556	1	7
	Total Expenditure ...	2,51,496	...			4,51,455	4	6
			Total ...			4,51,455	4	6
						Revenue		
	To Balance brought forward from last year ...		...			1,29,085	11	10
	„ Deficit for 1916-17 brought down		...			2,00,908	10	11
			Total ...			3,29,994	6	9

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The 15th June 1917.

BRIDGE.

1st April 1916 to 31st March 1917.

	Income.	Estimate.	Actuals.			
		Rs.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs. A. P.
	Brought forward ...	1,85,338	.....			2,50,546 9 7
	Total Income ...	1,85,338	.....			2,50,546 9 7
	Deficit for 1916-17 carried down					2,00,908 10 11
			Total ...			4,51,455 4 6

Balance Account.

By receipts from Railway Traffic in respect of 1915-16 received in 1916-17	10,961	9 9
„ Balance on Revenue Account at 31st March 1917 ..	3,19,033	13 0
Total ...	3,29,994	6 9

H. G. TOMKINS,
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S. C. WILLIAMS,
Offg. Vice-Chairman.

CERTIFICATE.

CERTIFIED that the Accounts of the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta and of the Howrah Bridge for the year 1916-17 have been audited under our supervision. They are passed with the exception of a credit of Rs. 82,817 in the Revenue Fund Account which represents a withdrawal of that amount from the Sinking Fund in excess of the amount available for withdrawal from the Sinking Fund, as certified by the Accountant-General, Bengal, under section 24A of the Calcutta Port Act. Certified also that the Balance Sheets and the statements of Income and Expenditure prepared from the accounts have been checked and found to agree with the books. The balance of the Nett Revenue Account is in excess by Rs. 82,817, and the Miscellaneous and Suspense Account balance is short by the same amount. The result of the year's working thus shows a deficit instead of a surplus in the Revenue Balance Account. Infringements of the financial provisions of the Calcutta Port Act noticed in audit will be made the subject of a separate communication to the Commissioners and to the Local Government.

T. H. WORGAN,
Examiner, Outside Accounts, Calcutta.

H. G. TOMKINS,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note :—On the average of the five years ending 1915-16 the area under linseed in Bengal represents some 5·6 per cent. and that under rape and mustard 20·4 per cent. of the total area under these crops in British India.)

Explanatory.—Three forecasts are issued for the spring oilseed crops. The present forecast deals only with the area sown and the general condition of the crops.

Area sown.—Oilseeds are grown principally in the Rajshahi, Dacca and Presidency Divisions. The total area under these crops (excepting sesamum for which separate forecasts are published) is returned at 1,328,200 acres, as against 1,405,300 acres reported in the corresponding forecast of last year, or a decrease of 77,100 acres. The decrease is attributed to excessive rainfall and flood at sowing time.

Character of the season.—The rainfall in September, though defective, was sufficient for the preparatory tillage. In the early part of October heavy showers generally interfered with the sowings of the crops. Consequently sowings were late in most districts. The rainfall in the last week of October caused some damage to the crops on the area already sown. Since then dry weather prevailed and the prospects of crops have improved to some extent. The present condition is generally reported as fair.

CALCUTTA,
The 15th December 1917.

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for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

APPENDIX I.

First Forecast of the Spring Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
24-Parganas ...	Linseed	1,600	600	600	October	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable except in Barasat owing to continuous rain. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,900	800	800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	300	200	200	November.	
	Total ...	3,400	1,600	1,600		
Nadia	Linseed	55,700	35,100	34,400	October	The sowings were late The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	23,500	14,800	13,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	18,900	3,400	3,400		
	Total ...	98,100	53,300	51,500		
Murshidabad ...	Linseed	20,800	17,600	14,200	Generally in October but in some places sowings not yet completed.	The sowings were belated owing to heavy rain. The weather has not been favourable for the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	19,900	13,900	12,100		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	3,700	3,500	3,200		
	Total ...	48,400	35,000	29,500		
Jessore	Linseed	24,000	14,100	9,600	October	The sowings were late owing to the land being submerged in September. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is expected to be fair. The decrease in area is due to the fact that many lands which were cultivated last year are still submerged under water.
	Rape and mustard ...	49,600	27,100	19,600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	3,300	2,400	1,600		
	Total ...	76,900	43,600	30,800		
Khulna ...	Linseed	900	100	200	Beginning of October ...	The sowings were a bit late owing to heavy rains in the latter part of October. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	29,700	19,100	17,500	nd of October.	
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	500	500		
	Total ...	30,700	19,700	18,200		
Burdwan ...	Linseed	22,500	13,000	11,200	Middle of October to middle of November.	The sowings were generally late owing to heavy rain at the end of October. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	21,100	14,600	14,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	1,500	600	800	Middle of October to beginning of November.	
	Total ...	45,100	28,200	26,700		
Birbhum ...	Linseed	800	800	800	Beginning of November	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	2,000	2,000	2,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*.	200	200	200		
	Total ...	3,000	3,000	3,000		

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. Last year (1916-17)	Estimated area under spring oilseeds. This year (1917-18).	Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Bankura ...	Linseed	1,000	1,000*	1,000	Middle of October ...	The weather and general condition of the crops are good.
	Rape and mustard ...	7,000	6,500	4,100		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	8,000	7,500	4,500		
	Total ...	16,000	15,000	9,600		
Midnapore ...	Linseed	18,000	11,500	11,500	November	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. Their condition is fairly good.
	Rape and mustard ...	31,000	11,500	11,500		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	14,500	13,100	13,100		
	Total ...	60,500	36,100	36,100		
Hooghly ...	Linseed	800	700*	700	End of October. Late...	The sowings were late. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard ...	7,900	3,800	4,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	2,700	700	700		
	Total ...	11,400	5,200	5,400		
Howrah ...	Linseed	2,000	400	400	Middle of November ...	The sowings were late owing to heavy rainfall at the end of October. The weather has been favourable on the whole to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,100	1,100*	800		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	100	100	100		
	Total ...	3,200	1,600	1,300		
Rajshahi ...	Linseed	28,000	10,000	4,700	Beginning of November	The sowings were late owing to heavy rain in October. The weather has not been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	74,000	54,000	44,200		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	400	1,300	1,700		
	Total ...	102,400	65,300	50,600		
Dinajpur ...	Linseed	(40)	(40)*	(40)	Beginning of November	The sowings were a little late. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is good.
	Rape and mustard ...	70,000	66,000	65,600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	...	100	100		
	Total ...	70,000	66,100	65,700		
Jalpaiguri ...	Rape and mustard ...	53,600	51,900	51,100	Middle of October to 1st week of November.	The sowings were normal except in the Chaklajat estate, where they were a little late owing to rain. The weather has been favourable.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *til*).	200	200	200	End of October.	
	Total ...	53,800	52,100	51,300		

* Conventional area.

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Darjeeling ...	Rape and mustard ...	7,000	3,400	3,300	September to October.	The sowings were normal. The weather has no been favourable to the growth of the crops. Th condition of the crops is fair.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	300	200	200		
	Total ...	7,300	3,600	3,500		
Rangpur ...	Rape and mustard ...	160,000	155,000	140,000	First part of November	The decrease in area and late sowings are due t heavy flood in October. The weather has bee favourable to the growth of the crops. Th condition of the crops is quite satisfactory.
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	1,100	500	200		
	Total ...	161,100	155,500	140,200		
Bogra	Linseed	1,000	500	1,500[a]	Middle of October ...	The sowings were normal. Heavy rainfall ha been unfavourable to the growth of the crops The condition of the crops is poor.
	Rape and mustard ...	60,000	40,000	5,400[a]		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	.....	.....	200		
	Total ...	61,000	40,500	7,100		
Pabna	Linseed	7,600	8,500	8,500	End of October	The sowings were normal. The rainfall just afte the sowing adversely affected the crops to som extent. The present condition is not good.
	Rape and mustard ...	110,000	114,500	114,500		
	Total ...	117,600	123,000	123,000		
Malda	Linseed	6,000	5,000	4,500	... ...	The sowings were late. The weather has not bee favourable to the growth of the crops. The presen condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	30,000	22,000	20,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	2,500	1,200	1,200		
	Total ...	38,500	28,200	25,700		
Dacca	Linseed	4,800	4,600	4,600	First part of October	The sowings were late owing to sudden rise of wate by the end of October and beginning of Novembe The weather has been fairly good.
	Rape and mustard ...	82,400	65,000	66,200	Second week of November.	
	Total ...	87,200	69,600	70,800		
Mymensingh ...	Linseed	13,500	13,500	13,300	Middle of October ...	The sowings were normal. The weather ha generally been favourable to the growth o the crops. The condition of the crop is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	430,700	472,300	472,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	300	300	300		
	Total ...	444,500	486,400	486,400		
Faridpur ...	Linseed	5,900	6,000	6,100	Latter part of October	The sowings were normal. The weathe has been favourable to the growth of th crops. The present condition of the crop i good.
	Rape and mustard ...	25,700	23,900	23,700		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	1,100	1,100	1,100		
	Total ...	32,700	30,000	30,900		

[a] Revised

District.	Name of spring oilseed crops.	Estimated normal area under spring oilseeds.	Estimated area under spring oilseeds.		Date by which the sowing of the crops was begun this year.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		
Bakarganj ...	Linseed	4,500	4,000	4,100	Last part of October and first part of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is fair.
	Rape and mustard ...	1,100	1,400	1,500		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	200	100	100		
	Total ...	5,800	5,500	5,700		
Chittagong ...	Linseed	100	100*	100	Middle of November ...	
	Rape and mustard ...	5,600	2,200	2,000		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	100	100	100		
	Total ...	5,800	2,400	2,200		
Tippera ...	Linseed	4,800	4,000	4,400	October	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable to the growth of the crops. The condition of the crops is good.
	Rape and mustard ...	34,500	26,000	26,300		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	800	600	600		
	Total ...	40,100	30,600	31,300		
Noakhali ...	Linseed	5,000	6,000	5,500	Latter part of November	The decrease in area is due to heavy rain in November which prevented timely sowing.
	Rape and mustard ...	600	1,000	600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	700	900	900		
	Total ...	6,300	7,900	7,000		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rape and mustard ...	13,900	12,400	13,100	Last part of October to middle of November.	The sowings were normal. The weather has been favourable in Chakma Circle and unfavourable in other two circles. The condition of the crop is fair in Chakma Circle and poor in other two circles.
Total Bengal ...	Linseed	226,600	157,400	142,400		
	Rape and mustard ...	1,352,400	1,225,200	1,150,600		
	Other oilseeds (excepting *till*).	65,900	38,700	35,200		
	Total ...	1,644,900	1,421,300	1,328,200		

* Conventional area.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Second Forecast of the Winter Rice Crop of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note.—On the average of the 5 years ending 1915-16, the area under winter rice represents some 19·5 per cent. of the total area in British India.)

Character of the season.—As already reported in the preliminary forecast, transplanting operations were greatly hampered owing to the insufficiency of rainfall in August and the first half of September. Subsequently, however, the weather has been favourable, although in the end of October excessive rain accompanied by high wind did some injury to the crop. In he Burdwan Division the floods of the Adjai and Damodar rivers affected a wide area, but, fortunately, the damage was not very serious. After allowing for all adverse conditions the season may be regarded as a good one.

Acreage.—According to the figures reported by the District Officers the area sown this year is 15,546,300 acres against 15,668,400 and 15,667,400 acres shown in the second and final forecasts of last year. The reasons for the decrease have already been explained in the preliminary forecast.

Outturn.—From the appendix attached to the report it will be seen that four districts, viz., 24-Parganas, Birbhum, Bankura and Dacca, have returned more than a normal crop. Eleven districts have returned a normal crop, eight districts a crop between 80 to 95 per cent. The remaining four districts show a lower outturn, but in no case below 75 per cent. of the normal.

According to the estimates furnished by District Officers the provincial outturn works out to 98 per cent. of the normal,a gainst 94 per cent. estimated, both in the second and final forecasts of last year.

Taking 12 maunds as the normal yield of clean grain per acre, the gross outturn for the province is estimated at 134,320,000 cwts: against 129,849.500 and 129,841,200 cwts. reported in the corresponding and final forecasts of last year.

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Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CAMP POONA,
The 11th December 1917.

Second forecast of Winter Rice Crop of 1917-18.

DISTRICT.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
		Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas ...	899,700	829,700	880,400	92	117	Middle of November; normal.	The increase in area as compared with that of the preliminary forecast is due to the fact that some lands were sown with paddy in the Sadar, Barrackpore and Basirhat Subdivisions after the submission of that forecast. The weather has been favourable on the whole. Slight damage has been done to the crop in Diamond Harbour Subdivision by excessive rainfall during October. Outturn in excess of the normal is due to timely rainfall.
Nadia	136,800	117,400	123,900	88	75	Not yet begun ...	The weather has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Some damage has been done to the crop by flood and heavy rain in October.
Murshidabad ...	345,600	306,500	312,100	83	92	Not yet commenced ...	The weather was favourable, but rains and storm in the last week of October are likely to cause damage to the crop to the extent of about 2 to 3 annas. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Jessore ...	568,100	455,500	479,300	92	100	November; normal ...	The decrease of area as compared with that of the preliminary forecast is due to revision of estimate made by the Subdivisional Officer, Jhenidah. The weather has been favourable for the growth of the crop. Slight damage has been done to the crop by flood. The outturn is anticipated to be normal.
Khulna	745,300	748,300	750,000	85	100	Beginning of November; normal.	The increase in area is due to timely rainfall. The outturn is expected to be good.
Burdwan	874,800	580,000	716,000	83	100	End of November.	Heavy rainfall at the end of October was to a certain extent injurious to the crop. The floods of Damodar and Adjai caused damage to the crop to the extent of 9 annas in the flooded area.
Birbhum	604,600	595,000	601,500	100	117	Not yet commenced ...	The weather has been favourable.
Bankura	510,600	510,600	520,000	133	150	Not yet begun ...	The weather has been favourable. Making allowance for the slight damage done by Bhepa pest, the outturn is expected to be above the normal owing to weather being very favourable throughout.
Midnapore	1,579,400	1,640,000	1,637,000	94	100	Ditto ...	The weather was not quite favourable owing to heavy rain. The outturn, however, is expected to be normal.
Hooghly	276,700	200,900	198,000	66	89	Ditto ...	The outturn is expected to fall below the normal owing to heavy floods in the Arambagh Subdivision.
Howrah	195,200	113,000	119,300	75	80	Middle of November; normal.	The weather has been favourable, but a large area was affected by the Damodar floods. Nearly 10 annas crop within the jurisdiction of Singti and Amta thanas and 2 annas within the jurisdiction of Mandalghat police-station have been damaged by floods. The crop in the Bagnan police-station has also been damaged slightly. The outturn is expected to be normal in the Sadar Subdivision but below the normal in Uluberia Subdivision owing to floods.
Rajshahi	697,000	566,300	560,400	80	80	Not yet commenced ...	The weather has been favourable, but heavy rainfall in October caused some damage in the Nawabganj Subdivision. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.

DISTRICT.	Estimated normal area under winter rice.	ESTIMATED AREA UNDER WINTER RICE.		ESTIMATED OUTTURN AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NORMAL YIELD PER UNIT OF AREA.		Date by which the harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	REMARKS BY DISTRICT OFFICERS.
		Last year (1916-17).	This year (1917-18).	Last year.	This year.		
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Dinajpur	1,120,300	1,058,100	749,800	100	79	Not yet commenced ...	The decrease in area as compared with that of last year is due to want of adequate and timely rainfall. Insufficient rainfall in September and heavy rain in October caused the outturn to fall below the normal.
Jalpaiguri	551,300	503,000	484,000	103	100	Ditto ...	The increase in area as compared with that of the preliminary forecast is due to sufficient rain early in the season as well as to less area being sown with jute. The weather has been favourable since the submission of the first forecast. Hence the outturn is expected to be normal.
Darjeeling	65,200	38,200	26,100	100	100	November; normal ...	The decrease of 12,100 acres as compared with the estimate made in the preliminary forecast is due partly to want of rain at the time of sowing and partly to revision of estimate.
Rangpur	822,300	800,000	585,000	100	75	End of November, normal.	The decrease in area is due to insufficient rainfall at sowing time. The weather has been favourable. Heavy rain and high flood caused some damage to the crop in low lands. Hence the outturn is expected to be below the normal.
Bogra	303 000	303,000	445,500	100	81	Not yet commenced ...	Heavy rains in the latter part of October caused damage to the crop to a certain extent. The weather was favourable at sowing time, but not favourable during the period of growth.
Pabna	566,000	500,000	590,300	85	100	Harvesting commenced; normal.	The weather has been favourable on the whole, since the time of sowing. Rainfall in August and September did much good to the crop. Hence the outturn is expected to be normal.
Malda	300,000	316,000	330.000	115	100	End of November, normal.	Owing to absence of rain from the end of August to end of September, the growth of the crop was retarded a little. The weather has been favourable since the beginning of October. A normal outturn is expected.
Dacca	633,100	623,600	645,000	85	104	.....	The weather has been very favourable. Slight damage was caused to the crop by stormy weather in October last, otherwise the outturn would have been better.
Mymensingh ...	1,126,700	969,700	969,700	92	95	Not yet commenced ...	The weather has been favourable. The outturn is expected to be normal, except at Tangail.
Faridpur ...	770,100	769,000	787,900	100	95	Middle of November, normal.	The weather has been favourable. Some damage was caused by flood and storm in October. Hence the outturn is expected to fall below the normal.
Bakarganj ...	1,200,000	1,259,000	1,267,000	90	100	Not yet commenced ...	The weather was unfavourable at times. Insects also damaged the crop slightly in Sadar Subdivision. The outturn, however, is expected to be normal.
Chittagong ...	418,400	426,100	426,100	100	100	End of November; normal.	The weather has been favourable. The outturn is expected to be normal.
Tippera ...	724,800	798,000	780,000	90	90	November	The weather has been fairly good. Some damage was done by drought in Brahmanbaria Subdivision. The outturn is expected to fall below the normal for want of sufficient rain in certain areas.
Noakhali ...	610,000	600,000	609,900	100	100	November, normal ...	On the whole the weather was favourable and a normal outturn is expected.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	47,500	41,500	42,000	45	75	Not yet commenced ...	The weather has been fairly good.
Total Bengal ...	16,622,500	15,667,400	15,546,300	94	98		

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of the estimated acreage and outturn of the winter rice crop of Bengal, 1917-18.

PROVINCE.	AREA (IN ACRES). Of current year's crop (1917-18).	Of previous year's crop (1916-17)	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (−), area in			YIELD (IN CWTS) Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+) or is less than (−), yield in		
					Column 4.		Column 4.					Column 9.		
1	2	3	4		5	6		7	8	9		10	11	
			Five years.	*Ten years.*		*Five years.*	*Ten years.*			*Five years.*	*Ten years.*		*Five years*	*Ten years.*
Bengal ...	15,546,300	15,667,400	15,901,400	14,999,900	−0·8	+4	+4	134,330,000	129,841,200	129,311,000	133 398,700	+3·4	+0·9	+0·7

APPENDIX III.

Statement showing the rainfall in September and October 1917.

DISTRICTS.	SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER	
	Normal average.	Actual average.	Normal average.	Actual average.
1	2	3	4	5
1. 24-Parganas	10·31	8·28	4·70	14·40
2. Nadia	8·80	8·97	3·95	14·18
3. Murshidabad	9·35	7·63	3·51	19·76
4. Jessore	8·76	9·54	4·35	10·56
5. Khulna	10·86	6·06	5·30	11 34
6. Burdwan	8·44	9·41	3·03	14·21
7. Birbhum	9·85	7·91	3·18	13·21
8. Bankura	8·63	6·42	2·73	11·36
9. Midnapore	9·58	8·59	3·99	15·13
10. Hooghly	8·98	9·19	3·82	12·12
11. Howrah	8·76	8·54	3·51	14·32
12. Rajshahi	8·74	11 55	3·38	16·44
13. Dinajpur	11·85	11·16	3·10	18·26
14. Jalpaiguri	21·05	19·61	5·53	11·53
15. Darjeeling	18·47	19·11	4·27	15·25
16. Rangpur	13·40	8·95	4·49	21·43
17. Bogra	11·23	12·24	4·24	20·09
18. Pabna	9·40	8·21	4·75	14·64
19. Malda	9·09	10·80	2·71	15·24
20. Dacca	9·63	8·43	4·44	6·94
21. Mymensingh	13·04	8·97	5·07	15·85
22. Faridpur	8·62	11·62	4·39	9·48
23. Bakarganj	11·97	11·15	6·21	11·99
24. Chittagong	13·06	14·22	7·09	7·79
25. Tippera	10·03	9·34	4·87	6·03
26. Noakhali	15·43	14·11	7·92	10·59
27. Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	15·03	11·00	6·45	6·87

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Final Forecast of the *Bhadoi* crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

(Note :—On an average of the five years ending 1915-16, the area under autumn rice in Bengal has represented some 6·8 per cent. of the total area under rice in British India.)

Character of the season.—The weather conditions as described in the preliminary forecast were generally favourable in Western Bengal. Damage to varying extents was, however, caused to the crops by the rise of rivers in the districts of Nadia, Murshidabad, Jessore, Burdwan, Midnapore, Hooghly and Howrah, the last named district being the worst sufferer. In Northern Bengal the rainfall was deficient in the early stages of the season, but subsequent rainfall proved favourable on the whole. In the eastern districts although the crops suffered either from unequal distribution of rainfall, floods, or insect pests, the conditions were not altogether unfavourable. Drought in Tippera and floods in Noakhali were, however, responsible for considerable damages. A fairly good yield of *autumn* paddy and fair as regards other crops are anticipated.

Acreage.—The total area sown this year with the different crops is reported to be 5,964,300 acres as against 5,935,300 acres returned in the corresponding forecast of last year. Of this, the area under autumn rice is reported to be 5,076,100 acres against 5,048,200 acres last year.

Outturn.—From the estimates of the District Officers, the outturn of the different *bhadoi* crops for the province as a whole works out at 88 per cent. of the normal against 74 per cent. reported in the corresponding forecast of last year.

Taking 88 per cent. as the outturn of autumn rice for this year, the gross outturn for the province, on the basis of a normal yield of 10 maunds of clean grain per acre, is estimated at 32,818,500 cwts. against 27,445,700 cwts. reported in the final forecast of last year.

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The 15th December 1917.

APPENDIX I.

Final Report on the *Bhadoi* Crops of Bengal, 1917-18.

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
24-Parganas.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	73,400	59,000	71,000	75	93		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	...	100	100	75	83	Middle of September. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,600	1,900	2,600	58	75		The increase in area was due to *bhadoi* paddy having been sown on lands ordinarily reserved for jute. Some lands were also sown with paddy after submission of the first forecast. The weather was on the whole favourable. The outturn is below the normal owing to slight damage caused by excessive rain during the harvesting season.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,300	3,700	4,400	50	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,600	2,000	2,300	92	92		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	300	...	83	Middle of August and September. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	1,300	1,300	58	83		
	Total ...	84,000	67,800	81,900	73	90		
Nadia.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	491,100	475,300	468,300	50	75		
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	100	...	...	...	...		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	800	...	...	...	...		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	6,000	4,300	4,900	58	58		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		700		38			
	Indigo	1,000	2,300	5,300	100	67	End of August Normal.	The weather was favourable, but some damage was done by flood in the Sadar and Kushtia subdivisions. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,400	3,100	2,300	67	67		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	5,800	2,300	2,000	58	67		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	2,800	2,800	58	92		
	Mulberry	(50)	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	6,900	7,100	15,700	50	75		
	Total ...	523,900	497,800	501,400	50	72		
Murshidabad.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	239,700	171,200	176,600	38	83		
	Jowar	100	100	100	75	100	August to September.	
	Bajra	500	300	400	63	75		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	500	600	600	67	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	75	75	August to October	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	4,400	4,000	50	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	900	800	75	58		
	Indigo	.....	.....	1,700	...	92		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,000	1,100	1,600	58	83		The weather was favourable, but the floods caused damage of about two annas on the average.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	6,000	2,600	3,000	67	75	July to November	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,500	2,000	2,100	67	83	August to October	
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	400	400	600	58	58		
	Mulberry	4,000	3,100	3,500	83	75	August to October	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	20,000	13,900	13,000	42	67		
	Total ...	271,200	201,600	208,800	38	81		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Jessore.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	407,300	359,500	369,900	75	85	July and August. Normal	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast, there was heavy flood which had a serious effect on the *aus* paddy in the Magura subdivision. The damage caused by the flood and insect-pests is estimated to be two annas on the whole
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	12,200	12,200	11,100	80	64	September. Early	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	12,200	10,600	10,800	80	75	October. Normal	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,200	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	12,100	1,700	2,000	75	75		
	Total ...	445,000	384,000	393,700	74	82		
Khulna.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	17,800	17,000	17,700	77	100	Beginning of August	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	200	100	100	77	77	Middle of September.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	600	600	600	55	55		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	14,800	14,100	12,400	85	77	August ...	The decrease in area was due to unfavourable weather at sowing time
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	200	200	92	92	First week of September. The dates are normal.	The weather was favourable.
	Total ...	33,700	32,000	31,000	81	90		
Burdwan	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	93,500	107,600	83	100	Middle of August to middle of September. Normal.	
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	3 000	3,000	2.000	100	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	700	700	75	92		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,200	900	1,100	67	92		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,000	2,800	2,900	88	92		The increase in area was due to seasonable rainfall
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	1 700	1,600	75	92	Middle of September to middle of October	The weather was favourable but some damage was done by flood
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	200	200	200	50	83		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	6,000	4 800	4 800	83	75		
	Mulberry	100	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	4,000	3,300	2,900	83	75		
	Total ...	160,200	109,900	123,700	81	96		
Birbhum	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	144,100	133,100	133,100	92	100	Middle of October. Late.	The weather was favourable
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,900	1,900	1,900	83	83		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,400	1,300	1,300	67	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	10,000	10,000	83	100		
	Mulberry	1,000	(50)	(50)	67	83		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,800	2,800	2,800	83	83		
	Total ...	161,200	149,000	149,000	91	99		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bankura.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	21,900	5,600	5,500	117	117	By the middle of September.	The weather was favourable. The outturn was above the normal owing to timely rainfall during the year.
	Bajra	800	700	700	117	117		
	Mandua, marua or ragi	1,100	800	800	117	117		
	Indian corn (maize) ...	3,400	3,200	3,200	133	133		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	117	117		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,500	1,500	133	133		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	2,000	1,500	117	133		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	700	4,400	4,400	117	117		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	800	700	700	133	133		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,900	1,900	1,800	117	117		
	Total ...	40,900	23,300	21,600	121	127		
Midnapore.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice.)	73,000	72,900	72,900	66	83	September. Normal	The weather was not entirely favourable. Excessive rains at times caused damage in various areas to the extent of about two annas.
	Bajra	3,900	3,400	3,400				
	Mandua, marua or ragi	6,700	6,200	6,200				
	Indian corn (maize) ...	11,000	5,300	5,200				
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	3,500	3,100	3,100				
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	10,500	9,000	10,200				
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	6,500	6,000	6,000				
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	8,000	7,900	7,000				
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,800	1,100	1,000				
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	1,000	1,000	1,100				
	Mulberry	400	100	100				
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	15,000	7,300	7,800				
	Total ...	142,300	123,100	123,800	66	83		
Hooghly.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	45,500	24,900	30,400	65	70	September. Normal	The increase in area in some cases was due to favourable weather at sowing time. The weather continued favourable, but the flood and heavy rains damaged the crops to some extent. In the Arambagh sub-division the damage by flood is estimated at four annas.
	Indian corn (maize) ...	200	200	200	66	66		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	600	200	400	46	65		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...		100	100	50	33		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,100	4,000	4,100	68	69		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,700	400	500	67	69		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	100	100	100	50	50		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	100	Nil	100	Nil	91		
	Mulberry	100	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	500	Nil		Nil			
	Total ...	51,900	29,900	36,900	65	70		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop	Estimated area under each crop. Last year.	Estimated area under each crop. This year.	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. Last year	Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area. This year.	Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Howrah.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	18,500	9,100	8,800	54	50	Middle of October. Late.	The decrease in area was due to heavy rains. Practically no *bhadoi* crops were sown in the Uluberia police-station and jute took their places.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	300	200	100	50	67	Middle of October. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,000	1,000	1,000	50	50	End of October. Normal.	The outturn was much below the normal owing to heavy rains at the beginning. About ten annas of the crops were damaged by the Damodar floods in the Singti and Amta police-stations.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,200	5,700	5,200	37	58		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	3,700	1,400	1,500	50	58	End of October. Late.	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	1,800	100	300	56	67		
	Total ...	41,500	17,500	16,500	54	54		
Rajshahi.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	300,000	289,700	289,200	75	85		
	Jowar	100	200	300	75	80		
	Marua, marua or ragi	200	200	200	70	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,100	1,300	1,300	70	90		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	5,800	6,000	6,000	70	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	2,000	1,900	1,900	65	80		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,200	3,500	3,600	75	85	Middle of August to middle of September. Normal.	The weather was fairly favourable. For want of rainfall in May and June the growth of the crops was hampered. The outturn is therefore below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops.	1,500	3,000	3,000	70	85		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	4,500	4,800	4,500	65	75		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	900	400	400	75	90		
	Mulberry	1,000	700	700	75	85		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	600	900	900	75	85		
	Total ...	319,500	312,600	312,300	75	85		
Dinajpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	130,700	140,000	126,200	84	60		
	Jowar	1,200	800	700	62	67		
	Bajra	100	100	100	100	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	1,000	1,000	900	74	74		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals .	1,500	200	100	50	45	Middle of August. Normal.	The weather was not very favourable. Owing to insufficient rainfall the outturn is much below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	900	400	300	64	46		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,700	1,500	1,500	69	42		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	100	600	800	50	62		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	300	...	(20)	...	75		
	Total ...	137,600	144,600	130,600	84	62		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year	This year	Last year	This year		
		Acres	Acres	Acres				
Jalpaiguri	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	196,000	178,000	176,000	77	95	Middle of August	The decrease in area was due to deficient and untimely rainfall at sowing time in the Dhaklajot Estates. The weather was favourable since the submission of the preliminary forecast. Untimely rainfall has caused the outturn to fall below the normal
	Mandua, marua or ragi	800	800	800	80	75	Middle of October ...	
	Indian-corn (maize)	4,000	2,900	2,900	83	86	Middle of August	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals	2,100	1,000	1,000	76	76	November ...	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses	2,300	1,800	1,800	77	78		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables including root-crops	17,800	13,300	13,300	71	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	9,800	6,900	6,900	75	81	Middle of October The dates are normal	
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	5,000	5,000	5,000	77	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute	100	100	100	70	70		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres	2,000	2,000	2,000	77	100		
	Total	238,800	210,200	208,100	77	93		
Darjeeling	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice)	7,300	3,800	3,800	85	77	October ..	The decrease in area was due to want of timely rain. The weather was unfavourable. Want of rain at the beginning has caused the outturn to fall below the normal
	Mandua, marua or ragi	3,300	2,700	3,600	77	77	August ..	
	Indian corn (maize)	49,300	48,500	48,400	79	77	August to October. The dates are normal	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals	2,200	700	700	69	92		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses		1,700	1,700	69	69		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	400	600	400	92	77		
	Tea	52,000	52,000	52,000	100	100		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	5,200	4,700	4,600	69	69		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	2,900	2,100	1,900	100	95		
	Total ..	115,800	117,900	116,700	95	87		
Rangpur	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	282,500	3,8,000	298,000	100	95	July Normal	The decrease in area was due to increase in the area under jute and also to want of timely rain The weather was somewhat unfavourable at sowing time. The extent of damage done by the flood may be estimated from 5 to 10 per cent
	Jowar	200	300	300	100	80		
	Indian-corn (maize) .	100	100	100	90	100		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals .	20,000	5,100	4,200	80	60	October Normal .	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	10,000	3,000	3,100	90	80		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	18,000	300	300	100	90		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.		(50)	.	100	.		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	50,000	45,000	30,000	100	90		
	Total ..	380,600	361,800	336,300	99	94		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Bogra.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	146,000	105,000	113,000	85	80		
	Jowar	...	...	(90)	...	80		
	Mandua, marua, or ragi	...	...	(18)	...	87		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	...	...	3,000	...	75		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	2,500	2,500	1,600	70	80		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	...	...	300	...	87	Beginning of August. Normal.	The weather was not favourable. The fall in outturn is due to insufficient rain at the beginning and to damage caused by the rains subsequently.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	2,000	2,000	300	70	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	3,000	3,000	400	70	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	...	...	100	...	38		
	Mulberry	100	100	(12)	75	45		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	200	200	...	70	...		
	Total ...	146,800	111,800	118,700	85	80		
Pabna.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	140,000	180,000	181,500	75	85	.....	Some damage was caused to the crops by drought and flood.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	8,000	6,500	6,500	70	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	30,000	30,000	30,000	70	75		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,500	3,500	3,500	70	75		
	Total ...	181,500	220,000	221,500	74	83		
Malda.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	260,000	255,000	255,000	50	100	End of July ...	The weather was favourable. About two annas of paddy and Indian corn were damaged by flood. The falling off in outturn in case of jowar, bajra, Indian corn, cereals and pulses was due to excessive rainfall during the period of growth.
	Jowar	800	1,300	1,300	50	75	End of August ..	
	Bajra	1,600	1,300	1,300	50	75		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	24,800	17,000	16,000	50	75	August	
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	800	800	800	50	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	700	700	800	50	75	End of July ...	
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	17,000	18,000	19,000	50	100		
	Mulberry	23,000	13,800	13,800	100	100	The dates are normal	
	Total ...	328,700	307,900	307,700	52	98		
Dacca.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	238,700	263,600	266,900	68	95	July to August. Normal.	Since the submission of the preliminary forecast the weather was rainy. The outturn is below the normal owing to scanty rains in the Narsingani subdivision.
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	1,200	...	...	...	...		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	500	...	...	...	...		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root crops.	5,000	3,900	3,900	70	77		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	28,500	26,500	19,400	74	99		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,700	1,800	1,800	90	95		
	Total ...	277,600	295,800	292,000	69	95		

District.	Names of crops.	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Mymensingh.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	390,600	466,500	466,500	74	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	5,500	5,500	5,500	73	100	End of June. Normal	The weather was favourable.
	Other *bhadoi* food crops	43,000	43,000	43,000	70	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	64,000	64,000	64,000	75	100		
	Total ...	503,100	579,000	579,000	74	100		
Faridpur.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autmun rice).	235,500	239,100	242,900	90	98		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including fodder-crops.	25,300	22,900	23,200	80	86	Middle of July. Normal.	The weather was generally favourable, but heavy rain affected the growth of the crops in parts of the district. Some damage was also done by flood causing the outturn to fall below the normal.
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	500	500	500	80	87		
	Total ...	259,300	262,500	266,600	88	94		
Bakarganj.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	136,000	300,000	300,300	70	100	By the middle of July. Normal.	
	Other *bhadoi* pulses	1,000	500	500	80	80	First week of September. Normal.	The weather was favourable. Slight damage was caused by insect-pests in the Sadar subdivision and also by heavy rain in July in the Perojpur subdivision.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	140,000	144,000	148,000	30	100	Middle of September. Normal.	
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	1,400	1,500	1,500	80	80		
	Total ...	278,400	446,000	450,000	73	100		
Chittagong.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	202,000	206,400	206,500	90	90		
	Indian-corn (maize)	200	200	200	80	90		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	3,400	3,500	3,500	90	90		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,900	1,800	1,800	90	90	First week of August to first week of October. Normal.	The weather was favourable.
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	3,900	4,000	4,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	300	300	300	100	100		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	100	100	100	100	100		
	Tea	5,000	4,500	4,500	90	90		
	Total ...	216,900	219,800	220,000	90	90		
Tippera.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	320,000	315,000	316,000	65	60		
	Other *Bhadoi* cereals ...	1,100	700	800	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	1,000	1,000	1,100	60	60		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	7,100	5,100	5,100	75	75		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	1,000	900	900	60	60	July. Normal ...	The weather was fair. About 40 per cent. of the crop was damaged for insufficient rainfall.
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	9,000	9,000	9,000	60	60		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	7,000	5,000	5,000	70	75		
	Total ...	346,400	336,700	337,700	65	60		

District.	Names of crops	Estimated normal area under each crop.	Estimated area under each crop.		Estimated outturn, as a percentage of the normal yield per unit of area.		Date by which the harvesting of each crop was begun this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
			Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.		
		Acres.	Acres.	Acres.				
Noakhali	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	204,000	210,000	215,000	90	95	July. Normal ...	There was no change in the weather conditions since the submission of the preliminary forecast.
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	1,000	1,000	1,000	100	100		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	2,000	2,000	2,000	100	100		
	Other *bhadoi* non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	(a)	100	...	100	...		
	Total ...	207,000	213,100	218,000	90	95		
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	188,000	148,000	158,000	64	90	Beginning of August to middle of September. Normal.	The weather was favourable. No damage was done except in a small portion of the district in the north.
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	2,100	1,900	2,000	46	60		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...	4,000	3,000	3,500	65	70		
	Other *bhadoi* food-crops	7,000	7,400	7,900	50	60		
	Total ...	201,100	160,300	171,400	63	88		
Total Bengal.	*Bhadoi* paddy (autumn rice).	5,031,500	5,048,200	5,076,100	74	88		
	Jowar	2,400	2,700	2,700	62	75		
	Bajra	6,900	5,800	5,900	70	85		
	Mandua, marua or ragi.	14,200	11,700	11,600	73	93		
	Indian-corn (maize) ...	100,200	87,900	88,700	80	79		
	Other *bhadoi* cereals ...	111,600	79,000	78,200	65	74		
	Other *bhadoi* pulses ...							
	Indigo	1,000	2,200	7,000	100	73		
	Bhadoi fruits and vegetables, including root-crops.	302,600	279,600	280,900	76	93		
	Other *bhadoi* foodcrops	191,300	159,600	151,500	70	87		
	Bhadoi fodder crops other than jowar, bajra, marua and maize.	107,600	100,400	101,000	74	93		
	Bhadoi fibres other than jute.	9,200	7,700	8,100	84	82		
	Mulberry	20,700	17,800	18,100	96	94		
	Tea	57,000*	56,500*	56,600*	99	99		
	Bhadoi non-food crops other than fodder and fibres.	139,400	76,200	77,200	76	81		
	Total ...	6,004,600	5,935,300	5,964,300	74	88		

* Exclusive of the figures for Jalpaiguri.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of the estimated average and outturn of the autumn rice, 1917.

Province.	Area (in acres).					Yield (in cwts.).				
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of preceding	Percentage by which column 2 exceeds (+), or is less than (-) area in		Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		Percentage by which column 7 exceeds (+), or is less than (-) yield in	
				Column 3.	Column 4.					Column 8.	Column 9.
				Five years.	Ten years.			Five years.	Ten years.	Five years.	Ten years.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		10	11
Bengal ...	5,076,100	5,048,200	5,103,800	5,059,700	+ 0·8	- 0·5	+ 0·3	32,818,500	27,445,700	30,935,000	28,652,100	+ 19·6	+ 5·9	+ 14·5

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR NOVEMBER 1917.

I. **Character of the Season.**—During the month under report light rain fell in most districts. The fall was below the normal everywhere excepting in Howrah, Mymensingh, Bakarganj, Chittagong, Noakhali and Chittagong Hill Tracts. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of Agricultural Operations.**—Sowing of potatoes and other spring crops were in brisk progress. Harvesting of winter paddy commenced in the Eastern districts.

III. **State of Standing Crops.**—Despite heavy rainfall in October the condition of the standing winter paddy crop was satisfactory, but that of spring crops already sown was fair.

IV. **Prospects and Probable Outturn.**—A fairly good outturn of winter paddy is anticipated.

V. **Damage to Standing Crops.**—No report of damage was received from any district during the month.

VI. **Condition of Agricultural Stock.**—The condition of agricultural stock was reported as fair. Cattle-disease was found to be prevalent in eleven districts.

VII. **Failure of Pasturage and Fodder.**—There was no scarcity of fodder anywhere excepting in parts of the Jessore district.

VIII. **Prices of Food-grains.**—During the second fortnight of the month the prices of common rice rose in two districts only, fell in fifteen and remained stationary in the rest. It varied from 8 seers 4 chitaks per rupee at Darjeeling to 14 seers per rupee at Bankura and Malda.

IX. **Condition of Agricultural People.**—The condition of agricultural people was reported as fair.

W. ISLAM,

for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA,

The 17th December 1917.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during November 1917.

Division	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of November.	Actual district rainfall for the month of November 1917.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency ...	24-Parganas ...	0·73	0·19	—0·54
	Calcutta ...	0·53	0·40	—0·13
	Nadia ...	0·76	0·12	—0·64
	Murshidabad ...	0·44	Nil	—0·44
	Jessore ...	0·81	0·12	—0·69
	Khulna ...	0·75	0·10	—0·65
Burdwan ...	Burdwan ...	0·58	0	—0·58
	Birbhum ...	0·39	Nil	—0·39
	Bankura ...	0·46	0	—0·46
	Midnapore ...	0·70	0·12	—0·58
	Hooghly ...	0·55	0·28	—0·27
	Howrah ...	0·50	0·75	+0·25
Rajshahi ...	Rajshahi ...	0·36	0	—0·36
	Dinajpur ...	0·13	Nil	—0·13
	Jalpaiguri ...	0·32	0·24	—0·08
	Darjeeling ...	0·33	0·02	—0·31
	Rangpur ...	0·19	0·02	—0·17
	Bogra ...	0·48	0·07	—0·41
	Pabna ...	0·53	0·20	—0·33
	Malda ...	0·21	Nil	—0·21
Dacca ...	Dacca ...	0·94	0·25	—0·69
	Mymensingh ...	0·52	0·96	+0·44
	Faridpur ...	0·98	0·05	—0·93
	Bakarganj ...	1·07	3·22	+2·15
Chittagong ...	Chittagong ...	1·89	4·59	+2·70
	Tippera ...	1·12	0·38	—0·74
	Noakhali ...	1·77	2·21	+0·44
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	1·66	3·26	+1·60
	Cooch Behar ...	0·10	0·01	—0·09

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 17th December 1917.

Summary.—No rain fell during the week. Harvesting of winter paddy is in full swing. *Rabi* sowings are fast approaching completion. Preparatory tillage for the next season's autumn crops has commenced in Eastern Bengal. The present outlook of the spring crops is generally fair. Cattle-disease is reported from parts of the Murshidabad, Burdwan, Bankura, Hooghly, Jalpaiguri, Darjeeling, Malda and Bakarganj districts. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 2 per cent. below that of the previous week.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	Nil	10⅛	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sugarcane crops is going on. No large import or export. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	12 5/16	10	
	Barrackpore	Nil	9	8⅞	
	Barasat ...	Nil	11	11	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	14	14	
2	NADIA ...	Nil	10½	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished. Lands are being prepared for the next season's autumn crops. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	10	10	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	9½	10	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	9	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	10½	10½	
3	MURSHIDABAD	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. No large export or import. Cattle-disease is reported from Jeaganj (Lalbagh).
	Lalbagh ...	Nil	11½	11	
	Jangipur ...	Nil	13	13	
	Kandi ...	Nil	12	13	
4	JESSORE ..	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	15	15	
	Narail ...	Nil	14	13	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	13½	13 5/16	
5	KHULNA ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	13	13	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	14	14	

NOTE.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearly finished and harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Galsi.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	14½	13½	
	Kalna ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10¾	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient.
	Rampurhat	Nil	12	12	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	14	13	Weather seasonable. The condition of standing crops is good. Sowing of *rabi* crops is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Simlapal thana.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14	14	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 11/16	9 11/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of the standing crops are good. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	10⅛	10⅛	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	9⅛	9⅛	
	Contai ...	Nil	13	13	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are available. Cattle-disease is reported from Pandua thana.
	Serampore ...	Nil	10	8	
	Arambagh ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	10	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Standing crops are doing well. The harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	8½	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	10	10	
	Nator ...	Nil	12	10	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10½	10 5/16	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearing completion. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	11	10	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	12	11 7/16	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ramshai and Dalsingpara.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8	8	Weather seasonable. Winter rice, *marua*, and cardamom are being harvested. Wheat, barley, rape and mustard are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	7½	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	10	10	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	8	8	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	9	8	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	9	9	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Gaibandha...	Nil	9	9	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of land for jute and *bhadoi* crops is going on. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	9½	9	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops is completed, and harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Nachole thana.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and transplanting of tobacco seedlings are in progress. Preparation of lands for *bitri* paddy has commenced at places. Condition and prospects of standing crops are favourable.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Ploughing of land for autumn crops is progressing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is falling and those of salt, sugar, chillies and cloth are very dear. Price of mustard oil is also rising.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	12	11	
	Narayanganj	Nil	11	10⅝	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	10½*	10	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1.	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	Mymensingh	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues briskly. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	Nil	11½	11½	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	8½	8½	
23	Faridpur ...	Nil	12½	12½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Goalundo ...	Nil	12 3/16	12 3/16	
	Madaripur ...	Nil	12	12	
	Gopalganj†...	Nil	14	14	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal).	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from three thanas.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	10½	10	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	12	12	
	Dakshin Shahazpur (Bhola).	Nil	10	10	
25	Chittagong	Nil	11	11	Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Outturn is good. *Panga* salt is selling at 5 seers per rupee at Sadar and 4 seers at Cox's Bazar.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10½	10½	
26	Tippera (Comilla).	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Harvesting of the crop is in full swing. Sowing of *rabi* crops is finished; prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	11 7/16	13½	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	11	10	
27	Noakhali ...	Nil	11½	11	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 5½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	Nil	16	14½	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Nil	8½	8	Weather cloudy. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

Wali-ul Islam,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Calcutta, *the 18th December 1917.*

List of prices of articles of food in Calcutta for the week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1917.

Names of Articles.	Wholesale price per maund.		Retail price per seer.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
(i) Balam, coarse ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 1½	0 2 6
„ medium ...	5 10 0	6 0 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
(ii) Patnai, coarse ...	4 4 0	4 12 0	0 2 0	.....
„ medium ...	4 15 0	5 0 0	0 2 1½	0 2 3
(iii) Nagra, coarse ...	4 5 0	4 13 0	0 2 0	.....
„ medium ...	5 0 0	5 4 0	0 2 1½	0 2 3
(iv) Kajla	3 6 0	3 8 0	0 2 0	.....
Wheat, Dudhi	5 6 0	5 7 0	.....	.....
„ Jamali	5 2 0	5 3 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole) ..	3 8 0	3 12 0	0 1 9	0 2 6
„ dal	4 4 0	4 8 0	0 2 0	0 2 6
Mung „ (Hari)	5 8 0	5 14 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
„ „ (Krishna) ...	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
Arhar „	3 12 0	5 8 0	0 2 3	0 2 6
Masur „ (split)	4 4 0	5 4 0	0 2 6	0 3 0
„ „ (khanri) ...	5 4 0	5 12 0	0 2 6	0 3 3
Kalai „	5 4 0	5 8 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
Salt	4 14 0	5 8 0	0 2 6	0 2 9
Sugar (brown Java) ...	10 9 0	.....	0 5 0	.....
Gur, Bheli	6 8 0	8 0 0	0 4 0	.....
„ Bhursut	.....	.....	0 3 0	.....
„ Date	6 0 0	6 8 0	0 2 9	0 3 6
Milk	9 0 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 5 0
Mustard oil	17 0 0	19 0 0	0 7 0	0 8 0
Flour (country)	7 2 0	7 13 0	0 3 0	0 3 6
Ata No. 3	5 8 0	.....	0 2 3	0 3 6
„ „ 2½	5 14 0	.....		
„ „ B	8 0 0	.....		
Suji	7 10 0	8 5 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, &c.). ...	72 0 0	.....	2 0 0	.....
„ (Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa, better kind, &c.).	65 0 0	.....	1 12 0	1 14 0
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, &c.) ...	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Maize	2 8 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
Potato	4 0 0	5 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	0 5 0
Brinjal	3 4 0	4 0 0	0 2 0	0 3 0
Onion	5 4 0	6 6 0	0 1 9	0 2 9
Fish, Rahu	15 0 0	18 0 0	0 8 0	0 10 0
Mutton (2nd class) ...	.....	.....	0 8 0	0 10 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes) ...	.....	.....	0 2 6	0 4 0

N.B.—This is an abstract of prices at the following markets :—

Wholesale.—(1) Chetla Hât, (2) Ramkrishnapur Hât, (3) Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets (4) Posta Bazar.

Retail.—(1) Sir Stuart Hogg Market, (2) Orphanganj Market, (3) Sobha Bazar, (4) Nutun Bazar, (5) Raja Babu's Bazar, (6) Bow Bazar, (7) Kareya Bazar, (8) Taltolla Bazar, (9) Mallik Bazar, and (10) Jagu Babu's Bazar

SATIS CHANDRA RAY,
for *President, Advisory Food Committee.*

CALCUTTA, *the 17th December 1917.*

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
PRESIDENCY.	24-Parganas	Sangor Island	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·09	0·12	0·01	...	...	...	...	...
		Diamond Harbour*																				
		Budge-Budge	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·14	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Canning Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipore	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·38	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barrackpore*																				
		Dum-Dum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Barasat*	...																			
		Basirhat*	...																			
	Nadia	Ranaghat	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Krishnagar	0·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...
		Chuadanga	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Meherpur	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kushtia*	...																			
		Hariughata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Murshidabad.	Kandi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Berhampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalbagh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Azimganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jangipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Lalgola	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Akriganj*																				
		Patkabari	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dumkal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kallyanganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jessore	Narail	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jessore	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jhenida	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·29	...	...	...	...	...
		Magura*																				
		Bangaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Khulna	Satkhira	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagerhat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khulna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nakipur*	...																			
		Dumuria*	...																			
		Rampal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kaliroa	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Paikgachha	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...
		Mollahat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·27	...	...	...	...	...
		Morelganj	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·12	0·02	0·05	0·02	...	...	...
		Tala	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
BURDWAN.	Burdwan	Kalna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Burdwan	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Katwa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Asansol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mankar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mangalkot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Memeswar*																				
	Birbhum	Suri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Hetampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rampur Hat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bolpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Murarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Labpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bankura	Bankura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Vishnupur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mallara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Indas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kotalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Onda*	...																			
		Gangajalghati	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Raipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sonamukhi*	...																			
		Taldangra*	...																			
		Saranga*	...																			
		Indpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Midnapore	Contai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·08	0·12	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tamluk	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Midnapore	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	0·01	...	...	...	...	...
		Ghatal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kukrahati	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·06	0·02	...	...	...	...	...
		Amlagora	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Panskura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...
		Dantan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandrakona*																				
		Pachet*	...																			
		Bhagwanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kultikri	...	...	...	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nayabasan	3·90	0·70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Silda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandri*	...																			
		Goaltore*	...																			
		Solboni*	...																			
		Naraingarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohanpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Henria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·90	0·10	...	...	...	...	...
		Jenka (Khajri)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·11	0·60	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
		Nandigram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Moyna	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pingla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narajole	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1917.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Highest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.
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											1·1		0·74			5·59	Diamond Harbour.		
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·3	Nil	1·14	Nil	8·16	5·91	Canning Town.		
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											0·9		0·69			4·44	Barrackpore.		
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											0·9		0·53			4·84	Barasat.		
											0·9		0·54			5·07	Basirhat.		
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											0·7		0·54			3·65	Akriganj.		
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											0·9		0·83			4·76	Magura.		
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											0·7		0·32			2·56	Onda.		
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											0·7		0·45			3·26	Sonamukhi.		
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											(a)		(a)			(a)	Chandrakona.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Pachet.		
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(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BURDWAN.	Hooghly	Serampore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	0·03	...	...	...	...
		Hooghly*	...																			
		Arambagh	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah	Howrah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mohesreka	...	0·26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·48	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Uluberia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	0·70	...	...	...	...	...
		Amta	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·05	...	...	...	...	1·28	...	...	...	...	...	...
RAJSHAHI.	Boalia ...	Boalia	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...
		Nator	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Naugaon*	...																			
		Bilmaria	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Wanda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahadeopur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Tanor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Dinajpur	Nitlpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gangarampur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Churamon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Itaigaj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dinajpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Balurghat*	...																			
		Thakurgaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Setabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Atwari*	...																			
		Birganj*	...																			
		Parbatipur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Jalpaiguri	Jalpaiguri	0·37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Alipur Duars	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Falakata	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Debiganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhagatpur	0·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Buxa	0·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalchini	0·56	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kumargram	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Darjeeling	Siliguri	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Darjeeling	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kalimpong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mongpoo	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurseong*	...													8						
		Pedong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rangpur	Bhawanigan)	0·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rangpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pirganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kurigaon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gobindganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bagdogra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ulipur*	...																			
		Sundarganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Saidpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bogra ...	Sherpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nowkhilla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bogra	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·30	...	...	...	...	...
		Panchbibi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Khetla.*	...																			
	Pabna ...	Shahzadpur*																				
		Pabna	0·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·16	...	...	...	...	...
		Sirajganj	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sara*	...																			
	Malda ...	Malda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chanchal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gazol	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sibganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nawabganj*																				
DACCA.	Dacca ...	Munshiganj	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Dacca*																				
		Nawabganj	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Narayanganj	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·97	...	...	...	...	...
		Narsingdi	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Manikganj	0·05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Joydebpur	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kapasia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mymensingh	Kishorganj*	...																			
		Atia (Tangail).	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sariabari	0·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·01	...	...	...	...	...
		Mymensingh	1·23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Jamalpur	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Netrakona	3·56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	...	...	...	...
		Phulpur*																				
		Durgapur*																				
		Sherpur* (Town)																				
		Dewanganj	0·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nalitabari	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...

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OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1917—*contd.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov. 1917.	Average rainfall from 1st Oct. up to 30th Nov 1917.	Station.	District.	Division.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	0·05	0·59	0·03	8·32	4·79	Serampore ...	Hooghly	BURDWAN.
											0·8		0·62			4·28	Hooghly.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·7	0·51	0·43	0·48	16·48	3·94	Arambagh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	0·07	0·49	0·07	12·09	4·47	Howrah ...	Howrah	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	0·74	0·54	0·45	17·12	4·12	Mohesreka.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·9	0·90	0·55	0·70	12·59	3·74	Uluberia.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	1·28	0·44	1·28	15·47	3·71	Amta.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	0·03	0·45	0 03	15·22	3·59	Bostia ...	Rajshahi	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	2·42	Nil	19 95	4·29	Nator.		
											0·5		0·48			4·04	Naugaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·55	Nil	17·06	3·76	Bilmaria.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·26	Nil	15·62	3·30	Manda.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·6	Nil	0·44	Nil	17·63	4·02	Mahadebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0	Nil	0·01	Nil	15·16	3·96	Tanor.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·54	Nil	...	3·99	Nithpur ...	Dinajpur	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·14	Nil	13·20	4·77	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·13	Nil	15·90	3 01	Gangarampur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·19	Nil	11·34	2·93	Churamon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·11	Nil	...	3·13	Raiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·13	Nil	22·97	3·20	Dinajpur.		
											0·4		0·19			3·53	Balurghat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·1	Nil	0·04	Nil	15·43	3·38	Thakurgaon.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·10	Nil	23·64	3·50	Sonatganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·1	Nil	0·04	Nil	15·77	3·24	Ranganj.		
											0		0·01			3·75	Atwari.		
											0·3		0·09			3·28	Birganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·15	Nil	23·21	3·50	Parbatipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	0·07	0·10	0·07	12·68	4·51	Jalpaiguri.	Jalpaiguri	RAJSHAHI.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·20	Nil	11·93	3·97	Alipur Duars.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·20	Nil		3·52	Falakata.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·07	Nil		3·23	Debiganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·45	0·64	0·65	0·64	10·03	3·11	Bhagalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·18	0·32	0·77	0·32	13·76	10·58	Buxa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·11	0·71	0 32	0·56	10·61	3·61	Kalchini.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	12·06	(a)	Kumargram.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·38	Nil	13·04	3·74	Siliguri ...	Darjeeling	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	Nil	0·8	0·08	0·29	0·07	19·65	4·78	Darjeeling.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	Nil	0·37	Nil	13·41	3·39	Kalimpong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	0·01	0 13	0·01	14·98	4·04	Mongpoo		
											1·0		0·31			3·60	Kurseong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·1	Nil	0·48	Nil	9·73	4·06	Pedong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·16	0·24	0·16	21·49	5·54	Bhowaniganj	Rangpur	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·11	Nil	25·03	4·30	Rangpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·21	Nil	24·10	4·30	Pirganj.		
										Nil	0·2	Nil	0·16	Nil	...	4·24	Kurigaon		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0 4	Nil	0·42	Nil	14·09	3·20	Gobindganj.		
										Nil	0·1	Nil	0·05	Nil	...	3·70	Bagdogra.		
											0·3		0·17			3·51	Ulipur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·17	Nil	17·56	3·71	Sundarganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·18	Nil	24·32	3·99	Saidpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0 54	Nil	16·33	4·71	Sherpur ...	Bogra ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·7	Nil	0·55	Nil	26·94	5·00	Nowkhila.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·29	0·56	0·20	16·55	4·67	Bogra.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·17	Nil	20·55	4·22	Paschibbi.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Khetlal.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Shahsadpur ...	Pabna ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·5	0·29	0·56	0·15	19·91	5·28	Pabna.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·6	0·12	0·30	0·12	10·56	5·19	Sirajganj.		
											(a)		(a)			(a)	Sara.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·24	Nil	21·11	4·09	Malda ...	Malda ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·15	Nil	14·98	2·64	Chanchal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·16	Nil	13·37	3 61	Gazol.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·5	Nil	0·29	Nil	12·53	3·32	Sibganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·3	Nil	0·17	Nil	...	4·37	Gomastapur.		
											0·1		0·10			3·68	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·15	1·03	0·15	9·42	5·13	Munshiganj ...	Dacca ...	DACCA.
											1·1		0·81			5·15	Dacca.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	...	(a)	Nawabganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	1·01	0·96	0·97	9·11	5·54	Narayanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·06	(a)	0·06	8·09	(a)	Narsingdi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·0	0·05	0·98	0·03	7·89	4·79	Manikganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	0·25	0·96	0·25	6·74	5·25	Joydebpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·25	(a)	0·25	5·55	(a)	Kapasia.		
											1·1		0·72			5·97	Kishorganj ...	Mymensingh.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·8	0·04	0·49	0·04	8·70	4·72	Atia (*Tangail*)		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·99	(a)	0·99	17·56	(a)	Sarishabari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	1·24	0 73	1·23	16·44	5·25	Mymensingh		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·5	0·30	0·48	0·30	17·80	5·25	Jamalpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·9	3·59	0·61	0·56	36·53	7·04	Netrakona.		
											0		0			4·27	Phugua.		
											0·6		0·53			6·64	Durgapur.		
											0·7		0·69			5·60	Sherpur (*Town*		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0·4	0·11	0·36	0·11	18·11	5·25	Dewanganj.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0·6	0·45	0·47	0·45	12·88	5·27	Nalitabari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

RAINFALL RECORDED AT STATIONS IN THE PROVINCE

Division.	District.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Dacca.	Faridpur...	Madaripur* ...																				
		Faridpur ...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Rajbari (Goalundo). ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Haridaspur ...	0·02	..	...		...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...
		Tadirhat ...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 02	...	0·02	...	...	...	...
		Bhanga ...	0·07	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Pangsa ...	...	...			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Ballakandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhusna ...	0 60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Palong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bakarganj	Patuakhali ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·64	0·82	0·27	0·35	...	...	...	...
		Barguna* ...																				
		Pirojpur* ...																				
		Barisal ...	0·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·05	0·03	0·18	...	...	...	...
		Gaurnadi ...	...				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Bhola ...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·15	0·29	0·05	1·73	...	...	...	...
		Daulatkhan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·50	0·25	1·30	2·98	0·90	...	...	...
		Bauppal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·33	0·25	5·48	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Cox's Bazar ...	1·41	0·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·02	2·92	3·45	0·36	1·02	0·03	...	...
		Chittagong ...	1·73	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·17	0·43	0·03	0·11	...	...	...
		Kutubdia ...	2·30	0·49		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	0·19	1·40	...	...	...
		Satkania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·40	0·35	0·80	1·90	...	...	...	...
		Kodala* ...																				
		Mirsarai ...	...			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tippera ...	Comilla ...	0·39	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Chandpur ...	0·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·07	...	...	...	...
		Brahmanbaria*																				
		Ramchandrapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Nasirnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Daudkandi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Kasba* ...																				
		Laksam ...	0·90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·03	0·38	...	...	...	...
	Noakhali...	Noakhali ...	1·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·72	0·10	0·20	0·22	...	...	...	...
		Feni ...	1·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Harishpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·43	0·20	0·24	...	...	...	...	...
		Ramganj ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·18	...	0·25	...	...	...	...
		Chhagalnaiya ...	0·82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·42	0·05	...	0·05	...	...	...	...
		Hatiya ...	1·24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·23	1·02	1·12	0·07	...	...	...
		Lakhimipur* ...																				
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rangamati ...	1 06	0·50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·19	...	...	...
		Bandarban ...	0·65	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·99	0·21	0·10	...	1·65	0·02	...	...
		Barkal* ...																				
		Lama ...	0·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·56	0 86	0·95	...	0·40	...			
		Ramghar ...	2·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·60	...	...	0·20	...	...	...	...	...
		Mahaichari ...	1·83	0·20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·35	0·25	0·05	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tippera.	Agartala ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·25	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cooch Behar.	Cooch Behar.	Dinhata ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Cooch Behar...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mekliganj ...	0·03	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Mathabhanga ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Fulbari ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 14th December 1917.

OF BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1917—*concld.*

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Average rainfall for the month.	Heaviest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st October to 30th November 1917.	Average rainfal from 1st October to 30th November,	Station.	District.	Division.
											0·9		0·79			5·33	Madaripur[a] ...	Faridpur	Dacca—*concld.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·10	1·23	0·10	9·65	5·75	Faridpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·9	Nil	0·81	Nil	9·41	5·11	Rajbari (Goalundo).		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·42	(a)	0·30	11·51	(a)	Haridaspur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·06	(a)	0·02	10·14	(a)	Takirhat.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	0·07	(a)	0·07	6·56	(a)	Bhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	...	(a)	Pangsa.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	8·98	(a)	Baliakandi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	(a)	0·60	(a)	0·60	8·59	(a)	Shusua.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	(a)	Nil	(a)	Nil	8·96	(a)	Palong.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·3	2·11	1·36	0·81	19·30	8·89	Patuakhali ...	Bakarganj	
											0		0			6·08	Barguna.[a]		
											1·4		1·13			6 64	Pirospur.[a]		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·5	0·29	1·30	0 15	13·08	7·28	Barisal.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	1·06	Nil	...	5·40	Gaurnadi.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·3	2·12	1·26	1·78	13·65	7·26	Bhola.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·4	5·53	1·38	2·38	15·84	8·17	Daulatkhan.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·3	6·08	1·16	5·48	19·63	8·57	Banphal.		
...	0·08	0·64	0·01	...	...	...	...	...	..	7	2·3	10·89	2·34	3·45	16·40	10·60	Cox's Bazar ...	Chittagong	Chittagong.
...	...	...	0·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·7	3·35	1·83	1·72	8·43	5·04	Chittagong.		
...	...	0·14	0·19	...	...	...	...	..	...	7	1·9	5·56	2·29	2·50	...	9·57	Kurubdia[a].		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·0	3·45	1·76	1·90	10·94	8·41	Satkania.		
											2·1		1·55			8·46	Kodala[a].		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·3	0·61	1·81	0·61	10·39	9·30	Mirsarai.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·39	1·15	0·39	6·86	7·19	Comilla ...	Tippera ...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·2	0·09	0·89	0·07	7·20	6·40	Chandpur.		
											1·2		0·76			5·56	Brahmanbaria[a].		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	1·4	Nil	1·27	Nil	4·73	5·90	Ramchandrapur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·1	2 06	1·81	1·06	5·67	6·70	Nasirnagar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·0	0 43	0·91	0·22	5·22	4·69	Daudkandi.		
											1·3		1·15			5 20	Kasba.[a]		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·2	0·61	1·09	0·35	8·41	6·24	Laksam.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1·6	3·42	1·35	1·72	14·38	9·81	Noakhali ...	Noakhali.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·9	1·43	2·15	1·06	9·58	9 04	Feni.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1 7	1·07	1·53	0·43	...	10·96	Harishpur.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·1	1·03	1·07	0·85	12·35	8·96	Ramganj.		
...	...	...	0·15	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1·5	5·50	1·37	1·42	12·15	8 74	Chhagalnaiya.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·9	3·80	2·35	1·34	16·19	11·51	Hatiya.		
											1·0		1·36			10·96	Lakhmipur[a].		
...	...	...	1·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·1	2·85	1·68	1·11	10·64	8·06	Rangamati ...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	
...	...	0·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2·2	5·47	1·82	1 65	9·48	8·74	Bandarban.		
											2·5		1·49			7·53	Barkal[a].		
...	0·10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	(a)	4·64	(a)	1·56	...	(a)	Lama.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	(a)	2·90	(a)	2·10	6·57	(a)	Ramgarh.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	(a)	2·71	(a)	1·88	7·66	(a)	Mahalchari.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·4	0·38	1·19	0·26	8·70	6·02	Agartala ...	Hill Tippera	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0.4	Nil	0·15	Nil	14·85	5·22	Dinhata ...	Cooch Behar	Cooch Behar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·08	Nil	14·75	6 11	Cooch Behar.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	0·02	0·05	0·01	15·83	4·36	Mekliganj		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·2	Nil	0·12	Nil	13·55	5·46	Mathabhanga.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil	0·4	Nil	0·11	Nil	15·62	5·14	Futbari.		

(a) Not ascertained.

WALI-UL ISLAM,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of October 1917, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1917-18.						1916-17.					
	Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.		Weight of Cargo.		Rafts.		Tollage.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Major Works.												
Midnapore Canal ...	3,919	35,294	415	6,848	2,100	22,005	6,472	40,630	306	4,206	2,502	22,523
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	8,353	66,397	35	1,283	5,565	45,156	8,380	55,760	4	1,458	4,863	36,305
Total ...	12,272	101,691	450	8,131	7,665	66,161	14,852	96,390	310	5,664	7,365	58,828
II.—Minor Works and Navigation.												
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	32,762	210,185	219	12,789	20,629	1,29,218	34,819	172,040	581	15,445	20,075	1,15,203
Tolly's Nala ...	12,088	95,111	3,900	33,275	4,056	27,665	13,359	93,268	3,115	17,760	4,184	27,807
Madaripur Bheel ...	173,269	832,571	4,374	5,813	45,777	2,06,093	197,133	763,367	1,888	4,860	49,305	2,15,425
Total ...	218,119	1,137,867	8,493	51,877	70,462	3,62,976	245,311	1,028,675	5,584	38,065	73,564	3,58,435
Magrahat Channels ...	5,286	35,574	.....	.....	1,544	11,838	578	5,449	.....	.....	1,157	10,376
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,002	22,850	321	3,957	1,139	7,782	2,985	19,931	75	6,452	975	6,893
Nadia Rivers ...	5,228	37,918	1,139,000	1,307,005	1,238	8,122	5,075	32,375	93,400	188,766	1,256	7,612
Grand Total ...	231,635	1,234,209	1,147,814	1,362,839	74,383	3,90,718	254,249	1,086,430	99,059	233,283	76,952	3,83,316

CALCUTTA,
The 17th December 1917,

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal,

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 8th December 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 9th December 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds	Rs.		Mds	Rs
Rice and paddy	582	50,726	818	433	37,950	614
Jute	151	63,955*	843	227	99,246†	1,235
Firewood	90	50,180	745	30	14,650	214
Other articles	749	174,054	2,333	728	149,226	1,915
Total ...	1,572	338,915	4,739	1,418	301,072	3,978
Empty boats and rafts ...	434	...	944	403	...	1,049
Grand Total ...	2,006	338,915	5,683	1,821	301,072	5,027

* Weight by canal measurement ... ... Mds. 60,800
† Ditto ditto 107,762½

CALCUTTA,
The 15th December 1917.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

Statement of Weekly Gauge Readings on the River Ganges at Rampur Boalia for the week ending the 15th December 1917.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero: minus sign for those below zero R. L. of zero = 35·09.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1917.					
9th December	8 A.M.	6·40	41·48	46·90	R. L. of gauge post is 35·09.
10th "	8 "	6·30	41·38	46·80	B. M. on College step is 63·42.
11th "	7 "	6·20	41·28	46·70	
12th "	8 "	6·10	41·18	46·60	
13th "	8 "	5·95	41·03	46·50	
14th "	8 "	5·75	40·83	46·40	
15th "	8 "	5·70	40·78	46·30	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	... 66·70 on 10th September 1916.
Ditto	...	Lowest "	... 40·80 on 23rd May 1916.
Record ...	...	Highest "	... 69·25 on 26th August 1879.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	... 69·08 on 9th September 1885.
Do ...	...	Ditto "	... 68·80 on 25th August 1906.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	... 68·21 on 26th August 1890.
Do. ...	...	Lowest "	... 37·68 on 25th April 1884.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	... 38·18 on 14th-15th April 1888.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	... 39·02 on 21st-22nd April 1897.
Do. ...	...	Ditto "	... 39·28 on 6th-7th May 1908.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

BOALIA,
The 15th December 1917.

D. M. BANERJI,
for *Executive Engineer, Rajshahi Divn.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, or 1,577 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	660,180	3,41,450 0 0	2,690,080 0	3,39,170 0 0	38,970 0 0	(a)7,09,590 0 0	82,561	d) 58,488	141,049
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 422	(a) 218 0 0	1,706 0	209 0 0	(c) 20 0 0	(c)446 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	4,879,290	24,93,370 0 0	19,437,320 0	28,42,890 0 0	2,58,210 0 0	55,94,470 0 0	641,915	433,778	1,075,693
Total for 9 weeks ...	5,539,470	28,34,820 0 0	22,127,400 0	31,72,060 0 0	2,97,180 0 0	63,04,060 0 0	724,476	492,266	1,216,74
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	639,930	3,42,940 0 0	2,864,821 0	4,04,981 0 0	41,358 0 0	7,89,279 0 0	99,752	64,228	163,980
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 409	(b) 219 0 0	1,760 0	249 0 0	21 0 0	491 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	6,080,478	28,99,376 0 0	27,011,580 0	42 90,651 0 0	4,07,181 0 0	75,97,208 0 0	884,342	573,618	1,456,860

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,890.
(d) Including ballast train-miles, 8,896.
(e) Decrease is chiefly due to less jute traffic.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	56,370	19,180 0 0	142,230 0	7,710 0 0	2,490 0 0	30,380 0 0	3,483	(b) 5,459	8,942
Per mile of railway per week	486	165 0 0	1,227 0	67 0 0	(a) 3 0 0	(a) 235 0 0	...	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	449,730	1,58,340 0 0	973,460 0	62,390 0 0	25,980 0 0	2,46,710 0 0	31,358	40,073	71,431
Total for 9 weeks ...	506,090	1,77,520 0 0	1,115,790 0	70,100 0 0	28,070 0 0	2,76,690 0 0	34,741	45,532	80,273
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	50,638	23,561	140,548	7,639	3,196 0 0	34,396 0 0	5,970	2 390	8,360
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (114 mean mileage worked)	523	203 0 0	1,212 0	66 0 0	2 0 0	271 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	576,637	2,03,463 0	1,460,225 0	86,900 0 0	36,372 0 0	3,16,735 0 0	61,809	22,518	84,327

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,100.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 750.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 83 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	5,710	3,780 0 0	32,090 0	2 440 0 0	30 0 0	6,250 0 0	793	159	952
Per mile of railway per week	173	114 0 0	1,000 0	74 0 0	1 0 0	189 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	42,500	19,840 0 0	216,720 0	17,310 0 0	240 0 0	37,390 0 0	6,088	1,392	7,480
Total for 9 weeks ...	48,210	23,620 0 0	249,710 0	19,750 0 0	270 0 0	43,640 0 0	6,881	1,551	8,432
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	6,744	4,944 0 0	34,384 0	2,858 0 0	40 0 0	7,839 0 0	952	462	1 414
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (82 mean mileage worked)	204	150 0 0	1,041 0	87 0 0	1 0 0	238 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	51,108	27,913 0 0	306,264 0	23,352 0 0	416 0 0	56,681 0 0	8,430	3,840	12,290

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	30,420	6 040 0 0	185,810 0	7,930 0 0	40 0 0	14,010 0 0	1,211	2,199	3,410
Per mile of railway per week	365	108 0 0	3,314 0	141 0 0	1 0 0	250 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	180,740	45,440 0 0	1,508,960 0	67,640 0 0	290 0 0	1,13,370 0 0	9,516	13,590	23,106
Total for 9 weeks ...	151,160	51,480 0 0	1,694,870 0	75 570 0 0	330 0 0	1,27,380 0 0	10.727	15.789	26.516
Total for 23 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	362,805	1,29,505 0 0	3,212,922 0	1,44.504 0 0	735 0 0	2,74,734 0 0	32,897	29,990	62.887
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	19,734	5,804 0 0	146,330 0	7,380 0 0	33 0 0	13.217 0 0	1.715	1,624	3,339
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	352	104 0 0	2,613 0	132 0 0	.....	236 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	134,932	49,891 0 0	1,676,318 0	81,292 0 0	284 0 0	1.31.197 0 0	14,947	14,507	29,454
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	362,053	1,10,078 0 0	4,262,935 0	1,71,193 0 0	747 0 0	2,82,017 0 0	39,386	31.314	70,700

(a) Audited figures to end of September 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 49 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,440	4,590 0 0	37,370 0	2,370 0 0	30 0 0	6,980 0 0	1,190	588	1,778
Per mile of railway per week	315	94 0 0	763 0	48 0 0	.....	140 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	80,800	24,140 0 0	252,390 0	18,120 0 0	140 0 0	42,410 0 0	9,165	7,554	16,719
Total for 9 weeks ...	96,040	28,730 0 0	289,760 0	20,490 0 0	160 0 0	49,390 0 0	10,355	8,142	18,497
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	11,136	3,358 0 0	35,702 0	2,141 0 0	37 0 0	5,536 0 0	1,440	648	2,088
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)...	223	67 0 0	714 0	43 0 0	1 0 0	111 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	89,181	25,856 0 0	406 121 0	27,078 0 0	185 0 0	54,019 0 0	12,910	6,488	19,398

N.B.—Increase in coaching traffic is due to more local and foreign passenger booking.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 1st December 1917, on 2,056 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,056 mean miles worked	554,200	(a)2,36,800	954 500	(b)1,51,810	30,840	4,19,450	56,671	(c)45,200	(c)101,871
Or per mile of railway per week	269·55	115·17	464·25	73·84	15·00	204 01			
For previous 7½ weeks of official half-year ...	2,782,230	13,15,230	7,791,980	11,75,350	1,71,650	25,62,240	395,964	319,357	715,321
Total for 8½ weeks ...	3,336,430	14,52,030	8,656,480	13,27,160	2,02,500	29,81,690	452,635	364,457	817,092
COMPARISON.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,067 miles open	480,897	2,14,124	1,359,145	2,11,678	29,657	4,55,459	66,471	(d)54,816	121,087
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	233 78	104·09	660·74	102·91	14·43	221·42			
Total for corresponding period of previous half year	4,268,516	17,58,420	9,644,275	15 52,022	2,34,630	35,45,352	566,201	442,562	1,008,763
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the week ...		4·18		3·26	·30	4·13			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·22		3·35	·24	3·76			

(a) Increase under local passengers due to Sonepore Mela which was held in this period this year but earlier in 1916, foreign traffic decreased.
(b) General decrease.
(c) Includes 1,480 miles of ballast trains.
(d) Includes 3,486 miles of ballast trains.
(e) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 1st December 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	627,344	7,33,992 0 0	7,941,748 0	16,09,684 0 0	68,690 0 0	24,12,366 0 0	139,712	314,757	454,469
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	280 5 10	.....	614 13 8	26 3 9	921 7 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 79 weeks of half-year ...	4,453,858	54,84,801 0 0	64,312,496 0	1,13,24,269 0 0	4,42,640 0 0	1,72,51,710 0 0	1,106,731	3,501,695	3,610,426
Total from 1st October ...	5,081,202	62,18,793 0 0	72,254,244 0	1,29,33 953 0 0	5,11,330 0 0	1,96,64,076 0 0	1,246,443	3,816,452	4,064 895
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	684,808	6,69,866 0 0	8,823,163 0	15,37,585 0 0	27,576 0 0	22,35,027 0 0	179,108	310,493	489 601
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	257 3 11	.....	590 7 7	10 9 5	858 4 11	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	5,956,808	54,91,772 0 0	78,847,969 0	1,30,79,087 0 0	1,49,367 0 0	1,87,20,226 0 0	1,586,731	2,894,373	4,463,104

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The increase is both in merchandise general.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,650	First 18 days of Oct. ...	1,057,763	13,05,861	16,613,844	26,96,486	85,456	41,77,777	849	869,561	4 12 10
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,650	7,74,008	9,566,632	15,72,065	56,700	24,03,673	909	486,249	4 15 3
2,618	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	528,394	6,18,470	7,027,312	11,62,617	71,700	18,52,787	708	464,959	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,282	7,23,459	7,258,583	13,65,380	60,620	21,49,529	821	472,617	4 15 6
2,618	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	548,166	6,64,280	8,222,913	16,04,480	37,700	23,06,460	916	469,098	5 1 9
2,618	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	526,803	6,29,417	7,362,398	13,97,685	38,700	20,85,802	797	462,701	4 8 2
2,618	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	583,800	6,78,406	7,240,814	14,35,576	71,700	21,85,682	835	436,248	5 2 1
2,618	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	627,344	783,992	7,941,748	16,09,684	68,690	24,12,366	921	454,469	5 4 11
	Totals up to date ...	5,081,202	62,18,793	79,254,244	1,29,33,953	5,11,330	1,96,64,076	845	4,064,895	4 13 5

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P.
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,372,076	12,68,220	16,446,257	26,18,523	7,331	38,94,074	748	1,027,498	3 12 8
2,601	Week ended 21st ,, ...	628,529	5,93,000	9,096,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,801	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,833	5,39,755	9,606,846	15,24,756	7,400	20,71,891	796	518,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	668,246	6,47,623	8,981,528	14,96,701	19,912	21,64,236	831	513,815	4 3 6
2,604	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	711,039	6,09,961	8,655,745	14,71,914	29,000	21,10,875	811	488,990	4 5 4
2,604	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	695,261	6,24,511	8,735,782	15,27,760	28,000	21,80,271	837	493,579	4 6 8
2,604	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	685,004	6,32,323	8,225,980	14,80,223	29,100	21,50,656	826	497,209	4 5 2
2,604	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	684,808	6,69,866	8,823,163	15,37,585	27,576	22,35,027	858	489,601	4 9 0
	Totals up to date ...	6,057,796	55,85,329	79,473,016	1,32,50,977	1,50,119	1,89,96,425	811	4,556,992	4 2 8

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st December 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	48,803	44,935 0 0	558,108 0	48,208 0 0	298 0 0	98,441 0 0	11,584	2,296	90,880
Or per mile of railway...	.....	230 7 0	.....	247 3 6	1 8 5	479 2 11	.....	.....	.....
For previous 79 weeks of half-year.	370,103	3,41,812 0 0	5,517,951 0	4,07,414 0 0	2,242 0 0	7,51,468 0 0	98,630	68,997	165,827
Total from 1st October...	418,905	3,86,747 0 0	6,076,059 0	4,55,623 0 0	2,540 0 0	8,44,909 0 0	108,414	78,293	186,707
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	43,668	32,093 0 0	574,533 0	41,022 0 0	415 0 0	73,000 0 0	11,531	9,242	20,773
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	164 9 8	.....	210 11 8	2 2 1	377 7 0	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	380,638	3,31,291 0 0	4,749,688 0	3,69,671 0 0	2,711 0 0	7,03,673 0 0	105,552	80,903	186,455

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,079	78,883	1,153,121	79,664	522	1,59,069	439	37,872	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	989,067	62,721	285	1,19,001	610	20,685	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	38,138	36,232	673,647	51,068	285	87,585	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	45,684	45 168	578,828	46,927	295	92,460	474	20,806	4 7 1
195	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	48,426	40,681	914,750	67,821	285	1,08, 90	555	21,786	4 15 5
195	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	38,831	42,605	628,494	51,576	285	94,466	484	22,875	4 2 1
195	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	45,369	42 845	580 044	47,567	285	90,697	465	21,633	4 3 1
195	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	48,802	44,935	558,108	48,208	298	93,441	479	20,880	4 7 7
	Totals up to date ...	418,905	3,86,747	6,076.059	4 55,622	2,540	8,44.909	489	186,707	4 8 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17.*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. R. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88,079	72,338	993,786	64,072	578	1,36,988	351	48.165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,313	39,137	289	74,837	384	22.259	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,956	35,048	509,453	41,823	289	77,160	396	20,823	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	43,329	37,729	644,200	49,577	246	87,552	449	22,106	3 15 4
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	51,989	42,740	569,128	48,735	312	91,787	471	24,103	3 12 11
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	47,500	44,670	585,654	46,503	312	91,485	469	25,239	3 10 0
195	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	44,056	36,297	501,694	42,858	312	79,467	408	21,317	3 11 8
195	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	42,368	32,093	574,533	41,092	415	73,600	377	20,773	3 8 8
	Totals up to date ...	395,827	3,36.338	4,812,761	3,73,797	2,753	7,12,876	406	199.785	3 9 1

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st December 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,303	2,304 0 0	14,636 0	822 10 0	12 0 0	3,138 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	59 2 11	.....	18 10 11	0 4 4	78 2 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year.	52,151	13,791 0 0	170,971 0	8,125 0 0	118 0 0	22,034 0 0	7,205	2,396	9,601
Total from 1st October...	61,454	16,395 0 0	185,607 0	8,947 0 0	130 0 0	25,472 0 0	8,122	2,701	10,823
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	4,917	1,182 0 0	17,706 0	387 0 0	11 0 0	1,580 0 0	568	196	764
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	26 13 10	.....	8 12 9	0 4 0	35 14 7	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	25,350	6,809 0 0	12,715 0	805 0 0	48 0 0	7,662 0 0	2,161	720	2,881

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,651	98	5,889	70	2,259	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,864	30,759	1,267	15	4,136	94	1,222	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,300	1,570	19,759	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,221	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,207	1,558	19,824	1,188	15	2,761	63	1,222	2 4 2
44	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	6,703	1,833	15,738	726	15	2,574	59	1.222	2 1 8
44	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	5,194	1,446	13,670	528	15	1,989	45	1.222	1 10 1
44	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	5,611	1,520	14,393	572	15	2.107	48	1,222	1 11 7
44	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	9,303	2,804	14,636	822	12	3,438	78	1,222	2 13 0
	Totals up to date ...	61,454	16,395	185,607	8,947	130	25,472	65	10,823	2 5 8

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

		No of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
25*	First 4 days of Nov. ...	713	129	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 2
44	Week ended 11th ,, ...	7,768	2,220	3,822	74	11	2,305	52	612	3 12 3
44	,, 18th ,, ...	7,662	2,179	3,825	74	11	2,264	51	612	3 11 2
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	4,488	1,132	17,362	270	11	1,413	32	612	2 4 11
44	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	4,917	1,182	17,706	387	11	1,580	36	784	2 0 3
	Totals up to date ...	25,528	6,842	42,715	805	49	7,696	38	2,968	2 9 0

* Mean miles for the week.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,808	2,935 0 0	69 641 0	16,728 0 0	(a)342 0 0	20,005 0 0	587	(d)808	1,195
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	81 0 0	...	465 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 547 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year.*	60,967	18,716 0 0	578.001 0	1,02,493 0 0	4,154 0 0	1,25,363 0 0	4,611	6,057	10,678
Total for 10 weeks ...	68,775	21,651 0 0	647,642 0	1,19,221 0 0	4,496 0 0	1,45,368 0 0	5,198	6,675	11,873
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	9,578	3,114 0 0	91,748 0	15,338 0 0	(b)477 0 0	18,917 0 0	531	(e)903	1,434
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	86 0 0	...	426 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 513 0 0	...	...	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	89,736	25,853 0 0	788,301 0	1,16,422 0 0	4,426 0 0	1,46,201 0 0	5,271	8,540	13,811

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 297.
(b) Ditto, 1916. Rs. 437.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, nil.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 108.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 117 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	16,717	6,467 0 0	90,975 0	23,489 0 0	28 0 0	29,984 0 0	2,013	2,636	4,649
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	55 0 0	...	201 0 0	...	256 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 9 weeks of half-year.*	139,578	47,183 0 0	847,018 0	1,49,398 0 0	2,464 0 0	1,99,045 0 0	16,523	28,416	44,939
Total for 10 weeks ...	156,295	53,650 0 0	937,993 0	1,72,887 0 0	2,492 0 0	2,29,029 0 0	18,536	31,052	49,588
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	19,068	7,021 0 0	130,217 0	28,019 0 0	21 0 0	35,061 0 0	2,162	(b)3,048	5,210
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	60 0 0	...	240 0 0	...	300 0 0	...	...	..
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	187,886	63,701 0 0	1,081,693 0	1,82,750 0 0	877 0 0	2,47,328 0 0	17,388	37,658	55,046

(a) Ballast train-miles, Nil.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 837.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 1st December 1917, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,501	11,962 0 0	22,684 0	9,536 0 0	43 0 0	21,541 0 0	2,521	2,967	5,488
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	235 0 0	.....	187 0 0	1 0 0	423 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	47,476	1,52,478 0 0	220 839 0	93,330 0 0	1,385 0 0	2,47,193 0 0	23,184	24,618	47,802
Total traffic up to 1st December 1917	51,977	1,64,440 0 0	243,523 0	1,02,866 0 0	1,428 0 0	2,68,754 0 0	25,705	27,585	53,290
(62 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	364 0 0	.....	228 0 0	3 0 0	595 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,346	9,954 0 0	28,998 0	12,769 0 0	197 0 0	22,920 0 0	2,666	4,117	6,783
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	195 0 0	.....	250 0 0	4 0 0	449 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	53,488½	1,24,804 0 0	286,033 0	1,29,202 0 0	1,723 0 0	2,55,729 0 0	24,588	32,273	56,861
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	276 0 0	.....	286 0 0	4 0 0	566 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week ...		+ 2,028		− 3,233	− 154	− 1,359			
Difference up to date ...		+ 39,656		− 26,336	− 295	+ 13,025			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in Foreign passengers, and Troops traffic.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Public Coal, Rice and Building materials.
Tea traffic is improving.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 1st December 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,576	2,972 0 0	24,258 0	2,001 0 0	11 0 0	4,984 0 0	658	1,302	1,960
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	42 0 0	.....	29 0 0	.....	71 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	35,337	20,671 0 0	148,274 0 0	14,208 0 0	355 0 0	35,229 0 0	5,105	10,435	15,540
Total traffic up to 1st December 1917 ...	39,913	23,643 0 0	169,532 0 0	16,204 0 0	366 0 0	40,213 0 0	5,763	11,737	17,500
(62 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	26 0 0	1 0 0	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	5,346	2,823 0 0	19,221 0	1,231 0 0	26 0 0	4,080 0 0	855	1,308	2,163
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	40 0 0	.....	18 0 0	.....	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	70,195	22,894 0 0	177,571 0	12,235 0 0	160 0 0	35,289 0 0	8,062	8,346	16,408
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	37 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
NOTES.—Difference for the week ...		+ 149		+ 770	− 15	+ 904			
Difference up to date ...		+ 749		+ 3,969	+ 206	+ 4,924			

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in parcel traffic.
The increase during the week in Goods is mainly in potatoes and wool traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 1st December 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	1,265	1,034 0 0	6,718 0	1,364 0 0	1 0 0	2,399 0 0	209	569	778
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	35 0 0	.....	45 0 0	.....	80 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of the half-year	5,604	5,437 0 0	29,627 0	6,087 0 0	30 0 0	11,554 0 0	1,694	1,794	3,488
Total traffic up to 1st December 1917	6,869	6,471 0 0	36,345 0	7,441 0 0	31 0 0	13,943 0 0	1,893	2,293	4,186
(62 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	24 0 0	.....	28 0 0	.....	52 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	1,376	982 0 0	13,685 0	1,863 0 0	4 0 0	2,749 0 0	183	591	774
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	30 0 0	.....	62 0 0	.....	92 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	6,7644	4,083 0 0	72,430 0	11,785 0 0	26 0 0	15,894 0 0	1,224	2,162	3,386
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	16 0 0	.....	44 0 0	.....	60 0 0	.....	.....	.....

Notes :—Difference for the week + 152 — 509 — 3 — 360
Difference up to date + 2,388 — 4,344 + 5 — 1,951

The increase during the week in Coaching is mainly in parcel traffic.
The decrease during the week in Goods is mainly in building materials and cardamoms traffic.
Wool shows an improvement.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 1st December 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	93,016	60,063 0 0	337,905 0	60,804 0 0	9,440 0 0	1,30,307 0 0	15,519	18,981	34,500
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	68·26	.....	68·12	10·28	146·96	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7½ weeks of half-year	704,388	4,79,569 0 0	2,621,282 0	4,58,746 0 0	47,528 0 0	9,85,843 0 0	104,389	159,686	264,075
Total for 8½ weeks ...	797,404	5,39,632 0 0	2,959,187 0	5,19,550 0 0	56,968 0 0	11,16,150 0 0	119,908	178,667	298,575
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	105,942	59 888 0 0	349,802 0	57,943 0 0	9,200 0 0	1,27,031 0 0	17,211	19,237	36,448
Per mile of railway(a) ...	.....	74·77	.....	70·40	11·18	156·35	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	916,826	4,91,162 0 0	3,539,193 0	6,25,336 0 0	85,294 0 0	11,99,792 0 0	143,223	179,192	322,415

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 1st December 1917.			Receipts for week ending 1st December 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 1st December 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 1st December 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,30,307	146·96	823	1,27,031	156·35	46,33,875	46,47,743	.....	13,868

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 1st December 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	13,948	4,442 0 0	34,165	4,530 0 0	.....	8,972 0 0	1,208	922	2,130
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	77·24	.....	51·72	.....	156·06	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7⅞ weeks or half-year	94,147	32,093 0 0	279,692	37,868 0 0	.....	69,961 0 0	9,257	6,757	16,014
Total for 8⅛ weeks ...	108,095	36,535 0 0	313,857	42,398 0 0	.....	78,933 0 0	10,465	7,679	18,144
Comparison.*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 1st December 1917.			Receipts for week ending 1st December 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 1st December 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 1st December 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
57·59	8,972	138·96	...	.....	...	1,16,822	.....	1,16,822	.....

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EXTRAORDINARY.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 6265Com.—The 24th December 1917.—The following Press Communiqué issued by the Government of India, Indian Munitions Board, is published for general information :—

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

THE INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

PRESS COMMUNIQUÉ.

Delhi, the 21st December 1917.

An estimate is being prepared of the Trade demands for all commodities of urgent national importance which will be made on the United States of America during the first six months of 1918. In order that this may be complete all those who expect to make such demands should supply before tenth January to Secretary, Indian Munitions Board, Delhi, a clear statement of their proposed orders giving quantity, tonnage and value of each commodity separately. Similar information is also required of orders already placed in the United States for which early delivery is desired. As no demand will be included in the estimate unless it is clearly of urgent national importance, full particulars in this respect should be supplied as there is no time for correspondence. All statements should be complete and clearly set out; otherwise the demand will not be included.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Governor of Bengal, the Governor of Bengal in Council, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF BENGAL IN COUNCIL.

No. 7004A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

GENERAL.—*No. 6821A.—The 18th December 1917.*—Mr. E. Milsom, I.C.S., is appointed to act, until further orders, as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Mymensingh, *vice* Mr. W. A. Seaton, I.C.S.

Mymensingh.

No. 6927A.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Suresh Chandra Sen (No. I), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to have charge of the Sadar subdivision of that district.

Chittagong.

No. 6929A.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Rebati Mohan Chakrabatti (No. I), Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakhali, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district.

Noakhali. Chittagong.

No. 6931A.—The 21st December 1917.—Mr. Satyendra Nath Mustafi, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Noakhali district.

Chittagong. Noakhali.

No. 6933A.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Jatindra Mohan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the head-quarters station of the Chittagong district on being relieved of his present appointment as Sub-divisional Officer of Katwa, Burdwan.

Burdwan. Chittagong.

No. 6936A.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Nihar Ranjan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Katwa subdivision of the Burdwan district on being relieved of his present appointment as Sadar Subdivisional Officer of Chittagong.

Chittagong. Burdwan.

No. 6950A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. A. J. Chotzner, I.C.S., Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to act as District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas.

24-Parganas. Hooghly.

No. 6952A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. J. A. Woodhead, I.C.S., Officiating Second Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas, is appointed temporarily to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Parganas and Hooghly.

24-Parganas. Hooghly.

POLICE.—*No. 6848A.—The 20th December 1917.*—The gentlemen, named below, are appointed to be Probationary Deputy Superintendents of Police and are posted to the Police Training College at Sardah, Rajshahi :—

Rajshahi.

Maulvi Habibar Rahman, M.A. | Maulvi Abdur Rashid Khan, B.A.

No. 6977A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. E. Hodson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Faridpur, is transferred temporarily to the head-quarters station of the Rangpur district.

Faridpur. Rangpur.

No. 6978A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Babu Purna Chandra Biswas, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Pabna, is transferred to the head-quarters station of the Jalpaiguri district.

Pabna. Jalpaiguri.

JAILS.—*No. 6911A.—The 21st December 1917.*—Mr. M. Leach, Deputy Superintendent of the Dacca Central Jail, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to be Superintendent of that Jail.

Dacca.

No. 6914A.—The 21st December 1917.—Mr. Louis Esmond Texeire is appointed temporarily to be Deputy Superintendent of the Dacca Central Jail.

Dacca.

CONFIRMATION.

No. 6881A.—The 20th December 1917.—Rai Sahib Brojendra Mohan Gupta, Officiating Registrar, Judicial, Political and Appointment Departments, Bengal Secretariat, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 6th December 1917, *vice* Mr. J. S. W. Young-Craig, retired.

Calcutta.

LEAVE.

GENERAL—*No. 6899.—The 21st December 1917.*—The orders of the 4th December 1917 granting Mr. R. W. A. Ashe, Assistant Superintendent, Chittagong Hill Tracts, privilege leave for eight days, are cancelled.

Chittagong Hill Tracts.

No. 6965A.—The 22nd December 1917.—In modification of the orders of the 3rd October 1917. Babu Satyendra Nath Batabyal, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is allowed combined leave for six months, viz., privilege leave for two months and eleven days, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 31st October 1917, and leave on medical certificate for the remaining period under article 336 of the Regulations.

POLICE.—*No. 6831A.—The 18th December 1917.*—Mr. L. H. Colson, Superintendent of Police, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for six months.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 6897A.—The 21st December 1917.—The officers, named below, having passed an examination in the Santali language in accordance with the rules laid down in Appendix VI to the rules for the departmental examination of Assistant Magistrates and others, dated the 14th September 1912, are each authorised to draw the prescribed reward of Rs. 1,000 :—

Burdwan.

Rai Bhupendra Nath Gupta Bahadur, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector and Sadar Subdivisional Officer, Burdwan.

Babu Sati Prasanna Sarkar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan.

J. H KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 9008For.—The 22nd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878 (VII of 1878), the Governor in Council is pleased—

Darjeeling.

(*a*) to declare all trees in the Jalapahar Cantonment Protected Forest, in the district of Darjeeling, to be reserved trees with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*,

(*b*) to prohibit with effect from the above date the following acts in the said forest, subject to any rule made in respect of the said forest under section 31 of the said Act, namely :—

(1) the quarrying of stone;
(2) the burning of lime or charcoal:
(3) the collection or subjection to any manufacturing process, or the removal, of any forest produce; and
(4) the breaking up or clearing of any land for cultivation, for building, for herding cattle or any other purpose:

Provided that nothing in this notification shall be deemed to prohibit any act done with the permission in writing of the Cantonment Forest Officer or of the Divisional Forest Officer in charge of the Darjeeling Division.

II. Notification No. 5619For., dated the 15th June 1914, is hereby cancelled.

No. 8866L.R.—The 20th December 1917.—Whereas an application has been made under section 18 of the Bengal Embankment Act, 1882 (II of 1882), for the construction of a sluice at Mellock in the 5th mile of the Rupnarain Left Embankment, Schedule D Embankment No. 38, in the district of Howrah, for draining the Mellock and Bagnan basins, and whereas the Collector of Howrah after holding an enquiry has submitted a report under section 11 of the said Act, and the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division has submitted the said report for the consideration of the Governor in Council:

Howrah.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council having considered the said report is pleased to order, under section 14 of the said Act, that a sluice at Mellock on the Rupnarain Left Embankment, Schedule D Embankment No. 38, shall be constructed and maintained along with the necessary drainage channels which shall be excavated in that connection, at a total estimated cost of Rs. 66,388 in accordance with the plans and estimates prepared by the Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, and approved by the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Department, Bengal. The cost will be recovered from the parties benefited under section 58 of the Act.

No. 9001L.R—The 22nd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 103B, sub-section (*3*) of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that a record-of-rights has been finally published under section 103A, sub-section (*2*) of the said Act, for the undermentioned villages included in thanas Daudkandi Nabinagar, Matlabbazar and Brahmanbaria, in the district of Tippera :—

Tippera.

Thana Daudkandi.

Serial No.	Name of mauza.	Number in the present jurisdiction list.
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3	Chalibhanga	3
4	Sonakanda	4
5	Sat Ani	5
6	Sener Char	6
7	Sapmara Chandanpur	7
8	Sapmara	8
9	Jaypur	9
10	Narayanpur	12
11	Haripur	13
12	Lakshmipur	14
13	Majidpur	15
14	Lakshmipur	16
15	Balarampur	17
16	Bajanibari	18
17	Bhagaia Nilakhi	19
18	Sona Char	20
19	Satgharia Kandi	21
20	Teiskahania	22
21	Katalia Char	25
22	Khara Char	29
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Rajshahi. *No. 9010L.R.—The 22nd December 1917.*—Whereas by Notification No. 2470L.R., dated the 6th September 1912, an order was made under section 101 of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (VIII of 1885), for a survey and the preparation of a record-of-rights in respect of all lands falling within the administrative boundaries of the district of Rajshahi:

And whereas, in pursuance of the said order, a survey has been made of the lands lying in thana Lalpur of the said district:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by clause 10 (*b*) of section 3 of the said Act. read with section 3 of the Bengal, Bihar and Orissa and Assam Laws Act, 1912 (VII of 1912), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that that survey shall be adopted as defining villages for the purposes of the said clause in the area comprised in the said thana of the said district.

24-Parganas. *No. 9022L.A.—The 22nd December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 48 (*1*) of the Land Acquisition Act, I of 1894, the Governor in Council is pleased to withdraw from the acquisition of the piece of land measuring, more or less, 11 cottahs and 4 chitaks of standard measurement and bounded as described below, which was included in the area notified for acquisition under Declaration No. 1018T.R., dated the 5th June 1916, published at page 1025, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th idem, and required by the District Board of the 24-Parganas, for improving the Dakshin Barasat Road in miles I, IV and V, in the villages of Magra, Harisankarpur and others, pargana Baridhati, zilla 24-Parganas :—

North—By the lands of Nibaran Chandra Modak and Makham Lal Modak.

East—By the lands of Nibaran Chandra Modak, Mahendra Modak, Makham Lal Modak and the Kulpi Road.

South—By the Kulpi Road and the Dakshin Barasat Road.

West—By the Dakshin Barasat Road and the lands of Nibaran Chandra Modak, Mahendra Modak and Makham Lal Modak.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Rajshahi.

No. 8852L.A.—The 20th December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Rampur Boalia Municipality, viz., for the extension of P. N. Ray Hospital Compound, in the mauza of Bauleah, pargana Gararhat, zilla Rajshahi, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 11 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the houses of Reajuddin Munshi, Taki Saha and Nader Meah,
East—By the village track,
South—By the Goalpara Road,
West—By the Hetamkhan Road,

is required within the aforesaid mauza of Bauleah.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Rajshahi.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Mymensingh.

No. 8929L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Mymensingh for a public purpose, viz., for the Mohanganja Ferry Ghat, in the village of Mohanganja, pargana Singdha, zilla Mymensingh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 cottah and $3\frac{1}{20}$ chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By the road to River,
East—By the road to Bazar,
South—By the land of Raj Chandra Saha,
West—By the bank of the Kangsa River,

is required within the aforesaid village of Mohanganja.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Khulna.

No. 8932L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Khulna for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road from Jalma steamer station to bazar, in village Chak Jalma, pargana Khalishpur, zilla Khulna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 5 cottahs and 9 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North and South—By the lands of Nibaran Bojragi and Natobar Dhali,
East—By river Rupsa,
West—By Jalma Bazar,

is required within the aforesaid village of Chak Jalma.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 8935L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Issapur Road, Part II. in the village of Lelang, thana Fatickcheri, zilla Chittagong, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land altogether measuring, more or less, 0·70 of an acre, bounded on the—

PLOT NO. I.

North and East.—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 1124, 1193, 1192, 1189, 1190, 2594, 2593, 2596, 2598,

South and West.—By the bank of a tank (cadastral survey plot No. 2488) and parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2598, 2597, 2596, 2593, 2594, 2588, 1190, 1189, 1191, 1192, and a road ;

PLOT NO. II.

North—By the bank of a tank,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2613 and 2614,

South—By a road,

West—By a road, bank of a tank and part of cadastral survey plot No. 2614;

PLOT NO. III.

North—By a road,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 2633 and 2638,

South—By a road,

West—By a road and part of cadastral survey plot No. 2638 ;

PLOT NO. IV.

North and East—By a road and parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 6456, 6455, 6454, 6443, 6444, 6442, 6438, 6440, 6439, 6435 and 6434,

South and West—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 6459, 6456, 6455, 6454, 6443, 6444, 6438, 6439, 6436, 6435, 6434;

are required within the aforesaid village of Lelang.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Sec. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Chittagong.

No. 8938L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Chittagong for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of the Issapur Road, Part I, in the village of Rangamatia, thana Fatickcheri, zilla Chittagong, it is

hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0·05 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By cadastral survey plot No. 4377,

East—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 4380, 4379, 4378 and 4390,

South—By cadastral survey plot No. 4361,

West—By parts of cadastral survey plots Nos. 4378, 4379 and cadastral survey plot No. 4377,

is required within the aforesaid village of Rangamatia.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Chittagong.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 8947L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the improvement of the Judge's Court compound at Burdwan, in the village of Birhatta, pargana Burdwan, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 13 cottahs and 7½ chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to ·2225 of an acre, bounded on the—

North—By the Judge's Court compound,

East—By the Municipal tank and road to cemetery,

South—By the Aftab Club House compound,

West—By the public road and Judge's Court compound,

is required within the aforesaid village of Birhatta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Burdwan.

No. 8948L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of the District Judge's Court at Burdwan, in the village of Birhatta, pargana Burdwan, zilla Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 5 bighas and 18 cottahs of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·95 acres, bounded on the—

North—By new Magistrate's Court and District Board office,

East and South—By jheel,

West—By tank,

is required within the aforesaid village of Birhatta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Burdwan.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8971L.A.—The 21st December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Midnapore for a public purpose, viz., for the excavation of a tank, in the village of Salika, pargana Bahadurpur, zilla Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 6 cottahs and 13 chitaks of standard measurement, equivalent to 1·43 acres, bounded on the—

Midnapore.

North, East, South and West—By patit land with jhari jungle of Zamindary Company, Midnapore,

is required within the aforesaid village of Salika.

This declartion is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Midnapore.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

No. 8989L.A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Dinajpur for a public purpose, viz., for an inspection bungalow at Khansama, in the village of Gobindapur, pargana Pajra, thana Khansama, zilla Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose five plots of land altogether measuring, more or less, 4 bighas 15 cottahs and 4·46 chitaks of standard measurement, bounded on the :—

Dinajpur.

PLOT NO. I.

North—By District Board Road No. 15,
East—By the land of Balay Nasya,
South—By the land of Pady Nasya,
West—By the patit land of Nil Kanta Saha,

PLOT NO. II.

North—By District Board Road No. 15,
East—By the patit land of Balay and Pehatu,
South—By the land of Pady Nasya and Pehatu Nasya,
West—By the land of Nil Kanta Saha.

PLOT NO. III.

North—By the patit land of Nil Kanta Saha,
East—By the land of Pady Nasya,
South—By the patit land of Bhulua and Pehatu,
West—By the patit land of Khayeruddin,

PLOT NO. IV.

North—By the land of Nil Kanta Saha and Balay Nasya,
East—By the land of Pehatu Nasya,
South—By the patit land of Bhulua and Pehatu,
West—By the land of Jamaluddin,

PLOT NO. V.

North—By the land of Balay Nasya,
East—By the patit land of Pehatu and Balay,
South—By the patit land of Bhulua and Pehatu,
West—By the land of Pady Nasya.

are required within the aforesaid village of Gobindapur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act 1 of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Subdivisional Officer of Thakurgaon.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Malda.

No. 8992L.A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Malda for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of an inspection bungalow in the village of Bamongola, pargana Kasimpur, zilla Malda, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 1 bigha 6 cottahs and 1 chitak of standard measurement, bounded on the—

North—By Ganesh Chandra Pal's mango garden,
East—By Ganesh Chandra Pal's land and zamindar's khas patit land,
South—By road-side land of Gajole-Pakuahat Road No. 17,
West—By lands and ditch of Ganesh Chandra Pal,

is required within the aforesaid village of Bamongola.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Malda.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

Bakarganj.

No. 8995L.A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Whereas it appears to the Governor in Council that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the District Board of Bakarganj for a public purpose, viz., for the diversion of Swarupkati-Kowkhali Road, passing through the village of Jalabari, pargana Silimabad, zilla Bakarganj, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 bighas and 6¼ chitaks of standard measurement, viz., 2,310 feet in length, 50 feet in breadth from south to north, commencing from the District Board Road and terminating up to Napitkhali khal, is required within the aforesaid village of Jalabari.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj and that of the Subdivisional Officer of Pirojpur.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA.

Jessore.

No. 8863L.A.—The 20th December 1917.—In line 5 of Declaration No. 3567L A., dated the 7th May 1917, published at page 663, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 9th idem, for the acquisition of land required by the District Board of Jessore for the excavation of a tank at Berail, in the village of Berail, in the district of Jessore, *for* "pargana Kasimpur" *read* "pargana Mamud Shahi."

No. 8998L.R.—The 22nd December 1917.—In Notifications Nos. 8708L.R. and 8709L.R., dated the 18th December 1917, published at page 1910, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 19th idem, *for* the words "Sub-Deputy Collector" in lines 2 and 3 to 4, respectively, *read* "Deputy Collector."

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

REGISTRATION.

No. 8821Regn.—The 20th December 1917.—Khan Sahib Abul Muzaffar Abdul Ali Khan, District Sub-Registrar, is granted leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for two months and nineteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1589T.R., dated the 29th September 1917.

No. 8855Regn.—The 20th December 1917.—Maulvi Saiyid Muhammad Nurullah, Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Pandua, in the same district.

Hooghly.

No. 8857Regn.—The 20th December 1917.—Maulvi Qazi Mahmud-ur, Rahman, Sub-Registrar of Pandua, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Serampore, in the same district.

Hooghly.

No. 8859Regn.—The 20th December 1917.—Babu Satish Chandra Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Serampore, in the district of Hooghly, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Narghat, in the district of Midnapore.

Hooghly.
Midnapore.

No. 8861Regn.—The 20th December 1917.—Babu Shib Chandra Banarji, Officiating Sub-Registrar of Narghat, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Dhaniakhali, in the district of Hooghly.

Midnapore.
Hooghly.

No. 8941Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Atul Krishna Mukharji, Sub-Registrar of Sonamukhi, in the district of Bankura, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifty-nine days, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

Bankura.

No. 8943Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Bari, Probationer, Bankura, is appointed temporarily to act as Sub-Registrar of Sonamukhi, in the same district, with effect from the 2nd January 1918, during the absence on leave of Babu Atul Krishna Mukharji or until further orders.

Bankura.

No. 8945Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Halim, Officiating District Sub-Registrar, Bakarganj, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for fifteen days, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 8017Regn., dated the 27th November 1917.

Bakarganj.

No 8960Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Prafulla Chandra Sen, Sub-Registrar, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, in extension of the leave already granted to him in Notification No. 1376T.R., dated the 22nd September 1917.

No. 8962Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Surendra Lal Datta, Second Joint Sub-Registrar, Bogra, Sadar, at Madla, is granted privilege leave, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, for one month, with effect from the afternoon of the 12th December 1917.

Bogra.

No. 9005Regn.—The 22nd December 1917.—Babu Rajendra Nath Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector of Kandi, in the district of Murshidabad, acted, in addition to his own duties, as Sub-Registrar of that place from the 1st to the 3rd November 1917.

Murshidabad.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 8969Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—In pursuance of sub-section (1) of section 7 of the Indian Registration Act, 1908 (XVI of 1908), the Governor in Council is pleased to establish as a temporary measure, for one year from the 2nd January 1918, an office at Jamalpur in Mymensingh, to be styled the office of the Second Joint Sub-Registrar of Jamalpur, having concurrent jurisdiction with the Sub-Registry office at Jamalpur.

Mymensingh.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM

No. 8964Regn.—The 21st December 1917.—In Notifications Nos 7229Regn. and 7230Regn., dated the 6th November 1917, published at page 1729, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 7th idem, regarding the temporary appointment of a Muhammadan Marriage Registrar and Kazi, within police-station Barguna, in the district of Bakarganj, *for* "Maulvi Muhammad Mabilullah" *read* "Maulvi Muhammad Mahibullah."

Bakarganj.

L. BIRLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1577Edn.—The 21st December 1917.—Mrs. Kumudini Das, Assistant Inspectress of Schools, Dacca Division, is allowed leave on medical certificate, under article 336 of the Civil Service Regulations, for three months, in extension of the leave already granted to her.

Dacca Divn.

No. 1580Edn.—The 22nd December 1917.—The services of Mr. E. Hoogewerf, Principal, Serampore Weaving Institute, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa.

No. 236Eccle.—The 18th December 1917.—The services of the Reverend T. A. Thomson, Assistant Chaplain of Darjeeling, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bihar and Orissa, with effect from the 10th December 1917 or any subsequent date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

No. 241Eccle.—The 22nd December 1917.—The following notification of the Government of India, Department of Education, is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 54-C., dated Delhi, the 14th December 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Education (Ecclesiastical).

THE services of the Revd. John A. Fairlie, M.A., a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Church of Scotland, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of his duties at Calcutta.

No. 243Eccle.—The 22nd December 1917.—The following notification of the Government of India, Department of Education, is republished for general information.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 391, dated the 10th December 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Education (Ecclesiastical).

THE services of the Revd. R. G. Jamieson, M.A., a senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

No. 245Eccle.—The 22nd December 1917.—The following message issued by His Majesty the King-Emperor is published in the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information :—

To My People.—The world-wide struggle for the triumph of liberty is entering upon its last and most difficult phase. The enemy is striving by desperate assault and subtle intrigue to perpetuate the wrongs already committed, and to stem the tide of free civilisation. We have yet to complete the great task to which we have dedicated ourselves and I would call upon you to devote a special day, to prayer that we may have the clear-sightedness and strength necessary to the victory of our cause. This victory will be gained only if we steadfastly remember the responsibility resting upon us, and in a spirit of reverent obedience ask the blessing of Almighty God upon our endeavours Let us seek to be enlightened in our understanding and fortified in courage in facing the sacrifices we may yet have to make. I therefore appoint January 6th, the first Sunday in the New Year, to be set aside as a special day of prayer and thanksgiving in all the churches throughout my Dominions.

No. 906San.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. G. B. Williams, Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is allowed privilege leave for three weeks, under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 2nd January 1918.

No. 907San.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. F. C. Griffin, Assistant Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, is appointed to act as Sanitary Engineer, Bengal, in addition to his own duties, during the absence, on privilege leave, of Mr. G. B. Williams, or until further orders.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATA NOTIFICATION.

No. 1586Edn.—The 22nd December 1917.—In part 1 of the First Schedule appended to Government Notification No. 1619Edn., dated the 11th December 1916, relating to the scheme of management of the Debi Prosad Agarwalla School Fund (issued under sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and published at page 2197 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th *idem*), *for* "Bazar Mahal" in items 1 and 2, and *for* "Baker Mahal" in item 3, *read* "Bazaz Mahal."

2. *Errata* Notification No. 1144Edn., dated the 10th September 1917 (published at page 1462 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th *idem*), is hereby cancelled.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 29178.R.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provision Opium to be brought forward for sale by public auction in the year 1918 will consist of about 5,600 chests of Benares Opium prepared at the Ghazipur Factory, each chest of which is believed to contain 1 maund 18 seers 12 chitaks of pure opium, besides 9 seers 6 chitaks used for pasting the leaves of the shell, being of the seasons 1915-16 and 1916-17, in the proportion marginally noted.

Opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory.

	Chests.
Supply from 1915-16	2,064
Ditto 1916-17	3,536
Total ...	5,600

2. The dates on or about which the sales will be held are specified below. The Government of Bengal reserve to themselves the right of altering the dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

1st sale	... ...	Thursday,	3rd January.
2nd ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	5th February.
3rd ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	5th March.
4th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	2nd April.
5th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	7th May.
6th ,,	... ...	Wednesday,	5th June.
7th ,,	... ...	Thursday,	4th July.
8th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	6th August.
9th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	3rd September.
10th ,,	... ...	Wednesday,	2nd October.
11th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	5th November.
12th ,,	... ...	Tuesday,	3rd December.

3. The quantity to be sold monthly will ordinarily be notified before each sale, but Government reserve to themselves the right, at any time, without previous notice to reduce the quantity or alter the class of opium to be offered for sale.

4. The following are the conditions of sale. Government reserve to themselves the right of altering all or any of these conditions after giving three months' previous notice, and power is reserved to vary the upset price referred to in condition (ii) at any time without such previous notice :—

(i) The opium will be sold for exportation by sea only, and no certificate will be granted except to cover such export.

(ii) The opium will be ordinarily offered for sale at an upset price of Rs. 3,200 per chest of uncertified opium and will be sold to the highest bidder above that price, except under the circumstances for which provision is made by clause (xiii) of these conditions of sale. The bids must advance by Rs. 5 at a time.

(iii) The sale shall commence at the hour of 11 A.M. of the day fixed by previous notification, and shall not be continued after the hour of 5 P.M., but if at that hour any of the lots advertised for sale shall remain unsold, the sale may, at the discretion of Government, be resumed on the next day following (not being Sunday or a public holiday), at the hour of 11 A.M., and so on until the whole of the remaining lots are disposed of; or if the whole quantity advertised shall not be sold on the day appointed, the Government may dispose of the lots which remain on hand at a future sale.

(iv) Each lot shall ordinarily contain five chests.

(v) A promissory note for a sum, calculated according to the scale noted in the margin, shall be taken as a deposit on each lot from the purchaser in the sale-room and before the lot is registered in the sale-book, and all such promissory notes shall be redeemed on the part of the purchasers at this office by Bank of Bengal receipts, or by substitution of other public securities of the Government of India on or before 3-30 P.M., in the afternoon of the fifth day after the sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the said notes must be redeemed by 1-30 P.M., or, on the other hand, failing such redemption by the time aforesaid, then the lot or lots for which no Bank of Bengal receipts or deposit of other public securities as aforesaid shall have been delivered in, shall be re-sold at such time or times and under such conditions of re-sale as Government shall see fit; and all losses and expenses whatsoever attending such re-sale shall be borne and paid by the defaulters, whilst any profit accruing from such re-sale shall be forfeited to Government.

DEPOSIT
When the amount bid is less than Rs. 3,600 per chest, Rs. 800 per chest.
On bids of Rs. 3,600 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,000 per chest, Rs 900 per chest.
On bids of Rs 4,000 and upwards, but less than Rs. 4,400 per chest, Rs. 1,000 per chest
And so on, Rs. 100 being added to the deposit for every bid additional to the extent of Rs. 400

(vi) The said promissory notes shall be absolutely payable in any event, and the amount thereof shall be absolutely forfeited upon such default as before mentioned, and the amount thereof shall not go or be credited in reduction of any loss on re-sale or expenses thereby incurred, but shall be recoverable whether such re-sale shall be had or not, or, whether there shall be a loss on such re-sale or not.

(vii) The promissory notes taken on the day of sale under the fifth condition, if remaining unredeemed at 3-30 P.M. of the fifth day following the day of sale, or 1-30 P.M., if the last day falls on a Saturday, will be placed in the hands of the Solicitor to the Government for realization in such manner as to him shall seem fit.

(vii) No tender of money, Bank of Bengal receipts, or public securities on account of opium upon which the prescribed deposit may not have been made before the prescribed time in clause (v) on the fifth day following the day of sale, will be afterwards accepted: Provided always that money so subsequently tendered may be taken in payment of the said promissory note, but such acceptance of money shall in no way entitle the payer thereof to any right to delivery of the lot or lots in respect whereof the said note was given, or to any of the rights of a purchaser thereof, or release the payer from liability for any unpaid balance of such notes or from the additional liability for the loss and expenses of such re-sale as provided for in clauses No. (v) and No. (vi).

(ix) The opium advertised for sale shall be paid for not later than 3-30 P.M. of the fifteenth day after the day of sale, provided it does not fall on a Saturday; if it falls on a Saturday, the opium must be paid for by 1-30 P.M.; and, in case any lots of such opium shall not be so paid for and adjusted, then the cash deposit made under the fifth condition, or any public securities that may have been deposited on account of such lots or chests, shall be forfeited, and the opium shall be disposed of on account of Government at such time and in such manner as Government shall think fit; and the first purchaser shall further be required to make good all expenses and any loss or difference of price between that obtained at the re-sale and the amount at which the opium was first purchased, forfeiting all advantages that may arise from such re-sale, and the liability for the loss or difference of price and expenses shall be in addition to, and wholly independent of, the amount of the deposit so forfeited.

(x) Purchasers taking out certificates or orders for the delivery of opium, after making full payment as above prescribed, shall have the option of naming the number of lots of their purchase, which they may desire to be included in each certificate or order; and it is to be clearly understood that the certificates or orders so taken out shall be considered final, and not afterwards changeable for other certificates or orders authorising the delivery of single lots or of a different number of lots or chests, whether more or less, than the number of lots or chests ordinarily required to be included in each certificate or order.

(xi) No deposit of public securities under the fifth of the present conditions will be received in this office except from the party recorded as the purchaser in the sale-book, or his authorized agent. The receipt for

deposit of public securities will be granted only in the name of such purchaser, and the securities so deposited will be returned when payment in full has been made by the said purchaser or his order.

(xii) The officer superintending the sale on the part of the Government is empowered to reject, at his discretion, the bid of any individual, unless such individual shall on demand render at the time a deposit either in Government of India notes, Bank of Bengal receipts, or Government securities, a sum equal to the amount for which a promissory note would otherwise be taken under the fifth of these conditions.

(xiii) With a view to prevent fictitious biddings designed to obstruct the sale, it is hereby notified that the officer of Government superintending the sale shall be competent, at any time during the sale, to withdraw any unsold lot, and immediately to put it up again for sale at a maximum upset price, diminishing the same gradually by Rs. 5 at a time until a bid is obtained; and the first *bonâ fide* bidder for a lot, after it has been offered for sale in the mode here described, shall be held and declared to be the purchaser of the said lot, and the officer of Government superintending the sale shall also be competent to dispose, in the same manner, of as many of the subsequent lots as he may think proper, provided always that no lot shall be sold below the minimum price of Rs. 3,200 specified in the second of these conditions.

(xiv) The purchaser of any lot shall have the option of naming and purchasing in immediate succession, at the same price and under the same conditions, any number of lots of opium not exceeding altogether ten lots, provided always that there remain a sufficient number of lots of the opium to complete the said ten.

(xv) In the event of any dispute or difference touching or concerning any matter or question arising out of the sale of the opium included in this notification, or adjustment of the account thereof, the same shall and may be tried and decided in the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

5. The following papers will be exhibited for inspection on the day of sale, or may be seen previously to that date by personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal :—

No. 1.—Certificate of the opium advertised for sale.

No. 2.—Report of the examination of such opium.

6. The public are hereby informed that in providing the investment of the opium manufactured at the Ghazipur Factory, the same precautions have been taken as those which have been observed during past years to have the drug procured and sent down in a pure state, to have only the prescribed quantity of leaves used in forming the cakes, and to have the due proportion of opium put into each cake. An account of the weight of the drug, when packed at the Ghazipur Factory, and a statement of the average weight of the chests, indiscriminately taken, for the purpose of comparison, from the despatches on arrival at Calcutta, may be seen on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal.

7. Any further information respecting weight or quality of the opium advertised for sale that may be desired by parties connected with the trade will, as heretofore, be furnished to them on personal application at the office of the Government of Bengal. But, in accordance with established usage, under no circumstances will the Government entertain or recognize any claim to compensation for loss from any alleged deficiency of weight, abstraction of opium, or adulteration of the drug, which may be preferred on reference to chests after the sale and delivery of the opium for shipment.

By order of the Governor in Council,

J. DONALD,
Secretary.

FINL. DEPT., SEP. REV. BRANCH, CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

No. 2935S.R.—The 19th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make, with effect from the 1st January 1918, the following amendments, relating to the district of Calcutta, in the table contained in paragraph 26 of Notification No. 5968 R., dated the 30th March 1915, as amended by Notification No. 1644S.R., dated the 27th July 1917 :—

Calcutta.

For the following entry in the said table—

	Per Imperial gallon.
"Calcutta (whole district)—	Rs. A. P.
Spirit of strength of 25° U.P. ...	7 8 6
Ditto 40° U.P. ...	5 13 0
Ditto 70° U.P. ...	2 8 0"

Substitute the following entry :—

"Calcutta (whole district)—	
Spirit of strength of 25° U.P. ...	7 15 6
Ditto 40° U.P. ...	6 0 6
Ditto 70° U.P. ...	2 11 0"

No. 2936S.R.—The 19th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 86 of the Bengal Excise Act, 1909 (Bengal Act V of 1909), read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), the Governor in Council is pleased to make, with effect from the 1st January 1918, the following revised rule 246 of the rules published under Notification No. 6018.R., dated the 30th March 1915, as amended by Notification No. 1645S.R., dated the 27th July 1917 :—

"246. Country spirit shall be sold by retail vendors thereof in the Calcutta district at the strengths and at prices not in excess of or below those specified below :—

Strength.	Price per Imperial gallon.
	Rs. A. P.
25° U. P.	12 2 0
40° U. P.	9 9 0
70° U. P.	4 9 0"

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1999Medl.—The 20th December 1917.—First grade Assistant Surgeon Jogendra Nath Mitra, Teacher of Surgery, Medical School, Dacca, is temporarily appointed to act as a Civil Surgeon of the second class and is posted to Mymensingh with effect from the forenoon of the 7th December 1917, *vice* Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., until further orders.

Dacca. Mymensingh.

J. DONALD,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2001Medl.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), and on the recommendation of the Bengal Council of Medical Registration, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that a title or certificate of qualification granted by the Bihar and Orissa Medical Examination Board to any person, shall, subject to the provisions and condition referred to in clause (*i*) of that section, entitle the holder of such title or certificate of qualification to have his name entered in the Register of Registered Practitioners maintained under section 15 of the said Act.

No. 1973Medl.—The 21st December 1917.—In the matter of the creation of an endowment to be called "The Bindu Basini Charity Fund" for the maintenance of a hospital in connection with the District Board Dispensary at Nowapara in the district of Khulna.

Khulna.

It is hereby notified that the Governor of Bengal in Council, in the exercise of powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, VI of 1890, and upon the application and with the concurrence of Babu Annoda Prasad Ghose of Nowapara in the district of Khulna, doth hereby order and direct that the Rs. 11,000 Government 3½ per cent. loan, of which the particulars are contained in the first schedule hereunder written shall as from the date of the first publication of this Notification vest, and be and henceforth vested, in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal to be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, and the rules from time to time framed thereunder by the Governor-General of India in Council) upon trust for ever hereafter to apply the same and the interest thereon or from any substituted investment thereof under the provisions of the scheme of management of which particulars are set forth in the second schedule hereunder written when, and as the same shall become due and payable, and from time to time to in the terms of the said scheme for the maintenance of the said hospital and it is hereby further notified that the said scheme, of which the particulars are contained in the said second schedule, shall come into operation on the vesting of the said securities in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Bengal.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO

Particulars of Government securities—

3½ per cent loan of 1865.	No. 272774	for Rs.	9,000
	„ 272617	„ „	1,000
	„ 272618	„ „	1,000
			11,000

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Scheme of management.

1. The endowment hereby created shall be called "The Bindu Basini Charity."

2. The endowment is created for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a hospital at Nowapara in the district of Khulna in connection with the District Board Dispensary at Nowapara as the Managing Body of the said dispensary shall direct.

3. The fund shall be administered by the Magistrate of the district of Khulna who shall be appointed administrator under section 5 (*1*) of Act VI of 1890.

4. The whole or any part of the said endowment may be invested in the purchase of immoveable property to be used in connection with the said hospital.

5. The administrator may at any time sell, exchange, mortgage or otherwise dispose of any immoveable property forming part of the endowment and in the event of any such sale or other disposition the Treasurer of

Charitable Endowments shall execute and do all such deeds, acts and things as may be required to effect the same.

6. In the event of the whole or any part of the said fund being invested in immoveable property, the administrator shall have full powers of leasing the same in his own name upon such terms as he shall think fit, with power to accept surrenders of any lease or leases and to collect or sue for the rent or profits receivable in respect of such property and generally to manage and control such property.

7. The administrator may vary and transpose any investments for the time being forming part of the endowment.

8. The administrator may accept any donations or contributions towards the expenses of the said hospital and shall apply the same as if part of the income of the fund.

9. The income of the fund shall be paid by the administrator as and when received to the Managing Body of the said dispensary, who shall apply the same towards the maintenance and carrying on of the said hospital in connection with the said dispensary as they shall think fit.

10. The hospital shall be generally managed and carried on as part of the said dispensary and shall be open to all persons for treatment and medicine without charge, and if the funds shall at any time permit, a Ward may be opened for the reception of resident patients to such numbers as the District Board may decide. In the event of there being more applicants than can be accommodated, the cases shall be referred to the Managing Body of the said dispensary for decision as to who shall be received.

11. Proper accounts shall be kept in connection with the fund, and such accounts shall be examined and passed by an officer of Local Government deputed for such purpose as may be required, and shall at all times be opened to the inspection of any member of the Managing Body of the said dispensary or the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments or any officer of Government appointed for that purpose.

J. DONALD,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 7005A.

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS.

No. 6857A.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. Angus Graham Mackay the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Burdwan.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Asansol Bench in the said district.

No. 6861A.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kshitish Chandra Ray Chaudhuri the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Dinajpur, for a period of three years from the 24th December 1917, and

Dinajpur.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sadar Bench in the said district.

No. 6875A.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr. George Ellis Prain the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Howrah, for a period of three years from the date of this notification, and

Howrah.

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Bally Bench in the said district.

POWERS.

No. 6859A.—The 20th December 1917.—Mr. Hubert Graham, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Narayanganj, Dacca, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.

Dacca.

No. 6863A.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 565 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to empower Babu Sharat Chandra Ray, a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Khulna, to order, at the time of passing sentence of imprisonment on any person referred to in that sub-section, that the residence or change of residence of such person after release shall be notified as provided by the rules made under sub-section (3) of the section.

Khulna.

No. 6956A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Mr. R. F. Lodge, I.C.S., Officiating Joint-Magistrate, Asansol, Burdwan, is appointed, under the provisions of section 22, Act V of 1898, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories subject to the administration of the Government of Bengal.

Burdwan.

No. 6958A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Babu Rakhal Mohan Banarji, Deputy Magistrate, Jessore, is vested, under section 407 (2) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, with power to hear appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the second and third classes.

Jessore.

No. 6967A.—The 22nd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor in Council is pleased to direct the Honorary Magistrates, named below, of the Sadar Bench, in the district of Jessore, to take down evidence in the English language :—

Jessore.

Maulvi Abdul Qader.
Babu Jogendra Narayan Ray.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 4131J.—The 19th December 1917.—Mr. Abus Sobah Muhammad Ziya-ur Rahaman, Munsif, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of the 24-Parganas, to be ordinarily stationed at Basirhat. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Basirhat munsifi.

24-Parganas.

No. 4133J.—The 19th December 1917.—Babu Bimal Chandra Chatarji, Munsif of Basirhat, in the district of the 24-Parganas, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Mymensingh, to be ordinarily stationed at Sherpur, *vice* Babu Bipin Bihari Mukharji, transferred. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (*1*) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Sherpur Munsifi.

24-Parganas. Mymensingh.

No. 4136J.—The 19th December 1917.—Babu Hari Pada Banarji, Munsif of Katwa, in the district of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at the Sadar station. He is also vested with the functions of a District Court under section 26, sub-section (1) of Act VII of 1889 within the local limits of the Sadar Munsifi of Burdwan.

Burdwan.

No. 4138J.—The 19th December 1917.—Babu Tarini Kanta Nag, sub-*pro tem.* Munsif of Burdwan, is appointed to be a sub. *pro tem.* Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Katwa.

Burdwan.

No. 4176J.—The 22nd December 1917.—Babu Rai Mohan Karmakar, Munsif of Kasba, in the district of Tippera, is appointed to be a Munsif in the same district, to be ordinarily stationed at Nabinagar.

Tippera.

No. 4178J.—The 22nd December 1917.—Babu Jamini Kishor Ray, Munsif of Nabinagar, in the district of Tippera, now employed as an Additional Munsif in the district of Faridpur, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Tippera to be ordinarily stationed at Kasba, but for the present to be employed at Chandpur.

Faridpur.
Tippera.

LEAVE.

No. 4130J.—The 11th December 1917.—Babu Ramesh Chandra Sen, Munsif of Netrakona, in the district of Mymensingh, is allowed leave from the 26th November 1917 to the 19th January 1918, both days inclusive, viz., one month and twenty-three days, under articles 275 and 268 of the Civil Service Regulations, and the remaining period under article 271 of the same Regulations, in modification of the leave granted to him under Notification, dated the 9th November 1917.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

POLITICAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 16357P.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 4 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the following persons to be Commissioners for the trial under the said Act of all persons who are charged with offences specified in this Government Notification No. 16235P., dated the 17th December 1917, namely :—

1. Rai Sarada Prasad Bakshi Bahadur, District and Sessions Judge, Noakhali.
2. Babu Basanta Kumar Sen, B.L., Pleader, and
3. Maulvi Abdur Rashid Khan, Vice-Chairman, District Board, Noakhali.

2. The Governor in Council is also pleased, in exercise of the power conferred by rule 2 (*a*) of the rules made under section 10 of the same Act (published under Notification No. 1198P.D., dated the 2nd June 1915, as amended by Notification No 10873P., dated 11th September 1915) to nominate the said Rai Sarada Prasad Bakshi Bahadur to be the President of the bench of Commissioners hereby appointed.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

POLICE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 16534P.—The 22nd December 1917.—Whereas the Governor in Council has reason to believe that the members of a gang residing in villages Bhoysa, Monsantosh, Neamatpur, Kazla and Baragharia in the jurisdiction of Badla police-station, in the district of Mymensingh, and commonly known as the Sahebdi's gang, are addicted to the systematic commission of non-bailable offences :

Mymensingh.

Now, therefore, the Governor in Council, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), hereby declares the said gang to be a criminal tribe for the purposes of that Act.

No. 16535P.—The 22nd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 10 of the Criminal Tribes Act, 1911 (III of 1911), the Governor in Council hereby directs that every registered member of the Sahebdi's gang, which has been declared by Notification No. 16534P., dated the 22nd December 1917, to be a criminal tribe, shall, in the prescribed manner, report himself at fixed intervals, and notify his place of residence and any change or intended change of residence and any absence or intended absence from his residence.

Mymensingh.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 11855A.—The 22nd December 1917.—The following promotions and confirmations in the rank of Inspector are ordered :—

Serial No.	With effect from	In consequence of	Name.	From	To	Remarks.
1	26th November 1917.	Death of 2nd grade Inspector W. Sanders.	(1) Inspector Makhan Lal Banarji of Faridpur.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	2nd grade Inspector.	
			(2) Inspector Promode Nath Mukharji of Bankura.	3rd grade Inspector.	Substantive *pro tempore* 2nd grade Inspector.	

C. W. C. PLOWDEN,
Inspector-General of Police, Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 19th December 1917.

No. 117.—In modification of this Department Notification No. 96, dated the 11th September 1917. Mr. W. M. Halloran, Honorary Assistant Engineer, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of the Second Calcutta Division until further orders.

No. 118.—Mr. W. J. Traiso, Honorary Assistant Engineer, officiated as Executive Engineer of the First Calcutta Division from 1st October 1917 to 7th November 1917.

The 22nd December 1917.

No. 121.—Babu Mahendra Kumar Bhattacharji, B.E., passed Engineer student, Civil Engineering College, Sibpur, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department as an Apprentice Engineer and is posted to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

C. P. WALSH,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

The 17th December 1917.

No. 111Marine.—The following notifications by the Government of India are republished for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 925D., dated the 1st December 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry.

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-Vessels) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Notification in this Department, No. 1465-C.D., dated the 24th March 1917, namely :—

In clause (3) *substitute* the word "fuel" *for* the word "coal."

No. 628-T.—17, dated the 21st November 1917.

NOTIFICATION—By the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board).

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-Vessels) Tax Act, 1917 (XIII of 1917), the Governor General in Council is pleased to exempt from the tax imposed under the said Act water carried by railway or inland steam-vessels.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th December 1917.

No. 115.—The services of Sub-Conductor J. G. Harton, Supervisor, Darjeeling Division, are placed at the disposal of the Director-General of Military Works.

No. 116.—Sergeant A. L. P. White, Supervisor, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the First Calcutta to the Darjeeling Division.

The 20th December 1917.

No. 119.—Babu Jogesh Chandra Basu, Overseer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Second to the Third Calcutta Division.

No. 120.—Babu Krishna Taran Mitra, Overseer, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Third to the First Calcutta Division.

C. P. WALSH,
Chief Engineer, Bengal.

SUBORDINATE CIVIL SERVICE.

No. 7006A.

No. 6941A.—The 22nd December 1917.—Maulvi Abdul Karim, B.A., Probationary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed substantively *pro tempore* to the fifth grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors and is posted to the Rajshahi Division.

Rajshahi Divn.

Maulvi Abdul Karim is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class and is directed, under the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, to take down evidence in the English language.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 18825, dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1917.—Major A. S. M. Peebles, I.M.S., made over charge of the Berhampore Jail to Major O. St. John Moses, I.M.S., on the afternoon of the 14th December 1917.

W. J. BUCHANAN, LT.-COL., I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons, Bengal.

CIVIL MEDICAL DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

No. 16679, dated Calcutta, the 17th December 1917.—Temporary Assistant Surgeon Charubrata Ray is appointed temporarily to be additional Demonstrator in the Physiological Department, Medical College, Calcutta, with effect from the 16th August 1917.

No. 16686, dated Calcutta, the 18th December 1917.—The following Civil Sub-Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal establishment who are now employed on temporary Military duty in India having completed their five years' service in their present grades are temporarily promoted to the next higher

grades with effect from the dates noted against their names subject to reversion to their former grades if they do not pass the promotion examination within one year after their return to civil employ :—

Present grade.	Name.	Grade to which promoted.	With effect from—
3rd ...	Jyotish Chandra Sarkar ...	2nd ...	1st April 1915.
4th ...	Romesh Chandra Chakrabatti, III.	3rd ...	18th „ 1916.

No. 6871, dated Calcutta, the 20th December 1917.—The following Assistant Surgeons of the Bengal Establishment having passed the Professional Examination held on the 1st November 1917 are promoted to the next higher grades with effect from the dates noted against their names :—

Present grade.	Names.	Where attached.	Grade to which promoted.	Date from which promoted.
2nd ...	Upendra Nath Bakshi ...	Uluberia Subdivision and Dispensary, Howrah.	1st ...	1st November 1917.
2nd ...	Rash Behari Bakshi ...	Asansol Subdivision and Dispensary, Burdwan.	1st ...	Ditto.
2nd ...	Gouri Prosad Bhattacharji	Instructor in First-aid to the Injured and Ambulance work, Calcutta Police.	1st ...	Ditto.
2nd ...	Upendra Nath Roy Chaudhuri	Raja P. N. Roy Hospital, Rampur Boalia.	1st ...	19th January 1918.
2nd ...	Ashutosh Dutta ...	Barisal Dispensary ...	1st ...	19th July 1918.
2nd ...	Surendra Nath Sen Gupta	Goalundo Subdivision and E. B. Ry. Hospital, Rajbari.	1st ...	28th February 1919.
3rd ...	Brindaban Chandra Banik	Medical Officer, E. B. Ry., Parbatipur.	2nd ...	1st November 1917.
3rd ...	Jamini Kanta Sen Gupta	Diamond Harbour Subdivision and Dispensary, 24-Parganas.	2nd ...	Ditto.
3rd ...	Akshoy Kumar Sarkar ...	Narayanganj Subdivision, Dacca.	2nd ...	20th March 1918.
3rd ...	Jyoti Prosad Mitra ...	House Surgeon, General Hospital, Howrah.	2nd ...	24th „ „
3rd ...	Nilratan Banerji ...	Demonstrator of Anatomy, Medical College, Calcutta.	2nd ...	26th June „

W. R. EDWARDS,
Surgeon-General with the Govt. of Bengal.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABU SATIS CHANDRA MOZUMDAR, Deputy Collector of Birbhum, has been placed in charge of the Birbhum Treasury from the 3rd December 1917 and he is authorised to draw bills on other Treasuries.

G. S. DUTT, *Collector.*

BIRBHUM TREASURY, *the 4th December 1917.*

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section VII, Act IX of 1887 (the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act), for the months of February and March 1918, that until further orders the Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Serampore, Howrah and 1st Subordinate Judge of Hooghly will hold his sitting as detailed below:—

February 1918.

Hooghly, from 1st to 10th.
Serampore, from 11th to 20th.
Howrah, from 21st to 28th.

March 1918.

Hooghly, from 1st to 10th.
Serampore, from 11th to 21st.
Howrah, from 22nd to 31st.

Sundays and holidays are excepted.

MONMOHON NEOGI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

SERAMPORE, *the 18th December 1917.*

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

NOTIFICATION.

BABU DINESH CHARAN RAY AND BABU HARENDRA KUMAR MAITRA, Munsifs of Serajganj, in the districts of Pabna and Bogra, are vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a Court up to the value of Rs. 100 and Rs. 50, respectively, within the local limits of the Serajganj Munsifi.

HIGH COURT;
CIVIL:
The 17th December 1917.

By order of the High Court,
H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

Dates of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Criminal Sessions for the year 1918.

No. of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
First Sessions	... Monday	... February. 11th.
Second ,,	... ,,	... April, 29th.
Third ,,	... ,,	... June, 24th.

Dates of the 4th and 5th Criminal Sessions will be notified hereafter.

By order,
W. A. BONNAUD,
Clerk of the Crown.

HIGH COURT, CROWN OFFICE;
The 20th day of December 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

The following list of days to be observed in the year 1918 as close Holidays in the Subordinate Civil Courts has been prepared and is published by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in the exercise of the power vested in it by section 15 of Act XII of 1887.

Name of holidays.	English date.	Bengali date.	Days of the week.	Number of days.	Remarks.
New Year's Day	January 1st	Pous (1324) 17th	Tuesday	1 day.	
Uttarayan, Pous or Makar Sankranti, or Magha Bihu (a).	,, 13th	,, ,, 29th	Sunday	1 ,,	(a) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali, Tippera and Sylhet, and at Contai in the district of Midnapore, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum, instead of Ulta Rath; in the districts of Bakarganj and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; in the district of Khulna, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja; and in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Sri Panchami	February 15th and 16th	Falgun ,, 3rd and 4th	Friday and Saturday	2 days.	
Shiva Ratri	March 11th and 12th	,, ,, 27th and 28th	Monday and Tuesday	2 ,,	
Dol Jatra and the day following	,, 27th and 28th	Chaitra ,, 13th and 14th	Wednesday and Thursday	2 ,,	
Good Friday to Easter Monday	,, 29th to April 1st	,, ,, 15th to 18th	Friday to Monday	4 ,,	
Baruni Ganga Snan (b)	April 6th	,, ,, 26th	Monday	1 day	(b) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, Noakhali, Tippera and Assam Valley.
Chaitra Sankranti	,, 13th	,, ,, 30th	Saturday	1 ,,	
Bengali New Year's Day (c)	,, 14th	Baisakh (1325) 1st	Sunday	1 ,,	(c) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Noakhali and Tippera, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; in the districts of Bakarganj, Mymensingh, Chittagong and Assam Valley, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan; in the district of Dacca, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja; and in the districts of Jessore, Khulna and Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Two days previous to Sri Ram Navami (d)	,, 17th and 18th	,, ,, 4th and 5th	Wednesday and Thursday	2 days	(d) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Chittagong, instead of Ulta Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Ashtami or Brahmaputra Snan or Ashokashtami (e).	,, 18th	,, ,, 5th	Thursday	1 day	(e) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Dacca and Mymensingh, and at Dhubri in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of Baruni Ganga Snan; and in Rangpur and Assam Valley (except Dhubri), instead of Ulta Rath and the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja respectively.
Sri Ram Navami	,, 19th	,, ,, 6th	Friday	1 ,,	
Tithi (day of demise) of Deb Damodar (f)	May 11th	,, ,, 28th	Saturday	1 ,,	(f) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara), instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Shab-i-Barat (g)	,, 25th	Jaistha ,, 11th	Saturday	1 ,,	(g) If the moon be visible on the 12th of May, the Courts will be closed on the 20th of May.
Sital or Jamai Sasthi (h)	June 14th	,, ,, 31st	Friday	1 ,,	(h) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dacca, instead of Dasahara Ganga Snan.
Ramkeli day (i)	,, 14th	,, ,, 31st	Friday	1 ,,	(i) This holiday is to be observed at Malda in the district of Rajshahi, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja.
Dasahara Ganga Snan (j)	,, 19th	Asar ,, 5th	Wednesday	1 ,,	(j) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Bakarganj Dacca, Mymensingh, Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera, Sylhet and Assam Valley; nor at Contai in the district of Midnapore.

Ambubachi (k)...	,, 25th	,,	11th	Tuesday	1 ,,	(k) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Dhubri), instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
King Emperor's Birthday*.						
Rath Jatra	July 10th	,,	26th	Wednesday	1 ,,	
Id-ul-Fitr (l)	,, 10th and 11th	,,	26th and 27th	Wednesday and Thursday	2 days	(l) If the moon be visible on the 10th of July, the Courts will be closed on the 11th and 12th of July.
Ulta Rath (m)	,, 17th	Srabun	,, 1st	Wednesday	1 day	(m) This holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Chittagong, Noakhali, Rangpur, Sylhet and Assam Valley; nor at Dubrajpur in the district of Birbhum
Mama Puja (n)	August 17th	,,	22nd	Saturday	1 ,,	(n) This holiday is to be observed in the districts of Mymensingh, Noakhali and Sylhet, instead of Ulta Rath; and in the district of Chittagong, instead of the first day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
The day following the Mama Puja (o)	,, 18th	Bhadra	,, 1st	Sunday	1 ,,	(o) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Sylhet, instead of the second day of the Jagadhatri Puja.
Tithi (Anniversary) of Sri Madhab Deb (p)	,, 26th	,,	9th	Monday	1 ,,	(p) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of the first day of the Kartick Puja.
Janmashtami	,, 28th and 29th	,,	11th and 12th	Wednesday and Thursday	2 days.	
Tithi (Anniversary) of Sri Sankar Deb (q)	September 7th	,,	21st	Saturday	1 day	(q) This holiday is to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts, instead of Ulta Rath.
Id-uz-Zoha (r)	,, 16th and 17th	,,	30th and 31st	Monday and Tuesday	2 days	(r) If the moon be visible on the 7th of September, the Courts will be closed on the 17th and 18th of September.
Dasera Vacation including Mahalaya, Durga Puja, Muharram, Lakshmi and Kali Pujas, and Bhratriditya.	October 4th to November 3th	Aswin	,, 17th to Kartick 19th.	Friday to Tuesday	33 ,,	
Jagadhatri Puja (s)	November 13th and 14th	Kartick	,, 26th and 27th	Tuesday and Wednesday	2 ,,	(s) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Chittagong. The first day of this holiday is not to be observed in the Assam Valley Districts (except Goalpara). The second day is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca, Sylhet and Assam Valley (except Dhubri).
Kartick Puja (t)	,, 26th and 27th	,,	30 h and Aughran 1st.	Saturday and Sunday	2 ,,	(t) This holiday is not to be observed in the district of Khulna. The second day of this holiday is not to be observed in the districts of Dacca, Jessore, Dinajpur, Sylhet, and Assam Valley (except Dhubri); and the first day is not to be observed at Malda in the district of Rajshahi, nor in the Assam Valley Districts.
Ras Purnima (u)	,, 17th	Aughran	,, 1st	Sunday	1 day	(u) This holiday is to be observed in the district of Dinajpur, instead of the second day of the Kartick Puja.
Akhiri Chahar Shamba	December 4th	,,	13th	Wednesday	1 ,,	
Fatiha Duwazdaham (v)	,, 17th	Poos	,, 2nd	Tuesday	1 ,,	(v) If the moon be visible on the 4th of December, the Courts will be closed on the 16th of December.
Christmas holidays	,, 24th to 31st	,,	,, 9th to 16th	Tuesday to Tuesday	8 days.	

* The day which may be fixed for the celebration in India of the King-Emperor's Birthday will be notified separately in due course.

By order,

H. M. VEITCH,
Registrar.

HIGH COURT;
The 17th December 1917.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF MINES IN INDIA, DHANBAD P. O., MANBHUM.

Indian Mines Act, 1901.

AN examination for first and second class Coal Mine Managers' Certificates of Competency under the rules applicable to coal mines will be held at the Railway Institute, Dhanbad, on the 20th, 21st and 22nd February 1918.

Rules 32 and 33 of the Indian Mines Act, 1901, require that a candidate for a first class certificate must be at least 23 years of age and have had at least five years' practical experience in a coal mine, and for a second class certificate be at least 21 years of age and have had at least three years' practical experience in a coal mine. The periods of practical experience may be reduced to three years and one year, respectively, in the case of a candidate who has received a diploma in scientific and mining subjects after a course of study of at least two years at an educational institution approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council, or who has taken a degree in scientific and mining subjects at a University approved in this behalf by the Governor-General in Council.

The fees are Rs. 15 in the case of first class certificates and Rs. 8 in the case of second class certificates. By rule 34 of Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, Notification No. 2968-82, dated the 21st April 1906, " these fees shall be paid, not less than one month prior to the date of the examination, to the Chief Inspector of Mines at his office." The fees may be remitted by money-order or paid in any other manner.

Applications and fees should be addressed to the Chief Inspector of Mines in India, Dhanbad P. O., East Indian Railway, and not to any officer by name. No candidate will be permitted to sit at the examination unless his application and fee is received on or before the 20th January 1918.

G. F. ADAMS,
Chief Inspector of Mines in India,
and ex officio *President of the Board of Examiners.*

DHANBAD,
The 17th October 1917.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE.

NOTICE.

THE Stamp Department of the Calcutta Collectorate will remain open from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. for the transaction of urgent business only on the following days during the ensuing X'mas holidays :—

" 28th and 29th December 1917."

N. BHAR,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, *the 15th December 1917.*

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5580G.—Babu Satish Chandra Sinha is appointed to be a member of the Brahmanbaria Local Board in the district of Tippera, *vice* Babu Daksh hina Charan Sen, resigned.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 19th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4820J.—Babu Jagadish Chandra Lahiri, Sub-Deputy Collector, Rajshahi Division, is posted temporarily to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district.

This cancels this office Notification No. 358Jct., dated the 30th November 1917, transferring him to the headquarters station of the Dinajpur district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP GAIBANDHA, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5617G.—Babu Birendra Kumar Basu, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Sundip, in the district of Noakhali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5618G.—On relief by Babu Birendra Kumar Basu, Maulvi Muhammad Yahya, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sundip, is transferred to Feni, in the district of Noakhali.

K. C. DE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG DIVN., CHITTAGONG, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5316J.—Babu Shashi Bhushan Biswas, Sub-Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to the Manikganj Subdivision of the Dacca district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5331J.—Babu Rajendra Lal Acharji, Sub-Deputy Collector, Manikganj, Dacca, is transferred to the Narainganj Subdivision of that district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5337J.—Babu Suresh Chandra Chakrabatti, Sub-Deputy Collector, Kishoreganj, in the district of Mymensingh, is transferred temporarily to the Munshiganj Subdivision of the Dacca district.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 17th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION

No. 4815J.—Maulvi Mafizuddin Fakir, substantive *pro tempore* Sub-Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred temporarily to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district.

This cancels this office Notification No. 4580J., dated 5th December 1917, transferring him to the headquarters station of the Malda district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP GAIBANDHA, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 4811J.—Babu Nabogopal Roy, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jalpaiguri, is transferred temporarily to the headquarters station of the Rangpur district.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP GAIBANDHA, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 137Mct.—IT is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Jalpaiguri Municipality will be held on Wednesday, the 1st May 1918.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP DINAJPUR, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 134Mct.—IT is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Nator Municipality, in the district of Rajshahi, will be held on Monday, the 29th April 1918.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP DINAJPUR, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No 140Mct.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Rangpur Municipality will be held on Monday, the 25th March 1918.

H F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP DINAJPUR, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 143Mcl.—It is hereby notified for general information that the next general election of the Commissioners of the Dinajpur Municipality will be held on Monday, the 3rd June 1918.

H. F. SAMMAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHI DIVN., CAMP DINAJPUR, *the 20th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 5386J.—It is hereby notified that, under section 19 (*2*) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act (III of 1885), as subsequently amended, Mr. R. N. Ray and Rai Anath Bandhu De Bahadur, Subdivisional Officers of Tangail and Kishoreganj, respectively, are appointed to be members of the District Board of Mymensingh, *vice* the Superintendent of Police, Mymensingh, resigned, and Mr. S. N. Roy, I.C.S., Subdivisional Officer of Kishoreganj, transferred.

F. C. FRENCH, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, DACCA DIVN., DACCA, *the 19th December 1917.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 23M.—It is hereby notified for general information that Saturday, the 9th February 1918, is fixed as the date for holding a bye-election in Ward No. 11 of the Kandi Municipality, in the district of Murshidabad, to elect a Commissioner for that ward in place of Babu Rajendra Narain Roy, resigned.

F. J. MONAHAN, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, PRESY. DIVN., CALCUTTA, *the 19th December 1917.*

THE CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under section 63 (2) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

PLAN OF PROPOSED PUBLIC STREET No. XXVI (ENTALLY PARK AVENUE).

NOTICE is hereby given under section 63 (*2*) of Bengal Act V of 1911, as amended by Bengal Act III of 1915, that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta has prepared a plan of a proposed public street in Ward No. XX, known as Proposed Public Street No. XXVI (Entally Park Avenue).

The plan provides for a Park Avenue of a width of 300 feet connecting Improvement Scheme No. VIII (Park Street Extension) and Proposed Public Street No. III (Gobra Main Road) and also provides for several new and existing road widenings, and is one of a series of Alignments which are being published by the Board for the development of the area bounded by Lower Circular Road and the E. B. Railway and linking up Proposed Public Streets Nos. XXIV (Linton Street Area) and XXV (Gora Chand Road Area). The Proposed Public Street will pass through the following Municipal holdings :—

Name of Street.	No. of Municipal Holdings.
Hati Bagan Road North ...	8-5, 8-5-1A, 8-5-1B, 8-7, 9, 9-3, 10, 11, 12, 12-1, 13, 14, 15, 15-1, 16, 17.
South Road Entally	37-A, 37-1, 37-2, 37-3, 37-4, 38, 38-A, 39, 40, 40-1, 43, 43-1, 44, 44-1, 45, 47, 47-1, 47-1-1, 48, 48-1, 49.
Christopher Road	10, 14, 16, 24-1 (includes old No. 4, Tiljala Road).
Dihi Serampore Road ...	1, 1-1, 1-2, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 8-1, 9, 10, 11, 12, 12-1, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 22-1, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 27-1, 28, 29, 30, 30-1, 31, 32, 32-1, 34-1, 34-2, 34-3, 34-4, 34-5, 34-6, 34-7A, 34-7B, 35, 35-2, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40.
Linton Street	81, 83, 154, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 212-1, 212-2, 214, 216, 218, 220.
Gora Chand Road ...	17, 17-1, 18, 18-1, 18-2, 18-3, 18-4, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26 27, 28, 29, 29-1, 30, 31, 31-1, 32.
Darga Road	24, 24-1, 24-2, 24-3, 24-4.
Kasaipara Lane	15.
Tiljala Road	1, 2, 2-1, 73, 74.

The plan of the Proposed Public Street and the particulars of the land through which the Proposed Public Street will pass may be inspected at the offices of the Trust, 5, Clive Street, on week days between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., Saturdays 11 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Copies of this notice may be obtained on payment of a fee of two annas per copy and of the plan at a fee of eight annas per sheet.

Objections to the said plan may be submitted on or before the 28th February 1918.

C. H. BOMPAS, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, *the 4th December 1917.*

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EXCISE AND SALT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 15Exc.—The 21st December 1917.—Babu Indu Bhusan Sinha, Inspector of Excise and Salt, Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations.

A. N. MOBERLY,

Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 1st day of December 1917, and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th December 1917.

Description of salt.	In Sukea Government golas.	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF-MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH DECEMBER 1917, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
United Kingdom—							
Liverpool and other Panga salt	183,151	...	183,151	9,720	...	...	8,150
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt ...	3,946	...	3,946	700	...	...	45,210
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Port Said salt ...	131,210	...	131,210	35,350	180 408	...	124 210
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt ...	100,029	...	100 029	96,984	...	...	96,744
Salif salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Rawayah salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Massawah salt ...	63,712	66,231	129 943	24 750	185 111	...	33,774
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Haujam salt.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
British India—							
Bombay salt ...	11,977	...	11,977	731*	...	...	6,900
Madras salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cocanada salt ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vizagapatam salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	494,025	66,231	560,256	168,235	365,519	...	314,988

Written off during the half-month—

	Mds.
Wastage in Sukea golas	2,787
Abandoned and destroyed	Nil.
In transit—Massowah salt	39 890

* Duty on 731 mds was paid at Bombay.

P. N. CHANDAVARKAR,
Asst. Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, *the 21st December 1917.*

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India.

The following notification, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, published in the *Gazette of India*, dated the 15th December 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

Delhi, the 15th December 1917.

No. 1547-D.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Indian Tariff Act, 1894 (VIII of 1894), as subsequently amended, and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 280-C. D., dated the 16th December 1916, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to fix, with effect from the 1st January 1918, for the articles specified in column 2 of the schedule hereto annexed, the tariff values stated in column 4 of the said schedule.

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco.			
	FISH.		Rs. A.	
1	FISH, SALTED, wet or dry	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	Such rate or rates of duty not exceeding twelve annas as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, from time to time prescribe.
2	FISHMAWS, including singally and sozille, and sharkfins.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
3	FISH, excluding salted fish (see No. 1)	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.			
4	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, all sorts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved—			
	Almonds without shell	cwt.	87 0	7½ per cent.
	,, in the shell	,,	24 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, (kágazi) { Persian ... ... / European	,,	85 0	7½ ,, ,,
		,,	48 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Cashew or cajoo kernels	,,	16 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Cocoanuts, Straits	thousand	75 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, other	,,	54 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, kernel (khopra)	cwt.	15 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Currants	,,	50 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Dates, dry, in bags	,,	9 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, wet ,, baskets and bundles ...	,,	6 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, ,, in pots, boxes, tins and crates ...	,,	10 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Figs, Persian, dried	,,	22 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Garlic	,,	7 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Pistachio nuts	,,	60 0	7½ ,, ,,
	Prunes, Bussora (Alu-Bokhara)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Raisins, black	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	,, kishmish, Persian Gulf	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	,, Munakka ,, ,, ...	cwt.	20 0	7½ ,, ,,
	,, other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
	Walnuts, all descriptions	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	All other sorts of fruits and vegetables, fresh, dried, salted or preserved.	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	GRAIN, PULSE AND FLOUR.			
5	GRAIN AND PULSE, all sorts, including broken grain and pulse, but excluding flour (see No. 6).	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
6	FLOUR	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	LIQUORS.			Rs. A. P.
7	ALE, Beer, and Porter	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	0 4 6
8	CIDER and other fermented liquors	,,	...	0 4 6
9	LIQUEURS, Cordials, Mixtures and other preparations containing spirit—			
	(*a*) Entered in such a manner as to indicate that the strength is not to be tested.	,,	...	14 10 0
	(*b*) If tested	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
10	PERFUMED SPIRITS	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles.	...	18 12 0
11	SPIRIT, which has been rendered effectually and permanently unfit for human consumption.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*contd.*			
	LIQUORS—*contd.*			Rs. A. P.
12	All other sorts of SPIRIT	Imperial gallon or 6 quart bottles of the strength of London proof.	...	11 4 0 and the duty to be increased or reduced in proportion as the strength of the spirit exceeds or is less than London proof.
13	WINES—			
	Champagne and all other sparkling wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	,,	...	4 6 0
	All other sorts of wines not containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit.	,,	...	1 12 0
	Provided that all sparkling and still wines containing more than 42 per cent. of proof spirit shall be liable to duty at the rate applicable to "All other sorts of Spirit."			
	PROVISIONS AND OILMAN'S STORES.			
14	VINEGAR, in casks	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent
15	PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORES, AND GROCERIES, all sorts, excluding vinegar in casks (see No. 14)—			
	Bacon	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Beef and Pork	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Bêche de mer	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Butter	lb.	2 0	7½ ,,
	Cassava, Tapioca or Sago	cwt.	14 0	7½ ,,
	Cheese	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	China preserves in syrup	box of six large or twelve small jars.	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dry, candied	lb.	0 6	7½ ,,
	Cocum	cwt.	8 0	7½ ,,
	Ghi	,,	100 0	7½ ,,
	Margarine	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Vinegar not in casks—			7½ ,,
	Persian	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Indian	...	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of provisions, oilman's stores and groceries.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	SPICES			
16	SPICES, all sorts—			
	Betelnuts, raw, whole, split, or sliced, from Goa	cwt.	11 8	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, Straits	,,	10 0	7½ ,,
	,, boiled	,,	20 0	7½ ,,
	,, whole, from Ceylon	,,	12 8	7½ ,,
	,, raw, split (sun-dried) from Ceylon ...	,,	30 0	7½ ,,
	,, all other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Chillies, dry	cwt.	15 0	7½ ,,
	Cloves	,,	46 0	7½ ,,
	,, exhausted	,,	14 0	7½ ,,
	,, stems and heads	,,	6 0	7½ ,,
	,, in seeds narlavang	,,	13 0	7½ ,,
	Ginger, dry	,,	21 0	7½ ,,
	Mace	lb.	1 2	7½ ,,
	Nutmegs	,,	0 8	7½ ,,
	,, in shell	,,	0 4	7½ ,,
	Pepper, black	cwt.	46 0	7½ ,,
	,, white	,,	60 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of spices	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	SUGAR.			
17	CONFECTIONERY	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
18	SUGAR, all sorts, including Molasses and Saccharine produce of all sorts, but excluding confectionery (see No. 17)—			
	Sugar, crystallised, beet	cwt.	18 8	18 per cent.
	,, ,, and soft, refined in China ...	,,	19 8	10 ,,
	,, ,, ,, ,, from Egypt ...	,,	16 0	10 ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	I.—Food, Drink and Tobacco—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
	SUGAR—*contd.*			
	All other sorts of Sugar—			
	Sugar, crystallised, and soft, from Java or Japan, 23 Dutch standard and above.	cwt.	17 8	10 per cent.
	" " " " from Java or Japan, 16 to 22 Dutch standard.	"	15 12	10 "
	" " " " from Java or Japan 15 Dutch standard and under.	"	13 12	10 "
	" " " " from Mauritius, equal to 16 Dutch standard and over.	"	17 4	10 "
	Molasses from Java	"	2 8	10 "
	" " other countries	"	2 8	10 "
	Sugar, all other sorts, including saccharine produce of all kinds.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 "
	TEA.			
19	TEA—			
	Tea, black	lb.	0 12	7½ per cent.
	" green	"	0 11	7½ "
	OTHER FOOD AND DRINK.			
20	COFFEE	cwt.	55 0	7½ per cent.
21	HOPS	...	...	Free.
22	SALT	Indian maund of 82⅔ lbs. avoirdupois weight.	...	The rate at which excise duty is for the time being leviable on salt manufactured in the place where the import takes place.
23	SALT imported into British India and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council for use in any process of manufacture; also salt imported into the port of Calcutta and issued with the sanction of the Government of Bengal to manufacturers of glazed stone-ware; also salt imported into any port in the provinces of Bengal and Bihar and Orissa and issued, in accordance with rules made with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, for use in curing fish in those provinces.	...	...	Free.
24	ALL OTHER SORTS OF FOOD AND DRINK not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TOBACCO.			Re. A.
25	TOBACCO, unmanufactured	lb.	...	1 0
26	CIGARS AND CIGARETTES	...	*Ad valorem*	50 per cent.
27	All other sorts of TOBACCO, manufactured ...	lb.	...	Re. A. 1 8
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured.			
	COAL, ETC.			
28	COAL, COKE AND PATENT FUEL	ton	...	0 8

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*			
	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC.		Rs. A.	
29	GUMS, RESINS AND LAC, all sorts—			
	Copal	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Cutch and gambier	cwt.	42 0	7½ „
	Gamboge	lb.	1 12	7½ „
	Gum Ammoniac	cwt	25 0	7½ „
	„ Arabic	„	23 0	7½ „
	„ Bdellium	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	„ Benjamin, ras	cwt.	42 0	7½ „
	„ „ cowrie	„	80 0	7½ „
	„ Bysabol (coarse myrrh)	„	36 0	7½ „
	„ Olibanum or frankincense	„	12 0	7½ „
	„ Persian (false)	„	11 0	7½ „
	Myrrh	„	40 0	7½ „
	Rosin	„	20 0	7½ „
	All other sorts of gums, gum-resins, and articles made of gum or gum-resin.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	HIDES AND SKINS, RAW.			
30	HIDES AND SKINS raw or salted	...	...	Free.
	METALLIC ORES, AND SCRAP IRON OR STEEL FOR RE-MANUFACTURE.			
31	IRON OR STEEL, old	cwt.	3 0	2½ per cent.
32	METALLIC ORES, all sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	OILS.			Rs. A. P.
33	PETROLEUM, including also naphtha and the liquids commonly known by the names of rock-oil, Rangoon oil, Burma oil, kerosene, paraffin oil, mineral oil, petroline, gasoline, benzol, benzoline, benzine, and any inflammable liquid which is made from petroleum, coal, schist, shale, peat or any other bituminous substance, or from any products of petroleum, but excluding the following classes of petroleum.	Imperial gallon.	...	0 1 6
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above two hundred degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively for the batching of jute or other fibre, or for lubricating purposes.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Petroleum which has its flashing point at or above one hundred and fifty degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer and is proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use exclusively as fuel or for some sanitary or hygienic purpose.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
34	All other sorts of animal, essential, mineral, and vegetable non-essential OILS—			
	Coconut oil	cwt.	26 0	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of oil	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ „
	SEEDS.			
35	OIL-SEEDS, imported into British India by sea from the territories of any Native Prince or Chief in India.	...	...	Free.
36	SEEDS, all sorts, excluding oil-seeds specified in No. 35.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	TALLOW, STEARINE AND WAX.			
37	TALLOW AND STEARINE, including grease and animal fat, and WAX of all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	TEXTILE MATERIALS.			
38	COTTON, raw	...	...	Free.
39	WOOL, raw	...	...	,,
40	TEXTILE MATERIALS, the following :—			
	Silk waste and raw silk including cocoons :—			
	Bokhara	lb.	7 0	7½ per cent.
	Floss	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Raw silk—Yellow Shanghai, including re-reeled	lb	6 0	7½ ,,
	,, from Indo-China, and places in China other than Shanghai including re-reeled.	,,	6 0	7½ ,,
	Mathow	,,	4 0	7½ ,,
	Panjam	,,	3 4	7½ ,,
	Persian	,,	4 8	7½ ,,
	Siam	,,	4 0	7½ ,,
	White Shanghai, Thonkoon or Duppion	,,	4 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, other kinds including re-reeled.	,,	6 8	7½ ,,
	,, other kinds of China, including re-reeled.	,,	8 0	7½ ,,
	Waste and Kachra	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts, including cocoons ...	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Raw Flax, Hemp, Jute and all other unmanufactured textile materials not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	WOOD AND TIMBER.			
41	FIREWOOD	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
42	WOOD AND TIMBER, all sorts, not otherwise specified, including all sorts of ornamental wood.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	MISCELLANEOUS			
43	CANES AND RATTANS	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
44	COWRIES AND SHELLS, including Tortoise-shell—			
	Chanks—large shells, for cameos	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, white, live	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dead	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Cowras	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Cowries, bazar, common	cwt.	4 0	7½ ,,
	,, yellow, superior quality	,,	5 0	7½ ,,
	,, Maldive	,,	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, Sankhli	,,	110 0	7½ ,,
	Mother-of-pearl, nacre	,,	24 0	7½ ,,
	Nakhla	,,	145 0	7½ ,,
	Tortoise-shell	lb.	9 0	7½ ,,
	,, nakh	,,	5 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts, including articles made of shell, not otherwise described.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
45	IVORY, unmanufactured—			
	Elephants' grinders	cwt.	300 0	7½ per cent.
	,, tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), each exceeding 20 lb. in weight, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing 10 lb. and over.	,,	850 0	7½ ,,
	Elephants' tusks (other than hollows, centres, and points), not less than 10 lb. and not exceeding 20 lb. each, and hollows, centres, and points each weighing less than 10 lb.	,,	750 0	7½ ,,
	Elephants' tusks, each less than 10 lb. (other than hollows, centres, and points).	,,	450 0	7½ ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	II.—Raw materials and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured— *concld.*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 4 lb.	cwt.	200 0	7½ per cent.
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each not less than 3 lb. and under 4 lb	,,	170 0	7½ ,, ,,
	See-cow or moye teeth, each less than 3 lb. ...	,,	120 0	7½ ,, ,,
	All other sorts unmanufactured not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,, ,,
46	MANURES, all sorts, including animal bones and the following chemical manures :—Basic slag, nitrate of soda, muriate of potash, sulphate of potash, kainit salts, nitrate of lime, calcium cyanamide and mineral superphosphates.*	...	...	Free.
47	PRECIOUS STONES AND PEARLS, unset† ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
48	PULP OF WOOD, RAGS and other paper-making materials.	...	...	Free.
49	ALL OTHER RAW MATERIALS, and produce and articles mainly unmanufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—			
	APPAREL.			
50	APPAREL, including drapery, boots and shoes, and military and other uniforms and accoutrements, but excluding uniforms and accoutrements exempted from duty (No. 51) and silver thread (No. 90)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
51	UNIFORMS AND ACCOUTREMENTS appertaining thereto imported by a public servant for his personal use.	...	...	Free.
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES.			
52	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55, ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES, that is to say,—	...	...	Rs. A.
	(1) Firearms other than pistols, including gas and air guns and rifles.	each	...	50 0
	(2) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	...	30 0
	(3) Pistols	,,	...	15 0
	(4) Barrels for the same, whether single or double.	,,	...	10 0
	(5) Main springs and magazine springs for firearms, including gas guns and rifles.	,,	...	8 0
	(6) Gun stocks and breech blocks ...	,,	...	5 0
	(7) Revolver cylinders, for each cartridge they will carry.	,,	...	2 8
	(8) Actions (including skeleton and waster), breech bolts and their heads, cocking pieces, and locks (for muzzle-loading arms).	,,	...	1 8
	(9) Machines for making, loading or closing cartridges for rifled arms.	,,	...	10 0
	(10) Machines for capping cartridges for rifled arms.	,,	...	2 8
	Proviso 1.—No duty in excess of 20 per cent. *ad valorem* shall be levied upon any of the articles specified in items Nos. 1 to 10 of this entry when they are imported in reasonable quantity, for his own private use by any person lawfully entitled to possess the same.			} *ad valorem* whichever is or 20 per cent. higher

* Under the Government of India Notification No. 3300.D., dated the 23rd December 1916, sulphate of ammonia and mineral phosphates have been exempted from payment of duty.

† Pearls unset and unset precious stones imported uncut have been exempted from payment of duty by Government of India Notifications No. 2102W., dated the 16th March 1916, and No. 7955-213, dated the 2nd September 1916, respectively.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*contd.*			
	Proviso 2.—When any articles which have been otherwise imported, and upon which duty has been levied or is leviable under items Nos. 1 to 10, are purchased retail from the importer by a person lawfully entitled as aforesaid, in reasonable quantity for his own private use, the importer may apply to the Collector of Customs for refund or remission (as the case may be) of so much of the duty thereon as is in excess of 20 per cent *ad valorem* ; and if such Collector is satisfied as to the identity of the articles and that such importer is in other respects entitled to such refund or remission, he shall grant the same accordingly.			
53	GUNPOWDER for cannons, rifles, guns, pistols and sporting purposes.	...	*Ad valorem*	20 per cent.
54	Subject to the exemptions specified in No. 55 all ARTICLES, other than those specified in entry No. 52, which are ARMS OR PARTS OF ARMS within the meaning of the Indian Arms Act (excluding springs used for air-guns which are dutiable as hardware, under No. 68), all tools used for cleaning or putting together the same, all machines for making, loading, closing or capping cartridges for arms other than rifled arms and all other sorts of ammunition and military stores, and any articles which the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare to be "ammunition" or "military stores" for the purposes of this Act.	...	,,	20 ,,
55	The following classes of ARMS, AMMUNITION and MILITARY STORES :—	...	...	Free.
	(*a*) Articles falling under the 5th, 6th, 8th, 9th or 10th item of No. 52 when they appertain to a firearm falling under the 1st or 3rd item and are fitted into the same case with such firearms ;			
	(*b*) Arms forming part of the regular equipment of an officer entitled to wear diplomatic, military, naval or police uniform ;			
	(*c*) A sword, a revolver, or a pair of pistols, when accompanying an officer of His Majesty's regular forces, or a commissioned officer of a volunteer corps, or certified by the commandant of the corps to which such officer belongs, or, in the case of an officer not attached to any corps, by the officer commanding the station or district in which such officer is serving, to be imported by the officer for the purpose of his equipment ;			
	(*d*) Swords and revolvers which are certified by an Inspector-General of Police to be part of the ordinary equipment of members of the Police force under his charge ;			
	(*e*) Swords forming part of the equipment of Indian commissioned officers of His Majesty's Army ;			
	(*f*) Swords for presentation as army or volunteer prizes ;			
	(*g*) Arms, ammunition and military stores imported with the sanction of the Government of India for the use of any portion of the military forces of a Native State in India which may be maintained and organized for Imperial Service ;			
	(*h*) Morris tubes and patent ammunition imported by officers commanding British and Indian regiments or volunteer corps for the instruction of their men.			

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
	ARMS, AMMUNITION AND MILITARY STORES—*concld*			
56	EXPLOSIVES, namely, blasting gurpowder, blasting gelatine, blasting dynamite, blasting roburite, blasting tonite, and all other sorts, including detonators and blasting fuse.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CARRIAGES AND CARTS.			
57	CARRIAGES AND CARTS including motor-cars, motor-cycles and motor-wagons, bicycles, tricycles, jin-rikshas, bath chairs, perambulators, trucks, wheel-barrows, and all other sorts of conveyances and component parts thereof.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES.			
58	ANTI-PLAGUE SERUM	...	...	Free
59	COPPERAS, green	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
60	OPIUM and its alkaloids	Seer of 80 tolas	...	Rs. A. 24 0
61	QUININE and other alkaloids of cinchona ...	...	...	Free.
62	CHEMICALS, DRUGS AND MEDICINES, all sorts not otherwise specified—			
	Acid, sulphuric	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Alkali, Indian (sajji-khar)	cwt.	6 8	7½ ,,
	Alum	,,	13 0	7½ ,,
	Arsenic (China mansil)	,,	22 0	7½ ,,
	,, other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Sal ammoniac	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Soda ash	cwt.	6 0	7½ ,,
	Soda Bicarbonate	,,	7 8	7½ ,,
	Sulphate of copper	,,	42 0	7½ ,,
	Sulphur (brimstone), flowers	,,	11 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, roll	,,	11 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, rough	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of chemical products and preparations not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Aloes, black	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, Socotra	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Aloe-wood	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Asafœtida (hing)	cwt.	125 0	7½ ,,
	,, coarse (hingra)	,,	37 0	7½ ,,
	Atáry, Persian	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Bánslochan (bamboo camphor)	lb.	0 9	7½ ,,
	Brimstone (amalsára)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Calumba root	cwt.	12 0	7½ ,,
	Camphor, refined, other than powder ...	lb.	2 0	7½ ,,
	,, in powder	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cassia lignea	cwt.	26 0	7½ ,,
	China root (chobchini), rough	,,	12 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, scraped ...	,,	25 0	7½ ,,
	Cocaine	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cubebs	cwt.	100 0	7½ ,,
	Galangal, China	,,	16 0	7½ ,,
	Pellitory (akalkara)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Peppermint, crystals	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Salep	cwt.	250 0	7½ ,,
	Senna leaves	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Storax, liquid (rose mellos or salaras) ...	cwt	124 0	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of drugs, medicines, and narcotics.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS.			
63	The following AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, winnowers, threshers, mowing and reaping machines, elevators, seed-crushers, chaff-cutters, root-cutters, horse and bullock gears, ploughs, cultivators, scarifiers, harrows, clod-crushers, seed-drills, hay-tedders, and rakes.	...	...	Free.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	CUTLERY, HARDWARE, IMPLEMENTS AND INSTRUMENTS—*contd.*			
64	CLOCKS AND WATCHES, and parts thereof ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
65	CUTLERY	...	,,	7½ ,,
66	The following DAIRY APPLIANCES, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power, namely, cream separators, milk sterilizing or pasteurizing plant, milk aerating and cooling apparatus, churns, butter dryers, and butter workers.	...	...	Free.
67	ELECTROPLATED WARE	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
68	HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY AND TOOLS, all sorts, not otherwise specified	...	,,	7½ ,,
69	INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, imported by a passenger as part of his personal baggage and in actual use by him in the exercise of his profession or calling.	...	...	Free.
70	TELEGRAPHIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS, and parts thereof, imported by or under the orders of a railway company.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
71	WATER-LIFTS, SUGAR-MILLS, OIL-PRESSES, and parts thereof, when constructed so that they can be worked by manual or animal power.	...	...	Free
72	All other sorts of IMPLEMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, APPARATUS AND APPLIANCES, and parts thereof, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	DYES AND COLOURS.		Rs. A.	
73	DYEING AND TANNING SUBSTANCES, all sorts, and PAINTS AND COLOURS and painters' materials, all sorts—			
	Alizarine dye, dry, 40 per cent.	lb.	26 0	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,,	30 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 60 ,, ...	,,	35 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 70 ,, ...	,,	39 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 80 ,, ...	,,	42 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 100 ,, ...	,,	45 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, moist, 10 ,, ...	,,	4 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 16 ,, ...	,,	8 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, 20 ,, ...	,,	10 0	7½ ,,
	Aniline ,, moist	,,	3 8	7½ ,,
	,, ,, dry	,,	5 8	7½ ,,
	,, salts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Avar bark	cwt.	5 0	7½ ,,
	Buzgand (gulpista)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Cochineal	lb.	1 12	7½ ,,
	Gallnuts (myrabolams)	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, Persian	cwt.	100 0	7½ ,,
	Madder or manjit	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Orchilla weed	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Sappan wood and root	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Turmeric	...	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of dyeing and tanning materials	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Lead, red, dry	cwt.	45 0	7½ ,,
	,, white, dry	,,	45 0	7½ ,,
	Ochre, other than European, all colours ...	,,	1 8	7½ ,,
	Paints, composition	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, patent driers	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Turpentine	Imperial gallon.	4 8	7½ ,,
	Verdigris	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Vermilion, Canton	box of 90 bundles.	345 0	7½ ,,

SCHEDULE II—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	DYES AND COLOURS—*contd.*			
	Zinc, white, dry	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	All other sorts of paints, colours and painters' materials not otherwise specified, including glue and putty.	...	,,	7½ ,, ,,
	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE AND MANUFACTURES OF WOOD			
74	FURNITURE, CABINETWARE, and all manufactures of wood not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	GLASSWARE AND EARTHENWARE.			
75	GLASS AND GLASSWARE, all sorts, Chinese and Japanese ware, lacquered ware, earthenware, China and procelain.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	HIDES, SKINS AND LEATHER.			
76	HIDES AND SKINS not otherwise specified, LEATHER AND LEATHER MANUFACTURES, all sorts, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	MACHINERY.			
77	MACHINERY, namely, prime-movers and component parts thereof, including boilers and component parts thereof; also including locomotive and portable engines, steam-rollers, fire-engines, and other machines in which the prime-mover is not separable from the operative parts.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	MACHINERY (and component parts thereof), meaning machines or sets of machines to be worked by electric, steam, water, fire or other power not being manual or animal labour or which, before being brought into use, require to be fixed with reference to other moving parts; and including belting of all materials for driving machinery.	...	,,	2½
	Provided that the term does not include tools and implements to be worked by manual or animal labour and provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of machinery as are indispensable for the working of the machinery and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.			
	Note.—This entry includes machinery and component parts thereof made of substances other than metal, but excludes the articles exempted under Nos. 78, 79 and 80.			
78	MACHINERY AND COMPONENT parts thereof as defined in No. 77 imported by the owner of a cotton spinning or weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in a cotton spinning or weaving mill.	...	...	Free.
79	The following ARTICLES USED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF COTTON, namely, bobbins (warping), forks for looms, healds, heald cords, heald-knitting needles, laces, lags and needles for dobbies, pickers (buffalo and others), picking bands, picking levers, picking sticks (over and under), reed pliers, reeds, shuttles (for power looms), springs for looms, strappings, and weft forks.	...	...	Free.
80	DRAWING-IN-FRAMES imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be intended for use in the weaving of cotton.	...	...	Free.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*con'd.*		Rs. A.	
	MACHINERY—*concld.*			
81	MACHINERY and component parts thereof, meaning machines or parts of machines to be worked by manual or animal labour.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL			
82	IRON—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	800 0	2½ per cent.
	,, other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	,,	400 0	2½ ,,
	,, other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	All other sorts	...	,,	2½ ,,
	BAR, ROD AND CHANNEL, INCLUDING CHANNEL FOR CARRIAGES—			
	Bar, Best Yorkshire and similar qualities ...	ton	800 0	2½ ,,
	,, Swedish and similar qualities ...	,,	500 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, ,, nail-rod, round-rod and square under ¼ inch in diameter.	,,	500 0	2½ ,,
	,, Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	400 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, nail rod, round-rod and square under ¼ inch in diameter.	,,	450 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	Channel, including channel for carriages ...	ton	500 0	2½ ,,
	All other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	PIG	...	,,	2½ ,,
	RICE BOWLS	...	,,	2½ ,,
83	IRON OR STEEL—			
	ANCHORS AND CABLES	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	BEAMS JOISTS, pillars, girders, screw-piles, bridge work and other such descriptions of iron or steel imported exclusively for building purposes; including also ridging, guttering and continuous roofing.	...	,,	2½ ,,
	BOLTS and nuts, including hook bolts and nuts for roofing.	...	,,	2½ ,,
	HOOPS AND STRIPS—			
	Hoops, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	ton	900 0	2½ ,,
	,, other than Best Yorkshire or Swedish, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	550 0	2½ ,,
	Strips, Best Yorkshire or Swedish and similar qualities.	,,	900 0	2½ ,,
	,, if galvanised, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	,, other kinds	ton	500 0	2½ ,,
	NAILS, RIVETS AND WASHERS, ALL SORTS—			
	Iron or steel nails, rose, wire and flat-headed ...	cwt.	25 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, ,, other kinds, including galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	Rivets and Washers, iron or steel ...	...	,,	2½ ,,
	PIPES AND TUBES, and fittings therefor, such as bends, boots, elbows, tees, sockets, flanges and the like	...	,,	2½ ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	METALS, IRON AND STEEL—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
	IRON OR STEEL—*contd.*			
	RAILS, CHAIRS, sleepers, bearing and fish plates, spikes (commonly known as dog spikes) switches, and crossings, other than those described in No. 94, also lever boxes, clips, and tie-bars.	.....	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
	SHEETS AND PLATES, all sorts, excluding discs and circles which are dutiable under No. 85—			
	Sheets and plates, Best Yorkshire and similar qualities.	ton	1,200 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, Swedish and charcoal ...	,,	1,000 0	2½ ,,
	,, ,, Swedish and charcoal, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	Plates, other kinds, above ¼ inch thick ...	ton	700 0	2½ ,,
	Sheets ,, ,, up to ¼ ,, ,, ...	,,	700 0	2½ ,,
	Sheets (other than corrugated), and plates, other kinds, if galvanized, tinned, lead coated, aluminium coated, chequered or planished.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	Sheets, corrugated, galvanized or black ...	ton	550 0	2½ ,,
	WIRE, including fencing wire and wire rope, but excluding wire-netting (which is dutiable under No. 85)	,,	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
84	STEEL—			
	ANGLE—			
	Angle, T	ton	400 0	2½ per cent.
	,, ,, if galvanized, tinned, or lead coated...	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	,, ,, all other sorts	...	...	2½ ,,
	BAR, ROD, AND CHANNEL, including channel for carriages—			
	Bar (other than cast steel)	ton	400 0	2½ ,,
	,, Swedish and similar qualities	,,	500 0	2½ ,,
	,, nail-rod, round-rod, and square, other than Swedish or similar qualities, under ½ inch in diameter.	,,	450 0	2½ ,,
	,, galvanized, tinned, lead coated, planished or polished.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	,, all other sorts	...	,,	2½ ,,
	Channel including channel for carriages ...	ton	500 0	2½ ,,
	CAST including spring, blistered and tub steel ...	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ ,,
	INGOTS, BLOOMS, BILLETS AND SLABS... ...	...	,,	2½ ,,
85	All sorts of IRON AND STEEL and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Iron or steel cans or drums, when imported containing petroleum, which is separately assessed to duty under No. 33, namely :—			
	Iron or steel cans, tinned, other than petrol tins of two gallons capacity.	can	0 3½	7½ ,,
	Iron or steel cans or drums, not tinned, of two gallons capacity.	,,	0 2	7½ ,,
	Iron or steel drums of four gallons capacity—			
	(*a*) with faucet caps	drum	1 0	7½ ,,
	(*b*) ordinary	,,	0 8	7½ ,,
	Iron or steel, all other sorts, including discs or circles and wire-netting.	..	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL.			
86	CURRENT SILVER, NICKEL, BRONZE, AND COPPER COIN of the Government of India	...	...	Free.
87	GOLD BULLION AND COIN	...	...	Free.
88	LEAD, sheets, for tea-chests	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.
89	SILVER, BULLION OR COIN, not otherwise specified*... (*See* Nos. 86 and 136).	ounce	...	Rs A. 0 4
90	SILVER PLATE, SILVER THREAD and wire, and SILVER MANUFACTURES, all sorts.	...	*Ad valorem*	10 per cent

* Under the Government of India Notification No. 8186, dated the 14th July 1917, all silver bullion and silver coin in respect of which an order in writing has been made under section 3 (1) of the Silver (Import) Ordinance, 1917 (Ordinance No. IV of 1917), are exempted from the import duty.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*		Rs.	
	METALS, OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL—*concld.*			
91	ALL SORTS OF METALS OTHER THAN IRON AND STEEL, and manufactures thereof, not otherwise specified—			
	Brass, orsidue and leaves, European ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	,, ,, ,, China	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, patent or yellow metal, sheets and sheathing, weighing 1 lb. or above per square foot, and braziers, and plates.	cwt.	108 0	7½ ,,
	,, patent or yellow metal (old)	,,	55 0	7½ ,,
	,, sheets, flat or in rolls, and sheathing, weighing less than 1 lb. per square foot.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, wire	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, all other shorts	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Copper, bolt, and bar, rolled	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, braziers, sheets, plates and sheathing ...	cwt.	110 0	7½ ,,
	,, nails and composition nails	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, old	cwt.	65 0	7½ ,,
	,, pigs, tiles, ingots, cakes, bricks, and slabs ...	,,	95 0	7½ ,,
	,, China, white, copperware	lb	2 4	7½ ,,
	,, foil or dankpana, white 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	hundred leaves.	7 0	7½ ,,
	,, foil or dankpana, coloured, 10 to 11 in. × 4 to 5 in.	,,	7 8	7½ ,,
	,, wire, including phosphor-bronze ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	,, all other sorts, unmanufactured and manufactured, except current coin of the Government of India, which is free.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	German silver	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Gold leaf	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Lametta	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Lead all sorts (except sheets for tea chests) ...	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Quicksilver	lb.	4 8	7½ ,,
	Shot, bird	cwt.	40 0	7½ ,,
	Tin, block	,,	155 0	7½ ,,
	,, foil, and other sorts	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	Zinc or spelter, nails	...	,,	7½ ,,
	,, ,, tiles or slabs	cwt.	50 0	7½ ,,
	,, ,, all other sorts, including boiler tiles.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of metals, and manufactures thereof.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	PAPER, PASTEBOARD AND STATIONERY.			
92	TRADE CATALOGUES AND ADVERTISING CIRCULARS imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	...	...	Free.
93	PAPER AND ARTICLES MADE OF PAPER AND PAPIER MACHÉ, PASTEBOARD, MILLBOARD, AND CARDBOARD all sorts, and STATIONERY, including ruled or printed forms and account and manuscript books, labels, advertising circulars, sheet or card almanacs and calendars, Christmas, Easter and other cards, including cards in booklet form; including also wastepaper and old newspapers for packing; but excluding trade catalogues and advertising circulars imported by packet, book, or parcel post.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent
	RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK.			
94	RAILWAY MATERIAL for permanent-way and rolling-stock, namely, cylinders, girders, and other material for bridges, rails, sleepers, bearing and fish-plates, fish-bolts, chairs, spikes, crossings, sleeper fastenings, switches, interlocking apparatus, brake gear, couplings and springs, signals, turn-tables, weigh-bridges, engines, tenders, carriages, wagons, traversers, trollies, trucks, and component parts thereof; also the following articles when imported by or under the orders of a railway company, namely, cranes, water cranes, water tanks and standards, wire and other materials for fencing.	...	*Ad valorem*	2½ per cent.

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	RAILWAY PLANT AND ROLLING STOCK—*concld.*			
	Provided that for the purpose of this entry "railway" means a line of railway subject to the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890, and includes a railway constructed in a Native State under the suzerainty of His Majesty and also such tramways as the Governor-General in Council may, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, specifically include therein. Provided also that only such articles shall be admitted as component parts of railway material as are indispensable for the working of railways and are, owing to their shape or to other special quality, not adapted for any other purpose.			
	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.			
95	COTTON TWIST AND YARN, and COTTON SEWING OR DARNING THREAD.	...	...	Free.
96	COTTON piece-goods, thread other than sewing or darning thread and all other manufactured cotton goods not otherwise specified,	..	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
97	SECOND-HAND OR USED GUNNY BAGS made of jute ...	...	...	Free.
98	YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS, that is to say :—			
	Flax twist and yarn and manufactures of flax...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	Habberdashery and Millinery	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Hemp manufactures	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Hosiery	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Jute twist and yarn and jute manufactures, excluding second-hand or used gunny bags (*see* No. 97).	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Silk yarn, noils, and warps, silk thread, silk piece-goods and other manufactures of silk.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	Woollen yarn, knitting wool and other manufactures of wool including felt.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	All other sorts of yarns and textile fabrics, not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,,
	MISCELLANEOUS.			
99	ART, the following works of :—(1) statuary and pictures intended to be put up for the public benefit in a public place, and (2) memorials of a public character intended to be put up in a public place, including the materials used, or to be used in their construction, whether worked or not.	...	...	Free.
100	ART, works of, excluding those specified in No. 99	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
101	Books, printed, including covers for printed books, maps, charts, and plans, proofs, music and manuscripts.	...	...	Free.
102	BRUSHES AND BROOMS	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
103	BUILDING AND ENGINEERING MATERIALS, including asphalt, bricks, cement, chalk and lime, clay, pipes of earthenware, tiles and all other sorts of building and engineering materials not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,,
104	CANDLES	...	,,	7½ ,,
105	CORDAGE AND ROPE AND TWINE OF VEGETABLE FIBRE	...	,,	7½ ,,
106	FIREWORKS	..	,,	7½ ,,
107	FURNITURE, TACKLE AND APPAREL, not otherwise described, for steam, sailing, rowing and other vessels	...	,,	7½ ,,
108	IVORY, manufactured	...	,,	7½ ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*contd.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*contd.*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*contd.*		Rs. A.	
109	JEWELLERY AND JEWELS, including gold plate and other manufactures of gold, but excluding silver plate and other manufactures of silver (*see* No. 90).	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
110	MATCHES	...	,,	7½ ,,
111	MATS AND MATTING	...	,,	7½ ,,
112	OILCAKES	...	,,	7½ ,,
113	OILCLOTH AND FLOOR CLOTH	...	,,	7½ ,,
114	PACKING—ENGINE AND BOILER—all sorts, excluding packing forming a component part of any article included in No. 77 and No. 94.	...	,,	7½ ,,
115	PERFUMERY, excluding perfumed spirits (*see* No. 10)—			
	Gowla, husked and unhusked	cwt	150 0	7½ ,,
	Kapurkachri (zedoary)	,,	20 0	7½ ,,
	Patch leaves (patchouli)	,,	26 0	7½ ,,
	Rose-flowers, dried	,,	19 0	7½ ,,
	Rose-water	Imperial gallon.	3 0	7½ ,,
116	PITCH, TAR AND DAMMER	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ ,,
117	POLISHES AND COMPOSITIONS	...	,,	7½ ,,
118	PRINTING AND LITHOGRAPHING MATERIAL, namely, presses, type, ink, brass rules, composing sticks, chases, imposing tables, and lithographic stones, stereoblocks, roller moulds, roller frames, and stocks, roller composition, standing screw and hot presses, perforating machines, gold blocking presses, stereotyping apparatus, metal furniture, paper folding machines, and paging and numbering machines, but excluding paper (*see* No. 93).	...	,,	2½ ,,
119	PRINTS, ENGRAVING AND PICTURES, including photographs and picture-cards.	...	,,	7½ ,,
120	RACKS for the withering of tea leaf	...	,,	2½ ,,
121	RUBBER tyres for motors and motor cycles, and rubber tubes for tyres, and other manufactures of rubber, not otherwise specified.	...	,,	7½ ,,
122	SHIPS AND OTHER VESSELS for inland and harbour navigation, including steamers, launches, boats and barges, imported entire or in sections.	...	,,	2½ ,,
123	SMOKERS' REQUISITES, excluding tobacco (*see* Nos. 25 to 27).	...	,,	7½ ,,
124	SOAP	...	,,	7½ ,,
125	STARCH AND FARINA	...	,,	7½ ,,
126	STONE AND MARBLE and articles made of stone and marble.	...	,,	7½ ,,
127	TEA CHEST, of metal or wood whether imported entire or in sections, provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that they are imported for the purpose of the packing of tea for transport in bulk.	...	,,	2½ ,,

SCHEDULE II.—IMPORT TARIFF—*concld.*

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff Valuation.	Duty.
	III.—Articles wholly or mainly manufactured—*concld.*			
	MISCELLANEOUS—*concld.*		Rs. A.	
128	TOILET REQUISITES, not otherwise specified ...	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
129	Toys, playing cards and requisites for games and sports.	...	,,	7½ ,,
130	UMBRELLAS, including parasols and sunshades, and fittings therefor.	...	,,	7½ ,,
131	The following ARTICLES, when imported by the owner of a cotton weaving mill and proved to the satisfaction of the Collector of Customs to be INTENDED FOR USE IN THE WEAVING OF COTTON or the baling of woven cotton goods :—			
	Aniline blue, Bisulphate of soda, China clay, Chloride of magnesium, Chloride of zinc, Dressalin, Epsom salts, Farina, Farinina, Flannel taping, Glauber salts, Glutina, Glycerine substitutes, Healed varnish, Hoop iron, Hoop steel, Rivets for bales, Sewing needles, Sizing paste, Sizing wax, Soda ash, Starch, Velvet pulp.	...	...	Free.
132	ALL OTHER ARTICLES, wholly or mainly manufactured, not otherwise specified.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
	IV.—Miscellaneous and Unclassified—			
133	ANIMALS, living, all sorts	...	...	Free.
134	CORAL	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.
135	FODDER, bran and pollards	...	,,	7½ ,,
136	SPECIMENS illustrative of natural science, including also antique coins and medals.	...	...	Free.
137	ALL OTHER ARTICLES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, including articles imported by post.	...	*Ad valorem*	7½ per cent.

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PART IB.

Orders by the Governor of Bengal in Council.

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 2390L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Dacca.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ..	Sadar (South)	Kerani-ganj.	Hazrat-pur.	9	Char Algi ... 369 Hazratpur ... 370 Jagannathpur ... 368 Maniknagar ... 367 Hoglagati ... 371 Akchail ... 372 Nutan Char ... 376 Char Chamardaha 377 Selna ... 378 Kharakandi ... 379 Saraspur ... 380 Subansur ... 381	North— Thana Savar. South— River Dhaleswari. East— Munshi Noadda 364 Alinagar ... 366 Kalatia ... 373 Ahadipur ... 375 Bhandarkhola ... 385 Jainpur ... 384 West— River Dhaleswari.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No 2391L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Dacca ...	Sadar (South).	Kerani-ganj.	Rayer-bazar.	9	Sarai Jafrabad ... 257 Sultanganj ... 256 Raj Musuri ... 255 Sibpur ... 254 Birbanda-kachhra ... 249 Uttar Sonaten-gar ... 245 Chota Sikaritola 247 Gazmahal ... 248 Kalunagar ... 351 Dakshin Sonaten-gar ... 246 Churkamrangi ... 349 Idga ... 252 Taleperbag ... 253 Sukrabad ... 260 Sarai Begampur 258 Nawabchar ... 348 Jangalbari ... 346 Dukuria ... 347 Bagchand Khan 345 Haslai ... 344	North— Dakshin Adaba 253 Krishibagan .. 265 Tejteri Bazar chak ... 261 East— Rajabazar ... 262 Dhanmandai ... 251 Nutan Paltaner-lain ... 250 Sahar Dhaka ... 343 Enayetganj ... 350 South— Buriganga River. West— Buriganga River. Barsikhali ... 244 Srikhanda ... 243 Katasur ... 242 Adabachak ... 241

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No. 2392L S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Dacca ...	Sadar ... (South).	Kerani-ganj.	Khilgram	9	Dhanmandai ... 251 Rajabazar ... 262 Tejteribazar Chak 261 Krishibagan ... 265 Tejkunipara ... 278 Mahakhali ... 275 Chhota Mag Bazar 274 Bagunbari ... 279 Bara Mag Bazar... 280 Bag Noadda ... 281 Barikabad ... 283 Bazekakrail ... 284 Sahar Khilgaon ... 287 Ulun ... 290 Meradia ... 289 Goran ... 288 Rajarbag ... 286 Brahman Uhiran... 342 Tejteri Bazar ... 264	North— Lalasarai ... 273 Karail ... 276 Bhola ... 277 Badda ... 291 South— Sahar Dhaka ... 343 Nutan Paltaner lain ... 250 Kakrail ... 282 Purata Paltaner lain ... 285 Dayaganj ... 340 Kazirbag ... 341 East— Nandipara ... 317 Dakshingaon ... 318 Manda ... 319 West— Kafrul ... 268 Khoskhana ... 266 Baraba ... 238 Dakshinadaba ... 259 Sukrabad ... 260 Taleperbag ... 253 Idga ... 252

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Draft Order.

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Dacca ...	Sadar (South).	Nawabganj.	Nayabari	9	Khuliara ... 36 Nasaratpur ... 37 Nayabari ... 40 Hatni ... 44 Kaundia ... 41 Purba Pathrail 43 Pankunda ... 39 Dhoair ... 47 Dakshinbahra ... 46 Paschim Pathrail 42 Haturpara ... 36	North— Mathbari ... 35 Purba Chak ... 33 Rajapur ... 48 South— River Padma. Deobhog ... 45 East— Dirghagram ... 49 Bejora ... 50 Silakota ... 119 West— Thana Harirampur.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Sadar (South).	Kaniganj.	Kaniganj.	9	Jinjira ... 429 Char Raghunathpur ... 428 Dakpara ... 427 Mandail ... 425	North— Buriganga River South— Gokpar ... 426 Subhadya ... 433 East— River Buriganga. Kaliganj ... 430 Chunkutiya ... 432 West— Barisur ... 424 Kalindi ... 423

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Draft Order.

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Dacca ...	Narainganj.	Rupganj	Duptara	9	Bandi ... 158 Duptara ... 156 Palla ... 160 Bajri ... 155 Tingaon ... 154 Satya Bhandi ... 469 Panchgaon ... 218	North— Mauzas Panchrukhi 157, Bara Naogaon 217. East— Mauzas Rangpur 219, Hasimerkandi 370, Rahimdi 371, and mauzas Kamrangirchar 375, and mauzas Binsirchar 465 and Ujangobindi 466. South— Mauzas Bara Monohardi 467, and Bhati Gobindi 470 and Baliapara 472. West— Mauzas Darikandi 153, Mahana 161, Kasraba 159.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No 2 396 L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Dacca ...	Narainganj.	Raipura	Dulalpur	9	Char Lakhpur ... 156 Lakhpur ... 157 Alinagar ... 158 Manikdi ... 162 Nagar Maheswardi 168 Khorda Maheswardi. 169 Baherkhola ... 171 Nandirgaon ... 170 Chandibardi ... 161 Dulalpur ... 160 Kazir Char ... 159 Bejer Kandi ... 315	North— Mauzas Harinarayanpur 155, Daulatpur 153, Nischintapur 163, Darbeserkandi 164, Patairdia 165. East— Mauzas Satpaika (167) and also Machhimpur (172) and Dattagaon (312). South— Mauzas Uttar Sadhar Char (314) and Khupi (316). West— Thana Kapasia and the river Lakshya.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Narain-ganj.	Raipura	Daulatpur	9	Kirtibasdi ... 154 Harinarayanpur 155 Daulatpur ... 153 Char Daulatpur 152 Koch Char ... 151 Nischintapur ... 163 Darbeserkandi 164 Patairdia ... 165	North— The old bed of the Lakshya river. East— Mauzas— Hatirdia ... 139 Kuripaika ... 149 Chikadi ... 150 Ekduaria ... 160 Satpaika ... 167 South— Mauzas— Manikdi ... 162 Alinagar ... 158 Lakhpur ... 157 Char Lakhpur 156 West— The old bed of Lakshya river and thana Kapasia.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Munshi-ganj.	Srinagar	Rarikhal Maijpara.	9	Rarikhal ... 107 Maijpara ... 110 Pramimandal ... 111 Hatarpara ... 103	North— Mattagaon ... 90 Sélamati ... 112 East— Solamati ... 112 Damla ... 109 Kolapara ... 108 South— Jasaldia ... 102 West— Mandra ... 104 Baghra ... 93 Kamargaon ... 105

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Dacca.

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Draft Order.

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Dacca ...	Narainganj.	Raipura	Ekduaria	9	Hatirdia ... 139 Rasulpur ... 138 Saiyodpur ... 137 Basulirkandi ... 136 Khilua ... 135 Mandaldia ... 134 Bagadi ... 132 Dhulandi ... 131 Alalpur ... 133 Uttar Noadia ... 185 Bhasatia ... 186 Nadhair ... 187 Hitasi ... 142 Basubhanda ... 141 Changa Bhanda 140 Bilagi ... 148 Kuripaika ... 149 Chikadi ... 150 Uttar Algi ... 147 Saiyedergaon ... 146 Gokhula ... 143 Para Bandhandia 144 Kamar Algi ... 145 Ekduaria ... 166	North— The old bed of the Lakshya river and the mauzas— Dasdonar Chak 123 Sukundi ... 124 Ramchandradi 125 Swalpa Panchkandi ... 126 Bolurpura ... 130 East— Mauzas— Gotasia ... 112 Bailaba ... 188 Chandalbanda 184 Baraigaon ... 183 South— Mauzas— Satpara ... 182 Satpaika ... 167 West— Mauzas— Pataidia ... 165 Kochchar ... 151

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Dacca.

No. 2400L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Dacca ...	Narayanganj.	Narayanganj.	Mograpara.	9	Decree Char ... 307 Kajirgaon ... 308 Kaliganj ... 309 Chhota Krishnadi 310 Dakshin Chandibardi ... 335 Uttamdi ... 336 Giribardi ... 341 Char Safikhan ... 344 Sonakhali ... 342 Babrakpur ... 343 Madhabpur ... 345 Chak Karamulla 347 Chhota Majher Char ... 346 Birahimerkandi 348 Sukardi ... 353 Bhagalpur ... 349 Sachinapur ... 350 Muktespur ... 370 Barasadipur ... 369 Nebuchhara ... 368 Rahamatpur ... 351 Asrafdi ... 352 Bhatipara ... 355 Ulukandi ... 354 Darugola ... 356 Kafurdi ... 358 Kakiartek ... 360 Lal Alapdi ... 359 Lal Krishnadi ... 361 Menikhali ... 362 Binnipara ... 363 Kabilganj ... 364 Khaliapara ... 365 Damdama ... 366 Narayandia ... 372 Kamargaon ... 374 Jhagrakhola ... 375 Ratandi ... 394 Chhota Bandara 393 Chhota Sadipur... 392 Bandara ... 395 Bari Majlia ... 389 Dhi Sonargaon... 388 Habibpur ... 387 Char Menikhali 386 Goalnagar ... 385 Majidbari ... 390 Gohata ... 391 Sholapara ... 382 Chhota Arjundi... 384 Baranagar ... 383 Kusasan ... 371 Satarajdi ... 377 Silmandi ... 376 Jagatdi ... 379 Mithadi ... 378 Nagar Sadipur ... 380 Mithapur ... 381 Alapdi ... 357	North— Mauzas Mirerchar (311) and Uttar Chandibardi (335). in Union Sanmandi. East— Mauzas Chhota Silmandi (373), Malikerpara (340), Tipurdi (338), Ichhapar (410), Chilarbag (396) and Dalairbag (397). South— The Menikhali khal. West— Brahmaputra river and mauza Char Ulukandi (306).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Draft Order.

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Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Manikganj.	Dhankora.	9	Decree Narottampur	143	North—	
					Naora Narottampur Dakshin Khanda ...	144	Panaijuri ...	136
					Naora Narottampur Uttar Khanda ...	145	Uttar Malsi ...	135
					Asli Narottampur ...	146	Dakshin Malsi ...	134
					Chhota Dhankora ...	147	Marundakhola ...	130
					Khallidhankora ...	148	Gaola ...	129
					Chainta ...	149	East—	
					Mahishaloha ...	150	Gazikhali river.	
					Majhail ...	151	Bhagabanpur ...	268
					Karnapara ...	152	South—	
					Chorkhola ...	153	Madhya Barundi ...	274
					Chhota Saturia ...	154	Chaudora ...	281
					Banda Angaria ...	155	Chhota Katigram ...	277
					Dotara ...	156	Kasba ...	259
					Magurail ...	157	Dakshin Sagar ...	258
					Dakshin Khalli ...	158		
					Paikpara ...	159	West—	
					Dhankora ...	160	Golara Charkhanda	256a
					Uttar Khalli ...	161	Jaigir Mechsimul	255
					Srimukhdhankora ...	162	Dakshin Kustia ...	165
					Chak Dhankora ...	163	Railna ...	166
					Kamta ...	164	Uttar Kushtia ...	167
					Golara ...	256b	Janna ...	168
					Nayapara ...	257	Rajara ...	142
					Paschim Barundichak	261	Gujikinara ...	141
					Paschim Parundi ...	260	Char Marasail ...	140
					Kaitta ...	262	Purba Krishnapura	139
					Barundi Bil ...	263		
					Khorda Khola ...	264		
					Bil Dulli ...	265		
					Bil Duldi ...	266		
					Kandapara ...	267		
					Uttar Barundichak ...	275		
					Uttar Barundi ...	276		

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Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Sealo ...	Baniajuri	9	Balarampur ... 295 Kella ... 296 Haripur ... 297 Jabra ... 298 Purba Kumli ... 299 Lakshmankandi 510 Soldhara ... 513 Kakjor ... 516 Khatenga ... 515 Baniajuri ... 517 Bag Baniajuri ... 518 Kundurabari ... 519 Rathora ... 520 Tara ... 521 Bil Salikhi ... 522 Bhubaneswar ... 523 Murabari ... 524 Bahuja ... 525 Goaldangi ... 526 Naya Chartarail 528	North— Purba Kasunda... 304 Chakbasta ... 305 Nakibbari ... 293 Majkhara ... 294 East— Jurisdiction of Manikganj thana. South— Ramdia ... 527 Kellai ... 529 Thatenga ... 514 Chalitabari ... 511 Khirai river. West— Khirai river. Barajoka ... 502 Durgabari ... 499 Putiajani ... 498 Kautia ... 301 Paschim Kumli 300 Bejpara ... 512

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Dacca.

No. 2403L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Dacca	Munshiganj.	Srinagar	Kolapara	9	Damla ... 109 Phulkuchi ... 114 Kudurgaon ... 115 Keutchira ... 220 Samaspur ... 221 Kolapara ... 108	North— Paranimandal ... 111 Selamati ... 112 Kaikirtan ... 113 Kusiaripara ... 116 Kamarkhola ... 126 East— Dakhinphainpur 219 Dakshinpaiksa ... 223 South— Dokachhi ... 222 Uttar Medinimandal ... 226 Kandipara ... 228 Bilkaliani ... 227 West— Hatarpara ... 103 Rarikhal ... 107 Maijpara ... 110

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

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Draft Order.

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Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Harirampur.	Balura ...	9	Bahalatali ... 129 Karimkandi ... 130 Sultanpur ... 131 Pipulia ... 132 Kantapara ... 133 Kuchtara ... 134 Danestapur ... 135 Balara ... 136 Kukurhati ... 137 Sinhadaha ... 138 Paranbandhua ... 139 Badra ... 140	North— Ichhamoti river. East— Ichhamoti river. South— Tantrakhola ... 143 Gopinathdi ... 142 Indrapara ... 141 Dakshin Chandpur 151 West— Thana Jutrapur 116 Ichhamoti river.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

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Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Munshiganj.	Srinagar	Baultali	9	Dakshi nchari-gaon ... 199 Purba Naopara ... 197 Jangalia ... 198 Kazipara ... 260 Baultali ... 257 Surpara ... 261 Dhararhat ... 262 Maijgaon ... 284 Payra ... 285	North— Rujdi ... 200 Uttargaon ... 201 Khilgaon ... 196 East— Bhabanipur ... 193 Baiosar ... 264 Sasangaon ... 263 Bhatimbhog ... 265 Khidirpara ... 283 South— Gholtoli ... 286 Kurigaon. ... 289 West— Kurigaon ... 289 Atigaon ... 290 Sindurdi ... 255 Bibandi ... 210 Dattagaon ... 256 Jurasar ... 258 Pachaldia ... 259 Rujdi ... 200

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Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Sealo`...	Teota...	9	Alokdia	...	29	North—		
					Char Sibalay	...	30	Char Kalikapur	...	27
					Maidinagar	...	31	Kasi Dayarampur		33
					Tisundi	...	32	Rahatpur	...	34
					Dhubulia	...	112	Rauha	...	108
					Chak Dhubulia	..	113			
					Gangadia	...	114	East—		
					Char Pajladhusar	...	115	Rauha	...	108
					Raghunathpur	...	116	Nadisukha	...	111
					Bagbari	...	117	Dhusar	...	149
					Malachi	...	118	Bara Sibrambari	...	150
					Saturia	...	119	Suknai	...	148
					Bhangabari	...	120	Uttar Radhakantapur	...	129
					Paila	...	121	Dadrakhi	...	128
					Chota Thakurkandi	...	122	Tentulia	...	136
					Gopalbari	...	123			
					Teota Baset	...	124			
					Gandhail	...	125	South—		
					Dakshin Teota	...	126	Bara Boali	..	355
					Shaitghar	...	127	Sibalaya	...	356
					Narayan Teota	...	130	Padma river.		
					Taluk Sadulya	...	131			
					Jhikutia	...	132	West—		
					Samasghar	...	133	Padma river and Jamuna river		
					Nehalpur	...	134			
					Krishnapur	...	135			

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

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Dacca ...	Munshiganj.	Srinagar	Khidirpara.	9	Pinguali	...	267	North—	
					Kararbag	...	272	Madhyapara	... 190
					Dhairpara	...	182	Malapdia	... 183
					Ghasbhog	...	179	Telipara	... 178
					Rasakati	...	180		
					Hugli	...	181	East—	
					Bara Fulkuchi	...	273	Baligaon Khal	
					Malni	...	271		
					Berikhola	...	270	South—	
					Mitusar	...	268	Bansemanta	... 278
					Subharia	...	269	Purba Burdia	... 280
					Bausdia	...	274	Dhulugaon	... 281
					Khalapara	...	275	Gholtali	... 286
					Khidirpara	...	283		
					Silgaon	...	282	West—	
					Khetarpara	...	276	Paysa	... 285
					Kazirgaon	...	277	Maijgaon	... 284
								Bhatimbhog	... 265
								Chainpara	... 266
								Jainsar	... 192

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Dacca.

No. 2408L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers where available.			Boundaries of the Union.	
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Aralia ...	9	Ulusara	...	97	North—	
					Kenduaba	...	98	Rivers Banar and Brahmaputra.	
					Ujali	...	99		
					Toknagar	...	100	East—	
					Saluateki	...	101	Old bed of Lakhya River.	
					Islampur	...	102		
					Nayanbazar	...	103	South—	
					Sahar Tok	...	104	Mauzas Barjapur (117), Chheldia (115), Baraba (113), Lohadia (89).	
					Sultanpur	...	105		
					Naya Sangan	...	106		
					Ghoser Kandi	...	107	West—	
					Aralia	...	108	Mauza Siuhasri (96).	
					Kasera	...	110		
					Dumdia	...	111		
					Dighaba	...	112		
					Pachua	...	109		

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 2409L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Dacca.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas), which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Munshiganj.	Srinagar	Madhyapara.	9	Madhyapara ... 190 Baherkuchi ... 189 Kakaldi ... 188 Malapdia ... 183 Telipara ... 178	North— Ichhapur ... 166 Sialdi ... 167 Malkhanagar 185 Armahal ... 187 East— Debipur ... 184 Naising ... 176 Nateswar ... 177 South— Ghasbhog ... 179 Hugli ... 181 Bara Fulkuchi 273 Dhairpara ... 182 Kararbag ... 272 Pingnali ... 267 West— Jainsar ... 192 Kanthaltali ... 191

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 2410L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Dacca.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas), which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union
Dacca ...	Munshiganj.	Srinagar	Malkhanagar.	9	Armahal ... 187 Malkhanagar ... 185 Kaibarttasar ... 186 Fursail ... 171 Nagar ... 172 Kazirbagh ... 174 Debipur ... 184 Nawapara ... 176 Nateswar ... 177 Baraipara ... 175 Fegunasar ... 173	North— Gobardi ... 169 Bayragadi ... 170 East— Dhaleswari River. South— Telipara 178 and thana Munshiganj ... 178 West— Malapdia ... 183 Kakaldi ... 188

In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2411 L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Munshiganj.	Munshiganj.	Sonarang Tangibari	9	Nateswar ... 48 Sonarang ... 49 Netrabati ... 50 Punapara ... 52 Amtali ... 53 Tangibari ... 54 Baralia ... 55	North— Khilpara ... 46 Hanskira ... 47 East— Atpara ... 59 Suapara ... 56 South— Mariail ... 112 Nayanauda ... 113 West— Dorabati ... 51 Balai ... 42 Autsahi ... 43 Bara Noadda ... 44

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2412L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Manikganj.	Naogaon	9	Pauli ... 210 Beutha ... 335 Berghata ... 336 Baherkhola ... 337 Barangakhola ... 338 Dola ... 339 Chhota Ghior ... 340 Baghutia ... 341 Chhota Barail ... 342 Pachhbarail ... 343 Sukai ... 344 Bara Barail ... 373 Naogaon ... 374 Dighalia ... 375 Gilanda ... 208 Bil Khaila 209 Dukhari.	North— Khagrakuri ... 205 Chamta ... 206 Bhatbhaur ... 218 Bergazaria ... 214 Paschim Seota ... 213 Bil Buriail ... 207 Paschim Bandutia 211 East— Beutha river. Benki Bengrai ... 345 Kuserchar ... 348 Uttar Bartha ... 351 Dakshin Bartha ... 371 South— Bora Ghosta ... 388 Manta ... 376 Jurisdiction of Sealo thana. West— Jurisdiction of Sealo thana.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2413L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union:—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers, where available	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Manikganj.	Saalo ...	Baratia...	9	Rahat Hati ... 102 Khas Kamarkhali 164 Bathanda ... 160 Agunpur ... 159 Khosalbari ... 167 Hijulia ... 172 Phul Hara ... 168 Baratia ... 166 Naya Char ... 335 Jagannathdia ... 157 Goaljan ... 144 Sribari ... 336 Kalia ... 334 Mauhali ... 324 Karjana ... 165	North— Bharra ... 101 Bangram ... 175 Binodpur ... 176 Chak Thakurkandi. 174 Narchichak ... 173 Rasulpur ... 171 East— Bara Ramkantapur. 170 Chhota Ramkantapur. 169 Bara Krishnapur. 320 Kahetara ... 321 Paschim Datora 323 Sahili ... 489 South— Ramnagar ... 325 Sarasin ... 331 Bagjan ... 332 Rupshatia ... 333 Phalshatia ... 329 Chhota Kushtia 342 Sibrampur ... 337 Nihanda ... 143 West— Katrasin ... 138 Sasinara ... 145 Char Baradia ... 156 Khas Karjana ... 158 Nadi Sukha ... 111 Krishnadia ... 161 Mallikpur ... 162 Uttar Mahidipur. 153 Kola ... 103

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2414L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Kapasia	9	Surjyanarayanpur ... 195 Dushyanarayanpur 194 Kapasia ... 193 Jamirarchar ... 192 Rautkona ... 191 Banarhaola ... 190 Saphaisrá ... 189 Junia ... 188 Khodadia ... 187 Raynanda ... 184 Charbaria ... 183 Nakachini ... 182 Kurulia ... 180 Tetulia ... 181 Barajona ... 185 Kandania ... 186 Pabur ... 196 Barun ... 227	North— Mauzas Berabari (76) and Narayanpur (77), River Banar. East— Mauzas Pan Baraid (179), Dari Meru (178), Raonat (177), Chakrail (228) and Palaspur (226). South— Mauzas Kotbajalia (212), Chandul (211), Dalisota (210), Basudebpur (209), Dharpara (197) and Nalgaon (198). West— Mauzas Nalgaon (198) Rajabari (72) and Bamangaon (73).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2415L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council

is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Chandpur	9	Nalgaon ... 198 Maishadhainna ... 199 Sekhernarun ... 200 Kajahazi ... 201 Badiabari ... 202 Defulia ... 203 Dharpara ... 197 Basudebpur ... 209 Boali ... 208 Tilsunia ... 207 Gobindapur ... 206 Chamurkhi ... 205 Papla ... 204 Chandul ... 211 Dalisota ... 210 Bhakoadi ... 213 Dari Bhakoadi ... 214 Baugura ... 216 Jaigir ... 215 Kot Bajalia ... 212 Chandpur ... 217 Jalisa ... 218 Chhota Sonarua 219 Ghatkuri ... 220	North— Mauzas Rajnbari (72), Pabur (196), Barun (227), Palaspur (226). East— Mauzas Masak (222), Kamra (221). South— Mauzas Haridebpur (268), Noapara (269), Barahara (270), Bargalgaon (271), Duburia (272), Azmatpur (273), Deotala (275), Narun (293). West— Mauza Damdama (71).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act. the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2416 L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

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Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Ghorasal	9	Char Palas ... 377 Palas ... 378 Char Ghorasal .. 416 Paiksa ... 415 Ghorasal ... 417 Ghagra ... 418 Atia ... 419 Bhagadi ... 420 Khagair ... 421	North— Mouza Khanepur (376). East— Mazas Gabtali (381), Atasipara (380), Sanerbari (379), Raban (414), Kuraitali (422). South— Rupganj thana. West— River Lakhya.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2417L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Baktarpur	9	Brahmangaon ... 326 Gosilbari ... 288 Atlaba ... 287 Naoan ... 327 Kalun ... 286 Kauchan ... 263 Majuknan ... 262 Bhatira ... 357 Phuldi ... 329 Berua ... 328 Khaikara ... 333 Satanipara ... 325 Uttar Rajnagar 335 Chhota enha ... 334 Pailanpur ... 332 Baktarpur ... 331 Mubani ... 330	North— Balu Khal. East— Mauzas Kakoasi (264), Chupair (261), Dakshin Bhag (358), Bhunjaba (356), Iswarpur (355), Betua (346), Nayabari (345). South— Mauzas Chandaia (344), Bangulahaola (33 ·), Some Khal. West— Bil Belai (324).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2418L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Jamalpur	9	Kakoasi ... 264 Chupair ... 261 Kalapatua ... 259 Barabola ... 258 Bagdi ... 256 Ratkana ... 257 Jamalpur ... 362 Nargana ... 363 Chhaildi ... 260 Dakshinbhag ... 358 Bhunjaba ... 356 Iswarpur ... 355 Bahadursadi ... 350 Basair ... 361 Jamalpur Chak... 360 Khalapara ... 354	North— Mauzas Sibpur (265), Singlaba (255), Baragaon (251), Baraid (364), Seorait (365). East— Lakshya River. South— Mauzas Deopara (353), Mulgaon (351), Dhola Sadhukhan (347), Betua (346). West— Mauzas Phuldi (329), Bhatira (357), Majukhan (262), Kauchan (263), Janglia (285).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2419L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

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Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North)	Sabhar ...	Sabhar ...	9	Malliker Tek ... 641 Chotta Amarpur 642 Ghoradia ... 643 Khanjankati .. 644 Dakshin Kanchanpur ... 645 Porabari ... 646 Badda ... 647 Bhatpara ... 648 Rarhibari ... 649 Jaleswar ... 650 Nayabari ... 651 Dagarmura ... 652 Aich Noadda ... 653 Majidpur ... 654 Tatti ... 655 Rajar Noadda ... 656 Binodbaid ... 657 Kazir Chanda ... 658 Sutar Noadda ... 659 Arapara ... 660 Dakshin Baktarpur ... 661 Sabhar ... 662 Chhota Balimehar ... 663 Saopara ... 664 Dakshin Dariapur 665 Barakura ... 666 Anandapur ... 667 Imamaddipur ... 668 Bara Balimehar 669 Rajasan ... 670 Dakshin Krishnapur ... 671 Dharanda ... 672 Genda ... 694 Dakshin Ramnagar ... 695 Prananatherbari 696 Sankarpur ... 697 Sarkarbari 698 Tiabari ... 699 Purba Bhabanipur ... 700 Rajiber Tek ... 701 Uttar Syampur 702 Katlapura ... 703 Serpur ... 704 Khalitakhali ... 705 Karnapara ... 706 Gerdda ... 707	North— Mauzas Diabari (639), Jamsing (629), Madanpur (628), Deogaon (627), Chhalia (626), Zinzira (625). East— Mauzas Akran (624), Chhota Kaliakair (673), Kamalapur (690), Rajarbag (691), Sadhapur (692), Bil Baghil (693) South— Mauzas Purba Gopalpur (719), Dakshin Ramchandrapur (718), Baruigram (708), Deopura (710), Barba (704A). West— Rivers Dhaleswari and Bangsi

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 2420L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Dacca.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North)	Sabhar ...	Simulia	9	Naihati ... 486 Chhota Paragaon 487 Baunia ... 488 Bhatiakandi ... 489 Ganakpara ... 490 Dakshin Simulia 491 Pantapara ... 492 Nischintapur ... 493 Khar Kareswari 494 Brahman Kareswari ... 495 Nallapolla ... 496 Gazibari ... 497 Baidgaon ... 498 Gohailbari .. 499 Jatrabari ... 500 Dakshin Rangamatia ... 501 Ranasthal ... 502 Kuchair ... 503 Kaltasuti ... 513 Baral ... 512	North— Mauzas Uttapara (472), Sabhajpur (471), Bamanabaha (470). Dakshin Pakulla (469), Darbaria (451), Chatailbhita (454). East— Mauzas Kabirpur (530), Tenguri (528), Chhota Kaundia (514), Domnag (515), Domna (516), Dakshin Barabari (517), Saraba (519). South— Mauzas Dehara (511), Subandi (510), Deoiasa (509), Dhamsana (508), Maijhail (506), Chhota Paichhail (505). West River Bangsi.

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

No. 2421L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

Dacca.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.			Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kerani-ganj.	Joydeb-pur.	9	Chatai	...	26	North—
					Banua	...	22	Mauzas Arais Prasad (18), Hatiba (19), Gazipur (20).
					Pajulia	...	21	
					Fakail	...	23	
					Chapulia	...	24	
					Bhurulia	...	25	East—
					Tek Bhararia	...	44	Balu River.
					Joydebpur	...	45	
					Harinal	...	46	South—
					Naogaon	...	47	Mauzas Demarpara (57), Ichhali (58), Telinagar (62), Khurand (60), Meghdubi (143), Jiraitali (142), Hydarabad (140).
					Lagalia	..	48	
					Bangal Gachh	...	49	
					Bhora	...	50	
					Chhota Deora	...	51	
					Samantapur	...	52	
					Taratpara	...	67	
					Chaitanyapur	...	68	
					Sarpara	...	69	West—
					Dhirasram	...	66	Mauzas Khalikair (83), Muiran (81), Basura (80), Ghoshara (79), Nakpur (78), Jajhar (77), Jogitala (70), Chandna (42), Mariali (43), Desi-para (29), Baghal-bari (28), Naga (27), Uttar Salna (15).
					Dakhilkhan	...	141	
					Rahapara	...	61	
					Pakerdasi	...	63	
					Tekipara	...	64	
					Bhararul	...	65	
					Adabai	...	53	
					Nilerpara	...	54	
					Baluchakuli	...	55	
					Kanaia	...	56	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2422 L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers.			Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Sabhar ...	Srifaltali	9	Gabtali	...	343	North—
					Saidpur	...	344	Mauzas Chapair (340), Kutubdia (341), River Turag, Mauzas Medi Asulai (365), Nama Asulai (342).
					Tetulia Chala	...	345	
					Bhanur Teki	...	346	
					Pirer Teki	...	347	
					Kaliakair	...	348	
					Simailtali	...	349	
					Barsitali	...	350	East—
					Tanglabari	...	351	Mauzas Uttar Rajabari (364), Sahebabad (355), Panchlakshmi (428), Uttar Baktarpur (429), Haritakitola (430), Bishaid (448), Rasulpur (447).
					Srifaltali	...	352	
					Latifpur	...	353	
					Janurchala	...	354	
					Goal Bathan	...	431	
					Bhongabari	...	432	
					Bardal	...	433	South—
					Baje Hijaltali	...	434	Mauzas Uttar Kanchanpur (458), Sarabari (459), Sonadia (460), Mathalia (461), Sinduri (439), Radhanagar (44).
					Bhingraj	...	436	
					Baje Baliadi	...	437	
					Baliadi	...	438	
					Naola	...	443	West—
					Hariamahati	...	444	River Bangai.
					Gothari	...	445	
					Bairaba	...	446	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2423L.S.-G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (*i.e.*, revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Sabhar ...	Suapur ...	9	Deldha ... 166 Basuakhola ... 167 Suapur ... 168 Bajasan ... 169 Nannar ... 170 Bil Jamura ... 181 Ulail ... 182 Purba Naogaon... 184 Solakura ... 185 Seorail ... 188 Jalsin ... 189 Raghunathpur ... 190 Dakshin Paichhail ... 191 Paschim Gopalpur ... 195 Sainpara ... 196 Bhadalia ... 197 Jaytetulia ... 198 Rauha ... 199 Kurangi ... 200 Sibram Kaimtara 201 Karim Kaimtara 202	North— Mauzas Bartabil (164), Srirampur (171), Chhota Kalampur (178), Sindhulia (179), Bade Gaoail (180), Gaoail (183). East— Mauzas Deli Gangail (186), Imam Gangail (187), Larua Kunda (233), Bagharan (192), Kundakhola (194), Barilya (216). South— Mauzas Rouil (204), Matial (203). West— River Dhaleswari, mauza Chaurimora (165).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Dacca.

No. 2424L.S.G.—The 24th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 27th January 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in

Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages, in the district of Dacca, into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Subdivision	Thana.	Name of Union	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of villages (i.e., revenue mauzas) which constitute the Union, with jurisdiction list numbers where available.	Boundaries of the Union.
Dacca ...	Sadar (North).	Kapasia	Barmi ...	9	Satkhamair ... 15 Katali ... 20 Baranal ... 22 Kusadia ... 23 Pathantek ... 24 Sohaidia ... 25 Ghilasair ... 26 Charbahar ... 27 Paragunia ... 39 Gararan ... 38 Kahetpara ... 37 Barami ... 28 Kaundia ... 29 Barama ... 30	North— Mauzas Sonalo (14), Kasraid (16). East— Baira (18), Bapta (19), Nainda Nangal (21), Lakshya River. South— Mauzas Peladi (31), Dari Khozekhani (36), Kadim Gaziaran (35), Pachaltia (34), Patka (45). West— Mauzas Sripur (43), Bekasahara (40), Tengra (41), Telihati (10) Pelaid (11).

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct, in order to ensure the representation of all important interests and the inclusion of all the members of the Chaukidari Panchayat in the Committee of the said Union, that three of the members of the Committee shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Dacca Division, and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the said Act.

Birbhum.

No. 2338L.S.-G.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of section 31 of the Cattle-Trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in paragraph 1(*a*) of Notification No. 317T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to transfer to the Bhadrapur Union, in the district of Birbhum, all the functions of the Magistrate of that district, under Chapters II and III of the said Act, in respect of all pounds within the local area subject to the jurisdiction of the said Union.

Birbhum.

No. 2339L.S.-G.—The 20th December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*b*) of section 31 of the Cattle-Trespass Act, 1871 (1 of 1871), and in modification of the orders contained in clause (*a*) of Notification No. 318T.M., dated the 16th August 1913, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that the whole of the surplus accruing, under section 18 of that Act, in the areas under the jurisdiction of the Bhadrapur Union, in the district of Birbhum, shall be placed to the credit of the Union Fund constituted for the said Union.

24-Parganas.

No. 2377L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the election by the members of the 24-Parganas District Board of the Hon'ble Raja Hrishikesh Laha, C.I.E., to be their Chairman, with effect from the 23rd December 1917.

Murshidabad. *No. 2378L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Murshidabad District Board of Rai Baikuntha Nath Sen Bahadur to be their Chairman, with effect from the 23rd December 1917.

Birbhum. *No. 2336 L.S.-G.—The 20th December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following groups of villages in the Rampur Hat subdivision of the district of Birbhum into a Union :—

Name of District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is situated.	Subdivision.	Thana.	Name of Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist	Names of mauzas including villages within them which constitute the Union, with their numbers in jurisdiction list.			Boundaries of the Union.		
Birbhum	Rampur Hat.	Nalhati...	Bhadrapur	9	Bhadrapur	...	102	North—		
					Raypur	...	153	Swarup-bati or Bara	...	118
					Munibpur	...	103	Kishorpur or Nauda	...	134
					Gopalpur	...	104	Chak Nurmahammad	...	132
					Akalipur	...	105	Lohapur	...	131
					Nauagram	...	137	Rana	...	130
					Sarbashidanga	...	138	South—		
					Sirnandi	...	139	Sitalgram	...	152
					Hazarpur	...	140	Mirzapur	...	158
					Lakshminarayanpur	...	109	Dangapara	...	154
					Nagora	...	136	Hamidpur	...	155
					Baneshwar	...	135	Kanupur	...	99
					Katagaria	...	133	Mokrampur	...	100
					Birolchauki	...	142	Radipur	...	101
					Chak Sahargaria		128	Bujunga	...	93
					Arazi Lohapur	...	129	East—		
					Rampur	...	106	Suzapur	...	127
								Dangapara	...	143
								Wazirpur	...	141
								Bandkhana	..	151
								West—		
								Maheshpur	...	110
								Debgram	...	108
								Rameswarpur	...	107
								Bujunga	...	93

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act, the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Bhadrapur Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Khulna. *No. 2374L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Khulna to be Chairman of the District Board of Khulna.

Nadia. *No. 2375L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1917.*—In exercise of the power conferred by section 29A (2) of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint the District Magistrate of Nadia to be Chairman of the District Board of Nadia.

No. 2354L.S.-G.—The 20th December 1917.—The following draft of an order which the Governor in Council intends to make under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby.

2. The draft will be taken into consideration on the 2nd February 1918, and any objection or suggestion which may be received by the undersigned through the Magistrate of the district before that date will be duly considered.

Draft Order.

Birbhum.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to constitute the following group of villages in thana Maureswar, in the district of Birbhum, into a Union.

Name of the District Board within whose jurisdiction the Union is constituted.	Name of the Union.	Number of members of which the Union Committee shall consist.	Names of mauzas which constitute the Union, with numbers in Jurisdiction list.		Boundaries of the Union.
			Name of mauza.	Jurisdiction List number.	
Birbhum ...	Sekedda ...	9	Baluti ...	... 44	North—
			Bataslipur ...	... 22	Mauza No. 30 Kapasdanga, 28 Haridaspur, 27 Maharajganj, 21 Gopalpur, 18 Ganpur.
			Bazadarkuta	... 43	
			Hajuridarkuta	... 40	East—
			Digalgaon ...	... 23	Mauza No 68 Mat Mahala, 67 Jotpur, 66 Sheikhpur, 64 Dhobanandapur, 53 Rautgada, (Nos. 47 to 52 and 54 to 62) group of mauzas known as Arazi Rautgada and Arazi Baluti and No. 46 Bazidpur.
			Suthsal or Sautsal	... 38	
			Fakirpur ...	... 36	
			Raghunandanpur	... 37	
			Alinagar ...	... 34	
			Chakpursa ...	... 24	South—
			Chak Rahana	... 25	Thana Suri.
			Chandrapur	... 26	
			Arazi Fakirpur	... 35	West—
			Arazi Fakirpur	... 39	Mauza No. 32 Chandha. 33 Bahadurnagar.
			Arazi Fakirpur	... 41	
			Arazi Makdunnagar	... 42	

2. In exercise of the power conferred by section 41 of the same Act the Governor in Council is pleased to direct that three of the members of the said Sekedda Union shall be appointed by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division and six of them shall be elected as prescribed by section 39 of the Act.

Jessore.

No. 2380L.S.-G.—The 23rd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 22 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885 (Bengal Act III of 1885), the Governor in Council is pleased to approve the election by the members of the Jessore District Board of Rai Jadu Nath Mazumdar Bahadur to be their Chairman, with effect from the 23rd December 1917.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2356M.—The 20th December 1917.—The following draft of by-laws which have been framed by the Commissioners of the Dinajpur Municipality under section 350 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), and which the Governor in Council proposes to confirm under section 351 of the Act is published for the information of persons affected thereby.

Dinajpur.

The draft will be taken into consideration on the 1st February 1918, and any objection or suggestion received by the undersigned through the District Magistrate before that date will be duly considered :—

DRAFT BY-LAWS FOR THE DINAJPUR MUNICIPALITY UNDER SECTION 350 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT 1884 (BENGAL ACT III OF 1884).

DEFINITIONS.

1. In these by-laws :—

(*i*) "Carriage" includes also a motor car, and

(*ii*) "Cattle" means cattle as defined in section 3 of the Cattle-Trespass Act, 1871 (I of 1871).

GENERAL EXECUTION.

2. In areas in which section 34 of the Police Act, 1861 (V of 1861), is in force, no act which constitutes an offence under that section shall be punishable under by-laws 19, 38 and 49.

Police Act 1861, section 34

PENALTIES.

3. The penalty for the infringement of any of these by-laws shall be—

Fines

(*a*) a fine not exceeding the sum stated at the foot of the by-law,

(*b*) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for a similar offence, a fine not exceeding the sum (if any) stated in that behalf at the foot of the by-law, and

(*c*) in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine, not exceeding the sum (if any) stated at the foot of the by-law as the daily fine, which daily fine may be imposed for each day after written notice of the offence from the Commissioners.

REGULATION OF TRAFFIC ON ROADS.

4. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven on any road by a driver under fourteen years of age.

Youthful drivers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

5. No driver shall drive or have in his charge on any road more than one carriage or cart except in the case of two carts the hinder one of which is securely fastened to the preceding cart.

Driving more than one carriage or cart.

Fine, Rs. 10.

6. Any person driving a carriage or cart, or riding a bicycle, or driving or riding an animal, or carrying a palanquin, on any road, shall, when passing any vehicle coming from the opposite direction, keep to his left, and shall, when overtaking any vehicle, keep to his right.

Rule of the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

7. No person shall drive any of the undermentioned vehicles or animals, or convey any palanquin, on any road, between half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise, unless lights are provided as follows :—

Lights.

(*a*) Every carriage must carry two conspicuous lights one on each side.

(*b*) Every cart must carry one conspicuous light.
(*c*) Every elephant, camel, or palanquin must be accompanied by one conspicuous light.
(*d*) Every cycle must carry one conspicuous light in front.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Signals on motors and cycles

8. No person shall drive any motor-car, or ride any motor-cycle or any tricycle or bicycle on any road, unless it has attached to it a bell, horn, or other suitable signal in good order.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Maximum load for carts.

9. No cart shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, carry on any road a load in excess of 20 maunds.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with girders, etc

10. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with iron girders, rails, bullas, bamboos, beams, planks or other materials of a similar character which exceed 12 feet in length, unless the cart be accompanied by another person, and be loaded in such a way that no portion of the said materials touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Cart laden with bricks, stones, etc

11. No person shall drive upon a road any cart laden with bricks, stones or other materials of a similar character, unless such materials be so secured that they can not fall on to the road.

Fine, Rs 10.

Animal laden with bamboos or timber

12. No person shall convey on any road bamboos or timber placed on the back of any animal in such a way that any portion of such bamboos or timber touches the ground.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Taking an elephant over a bridge

13. No person shall allow any elephant in his charge to go over any bridge on any road, unless the bridge be constructed of arched masonry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Foals.

14. No person riding or driving a mare on any road shall allow a foal to accompany the mare unless it is secured.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Sitting or sleeping.

15. No person shall sit or sleep on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10.

PREVENTION OF OBSTRUCTIONS, ENCROACHMENTS AND NUISANCES ON OR NEAR ROADS.

Abandoning or letting loose cattle

16. No person shall abandon or let loose, or negligently allow to get loose any cattle on or on to any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Picketing or tethering cattle.

17. No person shall picket or tether any animal so as to enable it, notwithstanding its being so picketed or tethered, to reach any public road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Children playing or wandering

18. No parent or guardian of any child below the age of seven years shall allow such child to play or wander about on any road so as to obstruct traffic.

Fine, Rs. 10

Depositing articles or exposing articles for sale.

19. No person shall, without the special or general permission of the Commissioners, deposit any articles or things on any road, except for a temporary purpose, or use any road as a place for keeping any carriage, cart or cattle, or for washing any articles, or for any other private purpose.

Provided that, during the months of April, May and June, between the hours of 10 P.M. and 5 A.M., *khatias* may be laid on the side of a road in such a manner as not to cause obstruction or danger to persons using the road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Planting trees.

20. No person shall plant a tree on any road without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Excavations and enclosures.

21. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, make any excavation on any road or enclose any road or any part thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Removing turf or cutting grass.

22. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, remove turf or cut grass from any road or the slopes thereof.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Discharge of water

23. No person shall affix or cause to be affixed to any building, owned or occupied by him, any gutter, spout or other thing intended for the conveyance and discharge of water, or shall leave in any such building any opening for the discharge of water, in such a way that the water discharged therefrom is thrown or falls upon a road or into any drain in or near a road, except through a downpipe or other suitable contrivance reaching to the level of the road or drains.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Breaking in horses.

24. No person shall break in horses on any road not set apart for that purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Flying kites

25. No person shall fly a kite on any road or in such a way that it may fall on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Playing games.

26. No person shall play any game on any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Throwing stones or missiles.

27. No person shall throw or discharge any stone or missile on or near any road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Driving across a drain.

28. No person shall drive any vehicle across a public drain in or near any road so as to cause damage to such drain.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Barbed wire.

29. No owner or occupier of land abutting on any road shall fence such land with barbed wire.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Dustbins.

30. No person shall—

(*a*) place any burning material in any municipal dustbin on or near a road, or

(*b*) burn in any such dustbin any paper, leaves, grass, weed or other material, or

(*c*) place pieces of broken glass on a road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Conveying sewage or offensive matter.

31. No person shall convey sewage or offensive matter by any road otherwise than—

(*a*) in a closely covered receptacle, of such description and pattern as prescribed from time to time by the Commissioners at a meeting, and

(*b*) between such hours as are so prescribed.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Privies and urinals.

32. No person shall build or cause to be built, or shall keep, after prohibition by the Commissioners, any *tatti*, privy or urinal within ten feet of any road.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Killing cattle or poultry or cleaning carcasses.

33. No person shall, on or within sight of any road, kill or clean the carcass of any cattle or poultry.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Closed roads.

34. No person shall take or drive any carriage or cart over a road or part of a road which is closed under section 201 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or displace any barrier or fence erected under that section.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LETTING OFF OF FIREWORKS, FIRE BALLOONS, BOMBS OR FIREARMS.

Letting off of firearms, etc.

35. No person shall let off any firearms, fireworks, fire balloons or bombs on or within ten yards of any road, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners. This by-law shall not apply to the letting off of harmless squibs or crackers.

Fine, Rs. 10.

REGULATION OF THE USE OF AND PREVENTION OF NUISANCES IN REGARD TO PUBLIC WATER-SUPPLY, BATHING AND WASHING PLACES, STREAMS CHANNELS, TANKS AND WELLS.

Setting up obstruction.

36. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, set up any obstruction in any *nala* or water-course which is a source of public water-supply.

Explanation.—The spreading of fishing-nets and the placing of fishing-traps in any such *nala* or water-course are included in the word "obstruction" as used in this by-law.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Cleanliness of banks and access for conservancy.

37. Every owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any *nala* or water-course, which is a source of public water-supply, shall—

(*a*) keep such bank free from filth, dense vegetation and other obstruction, and

(*b*) at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorised in this behalf, to have access to such *nala* or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Easing oneself.

38. No person shall ease himself at the side of or into any river, stream, channel, tank or well which is used by the public.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Weeds.

39. A person cleansing a channel or tank shall not leave any weeds taken therefrom on the slope or banks of the channel or tank, but shall remove the same altogether within three days.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

40. The owner of every well, which is a source of public water-supply, shall construct a masonry platform and drains to prevent the surface water falling into the well or stagnating in its vicinity.

Masonry platforms and drains for well.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

41. No person shall bathe or shall wash clothes, utensils or any other article within a distance of ten feet from the platform of any public well.

Bathing or washing near well or stand-pipe.

Fine, Rs. 10.

42. Except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners, and under such conditions as they may from time to time prescribe, no person shall use any stand-pipe or fountain, belonging to the Commissioners for any purpose other than drawing water—

Use of stand-pipe and fountains.

(*a*) for drinking on the spot, or

(*b*) for carrying away for domestic purposes.

Fine, Rs. 10.

43. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, steep in any tank or ditch any jute, hemp or other vegetable matter which is likely to render the water offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

Steeping jute or hemp, etc.

Fine Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

44. No person shall wash or cause to be washed in any tank or water-course, or any other receptacle for water used by the public for drinking or bathing purposes, any clothes, bedding or other articles which have been used by a person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease.

Washing infected articles

Fine, Rs. 50.

45. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease shall bathe in any public bathing place.

Bathing by infected person.

Fine, Rs. 10.

46. No male person above twelve years of age shall stand on or near, or bathe or wash in, any bathing place which has been reserved by the Commissioners at a meeting for the use of the females only.

Bathing places reserved for females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

47. No person shall use for any other purpose any drinking trough which is intended for watering cattle.

Cattle troughs.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DISPOSAL OF SEWAGE AND OFFENSIVE MATTER.

48. No person shall deposit nightsoil in any place not approved by the Commissioners for the purpose.

Depositing nightsoil.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

49. No owner or occupier of any garden or agricultural land shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, cause or allow any human excrement to be used for manuring in such garden or land.

Manure.

Fine, Rs. 50.

50. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises from which sewage or offensive matter is not removed by such owner or occupier, shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality for the removal thereof within such hours as may have been fixed by the Commissioners.

Access to municipal servants.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

51. Every owner, occupier or farmer of any market shall remove or cause to be removed therefrom, once in every twenty-four hours, any offensive matter which may have accumulated therein during that period.

Removal of offensive matter from market.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

DISPOSAL OF CARCASSES.

52. Every owner or occupier within whose premises any animal dies shall, within six hours after its death or, if death occurs at night, then within six hours after sunrise, either remove the carcass, at his own expense, to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the disposal of such carcasses, or report the death to the Conservancy Overseer of the ward within which such premises are situated.

Disposal of carcasses.

Fine, Rs. 10.

LATRINE.

53. No male person above 12 years of age, except the municipal inspecting officers for purpose of inspection at such times as the Commissioners may fix in his behalf, shall enter any public latrine intended for the use of females.

Latrine reserved for females.

Fine, Rs. 10.

DRAINS.

54. No person shall deposit or cause to be deposited in or on the side of any public drain any substance or thing which will cause obstruction to such drain.

Obstruction to drains.

Fine, Rs. 10.

55. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any stall, bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except with the general or special permission of the Commissioners and in such manner as they may direct.

Constructing stalls, platforms, etc., over a drain.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

CREMATIONS AND BURIALS, AND THE DISPOSAL OF CORPSES.

56. No person shall convey a corpse or part of a corpse along any road, unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from view.

Covering of corpse.

Fine, Rs. 10.

57. No person while conveying a corpse, shall except for the purpose of ordinary relief or for a religious purpose, deposit it on or near any road.

Depositing corpse on or near road.

Fine, Rs. 10.

58. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, dispose of any corpse otherwise than by burying or burning it.

Burial or burning obligatory.

Fine, Rs. 10.

59. When lines for graves in any burial-place have been marked out by the Commissioners, no person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in such burial-place except in such lines.

Lines for graves.

Fine, Rs. 50.

60. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave constructed of masonry, unless the top of the coffin, or (if no coffin is used) the corpse, is placed at least six feet below the surface.

Depth of coffin or corpse in masonry grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Depth of non-masonry grave.

61. No person shall, in any burial-ground, bury or cause to be buried any corpse in a grave not constructed of masonry, unless the grave is at least six feet deep.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Distance between graves.

62. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in a burial-ground at a distance of less than three feet from any other existing grave.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Opening graves.

63. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another corpse without the general or special permission of the Commissioners.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Complete cremation.

64. Any person burning, or causing to be burnt, any corpse at any burning ground or burning ghat shall cause the corpse and the clothes and other articles brought with it to be completely reduced to ashes.

Fine, Rs. 50.

Speedy cremation.

65. Any person who conveys or causes to be conveyed any corpse to any burning ground or burning ghat shall burn the same or cause it to be burnt within six hours after its arrival at such ground or ghat.

Fine, Rs. 50.

PREVENTION OF NUISANCES AFFECTING THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY OR CONVENIENCE.

Clearing and fencing land.

66. Every owner or occupier of any land shall, within 48 hours after service of a notice in this behalf from the Commissioners,—

(*a*) clear the land of dirt, dung, bones, ashes, sweepings, night-soil and other filth and all other noxious or offensive matter, and

(*b*) fence the land so as to prevent the commission thereon of nuisances affecting the public health, safety or convenience.

Fine, Rs. 10; daily fine, Rs. 2.

Sanitation of public places of charity or worship.

67. No proprietor, owner, manager, trustee or motawalli, or person entrusted with the daily supervision or in charge of any public place, of charity or worship, shall keep such place, or any building or premises used in connection therewith, in an insanitary condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Cleanliness of shops, markets and slaughter-houses.

68. Every owner or occupier of a meat, poultry, fish, or vegetable shop or a market, bazar or slaughter-house shall keep the same in a cleanly condition.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

Sale of fish in market.

69. No person shall sell fish or expose fish for sale in any part of any market except on the paved floor specially set apart for the purpose.

Fine, Rs. 10.

Selling of articles of food by infected persons.

70. No person suffering from any infectious or contagious disease which is likely to contaminate articles of food touched by such person shall sell or expose for sale any articles of food in any market.

Fine, Rs. 50.

71. Every baker or confectioner, who keeps for sale any bread, sweetmeats or other prepared articles of food, and every vendor or hawker of such articles, shall keep the same in a glass-case or other covered receptacle, so as to exclude flies and dust therefrom

Sale of prepared articles of food.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

72. When a urinal or latrine has been provided for any market no person shall satisfy a call of nature at any place within the market, except at the urinal or latrine so provided.

Easing oneself in market.

Fine, Rs. 10.

73. No person shall make any ærated water or ice for the purpose of sale without first boiling the water.

Aerated water and ice.

Fine, Rs. 50.

74. No person shall retain, purchase or sell clothing found on the dead body of a person who has died from small-pox, plague, cholera, or any other infectious disease.

Infected clothing.

Fine, Rs. 50.

75. Every owner or driver of a carriage which has conveyed a person suffering from small-pox, plague, cholera or any other infectious disease, or a corpse, shall, before using the carriage again, disinfect it with such disinfectants as the Commissioners may from time to time prescribe.

Disinfection of carriage.

Fine, Rs. 50.

76. No person shall, without the general or special permission of the Commissioners, picket animals, collect carts or form any encampment on any public ground not set apart for the purpose.

Picketing animals, collecting carts or forming encampment.

Fine, Rs. 10; on a second or subsequent conviction, Rs. 50.

77. No person shall abandon or let loose, or allow to get loose, any diseased or worn-out cattle.

Diseased or worn-out cattle.

Fine, Rs. 10.

BY-LAW GIVING EFFECT TO THE OBJECTS OF SECTION 103 OF THE BENGAL MUNICIPAL ACT, 1884.

78. When a ticket, showing the number of the holding on the register and the circle within which the holding is situated, has been affixed to a holding by the municipal authorities, and the same is disfigured, obliterated or removed, the owner or occupier of the holding shall, within two weeks from the time at which he becomes aware of the fact, report the matter to the Vice-Chairman.

Report of disfigurement, etc., of ticket.

Fine, Rs. 10.

CANCELLATION OF FORMER BY-LAWS

79. The by-laws which were confirmed by Government order No. 2141M., dated the 22nd April 1897, are hereby cancelled.

No. 2382M.—The 22nd December 1917.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884 (Bengal Act III of 1884), the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. L. Godden to be a Commissioner of the Narainganj Municipality, in the district of Dacca, *vice* Mr. D. Ducat, resigned.

Dacca.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

No. 2384M.—The 22nd December 1917.—For Nadia in the margin and in the 5th line of paragraph 1 of Notification No. 2162M., dated the 4th December 1917, published at page 298 of Part IB of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th December 1917, *read* "24-Parganas" and "the 24-Parganas", respectively.

L. S. S. O'MALLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IC.

Educational Notices.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Middle Scholarships, 1917.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 4 a month, tenable for four years from 1st January 1918.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.
	CALCUTTA.			
	Nine scholarships for general competition and two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans and seven free studentships.			
1	Bagalananda Chatterji ...	Calcutta Model School	Hindu School ...	M. E.
2	Sachindra Nath Rudra ..	Shambazar A. V. ...	Town School ...	M. E.
3	Ajit Kumar Sarker ...	Ditto ...	Hare School ...	M. E.
4	Kartic Chandra Chatterji	Ahiritala Banga Vidyalaya.	Hfndu School ...	M. E.
5	Lakshi Narain Mukerji ...	St. Barnabas A. V. ...	C. M. S. High, Garden Reach.	M. E.
6	Abdul Aziz	Karaya M. E. ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	M. E.
7	Satyendra Kumar Bose ...	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.	Hare School ...	M. E.
	Gopi Mohan Mallik ..	Chakraberia M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	M. E.
9	Jagannath Chandra ...	City Training M. E. ...	Hindu School ...	M. E.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.			
1	Md. Barakat-i-Khoda ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	M. E
2	Najmuddin Ahmed ..	Karaya M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
	Seven free studentships tenable for 3 years.			
1	Nikhil Ranjan Chatterji...	Charakdanga M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	
	Kanai Lal Sarker ...	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.	Hindu School.	
3	Radha Gobinda Bhattacherji.	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.	Hare School.	
4	Madhusudan Ganguli ...	Taltala M. E. ...	Hindu School.	
5	Tarapado Bhattacherji ...	City Institution ...	Ditto.	
6	Shyam Lal Chakraverti...	Chakraberia M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	
7	Tara Kumar Mukerji ...	Taltala M. E. ...	Hindu School.	

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M. E. or M. V.

24-PARGANAS.

Nine scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Nimaidas Pal ..	Bhatpara M. E. ...	Hindu School ...	M. E.
2	Kanai Lal Chatterji ...	Champapuker M. E....	Dhankuria H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Bijoy Madhab Mandal ...	Raghunathpur M. E.	Ditto ...	M. E.
4	Hazari Charan Basu ...	Malangapara M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
5	Chuni Lal Mandal ...	Bhadura M. E. ...	Hare School ...	M. E.
6	Tulsi Charan Chatterji ...	Behala M. E. ...	South Suburban H. E.	
7	Kalipada Pal ...	Pifa M. V. ...	Basirhat H. E. ...	M. V.
8	Benode Behari Adhikari	Raghunathpur M. E.	Ditto ...	M. V.
9	Azizar Rahaman Khan ...	Baliaghata-Bridge Board M. V.	Baraset Government ...	M. V.

Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Alauddin Ahmed ...	Baraset H. E. ...	Baraset Government	H. E.
2	Aziar Rahman ...	Kalipur M. E. ...	Budge-Budge H. E. ...	M. E.

NADIA DISTRICT.

Five scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Krishna Chandra Das ...	Kantagazra M. E. ...	Pabna Zilla School ...	M. E.
2	Pranesh Ch. Mazumdar ...	Kustia H. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Nani Gopal Pal ...	Goari Debnath M. E.	Krishnagar College ...	M. E.
4	Ramendra Nath Sarkar ...	Kumari M. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
5	Hazari Kali Dutt ...	Bagadi K. G. M. E. ...	Amlasadarpur H. E. ...	M. E.

Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Ahmed Hossain ...	Chapra M. E. ...	Kustia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Nasiruddin Ahmed ...	Kustia H. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.

MURSHIDABAD DISTRICT.

Four scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Tarapado Banerji ...	Geetgram M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Rakha Hari Das ...	Barman M. E. ...	Kandi Raj H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Sheik Rahasan Ali ...	Panchgram Srish Chandra M. E.	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.	M. E.
4	Kalipada Biswas ...	Baruipara M. V. ...	Berhampur Collegiate	M. V.

Two reserved for Muhammadans.

1	Mollah Abdul Wahed ...	Geetgram M. E. ...	Panchthupi H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Sha Muhammad Biswas	Gobindapur M. E. ...	Nawab Bahadur's Institution.	M. V.

JESSORE DISTRICT.

Four scholarships for general competition and three reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Susil Kumar Sen Gupta...	Harinakundu M. E...	Narail Victoria Collegiate.	M. E.
2	Girindra Mohan Chatterji	Mallikpur M. E. ...	Lakshmipasa H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Golam Muhmd. Molla ...	Manoharpur M. E. ...	Jessore Zilla ...	M. E.
4	Jahar Ali Biswas ...	Jessore Zilla ...	Ditto ...	M. V.

Three scholarships reserved for Muhammadan candidates.

1	Dabiruddin Mollah ...	Bunuganti M. E. ...	Jessore Zilla School ...	M. E.
2	Mia Abdul Samud ...	Hazipur M. E. ...	Harinarayanpur H. E.	M. E.
3	Shamsur Ali Biswas ...	Patipur M. E. ...	Calcutta Training ...	M. V.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.	Whether M.E. or M. V.
	KHULNA DISTRICT.			
	Five scholarships for general competition and two reserved for Muhammadan candidates.			
1	Tarini Charan Dutta ...	Ghatbhoge M. E. ...	Bahirdia H. E. ...	M. E.
2	Rajendra Kumar Majumdar.	Piljang M. E. ...	Khararia H. E. ...	M. E.
3	Lalit Mohan Majumdar ...	Kalaroa M. E. ...	Satkhira H. E. ...	M. E.
4	Amulya Ratan Bhattacherji.	Budhata M. E. ...	Ditto ...	M. E.
5	Kali Krishna Pal ..	Sibanandakati M.V.	Calcutta Training ...	M.V.
	Two scholarships reserved for Muhammadan candidates.			
1	Aftabuddin Sardar ...	Budhata M.E. ...	Babulia H.E. ...	M.E.
2	Md. Reja Karim ...	Sriula M.E. ...	Calcutta Madrasah ...	M.V.

N.B.—The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of the publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

PRESIDENCY DIVISION.

List of candidates who have been awarded Upper Primary Scholarships, 1917.

[Each scholarship is of the value of Rs. 3 a month, tenable for two years from the 1st January 1918.]

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	CALCUTTA.		
1	Pasupati Nath Bhattacherji...	Basupara U. P. ...	Ahiritola Banga Vidyalaya.
2	Sudhan Charan Kumar ...	Calcutta Model ...	Calcutta Model.
3	Nakur Chandra Chatterji ...	Bag Bazar U. P. ...	Ahiritola Bangala Pathsala.
	24-PARGANAS.		
	Seven Scholarships.		
1	Dasarathi Chatterji ...	Mahinagar U. P. ...	Gobindpore M. E.
2	Kasinath Mandal ...	Newpukhur U. P. ...	Dakhin Baraset M. E.
3	Dhirendra Nath Bhattacherji.	Kumarhati U. P.	
4	Balaram Mondal ...	Harishpur U. P. ...	Raghunathpur M. E.
5	Kazi Ansarulla ...	Baraset Government School	Chota Jagulia M. E.
6	Gurupada Das ...	Belsinga U. P. ...	Bhadura M. E.
7	Ananta Ram Gharami ...	Kulpi G. T. ...	Gabberia M. E.
	NADIA.		
	Five Scholarships.		
1	Chandi Charan Bhattacherji	Betna U. P.	
2	Nalini Kumar Sen ...	Bhanpur U. P.	
3	Hazari Lall Sirkar ...	Bansberia U. P.	
4	Maksed Ali Pramanik ...	Bahadurpur U. P. ...	Damakdia M. E.
5	Jiban Kumar Parui ...	Amjhupi U. P. ...	Kathali M. E.

No.	Name of scholar.	Name of school.	Name of school where the scholarship is tenable.
	MURSHIDABAD.		
	Five scholarships.		
1	Bhakti Bhusan Mandal ...	Muniadihi U. P.	
2	Birinchi Mohan Dhar ...	Ditto.	
3	Syed Mahmood Hussain ...	Beniagram U. P.	
4	Raghunath Biswas ...	Pareshnathpur U. P. ...	Rukunpur M. E.
5	Mahaboo Jan ...	Daulatmadar Islamic U. P.	
	JESSORE.		
	Six scholarships.		
1	Ahmad Ali Khan ...	Balidha Board U. P. ...	Daulatpur M. E.
2	Kafiluddin Mandal ...	Ditto ...	Keshavpur M. E.
3	Deves Chandra Mukherji ...	Sindrani U. P.	
4	Smaraji Kumar Maulik ...	Kharikali U. P.	
5	Etin Biswas ...	Hat Dariapur Board U. P.	
6	Subodh Bala Dutt ...	Narail Model Girls' ...	Narail Model Girls.'
	KHULNA.		
	Five scholarships.		
1	Gopal Chandra Majumdar ...	Maheswarpasa Board U. P.	Daulatpur M. E.
2	Manindra Nath Dutt ...	Daulatpur Prac. U. P.	
3	Rastam Ali Gazi ...	Mukundpur U. P.	
4	Nani Gopal Sen ...	Bhara-Simla U. P. ...	Nalta M. E.
5	Surendra Nath Chakraverty...	Beniaganti U. P. ...	Gotapara M.

N.B.—The scholarship-holders should join their schools within one month from the date of publication of the results in the *Calcutta Gazette*. U. P. scholarship-holders should join middle schools in order to be eligible for appearing at the Middle Scholarship Examination.

T. O. D. DUNN,
Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

BOARD OF EXAMINERS, CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NAMES of Munshis qualified to teach Urdu can be had on application to the undersigned. A complete list is published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II.

O. F. JENKINS,
Secretary and Member, Board of Examiners.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, 1, COUNCIL HOUSE STREET, CALCUTTA, *the 31st October 1916.*

NOTIFICATION.

No. 3T.B.—In continuation of Notification No. 2T.B., dated 10th October 1917, the following supplementary list of text-books approved for use in all Government and recognised schools, both English and Vernacular, in the Presidency of Bengal, for the year 1918, is published for general information. This list also contains certain supplementary books for the use of teachers in English and Vernacular schools in Eastern Bengal.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,

Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA :

The 19th December 1917.

EASTERN BENGAL.

High and Middle English Schools.

LIST B.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

For High School classes.

Classes VII and VIII—

First Book of Poetry. Edited by G. Dutt. (The Editor.) As. 6.

An Easy Course of English Grammar and Composition. A member of the Indian Educational Service. (K. & J. Cooper, Bombay.) Re. 1-6.

For Middle and Junior classes.

Class VI—

An Easy Course of English Grammar and Composition. A member of the Indian Educational Service. (K. & J. Cooper, Bombay.) Re. 1-6.

Classes IV to VI—

Boy's English Grammar. S. M. Mitra, B.A., B.T. (Graduate Friends and Co., Nawabpur, Dacca.) As. 5.

Class IV—

Easy English Lessons. P. K. Sen. (Popular Library, Dacca.) As. 5.

History.

For High School classes.

Classes VII and VIII—

A Simple History of India. H. L. Das Gupta. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) Re. 1.

An Epitome of Indian History. K. P. Datta, B.A. (Biraj Mohan Chakrabarty, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 12.

Arithmetic.

For High School classes.

Classes VII to IX—

Modern Arithmetic. R. Mitra, M.A., and U. L. Bakshi, B.A. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) Re. 1-4.

For Middle and Junior classes.

Classes IV to VI—

Juvenile Arithmetic. K. B. Sen Gupta, B.Sc. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Dacca.) As. 12.

Standard Arithmetic. Rash Behari Basu. (Rajendra Kumar Roy, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 14.

Easy Arithmetic. Kishori Mohan Basu. (Upendra Kumar Chanda.) As. 12.

School Arithmetic. Naziruddin Ahmed, M.A., and Hariram Dhar, B.A. (Madhab Chandra Basak.) As. 12.

Arithmetic. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 12.

Classes II and III—

Pathsala Ganit. Har Kumar Basu. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sahaj Patiganit. Priyada Ranjan Roy, M.A (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (During war As. 8.)

Saral Ganit. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 6.

Saral Manasanka. Bama Charan Das. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Dacca.) As. 6.

Bengali Literature.

For High School class.

Class VIII—

Sahitya Sandarbha. Girish Chandra Chakravarti. (The Author.) As. 8.

Sahitya Prasanga. Paresh Nath Mahalanabis. (The Author.) Re. 1.

Aitihasik Path, Part I. Ram Pran Gupta. (Jagadish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 12.

For Middle and Junior classes.

Class VI—

Sahitya Mukur. Jajneswar Chatterjee. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 8.

Sahitya Shiksha, Part II. Jogendra Nath Gupta. (H. N. Dutt, University Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Class V—

Prabandha Ratnamala. Hem Chandra Gangopadhyaya. (Prabhat Chandra Basu, Roy Gupta & Co., Dacca.) As. 6.

Ratna Manjari. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T. (Nalini Kumar Datta, Armenitola, Dacca.) As. 6.

Suniti Satadal. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Harish Chandra Sarkar, Gandaria, Dacca.) As. 6.

Class IV—

Sahitya Mukul. Sadat Ali Khan, B.A. (Ashutosh Dhar, Ashutosh Library, Dacca). As. 5.

Suniti Satadal. Sarat Chandra Dhar. (Harish Chandra Sarkar, Gandaria, Dacca.) As. 6.

Ratna Manjari. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T. (Nalini Kumar Datta, Armenitola, Dacca.) As. 6.

Class III—

Sukatha. Sushila Sundari Ghosh. (The Authoress.) As. 5.

Balak Bodha. Anath Bandhu Basak, B.A., B.T. (Bhabatosh Sen.) As. 5.

Nutunkatha. Ashutosh Dhar. (The Author.) As. 6.

Ratnahar. Suresh Chandra Ghosh, B.A. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 5.

Class II—

Mukul. Prasanna Kumar Guha. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 3.

Class I—

Naba Balya Shikhsha O Shikshak. Sarada Prasanna Sen. (B. C. Basak Albert Library, Dacca.) A. 1-6.

Writing (Bengali).

For Junior classes.

Classes II to IV—

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Sitanath Roy. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Mahuttuli. Dacca.) A. 1-6 each part.

Sanskrit.

For High School classes.

Class VIII—

Hitopadesha Saram. Barada Kumar Kabyatirtha. As. 5.
Suniti. Akshay Kumar Kabyatirtha. (B. B. Chakravarti.) As. 6.

Sanskrit Grammar.

For High School classes.

Classes VII to IX—

Panini Prabesham. Sasi Bhusan Sankhya Kabyatirtha and Madan Mohan Kabyatirtha Sastri. (The Authors.) Re. 1-2.
Sanskrit Vyakaran Sopana. Ramani Mohan Bhattacharyya. (Atul Chandra Chakravarti.) Re. 1-4.
Saral Sanskrit Vyakaran. Dina Bandhu Majumdar. (The Author.) Re. 1.
A Panini Primer. Devendra Kumar Banerjee. (Nagendra Kumar Roy, City Library, Dacca.) Re. 1-4.

Classes VII and VIII—

Byakaran Sopanam. Sasi Bhusan Sankhyakabya tirtha. (Ramesh Chandra Vishaktirtha.) As. 8.

VERNACULAR SCHOOLS.

Bengali Literature.

For Middle Vernacular and Primary classes.

Class VII—

Sahitya Mukur. Jajneswar Chatterjee. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 8.
Sahitya Siksha, Part II. Jogendra Nath Gupta. (H. N. Dutt, University Library, Dacca.) As. 10.

Classes V and VI—

Ratna Manjari. Guru Bandhu Bhattacharyya, B.A., B.T. (Nalini Kumar Dutt, Armenitola, Dacca.) As. 6.

Classes IV and V—

Sukatha. Sushila Sundari Ghosh. (The Authoress.) As. 5.

Class II—

Naba Balya Shiksha O Shikshak. Sarada Prasanna Sen. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) A. 1-6.

Writing (Bengali).

For Primary classes.

Classes II to V—

Adarsha Lipi, Parts I—III. Sitanath Roy. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Mahuttuli, Dacca.) A. 1-6 each part.

Arithmetic.

For Middle Vernacular and Primary classes.

Classes V to VII—

Patiganit, Part II. Prasanna Narayan Kali. (Nagendra Narayan Kali.) As. 11.

Classes III and IV—

Pathsala Ganit. Har Kumar Basu. (Kali Prasanna Nath, Ripon Library, Dacca.) As. 7.

Sahaj Patiganit. Priyada Ranjan Roy, M.A. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (During war As. 8.)

Saral Ganit. Jogesh Chandra Ghosh, M.A. (Bhabatosh Mitra.) As. 6.

Saral Manasanka. Bama Charan Das. (Hem Chandra Sen Gupta, Mahim Sanatan Library, Patuatuli, Dacca.) As. 6.

Miscellaneous.

Sura Sangit. Kedarnath Chatterji. As. 10. (Text-book for Normal Schools.)

Banga Bani. Sasanka Mohan Sen. (B. C. Basak.) Rs. 2. (Text-book for Normal Schools. Also suitable for use in College classes.)

LIST C.

HIGH AND MIDDLE ENGLISH SCHOOLS.

Geography (Bengali).

For Junior classes.

Classes III and IV—

Bhugol Bijnan, Part I. Ganga Charan Das Gupta, B.A., B.T. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (For teachers only.)

Prathamic Bhugol. Upendra Chandra Guha, B.A. B.T. (Sitanath Vidyabinode, Saraswat Mandir, Banglabazar, Dacca.) As. 6-6. (For teachers only.)

Sanskrit Grammar.

For High School classes.

Classes VII to X—

Hints on the Study of Sanskrit. Ganga Charan Bhattacharyya. (Mathura Mohan Chakravarti.) As. 12. (For teachers only.)

VERNACULAR SCHOOLS.

Hygiene.

For Middle Vernacular classes.

Classes VI and VII—

Garhasthya Swasthya Niti, Part III. Lieutenant P. Choudhury, M.B., I.M.S. (B. C. Basak, Albert Library, Dacca.) As. 6. (For teachers only.)

Saral Sharirpalan, Dr. Chintaharan Ghosh and Prafulla Kumar Guha. (Kunjalal Majumdar.) As. 4. (For teachers only.)

WESTERN BENGAL.

LIST B.

English Literature, Grammar and Composition.

For High School classes.

The Cleverest Man in the World. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Sons, Ltd.) As. 4.

The Prince and the Magician. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.

The Ocean Queen. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Star Maidens. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Mystery of the Palace. D. A. Mackenzie. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Maiden Knight. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Eagle Brothers. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Boy Who was Always Thirteen. C. Sorabji. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 4.
The Indian School Book of Verse, Parts I and II. E. Stokes. (Longmans, Green & Co.)
The State in India. J. Maclean. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.
Easy Stories from Indian History. E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.
Children's Anthology of Verse, Parts II and III. (Macmillan & Co.) 5*d.* each.
Black's Literary Readers, Books 1—6. J. Finnemore. (Macmillan & Co.) 10*d.*, 1*s.*, 1*s.* 4*d.*, 1*s.* 6*d.*, 1*s.* 6*d.*, 1*s.*9*d.*
Globe Poetry Books, Parts I-III. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.* each.
The Golden City (Tales of India Series). H. Malim. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.
Some Adventures of Hatem Tai, Grade V, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 5.
Shorab Rustam, Grade 4, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4-6.
The Wisdom of Sadi. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 4.
Short Tales Selected from Katha Sarit Sagar, Grade II, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 3.
Short Tales Selected from Gulzar-i-Dabistan, Grade I, No. 3. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 2-6.
The "A L." Bright Story Readers, No. 147. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*d.*
Little People in Far-off Land, No. F20. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.). 2*d.*
Little People in Far-off Land, No. F19. (Isles of the Inland Sea.) F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*d.*
The "A. L." Bright Story Readers, Nos. 101, 102, 115, 116 and 135. F. A. Tapsell. (Macmillan & Co.) 1½*d.*, 1½*d.*, 2*d.*, 2*d.*, 3*d*
The Star of India Nature Book. F. Luke. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 8.
Stories from Andersen retold from Andersen's Fairy Tales. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 10.
The Waits of Bremen retold from Grimm's Fairy Tales. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 10
Fairy Tales for Little Folks, Books I and II (Cassells). (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 7 each.
Tales from Dickens (Harrap). J. W. Mospadden. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.
Adventures of Caliph Horoun al Rashid. Anne Manning. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.
Ivanvoe (Harrap). W. Scott. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.
Wonderful Voyages of Gulliver. E. L. Elias. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.
The Last of the Mohicans. J. F. Cooper. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 12.
First Year of the Great War. Richard Wilson. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 14.
Story of Buddha (Harrap). E. Holland. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) Re. 1-12.
English Poetry Readers, Books I—III. M. Crosse. (K. & J. Cooper.) As. 2-6, 3 and 4.
The Children's Garland. C. Paterson. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*s.* nett.
Selections from La Morte D'Arthur of Malory. Edited by D. M. McMordie. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*
The Wanderings of Rama. Edited by W. Gaudy. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*
A Persian Hero from Shah Namah. Edited by W. Gaudy. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*
Tales from Spenser. Edited by S. H. Mocbhose. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 3*d.*

Njal and Gunner—A Tale of Old Iceland. H Malim. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*

The Isle of Grammarye or Tales of Old Britain, Parts I and II. E. P. Roberts. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* each.

Deccan Nursery Tales. C. A. Kincaid. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*s.* 6*d.*

Black's Sentinel Readers, I, III, IV, V, and VI. E. E. Speight. (Macmillan & Co.) 10*d.*, 1*s.* 4*d.*, 1*s* 6*d.*, 1*s.* 6*d.*, 1*s.* 9*d.*

Sacred Tales of India. D. N. Neogi. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* nett.

The Indian Story Book. Richard Wilson. (Macmillan & Co.) 7*s.* 6*d.*

English Composition. W. Murrison. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*s.* 6*d.* nett.

Black's Picture Lessons in English, Parts I-IV. W. Murrison. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.* each.

Manual of English Grammar and Composition. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.*

Words from the Poets. Selected by C. M. Vaughan. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.*

Essay and Letter Writing. F. H. Brooksbank. (Macmillan & Co). Re. 1.

Palgrave's Golden Treasury, Books I and II. Edited by Fouler & Bell. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.* each.

Matriculation English Course. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 3*s.* 6*d.*

The Boys' Book of Poetry, Parts I—III. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*d.* each.

Handbook of English Grammar and Composition. Macmillan & Hakim. (Macmillan & Co.) Rs. 2-8.

English Poems, Parts I and II. J. G. Jennings. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12. Re. 1.

English Essays. J. H. Fowler. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

A First Course of Essay Writings. J. H. Fowler. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.*

A Manual of Essay Writing. J. H. Fowler. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.*

Junior Course of English Composition. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 6*d.*

Childrens' Tennyson. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.*

How to Condense and Simplify Extracts—Prose and Verse. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 8*d.*

Idiom and Grammar for Secondary Schools. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.

Word Building and Composition. Books V—VII. Robert S. Wood. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d.*, 6*d.*, 1*s.*

The Revised English Grammar. A. S. West. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.*

Easy Parsing and Analysis, Book II. J. C. Nesfield. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 8.

English Ideals. Hansen and Hart. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.*

Argonauts. Charles Kingsley. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 9.

The Orient Pearls. Shovana Devi. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s.* 6*d.*

History and Geography.

For High School classes.

Africa—Rambler Travel Books. Editedby Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.

Europe—Rambler Travel Books. Edited by Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.

Asia—Rambler Travel Books. Edited by Lewis Marsh. (Blackie & Son, Ltd.) As. 9.

Atlas of Practical Geography, Books I, II, III and VIII. T. W. F. Parkinson. (Indian School Supply Depôt.) As. 8 each.

History of India (revised). C. F. DeLa Fosse. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8.

A History of Ancient and Modern India. R. C. Datta. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8.

Asia in Pictures (Black's). H. C. Barnard. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 8*d.*

An Elementary Geography of the World (Black's). L. W. Lyde. (Macmillan & Co.) 1*s.* 4*d.*

Lessons in the History of India—Lower Classes. (Macmillan & Co.) As. 12.

A First Book of Commercial Geography. T. A. Smith. (Macmillan & Co.) 1 . 6*d*.

A Short History of the British Empire. G. Andersen and E. Marsden. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-12.

High Roads of Geography—Introductory. (T. Nelson & Sons.) 10*d*.

Mathematics and Science.

For High School classes.

A New Geometry for Schools. S. Barnard and J. M. Child. (Macmillan & Co.) 4*s*. 6*d*.

A Health Reader for Indian High Schools. P. C. Wren. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1.

Elementary Algebra for High Schools. Hall & Knight. (Macmillan & Co.) Re. 1-8.

School Arithmetic for Indian Schools. Hall, Stevens & Sims. (Macmillan & Co.) Rs. 2.

A Shorter Geometry. C. Godfrey and A. W. Siddons. (Macmillan & Co.) 2*s*. 6*d*.

Algebra for Elementary Schools, Parts I—III. H. S. Hall & A. J. Wood. (Macmillan & Co.) 6*d*. each.

Bengali and Sanskrit Literature.

For High School classes.

Jnananjali. Atul Chandra Sen. (The author.) As. 12.
Sadhu Charit. Atul Chandra Ghatak. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) As. 8.
Gocharaner Math. Akshoy Chandra Sarkar. (S. C. Sanyal & Co.) As. 4.
Vyakaran Chandrika. R. C. Shastri and G. K. Kabyatirtha. (Narayan Ch. Samajdar.) As. 10.

For Standard I.

Bodh Bikash, Part I (revised). Rajani Kanta Gupta. (Mohini Kanta Gupta.) As. 2.

Full particulars are given with regard to the following books approved as text-books for use in schools in Bengal and published in Notification No. 1T.B., dated 19th September 1917 (*vide Calcutta Gazette* of the 3rd October 1917, Part IC, pages 553-612):—

England and India. (Longmans, Green & Co.)—On pages 554, 562, 589 and 597.
Nava Jyamiti Bikash. Mohan Ch. Basak. (Sarada Ch. Basak.) As. 4. (For teachers only.)—On page 582.
Suniti Bikash, I and II. Jibendra Kumar Datta. (S. K. Datta.) As. 8. On page 604.
Vidyasagar's Sitar Banabas. Edited by Bagalaranjan Das. (Harinath Banerjee.) As. 12.—On page 604.
Vidyasagar's Sanskrit Vyakaraner Upakramanika. Edited by Bagalaranjan Das. (Jyotish Chandra Ghosh.) As. 8.—On page 610.
Matriculation Practical Geometry. Krishna Lal Chatterji. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) As. 10.—On page 600.
Matriculation Geometry. Indu Bhusan Brahmachari and Chinta Haran Roy. (S. K. Lahiri & Co.) Re. 1-10.—On page 600.
A New Geometry for Schools, Parts I—IV. Phanindra Lal Ganguli. (Kedarnath Basu.) Re. 1-12.—On page 599.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

NOTIFICATION.

State Scholarship of £200 per annum tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries by *Indian Girls or Women.

*[Including those who, though born or temporarily resident in Native States, are domiciled in British India, but excluding subjects of Native States and members of the European and Anglo Indian domiciled community.]

THE scholarship will be granted for medical, and occasionally for other educational or professional, courses and will be tenable in the United Kingdom or, with special sanction, in foreign countries, for a period of three years in the first instance, with a possibility of extension to five years. The scholarship will carry with it no conditions as to any subsequent career or service under Government, and no expectation of such employment is held out.

2. The scholar will be selected by the Government of India from among candidates nominated by the Local Governments. Intending candidates from Bengal are requested to make application to the Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta, not later than 31st January 1918. The application should be accompanied by (1) evidence of having obtained a degree of an Indian University in medicine or educational or professional courses; (2) a medical certificate of fitness to undergo, abroad, the course of study proposed; (3) a certificate from some person of recognised position well acquainted with the candidate, to the effect that she is a native of Bengal or domiciled in Bengal and of purely Indian parentage; (4) full details including the name and occupation of the candidate's father and place of birth, a summary of her academical career in India, and a statement of the course of study proposed to be followed; (5) full address of the candidate.

3. The State scholar is required to proceed to England within a reasonable time from the date of her selection, so as to arrive there not later than the middle of September, and to reside there for the period of her scholarship, unless compelled to return sooner in consequence of ill health. The scholarship will be payable from the date on which the scholar reports her arrival in England. The selected candidate will be provided with a second class passage to England, and with a second class return passage if she completes the full period of residence or is compelled by sickness to return within that period.

4. Charges for University and college fees, for private tuition, for books, instruments, hotel bills, medical attendance and travelling (except the two journeys between England and India) are not defrayed by the Secretary of State.

5. For further particulars pages 1143 to 1155 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 21st June 1916, may be consulted.

W. C. WORDSWORTH,
Offg. Director of Public Instruction, Bengal.

CALCUTTA, *the 19th December 1917.*

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1917.

PART II.

Advertisements.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Bakarganj will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 8th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realisable as arrears of land revenue

When in columns 5 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share —

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate	Whether the whole estate is to be sold	If only a share is to be sold specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P				Rs. A P	Rs A P	Rs A. P
1431	Kismat Bibi Chini, pargana Bosorgomedpur.	2,655 2 10	. .	Residuary share containing 6 annas will be sold, the remaining 10 annas will be excluded from sale.	Panna Lal Das and another	995 10 10	...	160 4 7
1448	Darihat Rajbariganj pargana Bosorgomedpur	721 13 0	Whole		Parbati Charan Chakrabarti	.	270 0 0	...
1661	Taluk Shibjoy Barajja pargana Bosorgomedpur.	6,131 8 1	... ..	Residuary share containing 6as 4gds 1r. 2kt. 1dt. will be sold the remaining 9as 15gds. 3c. 2dt will be excluded from sale	Jasada Lal Pal Chaudhury and others.	2,384 8 1		556 12 5
3865	Tappa Abdulapur, Zamindari 10as. 13¼ gds	3,367 11 11	... ..	Residuary share containing 7as 9gd 3c. 1kt. 1¾dt will be sold, the remaining 8as 10gds. 1c. 1kt 1¼dt. will be excluded from sale	Radha Gobinda Rani Kya and others	1,106 15 11	...	310 15 3

HARENDRA K GHOSE, *for* Collector

Barisal, the 18th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Nadia, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district, on the 3rd January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When, in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement, it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tausi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
62 3	Baksipur, pargana Rajpur.	.....	No ...	4as. 2gds. 1c. 2¼kts. 1kg. ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Debendra Nath Biswas, son of late Kali Prasanna Biswas, and others.	5,446 2 3	.....	737 14 5
488 2	Sankar Chandra, pargana Shahauzial.	.....	,, ...	1 anna ... ... All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Rakhal Das Mukherjee ...	685 5 2	.....	172 3 6
871	Char Nacdapara, pargana Shahauzial.	976 0 0	Whole ...	.....	Siva Sundari Dasya ...	.....	282 0 0	.....
2450	Char Kodalkati, pargana Rajpur.	715 8 0	,, ...	...	Siva Sundari Dasi ...	.....	208 0 0	.....
3521	Rani Jote Ashai, pargana Naskarpur.	820 0 0	,, ...	.....	Kumar Naresh Narayan Ray.	.....	207 14 7	.....

Krishnagar Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

D. K. MITTER, Deputy Collector in charge, Nadia.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Faridpur will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 5th January 1918, at 11 A.M., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tausi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
250	Panchas Hazari, pargana Kasimnagar.	2,652 7 0	Whole ...	.....	Surendra Nath Saha and others.	.....	121 1 2	
5500	Jalkar Kotalipara, pargana Kotalipara.	2,050 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Kartik Chandra Chakravarty and others.	....	925 0 0	
6449	Dotala Lafta Char Bhaga, pargana Kartikpur, Sujabad.	776 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Munshi Sherajuddin Ahmed Choudhuri and others.	.....	260 0 0	
6498	Digor Mohishkhali, pargana Nasti.	1,791 0 0	Do. ...	.....	Madan Mohan Banerjee.	.....	543 13 6	

Faridpur Collectorate, the 21st November 1917.

[ILLEGIBLE], *for* Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates, in the district of Burdwan, will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands of September 1917 kist which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
135	Kismat Gouripur, pargana Chhootipur.	1,219 5 9	.....	Residuary share—12 as. 10 gds. 2 crs, $2\frac{162432}{234117}$ ds. is to be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Nobo Gopal Singha and others.	989 1 9	.....	1 4 1
34	Dogachhar etc., pargana Kubajpur.	811 4 11	Whole estate is to be sold.	.....	Mrityunjoy Ray Choudhuri and others.	.....	165 6 7	.....
159	Asuri, etc., pargana Satsaika.	2,260 9 11	Ditto ...	.....	Rameswar Atch and others.	.....	230 13 6	.....

Burdwan Collectorate, the 22nd November 1917.

ABDUL GOFFAR, for Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Tippera will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi number.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26	Pargana Bardakhat, hissa 1 a. 6 gds. 2 cs. 1 kt. 4 dts.	13,319 4 9	.....	$\frac{26}{2}$ hissa 11 gds. 3 cs. 2 kts. 4 dts. 6 dhuks.	Purna Chandra Roy ...	503 0 8	.....	134 0 0
2708	Daulatpur Jowar, pargana Bardakhat tappe Kurikhal, settled for 15 years from 1905-06 to 1919-20.	3,437 10 2	Whole ...	.....	Muhammad Sundar Ali	.....	676 2 2	.....

Tippera, the 8th November 1917.

T. EMERSON, Collector.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 10th January 1918 at 12 o'clock for arrears of revenue and other demands which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares	Names of proprietors of property to be sold	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A. P.				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
313	Ph. Batitaki ...	630 1 4	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share.	Satis Ch. Pal, and 14 others	24 0 0	. ...	21 14 8 up to June 1917.
314	Ph. Batitaki, M. Phulbheri	1,802 3 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 only. The following share of the mauzas will be sold. Mauzas Satbatitaki, Abhoymukundapur, Astidangar, Baju, Bhatbar, Bhuson, Bhoipur, Chhatrabotya, Dahuka, Dangaipara Dasagram, Durgachak, Dharmachak, Elagora, Erahiangar, Kulbhori, Gargreyachak, Guri, Gobindachak, Gobindapur, Gopalbar, Jamaria, Juti, Kalankoi Chhota, Kurangi, Kalikuchak, Kunorpur, Kotal, Khagrabheri, Khandorbari, Khursal, Laktanda, Modhubar, Mohamudchak, Masandichak Masagan, Mukundapurbat, Palsal Dakhin, Radhamohanchak, Ramchak, Ramdangor, Saibani, Serachak, Sinadharchak, Srichandanpur, Tafsia, Tala, Taladiha, Trilochanpur, Suriha. Simulia, 9a 11g. 1k 1d share of each of the above mauzas will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale	Romani Moni Dasi, guardian of Amulya Charan Jana, minor.	954 3 2	.....	73 2 3
884	Ph. Chetua, M. Shyamsundarpur.	2,907 11 3	.....	S. A No. 1 ... ... Eight annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will be refunded from the sale.	Sailendra Nath Mitra.	1,464 15 9 including Paikan.	.	2 8 0 Paikan.
937	Ph. Kusijora, M. Gurpursottampur *alias* Chaitanyapur.	748 10 8	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1 and 2 only. 12as. 16g. share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Trailokya Nath Maiti and another.	590 14 8	...	2 5 8 Sept. 1916 to Mar. 1917.
982	Ph. Kasijora, M. Jhagarkona.	943 10 7	Entire ...	.....	Rajendra Nath Bag and another and 4 others.	.....	73 15 7	... ..
983	Ph Kasijora M. Magurl	3,776 15 7	..	Residuary share excluding S. A. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 only. Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Kripa Sindhu Masanta and 2 others.	944 3 6	. ...	74 7 10
983	Ditto ...	3,776 15 7	. ...	S. A No. 3 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold. All other share than that specified will excluded from the sale.	Adhar Chand Nandi	941 4 0	...	73 4 6
983	Ditto ..	3,776 15 7	...	S. A. No. 4 ... ... Four annas share of the estate will be sold All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Navadwip Chand Nandi.	941 4 0	. ...	73 4 6
1025	Ph. Kasijora, M. Sridharbasan *alias* Dhanlarhu.	1,442 6 7 14 6 11	L. R. entire Police	.....	Chan. Parsonath Masanta and another.	.....	113 0 7 1 6 11	L. R. Police.
1466	Ph. Khandar, M. Barbanal.	19,085 0 0	....	S. A. No. 23 ... ... The following share of the mauzas will be sold :—	Baikunthn Nath Malik Sabait of Latki Janardan jew Thakur.	1,359 10 8	.	121 13 7

	A.	G.	K.	.
Mauza Satanchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Turiachak ..	10	13	1	1
,, Narma ...	5	6	2	2
,, Panchanandachak	10	13	1	1
,, Paramashandachak	10	13	1	1
,, Paikanchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Paddarchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Ramchak ...	5	6	2	2
,, Radhakrishnachak	10	13	1	1
,, Mallikpur ...	10	13	1	1
Alaukapur ...	10	13	1	1
,, Arunchak ..	10	13	1	1
,, Banamchu ...	5	6	2	2
,, Bandpala ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bichhachar ...	10	13	1	1
,, Bacha ...	10	13	1	1
,, Brindabanchak	10	13	1	1
,, Bhagirchak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gomunda ..	10	13	1	1
,, Gomachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Gouranga chak	10	13	1	1
,, Jagatpur ..	5	6	2	2
,, Jogubarlachak ...	10	13	1	1
,, Purichak ...	5	6	2	2

All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1894	Ph. Matkadpur, M. Matkadpur.	1,070 8 10	Entire ...	.....	Navadip Chand Nandi and 3 others.	.....	2 6 6	.....
2348	Ph. Sabang, M. Mahar.	1,302 1 0	.....	Residuary share excluding S. A. No. 1. 8 annas share of the estate will be sold. All other shares than that specified will be excluded from the sale.	Krishna Das Mondol and another.	651 0 6	.....	50 15 0 June and Sept. 1917.
2617	Ph. Shipur, M. Srirampur.	3,900 0 6	Entire ...	This entire estate will be sold under section 14 of Act XI of 1859 on account of arrear of residuary share. Part II.	Chaudhuri, Srikanta Das Mahapatra, etc., and 24 others.	65 1 6	.....	181 9 2 Jan. 1915 to Mar. 1917.
2882	Ph. Pataspur, M. Mirjapur.	520 0 0	Entire ...	.....	Nilkantha Rath and 9 others.	.....	11 3 6	.....

W. A. MABB, Collector.

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917.

Notification A.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 7th January 1918 at 12 noon for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by law are realizable as arrears of land revenue.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
26 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Barabazu.	9,853 2 0	No ...	Joint share only	Moulvi Wazed Ali Khan Pani and others.	3,196 7 0	.....	228 12 3
26 5	Ditto ...	9,853 2 0	No ...	Separate Account No. 3 consisting of 6 as. 8 gds. share of the estate.	Mr. E. Bignold, General Manager, Court of Wards.	3,888 10 0	.....	120 2 6
13333	Joar Baluskandi, pargana Barudakhat.	3,696 13 0	Yes ...	.....	Pyari Mohan Dhar Choudhury and others.	.....	702 10 6	.....
107	Zemindari, pargana Nasirujjal.	879 2 0	Yes ...	.....	Surendra Prosad Lahiri Choudhury.	.....	44 1 9	.....
11 Jt.	Zemindari, pargana Atia.	910 3 0	No ...	Joint share.—10 as. 17 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287⅞ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 14 as. 16 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287⅞ dhuls share of kismat Chackaria, Khail Sindur Aller Bilsha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina; 13 as. 12 gds. 2 coras 1 dt. 287⅞ dhuls share of all other remaining kismats of the estate will be sold and 5 as. 2 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72⅞ dhuls share of kismat Charan; 1 a. 3 gds. 3 kts. 2 dts. 72⅞ dhuls share of Char Karia, Khail Sindur, Aller Bilsha, Sholaci, Arrah, Brahman Jiali and Khurjan, Bablapara with Chandina and 2 as. 7 gds. 2 kts. 2 dts. 72⅞ dhuls of all other remaining kismats of the estate will not be sold.	Girish Chandra Roy Choudhury and others.	766 0 0	.....	23 8 9

B. N. RAY, Additional Collector.

Mymensingh Collectorate, the 1st December 1917.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 6 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates and shares of estates in the district of 24-Parganas will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 9th January 1918, at 12 noon, for arrears of land revenue.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietor of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
15-1	Kismat Khartberia and others, pargana Magura.	4,040 5 0	.....	3 annas share in the estate.*	Kali Pado Rai Chaudhuary.	758 13 5	.....	194 9 1
392	Huda Joy. Railway station Chandipur, pargana Azimabad.	8,313 7 8	.....	Residuary share 2a. 13gds. 1c. 1kt. share.*	Nobo Kishore Mondal and others.	1,385 9 2	.....	126 12 11½
392-4	Ditto Ditto ...	8,313 7 8	.....	2a. 13gds. 1c. 1kt. share*.	Ditto ...	1,385 9 4	.....	126 11 7
567-1	Atghara and others, pargana Anarpur.	2,084 1 7	.....	8 annas share in the estate*.	Mohendra Nath Gain and others.	1,042 0 9½	.....	112 0 6½
2456	Mauza Krishnapur, pargana Khosalpur.	772 2 0	Whole estate	.....	Adyanath Bhattacharjee and others.	.....	238 11 10	.....

* All the shares besides those specified will be excluded from the sale.

24-Parganas Collectorate, Certificate Department, Alipore, the 28th November 1917. H. C. CHATARJI, for Collector.

Notification B.

NOTICE is hereby given, under sections 5 and 13, Act XI of 1859, that, unless the arrears mentioned below are paid on or before the next latest date of payment, viz., the 12th January 1918, the undermentioned estates or shares of estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up for sale at the office of the Collector of that district on the 14th January at 12 o'clock for the said arrears.

When in columns 5, 7 and 9 of the following statement it is stated that only a share is to be sold, it is to be understood that a separate account is kept for that share :—

Tauzi No.	Name of mahal and pargana.	Sadar jama of whole estate.	Whether the whole estate is to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, specification of such share or shares.	Names of proprietors of property to be sold.	If only a share is to be sold, the sadar jama of such share.	If the whole estate is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	If only a share is to be sold, the arrears due from it.	Nature and amount of demand for which to be sold.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Rs. A. P.				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1518	Ph. Khandar, M. Churka *alias* Jhilonga.	637 6 3	Entire ...	.....	Kripasindhu Masanta and three others.	.....	51 9 3	.....	Rev. 51 9 3 Cess. 18 4 9
1668	Ph. Khandar, M. Sabarabar.	518 10 9	Do. ...	.....	Moheswar Masanta and four others.	.....	24 3 9	.....	Rev. 24 3 9 Cess. 20 10 9

Midnapore Collectorate, the 30th November 1917. W. A. MARR, Collector.

Advertisement of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned plot of land, no longer required by Government, situated at the junction of Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane and the New 40 feet Road connecting Krishna Bihari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street in the district of 24-Parganas, will be put up to sale at 12 o'clock on Monday, the 28th January 1918, corresponding with the 15th Magh B. S., at the Land Acquisition Collector's Office, 2 Commercial Buildings, Calcutta.

The purchasers of the several plots of land will be subject to the following conditions :—

1st—The purchasers will have no power to make any excavations on the land nearer than fifteen feet from the railway boundary, or to plough the land nearer than three feet from the same.

2nd—If the amount of purchase-money does not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount must be paid down at once.

3rd—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount must be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale shall be cancelled, the sum deposited being forfeited to Government, and the lot again put up for sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

4th—The plot of land will be sold revenue-free to the highest bidders.

5th—The sale will become final on receipt by the Collector of the orders of the Commissioner confirming it, and a regular conveyance will then be granted to the purchaser.

Consecutive lot No.	Name of district.	Pargana and mauza.	Number of mile on which land is situate.	Situated on which side of the railway.	Approximate area of lot in bighas and in acres. B. K. C.	Acres and decimals.	Land excluded from sale from each lot. Reasons for exclusion.	Acres and decimals.	Commencement and termination of lot.	Boundary of lot.
1	24-Parganas	Portion of No. 5, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane, Calcutta.	.....	.....	0 0 15 6 s.ft.	·0155	.....	.....	.....	*North*—By Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane. *East*—By a New Road connecting Krishna Behari Sen Lane and Peary Charan Sarkar Street. *South and West*—By premises No. 5-1, Bhowani Charan Dutt Lane.

Calcutta Collectorate, the 7th December 1917. BUNGSIDHAR BANERJEE, Land Acquisition Collector.

BANK OF BENGAL.

Statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th December 1917.

LIABILITIES.

		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund ...	Rs. 2,17,50,000 0 0			
Transfer to Special Reserve Fund for Depreciation of Investments, *see below*	„ 67,50,000 0 0	1,50,00,000	0	0
Reserve for Depreciation of Investments ...		67,50,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ...	Rs. 3,06,96,172 14 9			
Ditto ditto at Branches ...	„ 1,21,31,906 0 4	4,28,28,078	15	1
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches		29,96,06,451	3	10
Bank Post Bills, etc		14,21,396	6	10
Sundries		17,59,351	13	5
		38,73,65,278	7	2

ASSETS.

	Rs	A	P
Government Securities	6,36,70,522	0	0
Other authorized Investments	1,36,52,690	0	0
Loans on Government and other authorized Securities	4,82,60,193	11	8
Accounts of Credit on ditto ditto ...	4,73,75,903	9	7
Bills discounted and purchased	4,68,87,673	13	11
Balances with other Banks	76,66,994	5	10
Bullion	.....		
Dead Stock	28,87,985	8	5
Stamps	12,181	8	1
Sundries	3,71,924	13	9
	23,07,80,069	2	3
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office* ... Rs. 10,84,46,981 8 9			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches† ... Rs. 4,81,32,277 12 2	15,65,79,209	4	11
	38,73,65,278	7	2

* Includes Sovs & ½ Sovs ; value Rs. 3,78,247 8 0

† Do. do. do. „ 5,72,610 0 0

Rs. 9,50,857 8 0

Rate for Demand Loans 5 per cent.

Percentage 45·30

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, 20th December 1917.

H. MITCHELL, Chief Accountant.

N. H. Y. WARREN, Secretary and Treasurer.

(2992—1)

Abstract statement of the Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund for the quarter ending 31st January 1917, being the third quarter of the year 1916-17, compared with the corresponding quarter of the year 1915-16.

PARTICULARS.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1917.	For the quarter ending 31st January 1916.	Increase	Decrease.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance in favour of the Fund at the end of the previous quarter	1,40,94,738 15 10	1,43,29,018 10 11	.....	2,34,279 11 1
ADD INCOME—				
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Widows' Fund	70,110 9 0	73,447 8 6	.....	3,336 15 6
Subscriptions from 1st November to 31st January in the Children's Fund	24,368 5 0	27,853 1 0	.....	3,484 12 0
Fees and stamps	2 0 0	12 0 0	.....	10 0 0
Income and outlay on Office buildings and grounds	990 10 0	812 2 0	178 8 0	.....
Amount at credit of subscribers under Rule 55 transferred to Divisible Surplus	916 8 0	576 12 0	339 12 0	.....
Amount of Fine imposed on subscriptions in arrears	.....	3 6 2	.....	3 6 2
Amount of Interest charged on subscriptions in arrears ...	.....	0 9 0	.....	0 9 0
Total Income ...	96,688 0 0	1,02,855 6 8	818 4 0	6,486 10 8
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,41,91,426 15 10	1,44,31,874 1 7	818 4 0	A 2,40,765 5 9
DEDUCT EXPENDITURE—				
Pensions payable to incumbents in the Widows' Fund ...	1,88,957 2 11	1,91,030 13 7	.....	2,073 10 8
Ditto ditto in the Children's Fund ...	92,662 15 11	94,686 1 9	.....	2,023 1 10
Establishment and contingencies	6,888 13 3	7,198 9 5	.....	309 12 2
Loss by exchange on remittances out of India ...	9,878 14 3	11,816 0 9	.....	1,937 2 6
Commission paid for money-orders	580 0 0	627 4 6	.....	47 4 6
Commission to Messrs. Coutts & Co.	4,005 8 0	2,683 1 4	1,322 6 8	.....
Total Expenditure ...	3,02,473 6 4	3,07,541 15 4	1,322 6 8	B 6,390 15 8
Balance in favour of the Fund ...	1,38,88,953 9 6	1,41,23,832 2 3	—504 2 8	C 2,34,374 6 1
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,41,91,426 15 10	1,44,31,874 1 7	818 4 0	2,40,765 5 9
Proportion of divisible surplus payable to qualified members of more than five years' standing	70,815 15 0	75,057 9 0	.....	4,241 16 0

	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.	Widows' Fund.	Children's Fund.
Number of subscribers (on 31st January)	667	329	706	365	...	...	39	36
Number of incumbents (on 31st January)	738	806	740	809	...	...	2	3
Number of subscribers sharing abatement (on 1st May) ...	697	350	737	372	...	...	40	22

	Rs. A. P.
A.—Net decrease in grand total of income	... 2,39,947 1 9
B.—Net decrease in total expenditure	... 5,068 9 0
C.—Decrease in balance	... 2,34,878 8 9

S. B. THOMSON,
Accountant.

N. HAMILTON, (offg.),
Chartered Accountant.
R. A. FREITAS.
} *Auditors.*

Published by order of the Directors,
J. M. MENDES.
Secretary.

U. S. F. P. Fund Office, Calcutta, the 10th December 1917.

(2994—1)

Notice.

PURSUANT to the orders of Government, dated the 29th June 1881, particulars of the undernoted articles held by the Calcutta Port Commissioners as Receivers of Wrecks, each article being of value exceeding Rs. 100, are published for general information in accordance with the provisions of section 76, Act VII of 1881.

No. and date in Recovery Register.	Description of articles	Weight.	Approximate value.	Where and when recovered.	Where lying.
			Rs.		
28th August 1917. 5 P. A	One log of red wood of dimensions 9′ 3″ × 3′ 3″ × 3′ 2″ bearing the following distinguishing marks $\frac{7080}{467}$, $\frac{9 \times 151}{8}$, $\frac{24}{24}$ and $\frac{37 \times 39}{8}$, $\frac{8}{18}$.	Cwt. qr. lb.	150	In the river, 27th August 1917.	Port Commissioners' Store, Kidderpore.

E. A. CONSTABLE, Deputy Conservator.

Port Commissioners' Office, Calcutta, the 17th December 1917. (3006—3)

Notification of sale.

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to the decrees and orders of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction made in suit No. 1260 of 1915 (wherein Heera Lal Datta and others are plaintiffs and Sreemutty Bhuban Mohini Dasi and others are defendants) and dated, respectively, the 25th February 1916, the 1st May 1917, the 25th June 1917 and the 31st August 1917 by the Registrar, High Court, Original Side, in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 12th day of January 1918, at 12 noon the following property :—

Lot 1A.—All that partly one and partly two-storeyed brick-built dwelling-house together with the land thereunto belonging and on part whereof the same is built containing by measurement 6 cottahs 2 chitaks and 37 square feet, being premises No 20-4-1A (formerly a portion of premises No. 20-4), Brindabun Bysack Street, in Sutanuty, North Division, of the town of Calcutta, and which premises are numbered Lot 1A on the plan prepared by the surveyor appointed by the Registrar and coloured red, and are bounded on the north partly by premises No. 17, Nemoo Gosain's Lane, partly by premises No. 20-4, Brindabun Bysack Street, and partly by the passage marked X on the said plan common to premises Nos. 20-4A and 20-4-1A, Brindabun Bysack Street, aforesaid, on the east partly by premises No. 20-4A, Brindabun Bysack Street, partly by the said common passage X and partly by Lot 1B, on the south by a passage marked Y on the said plan common to Lot 1B premises Nos. 20-10 and 20-9, Brindabun Bysack Street, and partly by a sewered ditch, and on the west by premises No. 19, Nemoo Gosain's Lane, together with the right (jointly with the owners of No. 20-4A, Brindabun Bysack Street) to the said common passage X which is partly open land and partly two-storeyed buildings and contains an area of 85 square feet.

Lot 1B.—All that undivided one-twentieth part of the partly one and partly two-storeyed brick-built dwelling-house together with the land on part whereof the same is erected containing by measurement 12 cottahs 3 chitaks and 10 square feet, situate at Brindabun Bysack Street, in Sutanuty, North Division, of the town of Calcutta, marked Lot 1B on the said plan and coloured yellow. This property bears no municipal number, but is common to the owners of premises Nos. 20-1 to 20-10, Brindabun Bysack Street, and premises Nos. 79 to 81, Nemoo Gosain's Lane, and is bounded on the north partly by premises No. 20-5, Brindabun Bysack Street, partly by an open land marked V on the said plan common to premises Nos. 20, 20-5, 20-6, 20-7, 20-8 and 20-8-1, Brindabun Bysack Street, and premises Nos 7, 9 and 11, Nemoo Gosain's Lane, partly by premises No. 20-6, Brindabun Bysack Street, partly by an open land marked W on the said plan common to premises Nos. 20, 20-6, 20-8 and 20-8-1, Brindabun Bysack Street, and premises Nos. 1, 3, 7, 9 and 11, Nemoo Gosain's Lane, partly by a passage marked Z on the said plan common to Lot 1B and premises No. 19, Brindabun Bysack Street, on the east partly by the said open land V and partly by the said common passage Z, on the south by Brindabun Bysack Street, and on the west partly by premises No. 20-10, Brindabun Bysack Street, partly by the said common passage Y, partly by Lot 1A and partly by the said common passage X.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale, together with a plan of the lots to be sold, may be seen at the Office of the said Registrar or at No. 8, Old Post Office Street, the office of Babu Syama Charan Basak, the plaintiffs' attorney, on any day before the sale and will be produced at the sale.

J. H. HECHLE, Registrar.

Syama Charan Basak, Attorney for the plaintiffs.

High Court, Original Side, Calcutta, the 20th day of November 1917. (2942—1—2916)

In the Court of the Munsif, 1st Court, Bankura.

TITLE SUIT No. 691 OF 1917.

Rajaram Paramanick and others, plaintiffs, *versus* Baikantha Nandi and 3 others, defendants.

[*Notice under Order 1, rule 8 of the Civil Procedure Code.*]

WHEREAS the marginally-noted persons have, on behalf of the Kumbhakar Samaj of Rajhat thana, instituted the above suit against the above-named defendants for declaration of title to and recovery of possession of 8 cottahs of land alleged to be included in the southern *Pahar* of Koomerband tank in mauza Patpur in police-station Chowki and district Bankura and, among other things, for demolition of walls and privy erected by the said defendants on the said land, and the 3rd day of January 1918 has been fixed for the settlement of issues, all interested persons are hereby informed that any one interested may apply to the Court to be made a party to such suit.

1. Rajaram Paramanick of Nikunjapur.
2. Akhoy Patra of Pirralani.
3. Syama Charan Sanyasi of Sendra.
4. Kesab Sanyasi of Sendra.
5. Mohendra Mandal of Kamardihi.
6. Surya Mandal of Brindabanpur.
7. Babulal Patar of Rajgram.

J. K. BISWAS, Munsif.

Bankura, the 15th December 1917. (2981—1)

Insolvency Notice.

COURT FOR THE RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS AT CALCUTTA.

In the matter of KEDAR NATH PAL, an insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tuesday the 22nd day of January next is appointed for the further hearing in this matter for the purpose of declaring a Dividend and that an account in detail of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 4th day of June 1909 until the 8th day of December 1917 has been filed, and may be inspected in the office of the Chief Clerk. Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the Estate of the said insolvent will be heard, notice having been given at the office of the Registrar three clear days before the hearing.

The like Notice.—In the matter of Kally Prosonno Dey, an insolvent, wherein the account of the Official Assignee from 30th May 1907 to 8th December 1917 has been filed at the office of the Registrar

G. M. FALKNER, Official Assignee.

Calcutta, the 17th December 1917. (2968—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 124 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th April 1917, filed by Kali Charan Nunia, son of late Ramdhan Nunia, of Chetla Hât Road, 99, Rakhal Das Auddy's Bagan, thana Alipore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Kali Charan Nunia and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2872—1—2922)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 169 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 16th June 1917, filed by Profullo Kumar Nandi, son of late Dwarika Nath Nandi, of Panihati, thana Khordaha, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Profullo Kumar Nandi and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2873—1—2932)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 174 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th June 1917, filed by Sarat Chandra Ghose son of Babu Abinash Chandra Ghose, of 19-3, Canal West Road, thana Maniktala, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Sarat Chandra Ghose and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2874—1—2926)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 116 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 24th April 1917, filed by Nilmani Das, son of Rasik Chandra Das, of Eirpur, thana Mugrahat, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Nilmani Das and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2875—1—2935)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 173 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 18th June 1917, filed by Hemendra Nath Mukerjee, son of Nibaran Chandra Mukerjee, of Malikbora, thana Habra, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Hemendra Nath Mukerjee and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2876—1—2924)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 180 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th June 1917, filed by Saroda Prosad Nath, son of late Bhut Nath Nath, of 86, Russa Road, South Toligonge, at present of Behala, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Saroda Prosad Nath and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2877—1—2923)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 183 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 27th June 1917, filed by Panchanan Paik, of Kola, thana Habra, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Panchanan Paik and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2878—1—2927)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 170 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th June 1917, filed by Kunjo Behary Nandi, son of late Dwarika Nath Nandi, of Panihati, thana Khordaha, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Kunjo Behary Nandi and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2879—1—2936)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 109 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 19th April 1917, filed by Korban Khan, of 3-18, Miar Bagan, thana Narikeldanga, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Korban Khan and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2880—1—2925)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 204 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 16th July 1917, filed by Gokul Lalla, son of late Bageswar Lalla, of Sonai, thana Muchikhola, and on the application of Gokul Lalla and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge,

(2881—1—2934)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 149 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 26th May 1917, filed by Abdur Rahaman, of 68-1-1, Beniapukur Road, thana Beniapukur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Abdur Rahaman and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2882—1—2928)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 165 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 11th June 1917, filed by Fazlar Rahaman, of 21, Sreerampur Road, thana Beniapukur, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Fazlar Rahaman and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2883—1—2933)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 188 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th June 1917, filed by Hari Nath Mitra, of Dakhin Gocharan, police-station Joynagar, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Hari Nath Mitra and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.

(2884—1—2929)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 187 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 29th June 1917, filed by Srish Chandra Mitter, of Dakhin Gocharan, police-station Joynagore, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Srish Chandra Mitter and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
(2885—1—2930)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 211 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 24th July 1917, filed by Imam Mia, of Bheritola, thana Chitpur, and on the application of Imam Mia and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
(2886—1—2937)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the 4th Court of the Sub-Judge at Alipore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 208 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 20th July 1917, filed by Harish Chandra Sadhukhan, of Rajibpur, thana Buzbuz, district 24-Parganas, and on the application of Harish Chandra Sadhukhan and on reading the petition and hearing the pleader for the petitioner it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 5th day of December 1917.

B. C. KUNDU, Sub-Judge.
(2887—1—2931)

In the Court of the District Judge of Bakarganj.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 19 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Radhakisore Poddar, son of late Lakhikanta Poddar, of Kashabhog, station Palong, district Faridpur, has applied to this Court to be declared insolvent and 8th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the petition and for examination of the petitioner.

D. C. PATTERSON, District Judge.

Barisal, the 15th December 1917. (2962—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Birbhum.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 15 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Syid Khudu Mean, son of Syid Sahebjan Mean, of Jatra, thana Shahapur, district Birbhum, applicant in the above case, was adjudged an insolvent by this Court on the 3rd December 1917.

G. B. MUMFORD, District Judge.

Suri, the 19th December 1917. (2984—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the 1st Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 92 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 2nd July 1917, filed by debtor Sheik Arman, son of late Sheik Akali of Hashara, police-station Srinagar, district Dacca, and on the application of the debtor himself, and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 15th day of December 1917.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.
(2965—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 141 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Sheik Kamar Ali, son of late Shudhani of Kushanda, police-station Gheor Manikganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 8th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 17th December 1917. (2966—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge, Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 146 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Hor Kumar Chakraborty, son of late Abhoy Charan Chakraborty of Bahor, police-station Rajabori, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 17th December 1917 (2967—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 147 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Lalit Mohan Saha, son of late Gobinda Chandra Saha, of Agla Kowlahati, police-station Nababganj, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 19th December 1917. (2995—1)

NOTICE.

In the 1st Court of Sub-Judge of Dacca.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 154 OF 1917.

ON the application of the debtor Hashim Bhuiah, son of late Mahmadali Bhuiah, of Jatramurah, police-station Baidyerbazar, district Dacca, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 26th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the said application and for the examination of the debtor.

SUKUMAR BHATTACHARJI, Sub-Judge.

Dacca, the 19th December 1917. (2996—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Dinajpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 89 OF 1917.

RAHIM BAKASH SARDER, son of Golam Arfus Sarder, deceased, resident of Filna, known as Chyankuri, police-station Porsha, district Dinajpur, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent. The 28th January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Dinajpur.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 17th December 1917. (2961—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 24 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 31st July 1917 by Jatindra Nath Shaha, son of late Gopinath Shaha of Chandibardi, police-station Nagarkanda, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

Faridpur, the 17th December 1917. (2969—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 26 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 6th August 1917 by Raj Kumar Nath, son of late Durga Charan Nath, of Bhojeswar, police-station Palong, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing Babu Hem Chandra Mukherjee, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 17th December 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2970—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Faridpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 36 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition filed on 4th September 1917 by Bepin Chandra Sil, son of Madan Mohan Sil, of Dashazar, police-station Sadarpur, district Faridpur, and on reading his affidavit and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated the 17th December 1917.

J. C. H. MACNAIR, District Judge.

(2971—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 51 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Ashutosh Kundu, son of late Muktaram Kundu of Narayanpore, thana Arambag, district Hooghly, was, on the 13th June 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 4th day of January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 25th July 1917. (1974—1—2941)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sarat Chandra Bishui, son of late Mati Lal Bishui, of Aknapara, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 145 of 1917, and that the 18th day of January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th October 1917. (2589—1—2943)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Sarada Prosad Dey, son of late Harananda Dey, of Udoyrajpore, thana Goghat, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 144 of 1917, and that the 11th day of January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 9th October 1917. (2592—1—2942)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 116 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nanda Lal Datta, son of late Rasik Lal Datta, of Howrah Harkard Lane, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was, on the 27th September 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 4th day of January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 13th October 1917. (2663—1—2940)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 77 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mohadeb Pal, son of late Kittibash Pal, of Tilokchak, thana Arambag, district Hooghly, was, on the 21st September 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 4th day of January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 13th October 1917. (2664—1—2939)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 33 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bhudhary Ch. Mondol, son of late Kshettra Mohon Mondol, Kulbatpore, thana Arambag, district Hooghly, was, on the 31st August 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 4th day of January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 10th October 1917. (2665—1—2938)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 28 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Sotal Ram Bhakat, son of late Harka Ram Bhakat, at present of Sheoraphuli, thana Serampore, district Hooghly, was on the 30th November 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 4th January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th December 1917. (2862—1—2912)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 114 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jadunath Nandy, son of late Modhu Sudan Nandy, of South Byantra, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, was on the 5th October 1917 adjudged an insolvent. The 4th January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th December 1917. (2863—1—2913)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Lakshmi Narayan Chakrabarty, son of late Jogendra Nath Chakrabarty, of Kinkorboti, thana Haripal, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 174 of 1917, and that the 4th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th December 1917. (2865—1—2915)

In the Court of the District Judge of Hooghly.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Satya Charan Kundu, son of Sashi Bhusan Kundu, of Kumrad, thana Dhaniakhali, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 171 of 1917, and that the 4th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

S. K. GHOSE, District Judge.

Chinsura, the 8th December 1917. (2866—1—2914)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Krishna Chandra Kurar, son of late Bonomali Kurar, of South Bantra, thana Howrah, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 83 of 1917, and that the 8th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge at Howrah.

Howrah, the 10th December 1917. (2894—1—2920)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. 57 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Nibaran Chandra Bosu, son of late Ramgopal Bosu, of Khalona, thana Bagnan, district Hooghly, was, on the 1st December 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 8th January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge

Howrah, the 10th December 1917. (2895—1—2921)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Ram Narayan Sen, son of late Govinda Ch. Sen, of Mugkallyan, thana Bagnan, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No. 118 of 1917, and that the 4th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof,

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 13th December 1917. (2921—1—2919)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

INSOLVENCY PETITION No. $\frac{58}{117}$ OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mukundaram Paul, of Keshabpore, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, was, on the 5th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent. The 11th January 1918 has been fixed for framing a schedule and creditors are required to prove their claims on that day.

H. C. MAITLAND, Additional District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th December 1917. (2929—1—2917)

In the Court of the Additional District Judge of Hooghly at Howrah.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to his creditors that the insolvency petition of Abdul Rajab Naskar, son of Hazi Abubakkar Naskar, of Monshadanga, thana Domjur, district Hooghly, has been admitted by this Court as No 84 of 1917 and that the 7th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

H. C. MAITLAND, Addl. District Judge.

Howrah, the 14th December 1917. (2930—1—2918)

In the Court of the District Judge of Jalpaiguri.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 87 OF 1917.

DHERAKANTA DAS, son of Duryyun Das, deceased, resident of Sukhani Duyari Khari, police-station Rajganj, district Jalpaiguri, has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent The 14th January 1918 has been fixed for examination of the petitioner at Jalpaiguri.

R. R. GARLICK, District Judge.

Dinajpur, the 17th December 1917. (2960—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Krishnagar.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 42 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 3rd October 1917, filed by Panchu Majhi, son of late Nepal Majhi of Kandoa, police-station Nakashipara, district Nadia, and on the application of the debtor petitioner and on reading his application and hearing his pleader on 1st December 1917 it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Dated this 18th day of December 1917.

P. C. DE District Judge.

(2964—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge at Midnapore.

INSOLVENCY APPLICATION No. 32 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 30th August 1917, filed by Chaitan Doloi, son of late Haladhar Doloi, of Rajnagar, pargana Chetua, police-station Daspur, applicant-debtor, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading the deposition of the above debtor and hearing Babu Atul Chandra Bose, pleader, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

Notice is hereby given to all the creditors that 23rd January 1918 has been fixed for proof of debts by the creditors and they must prove their debts on that date.

Dated this 19th day of December 1917.

W. W. DELEVINGNE, District Judge.

(2997—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 68 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that Shekh Sarip, son of Pagal Mamud, of Maruakandi, police-station Fulpur, district Mymensingh, has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and the 12th January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the case.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge

Mymensingh, the 18th December 1917. (2982—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Mymensingh.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1917.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated the 7th September 1917, made by Gangadhar Saha, son of Arjun Chandra Saha, of Sherpur town, thana Sherpur, district Mymensingh, and on the application of the debtor himself and on reading his application and hearing his pleader it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent.

J. D. CARGILL, District Judge.

Mymensingh, the 15th December 1917. (2983—1)

ORDER OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 35 OF 1917.

In the matter of Nilmoni Ghosh, son of late Gobinda Chandra Ghosh, residing at Bilmola, police-station Santhia, district Pabna.

PURSUANT to a petition, dated 15th March 1917, filed by the abovenamed debtor and on the application of the abovenamed debtor and on examining the said petitioner and hearing Babu Abinash Chandra Sarkar, the pleader for the applicant, it is ordered that the debtor be and the said debtor is hereby adjudged insolvent, and Babu Jogendra Nath Kar, pleader, is appointed Receiver of his assets.

Notice is given to the creditors that the 4th day of January 1918 has been fixed for the proof of debts by the creditors and that they should prove their claims on or before that date.

Dated this 14th day of December 1917.

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

(3002—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 94 OF 1917

WHEREAS Jenatali Mandal, son of late Rajab Mandal, of Gopinathpur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 7th December 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1918 for hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office	District.	Amount of debts.
				Rs.
1. Banka Bihari Saha	Nanya ...	Atghar ia	Pabna ...	225
2. Asimaddin Sarkar ...	Aital ...	Sulanga ...	Do. ...	250
3. Ajanali Mandal ...	Gopinath-pur	Atgharia	Do. ...	41
4. Ajgar Fakir ...	Chak Gun-pur.	Ditto ...	Do. ...	26

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 17th December 1917. (3003—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No 95 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Rahim Baksha Mandal, son of late Bishu Mandal of Dadpur, police-station Raiganj, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 7th December 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 4th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village	Post-office.	District.	Amount of debt.
				Rs. A. P.
1. Abul Hosson Talook-dar.	Dhupil ...	Salanga ...	Pabna ...	143 9 9
2. Fazal Munshi Talook-dar.	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	80 0 0
3. Jonaball Talookdar	Do. ...	Do. ...	Do. ...	98 0 0
4. Jaladhar Mistri ...	Baradhul	Karmar-khanda.	Do. ...	39 0 0
5. Rahammut Shek ...	Dadpur ...	Atgharia	Do. ...	50 0 0
6. Junamali Shek ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	29 13 9
7. Jubbar Shek ...	Do. ...	Ditto ...	Do. ...	38 0 0
8. Ram Govinda Guha ...	Atgharia	Ditto ...	Do. ...	70 0 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 17th December 1917. (3004—1)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE DATE OF HEARING OF AN INSOLVENCY PETITION.

[*Section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907.*]

In the Court of the District Judge of Pabna and Bogra.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 97 OF 1917.

WHEREAS Kalam Pramanik, son of late Hela Pramanik, of Chak Paikhanda, police-station Sahazadpur, district Pabna, has applied to this Court, by a petition, dated the 11th December 1917, to be declared insolvent under the Provincial Insolvency Act III of 1907, and your names appear in the list of creditors filed by the aforesaid debtor, this is to give you notice that the Court has fixed the 11th day of January 1918 for the hearing of the aforesaid petition and examination of the debtor. If you desire to be represented in the matter you should attend in person or by a duly instructed pleader. The particulars of the debts alleged in the petition to be due to you, are as follows :—

Names of creditors.	Village.	Post-office.	District	Amount of debts.
				Rs. A.
1. Rupial Saha	Bangala ...	Jamirta ...	Pabna...	344 0
2. Trailokshaj Nath Saha.	Jagannath-pur.	Bera ...	Do. ...	305 0
3. Umesh Misthiri ...	Chithalia	Do. ...	Do. ...	25 0
4. Benode Saha	Jagannath-pur.	Do. ...	Do. ...	32 8
5. Gayanath Sarkar ...	Binatia ...	Jamirta ...	Do. ...	50 0
6. Ram Charan Misthiri	Chithalia	Bera ...	Do. ...	40 0

M. C. GHOSH, District Judge.

Pabna, the 18th December 1917. (3005—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Nadia.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 44 OF 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, under clause 2 of section 12 of the Provincial Insolvency Act, III of 1907, to their creditors that the insolvency petition of Priya Lal Saha and Radha Binode Saha of Kushtia, police-station Kushtia, district Nadia, has been admitted by this Court No. 44 of 1917 and that 5th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing thereof.

P. C. DE, District Judge.

Krishnagar, the 18th December 1917. (2963—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 53 OF 1917.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Nabin Chand Sircar, son of late Bidyadhar Sircar, of Boulia, police-station Kharba, district Malda, petitioner (debtor).

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 12, clause (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 5th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that ate.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 17th December 1917. (2985—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 49 OF 1917.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Nasiruddin Sirdar, son of late Sabani Sirdar, of Sukhandighi, police-station Nanhata, district Rajshahi, petitioner (debtor).

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 12, clause 2 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 5th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 17th December 1917. (2986—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 46 OF 1917.

(SUMMARY ADMINISTRATION.)

Nabinuddin Pramanik, son of late Salim Pramanik, petitioner (debtor).

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

[*Under section 12, clause (2) of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

THE 12th January 1918 has been fixed for the hearing of the petition and the examination of the said debtor and for further proceedings. Proof of claim must be lodged in Court on or before that date.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 18th December 1917. (2988—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rajshahi.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 36 OF 1917.

NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION.

[*Section 16 of the Provincial Insolvency Act.*]

NOTICE is hereby given that Mohesh Sirdar, son of late Manu Sirdar, of police-station Gurudaspur, district Rajshahi, was adjudicated an insolvent by this Court on the 4th day of August 1917.

C. H. MOSELEY, District Judge.

Rajshahi, the 18th December 1917. (2987—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 125 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. MALLIK, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

PHOZOO MAMUD, son of late Badia Mamud of Chengmari, police-station Kishorganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 15th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 17th December 1917. (2973—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 142 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jahiruddin, son of late Tamizuddin, of Juan Khan, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 15th December 1917. (2974—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 144 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Jamiruddin, son of late Tamizuddin, of Juan Khan, police-station Pirgachha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 15th December 1917. (2975—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 141 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. MALLIK, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Umor Khan, son of late Upashoo Khan, of Bamunia, police-station Domar in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur the 18th December 1917. (2976—1)

NOTICE.

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 96 OF 1917.

PRESENT:

S. C. MALLIK, ESQ., I.C.S., District Judge.

ANNADA MOHON BARMAN, son of late Lakshmi Kanta Adhikary of Ghatabill, police-station Badarganj, in the district of Rangpur, was, on the 15th December 1917, adjudged an insolvent by this Court.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 17th December 1917. (2977—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 143 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Nazir Mamud, son of late Noota Mamud of Juan Khan, police-station Pirgacha, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 12th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 15th December 1917.

(2978—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 147 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Rajat Seikh, son of late Phoram Seikh, of Ramna, police station Chilmari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th December 1917. (3000—1)

In the Court of the District Judge of Rangpur.

INSOLVENCY CASE No. 146 OF 1917.

PRESENT :

S. C. Mallik, Esq., I.C.S., District Judge.

ON the application of the debtor Phazaldi Seikh, son of late Phoram Seikh, of Ramna, police-station Chilmari, in Rangpur, for being adjudged an insolvent, the 19th day of January 1918 has been fixed for hearing the aforesaid petition and the examination of the debtor.

S. C. MALLIK, District Judge.

Rangpur, the 18th December 1917. (3001—1)

Notice.

WANTED a Sub-Overseer for the Barrackpore Local Board, 24-Parganas, on a salary of Rs. 25—½—35, and travelling allowance according to Civil Service Regulations, not to exceed Rs 20 per month. None need apply who is not qualified agreeably to Government Notification No. 3334 L.S.-G., dated the 20th December 1901.

Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned up to Wednesday, the 2nd January 1918. Preference will be given to one who has experience in Local Board works.

K. D. GUPTA, District Engineer.

Alipore, the 17th December 1917. (2998—1)

Notice.

WANTED by the District Board of Nadia temporarily for 5 months a passed B.E, to act as Supervisor, on a monthly salary of Rs. 80 with a consolidated fixed travelling allowance of Rs 30 per mensem. Candidates having experience in the department will be preferred. Applications with copies of testimonials will be received by the undersigned on or before the 5th January 1918. The selected candidate will have to join immediately.

BISWAMBHAR RAY, Vice-Chairman.

Krishnagar, the 19th December 1917. (2991—1)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Malda District Board at a special meeting held on 10th December 1917 resolved that the rate of road cess to be levied in the district during the ensuing financial year 1918-19 be fixed at two pice in the rupee.

KADER BAKHSH, Vice-Chairman.

Malda, the 18th December 1917. (2990—1)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Rajshahi have, at a special meeting held on the 10th December 1917, fixed the rate of road cess for the year 1918-19 for that district at six pies per rupee on the annual value of lands, etc., under section 46 of the Local Self-Government Act (Act III of 1885).

A. CASSELLS, Chairman, District Board.

Rajshahi, the 14th December 1917. (2979—1)

Road Cess Notice.

THE District Board of Pabna have, at their special meeting held on 17th December 1917, fixed the rate of road cess for the year 1918-19 in that district at the minimum rate of six pies in the rupee on the annual value of all lands, etc., under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III of 1885, as amended by the Bengal Local Self-Government (Amendment) Act, 1908.

WASIM UDDIN AHMED, Vice-Chairman.

Pabna, the 18th December 1917. (2980—1)

Road Cess Notification.

IT is hereby notified for general information that under section 46 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act, III (B.C.) of 1885, the District Board of Nadia have at their special meeting held on the 8th December 1917, determined to levy the road cess in the district of Nadia, during the ensuing year 1918-19 at the maximum rate as prescribed by law.

BISWAMBHAR RAY, Vice-Chairman,

Krishnagar, the 18th December 1917. (2989—1)

Notice.

LARGE quantities of earthwork are to be done in the Howrah District this season. The works are very urgent and estimated to cost about Rs. 2 lakhs or more. Notice is hereby given to intending contractors to submit tenders for the various works as soon as possible. All details of the works can be ascertained in the office of the undersigned. Satisfactory proof of commands of labour will be given preference. Only people who can start immediately need apply.

A. N. MITRA, Executive Engineer,

Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

Imperial Secretariat Buildings, Calcutta, the 14th December 1917.

Notice.

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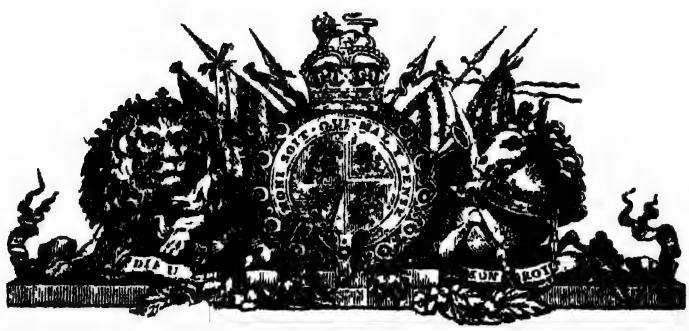

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PART IV.

Bills introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council, Reports of Select Committees presented or to be presented in that Council, and Bills published before introduction in that Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 1389L., dated the 20th December, 1917.—The following Bill was introduced in the Bengal Legislative Council on the 18th instant, and is hereby published for information, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons annexed thereto:—

THE BENGAL PRIMARY EDUCATION BILL, 1917.

[NOTE :—The figures in the right-hand margin of this Bill indicate the clauses of the Bombay Primary Education (District Municipalities) Bill, 1917, as amended by the Select Committee.]

A

BILL

to provide for the extension of primary education in all Municipalities in Bengal and other selected areas in Bengal.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the extension of primary education in all Municipalities in Bengal and other selected areas in Bengal;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title and extent.

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Primary Education Act, 1917.

(*2*) It extends in the first instance to all Municipalities in Bengal:

Provided that the Local Government may, by notification, extend the provisions of this Act, *mutatis mutandis*, to selected areas within the jurisdiction of District Boards which have been constituted into Union Committees under section 38 of the Bengal Local Self-Government Act of 1885, and authorize the Union Committees in such areas to exercise all the powers and duties conferred or imposed on the Commissioners by this Act, subject to such control by the District or Local Boards as the Local Government may prescribe in this behalf. Ben. Act III of 1885.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,— [*Cf.* 2.]

(*1*) "to attend a recognized primary school" means to be present for instruction at such school for so many and on such days in the year and at such time or times on each day of attendance as may be prescribed by the Local Government or the School Committee;

(*2*) "child" means a male child whose age is not less than six and not more than ten years;

(*3*) "the Commissioners" means the persons for the time being appointed or elected to conduct the affairs of a Municipality;

(*4*) "guardian" includes a parent and any person who is liable to support, or has the actual custody of, a child;

(*5*) "Municipality" means any place in which the Bengal Municipal Act, 1884, or any part thereof, is in force, and includes Calcutta as defined in clause (*7*) of section 3 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1899; Ben. Act III of 1884. Ben. Act III of 1899.

(*6*) "primary education" means such instruction in reading, writing and arithmetic and other subjects (if any), as may be prescribed from time to time for primary schools by the Local Government;

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(7) "recognized primary school" means a school (or a department of a school) appropriated to primary education and for the time being recognized by the Local Government as being maintained in accordance with their requirements.

(8) "School Committee" means a committee constituted under section 7.

Power of Commissioners to declare primary education compulsory.

3. (1) The Commissioners may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, declare by notification that primary education shall be compulsory within the Municipality or any part thereof. [Cf. s.]

(2) Every notification issued under this section shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in the local newspapers and shall be posted at the Municipal office and at such other places, if any, as the Commissioners shall deem necessary, specifying the date on and from which primary education shall be compulsory within the area mentioned in the notification.

Commissioners to make provision for primary education before issue of notification

4. No notification shall be issued under section 3 unless the Commissioners have made such provision as the Local Government consider necessary and sufficient for the primary education of all children within the area mentioned in the notification for whom such education would be compulsory on the issue of such notification. [Cf. s.]

Resolution to be passed before issue of notification

5. No notification shall be issued under section 3 unless the Commissioners have so determined by a resolution passed at a general meeting specially called in this behalf. [Cf. s.]

Application for sanction to issue notification.

6. Every application for sanction to issue a notification under section 3 shall be made in such manner as the Local Government may by rules in this behalf prescribe; and such certificate or particulars as may be prescribed by such rules, showing that the requirements of sections 4 and 5 have been complied with, shall be furnished with the application. [Cf. s.]

Constitution of School Committee

7. When a notification has been issued in any Municipality under section 3, the Commissioners shall appoint a School Committee to be constituted in such manner as they may prescribe by by-laws under section 21; and it shall be the duty of such Committee, subject to the provisions of this Act, to enforce the provisions of this Act in respect of the attendance of children at school and the employment of children: [Cf. s.]

Provided that the Deputy Inspector or the Sub-Inspector of Schools shall be a member of every such Committee.

Duty of guardian to send child to school.

8. In every area to which this Act applies, it shall be the duty of the guardian of every child residing within that area to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school unless, in the opinion of the School Committee, there is a reasonable excuse for the non-attendance of the child. [Cf. s.]

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Non-attendance when excusable.

9. Any of the following circumstances shall be deemed to be a reasonable excuse for the non-attendance of a child at a recognized primary school :— [*Cf.* 8.]

(*a*) that there is no recognized primary school within a distance of one mile, measured along the nearest road, from the residence of the child, which the child can attend, and to which the parent has no objection to send the child ;

(*b*) that the child is prevented from attending school by reason of sickness, infirmity, domestic necessity, the seasonal needs of agriculture, or other sufficient cause ;

(*c*) that the child is receiving instruction in some other satisfactory manner.

Issue of attendance order by Magistrate.

10. (*1*) When the School Committee is satisfied that the guardian of any child, who is bound under the provisions of section 8 to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school, has failed to do so, the School Committee, after due warning to such guardian, may apply to a Magistrate for an order to compel the guardian to enforce the attendance of such child, and the Magistrate shall fix a day for the hearing of the application and cause notice thereof to be given to the guardian. [*Cf.* 9.]

(*2*) On the day fixed for the hearing of the application or on any subsequent day to which it may be adjourned, and after hearing the guardian or any authorized agent on his behalf, if he is present, the Magistrate, if satisfied of the truth of the facts alleged in the application, may pass an order directing the guardian to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school from a date which shall be specified in the order.

Penalty for failure to obey attendance order.

11. (*1*) Any guardian against whom an order with reference to a child has been passed by a Magistrate under section 10 and who fails without reasonable excuse to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school from the date specified in such order, shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding two rupees. [*Cf.* 10.]

(*2*) No Magistrate shall take cognizance of an offence under this section except on the complaint of the School Committee.

Prohibition of employment of children.

12. No person shall, without the permission of the School Committee, take into his employment any child who is required to attend a recognized primary school under this Act. [*Cf.* 11.]

Employer's Liability.

13. (*1*) The School Committee may, after due warning, prosecute any employer who contravenes the provisions of section 12. [*Cf.* 11.]

(*2*) Unless such employer is able to satisfy the Magistrate that there is no recognized primary school within a distance of one mile, measured along the nearest road, from the residence of the child or that the time and nature of the child's employment are such that he is not prevented from receiving elementary education at school, or that the child is receiving instruction in some other satisfactory manner, or that the child

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was employed under false representations as to age, residence and other conditions, or without his knowledge and consent by an agent or workman under him for whose prosecution he is willing to afford the necessary facilities, he shall, on conviction before a Magistrate, be liable to a fine not exceeding twenty rupees.

Liability of employer's agent.

14. When the act of taking a child into employment in contravention of this Act is in fact committed by an agent or workman of the employer, that agent or workman shall be liable to the same penalty, in the same manner, and subject to the same conditions as if he were the employer. [*Cf.* 11.]

Delegation of certain functions by School Committee.

15. An application to a Magistrate under section 10 and a complaint to a Magistrate under section 11 or 13 may be made on behalf of the School Committee by an agent authorized by such Committee in this behalf. [*Cf.* 12.]

Exemption from compulsory education.

16. The Local Government or a School Committee may exempt any class of persons or community from the operation of this Act. [*Cf.* 15.]

Education cess.

17. (*1*) When a notification under section 3 is in force in any Municipality, the Commissioners may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, impose a tax, to be known as an "education cess", if their existing resources or any grant from Government are not sufficient to meet the cost of such primary education. [*Cf.* 13.]

(*2*) An education cess shall not be imposed unless the Commissioners, by a resolution passed at a general meeting, determine to impose such cess and the resolution is supported by at least two-thirds of the Commissioners present at the meeting.

(*3*) The proceeds of the education cess shall be devoted by the Commissioners solely to the purposes of primary education.

(*4*) The education cess shall be imposed and levied in the manner prescribed by rules, to be made by the Local Government in this behalf on the recommendation of the Commissioners.

(*5*) Whenever an education cess is levied within any area, primary education shall be made free within that area.

Remission of fees.

18. When a notification under section 3 is in force in any Municipality, if the guardian of any child, who is bound under the provisions of this Act to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school maintained by the Commissioners shall declare in writing to the Head Master of any primary school that he is unable to pay the fees ordinarily charged in such school, such child shall be admitted to such school free of charge during the period for which such parent is bound under the provisions of this Act to cause such child to attend a recognized primary school: [*Cf.* 14.]

Provided that—

(*a*) no fee shall be levied from the guardian of a child compelled to attend school, if his monthly income does not exceed twenty rupees;

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(*b*) the Commissioners or the School Committee may remit the whole or any part of the fee payable by any guardian either on the ground of poverty or for other sufficient cause.

Schools to be open to inspection.

19. All primary schools maintained by the Commissioners in any area in a Municipality in which a notification under section 3 is in force shall be open to inspection by such officers as the Local Government may appoint in this behalf.

Withdrawal of notification on default.

20. When the Local Government are of opinion that the Commissioners have made default in any of the requirements of this Act, they may, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, stating the grounds of such order, cancel any notification which has been issued under section 3. [*Cf.* 16.]

Power to Commissioners to make by-laws.

21. The Commissioners may, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, make by-laws prescribing—

(*a*) the manner in which the School Committee shall be constituted, the number of its members, their duties and their mode of transacting business;

(*b*) the steps which the School Committee may take to secure the attendance of children at school.

Functions of Local Government not to be delegated.

22. The Local Government shall not delegate its functions under this Act to any of their subordinate officers.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE object of the Bill, which follows the Bombay Primary Education (District Municipalities) Bill, 1917, is to make primary education in the Municipalities within the Presidency including the Corporation of Calcutta compulsory. As Municipalities in the Presidency are generally the centre of light and leading, compulsory primary education should be introduced in them first. It will be optional, however, with the Municipalities or particular Municipalities to enforce the provisions of the Bill within their areas. Provision is also made that the Act may be applicable to Union Committees as they are destined ere long to play an important part in the Municipal life of the country as indicated in Government's reply to the Resolution of the Hon'ble Babu Ambika Charan Mazumdar for extension of Municipalities in head-quarter stations of subdivisions and important centres of trade, etc., on the 5th March, 1917.

It is admitted on all hands that unless the masses of the people are educated and intellectually elevated, the country cannot advance in any department of public life. Some form of compulsion is necessary for a diffusion of primary education among the masses and provision has been made for such compulsion

I have purposely made education compulsory among "boys" and not among "girls".

In case the financial condition of a Municipality does not permit of introducing this measure, power is given to the Municipality to levy an "education cess" with the sanction of the Local Government, with this proviso that where such a cess is levied, primary education shall be free.

Provision is also made for exemption of certain classes or communities from taking the benefit of this Act.

CALCUTTA:
The 10th December, 1917.

SURENDRA NATH RAY,
Member in charge.

A. M. HUTCHISON,
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APPENDIX.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

THE following Notices are published for general information.

F. A. A. COWLEY,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

CALCUTTA, *the 18th December 1917.*

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal replaced.

No. 332 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 182M. of 1917), are republished :—

Former Notice No. 173-M. of 1917. *(This office No. 324 of 1917.)*

Subject.—The following buoys were replaced in their positions on the dates given against each :—

Bhatkal Buoy—8th November 1917.
Dart Rock Buoy at Murdeshwar, 9th November 1917.

Authority. The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated the 18th November 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—BURMA.

Rangoon River and Approaches—Information regarding lights.

No. 333 (first publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 187M. of 1917), are republished :—

Details.—All lights in the approaches to Rangoon River and the leading lights in the river are now exhibited with effect from the night of 4th December 1917

Authority.—The Principal Port Officer, Burma, Rangoon, dated 3rd December 1917.

AUSTRALIA—South-east coast.

Gabo Island Light—Alteration in Character.

No. 334 (first publication).—

Subject.—The character of the light on Gabo Island has been altered from Occulting with *White* and *Red Sectors* to *Group Flashing* with *White and Red Sectors.*

Position.—Lat. 37° 34½′ S., long. 149° 55′ E.

Character.—*Group Flashing* with *White* and *Red Sectors*, showing *three* flashes in quick succession every *nine* seconds, thus:

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec	5½ secs.

Sectors.—*Red* from 204° (S. 14° W. Mag.) to 228° (S. 38° W. Mag.). *White* from 228° (S. 38° W. Mag.) to 54° (N. 44° E. Mag.). *Red* from 54° (N. 44° E. Mag.) to 94° (N. 84° E. Mag.) Obscured elsewhere.

Power.—White light, 13,000 candles. Red light, 5,000 candles.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched, but the Signal Station is continued as heretofore.
The remaining details of the light are unaltered.

Note.—Notice No. 174 of 1917 is hereby cancelled.

Charts affected.—No. 3169, Port Phillip to Gabo Island.
" 1211, Gabo Island to Port Jackson.
" 1017, Gabo Island to Montagu Island
" 2759B, Australia, Southern Portion.
" 788, Melbourne to Cape Horn. Western Sheet

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917, No. 2508.
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 546.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 26 of 1917.

BAY OF BENGAL—Hugli River and Approaches.

Mud Point to Sandheads—Lighted Channels.

No. 335-I (first publication).—

Subject.—All light-vessels and Gas buoys from Mud Point to Sandheads and the Saugor light have been relighted.
The Eastern Channel light-vessel will exhibit the new single flashing white light, with a flash of one second in a period of thirty seconds, visible in clear weather 12 miles. The usual blue light will be shown from sunset to sunrise as heretofore, at the hour and half hour during the S. W. Monsoon and at the hours only during the N. E. Monsoon.
The characteristics, etc., of the other lights remain unchanged.
Phuldobi Night Semaphore is in operation and exhibiting the rise of tide signals from sunset to sunrise.

Authority.—Deputy Conservator, Port of Calcutta, letter No. 5029, dated the 18th December 1917.

The 10th December 1917.

AUSTRALIA—East Coast.

Breaksea Spit—Establishment of light-vessel postponed.

No. 327 (second publication).—With reference to Notice to Mariners No. 187, of 1917, issued by this Office, the Comptroller-General of Customs, Melbourne, has given further Notice (No. 21 of 1917) that the proposed establishment of a light-vessel off Breaksea Spit is postponed until further notice.

AUSTRALIA—South Coast. Spencer Gulf.

Wedge Island Light—Intended Alteration in Characteristics.

No. 328 (second publication).—

Subject.—The Single Flashing White Light on Wedge Island will be replaced by a Group Flashing White Light on or about 1st January 1918.

Position.—Lat. 35° 10½′ S., long. 136° 29′ E.

Structure.—Lantern carried on a square wooden cylinder house, painted red, in position of old skeleton tower. Height, 22 feet.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light showing *two* flashes in quick succession every *ten* seconds, thus .

Flash.	Eclipse.	Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	8 secs.

Elevation.—675 feet.

Visibility.—23 miles.

Power.—5,000 candles.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. No further notice will be given.

Charts affected.—No. 2389, St. Vincent and Spencer Gulfs.
.. 2759*b*, Australia, Southern Portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI. 1917
Australia Directory, Vol. I, 1907, page 187.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 22 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—North Coast. Dundas Strait.

Cape Don—Light established.

No. 329 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 209 of 1917.

Subject.—The flashing white light on Cape Don is now permanently established.

Position.—About 200 feet from the Western extreme of the Cape. Lat. 11° 18½′ S., long. 131° 46′ E.

Structure.—*Grey* Concrete Tower, lantern painted *White*. Height 118 ft. The tower shows about 58 ft. above the trees on the Cape.

Character.—*White* Single Flashing, showing *one* flash every *five* seconds, thus—

Flash.	Eclipse.
¼ sec.	4¾ secs.

Elevation.—163 feet: not 166 feet as formerly stated.
Visibility.—19 miles: from 320° (N. 43½° W. Mag.) through *North*, *East*, and *South* to 212° (S. 28½° W. Mag.). Obscured elsewhere.
Power.—150,000 candles.
Charts affected.—No. 613, Melville Island with Dundas and Clarence Straits.
No. 1044, Groote Eylandt to Cape Ford.
,, 2759*a*, Australia, Northern portion
,, 942*b*, Eastern Archipelago. Eastern portion—Part 2.
Publications.—Australia Pilot, Vol. V, 1914, page 91.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 23 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST, INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Chapman Island—Intended New Light, Beacon to be discontinued.

No. 330 (second publication).—

Subject.—(1) The new Single Flashing White Light will be exhibited experimentally, on or about 1st December, 1917.
(2) The Square Black Beacon will be discontinued on or about 1st December, 1917.
Position.—On the north-west end of the reef, about 1½ cables northward of the existing beacon.
Lat. 12° 53′ S., long. 143° 35½′ E.
Structure.—Steel Skeleton Tower, painted Red and White, on concrete piers. Height, 61 feet.
Character.—Single Flashing White Light, showing one flash every five seconds, thus—

Flash.	Eclipse.
½ sec.	4½ secs.

Elevation.—56 feet.
Visibility.—13 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.
Remarks.—The Light will be unwatched. Further notice will be given.
Charts affected.—No. 2920, Cape Direction to Cape Grenville.
,, 2921, Claremont Point to Cape Direction.
,, 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.
,, 2759*a*, Australia, Northern Portion.
,, 780, Pacific Ocean, South-West Sheet.
Publications.—Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 121.
List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917.
Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 21 of 1917.

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST, INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

Piper Islands—Light Established—Piper Islands Lightship Withdrawn—Beacon Discontinued.

No. 331 (second publication).—

Former Notice.—No. 210 of 1917.
Subject.—
(1) the Group Flashing White Light is now permanently established:

(2) the Piper Islands Lightship is withdrawn; and

(3) the Red Triangular Beacon is discontinued.

New Light—Position.—On the East Elbow of Eastern Reef, Piper Islands, in the position previously occupied by Red Triangular Beacon. Lat. 12° 15¼′ S., long. 143° 14¾′ E.

Structure.—Steel Skeleton Tower, painted Red, on concrete piers. Height, 61 feet.

Character.—Group Flashing White Light, showing four flashes in quick succession every twenty seconds, thus:

Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse	Flash	Eclipse.
½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	1 sec.	½ sec.	15 secs.

Elevation.—56 feet.

Visibility.—13 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Charts affected.—No. 2920, Cape Direction to Cape Grenville.,

„ 2764, Coral Sea, Sheet 2.

„ 780, Pacific Ocean, South-West Sheet.

„ 2759*a*, Australia, Northern Portion.

Publications.—List of Lights and Time Signals, Part VI, 1917, No. 2747.

Australia Directory, Vol. II, 1907, page 430.

Authority.—Melbourne Notice No. 25 of 1917.

The 3rd December 1917.

PERSIAN GULF.

Kharag Island—Position of a new Wireless Telegraphy Masts.

No. 323 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 171M. of 1917), are republished:—

(*a*) The position of the North-western Mast. At a distance of about 9 cables 103° (S. 79° E. Mag.) from Mir Muhammad.

Lat. 29° 15′ 00″ N.
Long. 50° 20′ 00″ E. } Approximate.

(*b*) The South-eastern Mast is situated at a distance of about ·44 cable 135° (S. 47° E. Mag.) from (*a*).

The Masts are 88 yards apart and bear 315° (N. 47° W. Mag.) and 135° (S. 47° E. Mag.) from each other.

Height—The height of the Mast heads above high water is 105 feet, and the South-eastern Mast is 141 yards from high water line

Variation.—2° Easterly.

Chart affected.—No. 2837*b*, Persian Gulf, Western Sheet, with plan.

Publication—Persian Gulf Pilot, 1915, page 272.

Authority.—The Officer Commanding H. M. S. "Lawrence", dated 25th August 1917.

INDIA, WEST COAST.

Buoys between Alibág and Bhatkal replaced.

No. 324 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 173M. of 1917), are republished :—

Subject—The following buoys were replaced in their positions on the dates given against each :—

	1917.
Ambulgad Buoy	15th October.
Chaldea Rock Buoy	13th „
Rájkot Buoy	21th September.
Johnstone Castle Rock Buoy ...	24th „
Málwan Harbour Buoy	24th „
Bubra Rock Buoy	9th October.
Vengurla Harbour Buoy	4th „

Authority—The Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, dated 7th November 1917.

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ADEN.

Position of Wireless Masts.

No. 325 (third publication).—The following particulars, etc., relative to the above, issued by the Director of the Royal Indian Marine, Bombay, in Notice to Mariners (No. 175M. of 1917), are republished :—

Position—The centre mast is situated 1,020 yards, 180° (S. 1° W.) from S. E. corner of Commandant's House, and in lat. 12° 49′ 23″ N., long 45° 2′ 10″ E.

The two other masts bear respectively 95½° (S. 83½° E.) and 275½° (N. 83½° W.) from centre mast, distant 167 yards.

Description—Steel masts, 305 feet high (from ground).

Variation—1° W.

Charts affected—No. 7, Aden Harbour and Approaches, No. 66, Gulf of Aden, Sheet 2.

Publication—Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1909, p. 401.

Authority—Commanding Officer, H.M.S. "Lanka," November 22, 1916.

CEYLON, EAST COAST—TRINCOMALEE BAY.

Foul Point light—Temporarily extinguished.

No. 326 (third publication).—

Subject—The Foul Point light will be extinguished temporarily for repairs from the 7th January 1918.

Position—Lat. 8° 32′ N., long. 81° 19′ E.

Remarks—A further Notice will be issued when the light is re-exhibited.

Charts affected—No. 816, Trincomalee harbour.
„ 815, Harbour and Bays of Trincomalee.
„ 2031, Ceylon, east coast.
„ 828, Cape Comorin to Cocanada.
„ 70, Bay of Bengal.

Publications—List of Lights, Part VI, 1916, No. 519.
Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1910, page 158.

Authority—Master Attendant, Colombo, Notice dated 13th November 1917.

G. H. S. LATOUCHE, COMDR., R.I.M.,
Deputy Port Officer of Calcutta.

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RESOLUTION ON THE REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL, FOR THE YEAR ENDING THE 30TH JUNE 1917.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Agriculture Branch.

CALCUTTA, THE 20TH DECEMBER 1917.

RESOLUTION—No. 8872Agri.

READ—

The Report of the Department of Agriculture, Bengal, for the year ending the 30th June 1917.

MR. S. MILLIGAN of the Imperial Agricultural Service was in charge of the Department throughout the year, and Mr. F. Smith, Deputy Director of Agriculture, Western Circle, was in charge of operations in the Presidency and Burdwan Divisions. In Eastern Bengal the Department has been

short-handed : Mr. Hector, Economic Botanist, was absent, on leave, throughout the year : Mr. McLean, Deputy Director of Agriculture, joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers on the 5th October 1916, and Mr. Annett, Agricultural Chemist, was deputed to the United Provinces on special duty connected with the war on the 28th September 1916. The Director of Agriculture took charge of Mr. McLean's work, and Mr. Finlow, Fibre Export, supervised the departments of the Economic Botanist and Agricultural Chemist. In consequence of this depletion of the expert staff no original work could be undertaken, and Mr. Annett's important work on date-palm sugar was unavoidably suspended. Nevertheless, the report is able to indicate the many-sided activities of the Department. There has been satisfactory progress in utilizing the results of previous investigation and in the continuance of experimental work on the lines of the past. As in the previous year there was a Superintendent of Agriculture in each of the five divisions, and there were ten District Agricultural Officers, the additional officers mentioned by the Director having been appointed after the close of the year.

2. One of the most interesting features of the year's work was the distribution in the Dacca and Mymensingh districts of small quantities of *Kakya Bombai* jute seed and *Indrasail* paddy seed through panchayats to cultivators. This represents the culmination of a careful survey over many years during which the qualities of over 2,000 varieties of paddy and 500 varieties of jute have been tested with reference to their yield and hardihood. The heavy yields of the above named two varieties and the growing demand for seed were mentioned in the report of 1915-16 : this demand has been fully maintained and arrangements are being made for distribution on a larger scale in the coming year in the districts of Eastern and Northern Bengal. Other important work affecting the Eastern districts is the discovery of the manurial value of " water hyacinth ", a weed which has become a source of serious obstruction to navigation, and has been found to contain a large proportion of potash. Mr. Finlow's investigations have already resulted in the sale of about 750 tons of hyacinth ash representing the destruction of about 75,000 tons of the green plant. There is a growing demand in Eastern Bengal for sugarcane setts from the agricultural farms and for Darjeeling seed potatoes, and the problems of distribution are receiving attention.

3. In Western Bengal the Department is not yet in a position to recommend agricultural improvements on the same scale as in those portions of the Province to which the experimental work of the Dacca Farm is immediately applicable. There has been a marked increase in the area under groundnuts in the Birbhum district ; but Mr. Milligan advocates caution in the extension of this crop owing to its liability to virulent disease, the methods of overcoming which have not yet been tested. The " Kataktara " variety of autumn rice has been proved to be a high yielder at the Dacca Farm, and sufficient seed is now available for preliminary trials in Western Bengal where it is expected to be suitable. The use of bonemeal manure is reported to be making some headway in the western districts.

4. Further knowledge has been obtained on the subject of *ufra*, the disease which causes serious ravages in the deep-water winter rice crop of several districts in the Dacca and Chittagong Divisions. It has been known for some time that this disease is due to a parasite called *Tylenchus Angustus* which is able to remain alive in the rice stubble during the interval between harvest and sowing : it has also been known that autumn rice, transplanted winter rice and *boro* rice, which is usually transplanted in December and January, are comparatively free from the disease. It has now been established that all kinds of rice are equally capable of developing the disease under favourable conditions, but that deep-water winter rice is particularly susceptible for two reasons : there is often a very short interval between the drying of the stubble of the old crop and the sowing of the new crop and the parasite is thus able to survive this interval, and the crop begins to mature at a season when the atmosphere is at its dampest, when the plants are particularly susceptible to the attacks of the parasite. The advice which has previously been given to burn the rice stubble

completely as soon as possible after the harvest still holds good, and as Mr. Milligan has observed, complete destruction of the stubble after harvest would probably prove a cure for the disease ; but the fact that on the lowest ground the stubble does not become dry enough for burning until very shortly before sowing time renders it very difficult to give full effect to this advice, and as the rising water carries infection from one field to another, a field on which the stubble has been carefully burnt may suffer in the following year. The alternative to complete destruction of the stubble is the substitution of a different crop the stubble of which will not remain on the ground until sowing time. The reply to such advice would generally be that no crop but deep-water winter rice can be grown on the land because the water rises so high : in 1913 Dr. Bulter expressed his doubts as to the validity of this argument, and he remarked that in certain areas in the Noakhali district transplanted winter rice had been substituted for the broadcast variety as a result of the extension of jute cultivation, inasmuch as jute can be followed by a crop of transplanted rice, but not by a crop of broadcasted rice. Dr. Butler also remarked on the fact that transplanting is much more troublesome than sowing broadcast, and he mentioned this as an explanation of the contention that it was impossible. His views receive confirmation from the facts reported by the Collector of Dacca regarding one of the worst *ufra*-infected tracts in his district in which transplanted *boro* rice has recently been substituted on a considerable scale for winter rice sown broadcast. Similarly, in the flood affected portions of Noakhali district cultivators were induced to grow *boro* rice in 1916. In this connection much interest attaches to the report of the Divisional Superintendent of Dacca that transplanted rice has been introduced as a novelty with good results in Faridpur district. During the year under review Mr. Shaw, the Imperial Mycologist, has continued the investigation of this important subject of *ufra*, and the Mycological Collector at Dacca has been principally employed in connection with it : an Assistant Mycological Collector was employed for six months in surveying *ufra*-infected tracts in Faridpur and in a portion of Bakarganj district and large areas were found to be infected. The Collectors of Dacca and Tippera in consultation with the officers of the Department conducted experiments in early ploughing and stubble burning in their districts : the results were inconclusive owing to the liability to infection by flowing water of the area dealt with in Dacca, while the freedom from *ufra* of the area dealt with in Tippera may have been due to other causes as the disease was much less prevalent than usual in the neighbourhood. These experiments, however, have not been without their value in concentrating attention on the disease, and the Governor in Council desires to acknowledge the assistance which Mr. Hart, the Collector of Dacca, has given to the Agricultural Department in this connection. This subject has been reviewed at length because the Governor in Council desires once more to impress on his officers the importance of combating the disease : he trusts that all District and Subdivisional Officers in the areas affected, who have not already done so, will make themselves acquainted with the literature on the subject, and will endeavour, in consultation with the officers of the Agricultural Department, to encourage remedial measures. He considers that the importance of dealing effectively with a virulent disease to which the most important crop of the Presidency is liable is greater than that of introducing new crops and improved agricultural methods.

5. At the close of the year the stock at the Rangpur Cattle Farm included 73 cows, 2 bulls, 65 bullocks and 49 calves and young stock. The worst of the cows are gradually being weeded out and replaced by animals conforming to a definite type, but only 19 of the cows came up to the qualifying yield for admission to the herd of 1,000 lbs. of milk per annum. No advance was made during the year in carrying out the new policy of developing two distinct herds, indigenous and cross-bred, in order to facilitate a decision whether the cattle of the Presidency can best be improved by direct importation from elsewhere or by breeding in the Presidency with selected local bulls or with imported bulls.

6. The Sericultural branch of the Department continued to work on the same lines as in previous years. Babu A. C. Ghose, Superintendent of Sericulture, was in charge of the operations for the production of disease-free seed cocoons at central nurseries for sale to rearers, the supervision of the production of seed cocoons by selected professional rearers, the disinfection and structural improvement of village rearing houses, and the improvement of mulberry plantations. There was a marked advance in the price obtained for silk during the year, and the departmental receipts from the sale of seed cocoons increased from Rs. 16,828 to Rs. 28,737. The expenditure on the nurseries amounted to Rs. 91,361 which does not include interest on the outlay on buildings. Mr. Hutchinson, the Imperial Agricultural Bacteriologist, has published an important bulletin on pebrine disease from which it appears that the existing methods for detecting pebrine in the silkworm moth are of doubtful efficacy : arrangements have been made to try the new and more accurate method described by him. On the experimental side Mr. P. C. Chaudhuri continued at the Berhampore nursery the work initiated by M. Grangeon : one of his hybrid races was tried by a member of the Silk Committee : the outturn of silk was satisfactory, but the multivoltine character of the race does not appear to be absolutely fixed. Miss Cleghorn continued to rear on a larger scale the hybrid Italian-Japanese and *Nistari* race started in 1911 : there is no doubt as to the vitality of this race under the hygienic conditions in which Miss Cleghorn rears it, and it now remains to test it at one of the nurseries under conditions more nearly approximating to those which village rearers can provide.

7. Mr. Pillai, the Weaving Master, visited all the principal weaving centres in Bengal and was in close touch with the Co-operative Department without whose assistance the prospects of Bengal weavers would be gloomy.

8. The Governor in Council has much pleasure in acknowledging the valuable services of Mr. Milligan as Director of Agriculture : he has shown marked administrative ability in the organization of schemes of seed distribution, and his expert knowledge of agriculture has been of great help in dealing with the numerous problems which confront the Department. He desires also to record his appreciation of the good work done by Mr. Finlow, whose duties have been very onerous owing to the absence of so many members of the staff : his patient work on jute at the Dacca Farm has been rewarded by the appreciation of the growing number of people who have profited by the use of *Kakya Bombai* jute seed. Babu Rajeswar Das Gupta, whose services are highly spoken of by the Director, has been promoted since the close of the year to officiate for Mr. McLean as Deputy Director of Agriculture. The jute firms in Eastern Bengal have continued to co-operate with Mr. Finlow in the testing of jute seed, and the supervision which they have given to the cultivation of comparative plots has made it possible to rely on the accuracy of the results obtained : their assistance has not only advertised a particular kind of jute seed but has helped to make the Agricultural Department better known among cultivators. No less valuable have been the services rendered by Presidents of Panchayats in the Dacca district and by non-official workers in Rangpur and in the districts of Western Bengal. On all sides there are signs of an increased interest in the work of the Department, and there are demands for assistance which the existing staff has much difficulty in meeting.

By order of the Governor in Council.

L. BIRLEY.

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 24th December 1917.

Summary.—The week was rainless. Reaping of winter paddy continues briskly with good outturn. *Rabi* sowings are still going on in places. Transplanting of summer rice has just commenced. The present conditions are favourable for the standing spring crops. The average price of common rice for the province is gradually falling.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather; condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Inches.			
1	24-Parganas	Nil	10⅝	10⅝	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of *aman* paddy and sugarcane continues. Fodder and water are sufficient No cattle-disease is reported.
	Diamond Harbour.	Nil	12 5/16	12 5/16	
	Barrackpore	Nil	9	9	
	Barasat ...	Nil	11	11	
	Basirhat ...	Nil	14	14	
2	Nadia ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Harvesting of *aman* paddy continues. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Kushtia ...	Nil	10	10	
	Meherpur ...	Nil	9½	9½	
	Chuadanga...	Nil	(*n*)	9	
	Ranaghat ...	Nil	10½	10½	
3	Murshidabad	(*n*)	(*n*)	12	Report not received.
	Lalbagh ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	11½	
	Jangipur ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	13	
	Kandi ...	(*n*)	(*n*)	12	
4	Jessore ..	Nil	10	10	Weather intensely cold. Harvesting of winter rice and sowing of *rabi* crops are going on. Prospects of standing crops are fair.
	Jhenidah ...	Nil	12	12	
	Magura ...	Nil	15	15	
	Narail ...	Nil	14	14	
	Bangaon ...	Nil	13⅓	13⅓	
5	Khulna ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Satkhira ...	Nil	16	13	
	Bagerhat ...	Nil	14	14	

Note.—For subdivisional stations, figures of rainfall and prices relate to the week ending on the previous Saturday. The prices reported from Noakhali are those prevailing on the previous Saturday. From all other head-quarters stations, figures for prices and rainfall relate to the week ending on Monday.

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	Nil	10½	10½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is going on. Standing crops are doing well. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Galsi.
	Asansol ...	Nil	11	11	
	Katwa ...	Nil	14½	14½	
	Kalna ...	Nil	11	(*n*)	
7	BIRBHUM ...	Nil	11½	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Fodder and water sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Rajnagar.
	Rampurhat	Nil	12	12	
8	BANKURA ...	Nil	14	14	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Vishnupur ...	Nil	14	14	
9	MIDNAPORE	Nil	9 1/16	9 1/16	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice continues. Prospects of the standing crops are excellent. Fodder and water sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ghatal ...	Nil	13	10⅝	
	Tamluk ...	Nil	9⅛	9⅛	
	Contai ...	Nil	13	13	
10	HOOGHLY ...	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Fodder and water are available. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Serampore ...	Nil	10	10	
	Arambagh ...	Nil	12	(*n*)	
11	HOWRAH ...	Nil	8¼	8¼	Weather seasonable. Oilseeds, pulses and other *rabi* crops are doing well. The harvesting of *aman* paddy continues and that of sugarcane has commenced at places. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Ulubaria ...	Nil	9	8½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Stocks of food-grains and fodder are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	Nil	10	10	
	Nator ...	Nil	12	12	
13	DINAJPUR ...	Nil	10¾	10¾	Weather seasonable. Prospect and condition of winter rice are fair. Sowing of *rabi* crops is nearing completion. Harvesting of winter rice is in progress. Water, fodder and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Thakurgaon	Nil	11	11	
	Balurghat ...	Nil	11	12	
14	JALPAIGURI	Nil	9½	9½	Weather seasonable. Condition of standing crops is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Ramshai.
	Alipur ...	Nil	8	8	

(*n*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	Nil	8½	8	Weather seasonable. Winter rice, *marua*, and cardamom are being harvested. Wheat, barley, and mustard are doing well. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	Nil	(*a*)	7½	
	Siliguri ...	Nil	(*a*)	10	
	Kalimpong...	Nil	8	8	
16	RANGPUR ...	Nil	9	9	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter rice is going on. Prospects of standing crops are good. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Nilphamari	Nil	9	9	
	Kurigram ...	Nil	8½	8½	
	Gaibandha ...	Nil	9	9	
17	BOGRA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Ploughing of land for jute and *bhadoi* crops is going on. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Stocks of food-grains, fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
18	PABNA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather cold. Condition of standing crops is good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Sirajganj ...	Nil	9½	9½	
19	MALDA ...	Nil	11	11	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Fodder, water and stocks of food-grains are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from English-bazar thana.
20	COOCH BEHAR	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy and transplanting of tobacco seedlings are in progress.
21	DACCA ...	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Ploughing of land for autumn crops is progressing. No cattle-disease. Fodder and water are sufficient. Price of rice is steady and those of salt, sugar, chillies and cloth are very dear. Price of mustard oil is also rising.
	Manikganj ...	Nil	12	12	
	Narayanganj	Nil	11	11	
	Munshiganj*	Nil	10½	10½	

* Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(*a*) Not reported.

Serial No.	Districts and subdivisions.	Rainfall.	Price of common rice, in seers, per rupee.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
22	MYMENSINGH	Nil	10	10	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy is continuing. Prospects are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Jamalpur ...	Nil	10	8⅞	
	Tangail ...	Nil	9 3/16	9 3/16	
	Netrakona ...	(n)	(n)	11½	
	Kishorganj...	Nil	10	8½	
23	FARIDPUR ...	(n)	(n)	12½	Report not received.
	Goalundo ...	(n)	(n)	12 3/16	
	Madaripur ...	(n)	(n)	12	
	Gopalganj†...	(n)	(n)	14	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Stocks of rice and fodder are sufficient. Cattle-disease is decreasing in Bhola.
	Pirojpur ...	Nil	11	10½	
	Patuakhali...	Nil	12	12	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	Nil	10½	10	
25	CHITTAGONG	Nil	11	11	Prospects of standing crops are good. Cultivation of *rabi* crops is in progress. Harvesting of winter paddy continues. Outturn is good. *Panga* salt is selling at 6½ seers per rupee at Sadar and 4 seers at Cox's Bazar.
	Cox's Bazar	Nil	10½	10½	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	Nil	12	12	Weather seasonable. Prospects of *aman* paddy are excellent. Harvesting of the crop is in full swing. Transplantation of *boro* paddy has commenced in Chandpur. Fodder and water are sufficient. No cattle-disease is reported.
	Brahmanbaria.	Nil	10⅝	11 7/16	
	Chandpur ...	Nil	12	11	
27	NOAKHALI ...	Nil	11½	11½	Weather seasonable. Sowing of *rabi* crops and harvesting of winter rice continue. Prospects of standing crops are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Salt is selling at 5½ seers per rupee.
	Feni ...	Nil	16	16	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	Nil	8½	8½	Weather seasonable. Harvesting of winter paddy has commenced. Outturn is fair. No cattle-disease reported. Salt is selling at 4 seers per rupee.

† Rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.
(n) Not reported.

WALI-UL ISLAM,
for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, *the 24th December 1917.*

Prices-current (retail) of Food-grains, Salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1917.

QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.

Division	Number	Districts and Marts.	Common Rice. Average. Present return.	Common Rice. Average. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Average. Corresponding return of last year.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Present return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Next preceding return.	Common Rice. Cheapest. Corresponding return of last year.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Present return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Next preceding return.	Kalai Dal (*Phaseolus radiatus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Present return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Next preceding return.	Arhar (Dal) or Thur, Cadjan Pea (*Cajanus indicus*). Corresponding return of last year.	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.
		24-Parganas.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Presidency.	1	Chetla Hát ...	9 0	8 0	6 8	10 0	9 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	5 8	11 8†
	2	Magra Hát ...	12 5	9 7	8 14	13 14	11 7	10 0	7 4	7 4	6 11	7 4	6 10	6 11	7 0	6 3	11 10
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	7 9	7 9	6 0	8 8	8 4	8 12	6 4	6 4	7 0	8 0	6 0	7 1	7 4	6 6	11 0
		Nadia.															
	4	Gouri	10 8	9 0	7 0	11 8	11 0	8 14	5 4	5 5	5 12	6 8	6 8	6 3	8 0	8 14	12 12†
	5	Ranaghat	9 0	9 0	6 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	6 8	6 6	6 6	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 5	5 5	10 6
		Murshidabad.															
	6	Berhampur ...	12 8	11 0	9 8	13 0	11 8	9 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	14 0†
	7	Kandi ...	13 5	12 0	10 8	14 9	13 0	10 12	5 8	5 8	6 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	10 8
	8	Jangipur ...	12 12	12 0	8 8	14 4	13 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	8 0‡	8 0	6 8	8 0	10 0	11 0
		Jessore.															
	9	Sadar	10 0	10 0	8 8	12 8	12 8	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 8	6 8	6 8	5 6	5 6	11 8
	10	Bangaon	11 7	11 7	7 12	13 5	13 5	8 14	5 5	5 5	5 5	6 6	6 6	5 6	6 4	5 12	11 7
		Khulna.															
	11	Sadar	10 8	8 8	8 0	12 0	12 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	6 8	5 8	9 8
	12	Bagerhat	10 0	10 0	7 0	14 0	14 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	6 0	4 8	10 0
		Burdwan.															
Burdwan.	13	Sadar	10 8	10 8	8 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	7 8	6 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	8 4	13 0
	14	Kalna	10 8	10 0	7 12	11 0	10 8	8 0	6 8	6 12	6 0	6 0	5 8	5 4	5 8	12 0	12 0†
		Birbhum.															
	15	Suri	11 8	11 8	10 8	12 0	12 0	11 4	6 8	7 0	6 0	6 8	7 0	6 8	10 0	10 0	13 0
	16	Rampur Hát	11 0	11 0	8 0	13 0	12 0	10 8	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	7 0	9 0	9 0	14 0
		Bankura.															
	17	Sadar	12 8	12 8	10 0	13 8	14 0		7 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0‡	6 8	11 4
	18	Vishnupur	12 0	11 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	10 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 8	8 0	6 0	7 0	6 8	12 0
		Midnapore.															
	19	Sadar	11 6	11 6	10 6	12 12	12 5	10 12	6 8	7 0	5 8	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 8	5 14	5 4	8 0
	20	Contai	12 0	12 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	6 4	6 0	5 8	11 0
		Hooghly.															
	21	Sadar	9 0	8 0	7 0	10 0	9 8	8 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	11 0†
	22	Arambagh	10 0	10 0	8 0	10 4	10 4	8 8	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 13	4 8	13 8
		Howrah.															
	23	Sadar	8 4	8 3	8 0	10 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 8	5 8	12 0
	24	Uluberia	8 0	8 0	7 8	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 4	6 8	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	5 10	11 8
		Rajshahi															
Rajshahi.	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	9 0	9 0	7 14	10 8	10 8	9 6	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	4 14	4 14	9 12
	26	Nator	12 0	8 8	6 12	14 0	10 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 8	6 0	4 0	9 0
	27	Dinajpur—Railway Bazar Hát ...	10 12	10 3	9 0	12 0	10 12	10 12	6 9	6 9	6 10	7 3	7 13	6 10	7 0	6 0	10 12
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	9 8	9 8	8 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	7 0	7 0	6 8	6 8	4 8	11 0

† Karkatch.

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		Darjeeling.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
Rajshahi.	29	Sadar	7 4 to 7 8	7 0	5 8	9 0 to 10 0	8 4	7 8	6 0	5 8	5 0	5 8	5 8	4 8	5 8	5 8	8 0
	30	Siliguri(a)		7 0	6 8		9 0	8 0	...	6 8	5 8	...	7 0	5 8	...	4 0	10 0
		Rangpur.															
	31	Sadar	8 8	8 8	6 12	9 8	9 8	7 0	5 12	5 12	5 4	8 0	8 0	5 4	5 12	6 12	9 8
	32	Nilphamari	9 0	8 8	8 0	9 4	9 0	9 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	8 0	8 0	6 8	6 4	6 8	10 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	6 0	6 0	...	12 12	12 0	...	7 8	7 8	...	6 12	6 12	...	5 7	5 8	...
		Pabna.															
	34	Sadar	8 4	10 8	7 8	12 0	12 0	8 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 6	6 0	6 10	6 0	5 0	9 12
	35	Sirajganj	9 8	8 0	7 10	10 8	8 8	8 4	7 0	7 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	6 2	5 8	6 8	12 0
		Malda.															
	36	Sadar	12 0	11 0	9 0	12 0	14 0	10 0	7 0	6 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	10 0
	37	Balia—Nawabganj ...	11 12	11 4	8 8	13 8	16 4	9 0	...	6 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 8	8 0	7 0	10 0
Dacca.		**Dacca.**															
	38	Sadar	12 0	10 0	8 0	13 0	12 0	10 0	5 0	5 8	5 4	8 0	8 0	6 4	5 8	5 0	9 8
	39	Munshir Hat	10 8	10 0	8 0	10 8	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	5 5	4 0	10 0
		Mymensingh.															
	40	Nasirabad	8 8	8 8	6 14	10 0	8 12	7 4	5 8	5 8	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 4	6 0	11 8
	41	Netrakona	9 8	9 0	7 4	11 8	10 0	7 10	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 8	7 8	8 12	5 8	8 0	11 4
		Faridpur.															
	42	Sadar	12 0	12 0	7 8	12 8	12 8	8 8	6 0	6 4	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 4	5 8	5 0	10 12
	43	Goalundo	12 0	12 0	8 12	12 13	12 13	8 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	6 6	4 13	4 13	9 10
		Bakarganj.															
	44	Barisal	10 4	10 8	7 13	12 0	10 12	...	8 0	8 7	10 10	6 8	6 8	6 6	5 8	5 8	10 10
	45	Pirojpur	10 0	7 12	8 0	10 0	7 12	...	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 5	5 0	10 0
		Tippera.															
Chittagong.	46	Comilla	13 15	10 8	8 12	15 4	13 14	9 8	5 5	5 5	5 0	6 6	6 6	5 5	5 6	5 6	10 11
	47	Chandpur	9 8	8 0	8 0	10 12	10 2	9 0	5 6	5 5	12 0	6 8	6 8	4 0	6 8	5 4	15 0
		Noakhali.															
	48	Kaltara Hat	10 8	9 0	8 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	6 8	5 8	5 8	5 4	4 0	10 9
	49	Feni Hat	14 8	13 0	9 7	16 0	13 0	10 2	8 0	8 0	9 8	*	*	...	5 8	4 3	10 12
		Chittagong.															
	50	Sadar ...	11 0	10 8	8 8	11 8	11 0	9 0	7 0	6 8	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 0	5 0	5 0	12 0
	51	Cox Bazar	10 8	10 0	9 8	10 8	10 0	9 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0	6 0	10 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati (a).	...	8 0	7 0	...	11 0	8 0	...	4 0	4 0	...	4 0	4 0	...	4 0	8 0

* Crushed.

(a) Return not received.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd December 1917.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1917.

Marts.	Paddy (best quality).			Paddy (common quality).			Rice (best quality).			Rice (common quality).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 13 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 2 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	..	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.. ..	.. ..
Burdwan ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0 to 3 6 0	1 11 0	1 14 0	2 4 0 to 3 0 0	5 0 0	5 5 6	5 0 0 to 6 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0 to 4 4 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.. ..	.... .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	1 12 0	1 12 0 to 2 4 0	2 8 0 to 2 11 0	1 8 0	1 10 0 to 1 14 0	2 0 0 to 2 6 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	4 4 0 to 5 0 0	3 8 0 to 4 2 0	3 8 0 to 4 2 0	3 12 0 to 5 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 8 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	4 8 0
Chandpur ...	.. ..	...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	2 0 0	2 [illegible]0	3 4 0	1 12 0	1 13 0	3 0 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	5 0 0
Narayanganj ...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. .	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	..	.....	...	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 12 0	.....	.....	2 11 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 4 0	4 4 0	4 12 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	2 5 0	2 6 0	3 12 0	2 0 0	2 3 0	3 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	7 8 0	4 8 0	4 10 0	5 12 0

Marts	Wheat.			Kalai Dal.			Gram.			Arhar Dal.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	5 6 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 4 0
Chetla Hát ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	5 2 0	5 4 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 4 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	3 14 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 0 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	6 0 0	5 12 0	4 8 0	3 14 0 to 4 6 0	3 14 0 to 4 6 0	4 12 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	7 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 4 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 12 0	4 12 0	6 0 0
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	3 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	5 0 0	5 2 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	7 10 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	7 8 0

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1917.

MARTS.	LINSEED.			MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 6 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 4 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	7 0 0	32 0 0	30 0 0	22 0
Chetla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	5 4 0	5 4 0	5 8 0 to 6 0 0	6 8 0 to 7 0 0	7 0 0 to 10 0 0	7 4 0	25 0 0	25 0 0 to 33 0 0	26 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	6 4 0 to 7 8 0	5 4 0 to 6 4 0	10 0 0	11 0 0	9 8 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	32 0 0
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	6 8 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	11 0 0	10 0 0	10 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	4 0 0	5 4 0	6 4 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	8 10 0	8 10 0	7 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	.....	.....	.....	6 12 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	10 0 0	.....	.....	.....

MARTS.	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDES (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Per 100 pieces.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 12 0	65 0 0	65 0 0	55 8 0	450 0 0	450 0 0	375 0 0
Chetla Hat ...	. .	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	5 0 0	4 8 0	5 8 0	54 0 0	55 0 0	56 0 0	40 0 0	Per maund. 36 0 0	50 0 0
Kalna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.. ...	.....
Midnapore ...	4 12 0	5 0 0	6 12 0 to 7 0 0	58 0 0	58 0 0	55 0 0	275 0 0	Cleaned piece per 100. 300 0 0	375 0 0
Chittagong ...	.....	.....	.....	to 62 0 0 70 0 0	to 62 0 0 60 0 0	to 58 0 0 54 0 0	250 0 0	Uncleaned piece per 100. 275 0 0	350 0 0
Chandpur ...	to 3 0 0 5 0 0	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	5 4 0 to 8 0 0	.....	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	(c)	(c)	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (x)	.....	4 0 0 to 6 0 0	8 0 0 to 10 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	4 8 0 to 6 0 0	7 8 0 to 10 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	3 0 0 to 5 0 0	4 0 0 to 5 0 0	7 12 0 to 9 12 0	.....	...	.....	... ..	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	90 0 0	83 0 0	59 0 0	.....	.. ...	.....
Sirajganj ...	3 0 0 to 4 4 0	3 8 0 to 5 0 0	6 0 0 to 8 0 0	.....	...	...	.....	.....	...
Rangpur ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	70 0 0	70 0 0	56 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	Per piece. 4 0 0	3 0 0

(x) Report not received. (c) Bhaisa Ghee not available.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of December 1917.

MARTS.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	30 0 0	25 0 0	17 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	3 3 9	3 3 0	2 10 0(a)
Chotla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burdwan ...	15 0 0	14 8 0 to 18 8 0	12 8 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	2 13 0	3 5 0	3 1 6	2 12 6(a)
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	3 0 0 to 23 0 0	2 0 0 to 16 0 0	5 12 0	5 12 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 11 9(a)
Chittagong ...	20 0 0	18 0 0	16 0 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	3 4 0‡	2 4 0	2 0 0	1 13 9(b)
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	.....	.....	16 0 0	7 0 0	7 12 0	3 12 0*	3 5 6	2 8 0	2 12 6(a)
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	28 0 0	28 0 0	15 0 0	5 4 0	7 0 0	4 0 0	7 8 0	5 8 0	2 13 6(a)
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	15 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	4 0 0*	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0

(a) Elephant brand. | (b) Burma oil. | * Panga. | ‡ Crushed.

MARTS.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	18 0 0	18 0 0	14 6 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Chotla Hat ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 12 0	0 11 0	0 10 0
Burdwan ...	17 0 0	17 0 0	14 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 6 0
Kalna ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 12 6	0 12 6	0 7 6
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 2 4	0 2 4	0 1 9
Midnapore ...	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	18 0 0 to 20 0 0	15 8 0 to 16 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	20 0 0	20 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chandpur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	21 0 0	20 0 0	17 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madaripur ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	18 0 0	18 0 0	16 6 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sirajganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	22 0 0	22 0 0	20 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd December 1917.

S. MILLIGAN,
Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS.							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
									Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
BURDWAN	1	Burdwan ...	20,337	15,584	35,921	19	6·23	...	1	·33	...	...	...	...	53	10·52
	2	Kalna ...	4,321	4,082	8,403	5	6·84	...	4	5·47	...	...	...	...	15	20·53
	3	Katwa ...	3,459	3,445	6,904	14	23·88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1·71
	4	Dainhat ...	2,534	2,808	5,342	17	37·47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	28·65
	5	Raniganj ...	8,417	7,080	15,497	28	21·27	...	1	·76	...	...	...	...	31	23·55
	6	Asansol ...	12,486	9,435	21,918	36	19·34	...	9	4·83	...	...	...	...	18	9·67
BIRBHUM	7	Suri ...	4,807	4,324	9,131	4	5·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5·16
BANKURA	8	Bankura ...	12,186	11,267	23,453	59		1	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	8·53
	9	Vishnupur ...	10,028	10,453	20,478	37	29·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	16·10
	10	Sonamukhi ...	6,254	7,091	13,275	24	21·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	11·53
MIDNAPORE	11	Midnapore ...	17,577	15,163	32,740	40	14·39	2	2	·72	...	...	...	...	16	5·75
	12	Ghatal ...	6,216	5,848	12,064	21	30·26	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	20·50
	13	Ghatal ...	4,714	4,125	8,839	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	14·65
	14	Kharar ...	4,034	4,087	8,121	9	5·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	18·85
	15	Chandrakona ...	4,224	4,257	8,481	20	13·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	19·44
	16	Ramjibanpur ...	2,294	2,311	4,605	9	27·77	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	30·66
	17	Khirpai ...	4,355	3,695	8,050	8	23·01	...	1	2·93	...	...	...	...	4	5·85
		Tamluk ...					11·70									
HOOGHLY	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.	15,017	13,099	28,916	84	34·20	...	6	2·44	...	...	...	...	31	12·62
	19	Bansberia ...	3,443	2,665	6,108	9		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7·71
	20	Arambagh ...	4,081	3,987	8,068	14	11·57	...	3	4·39	...	...	...	...	6	8·78
	21	Serampore ...	19,689	13,389	33,078	73	20·48	4	1	·37	...	...	...	...	16	5·87
	22	Rishra-Konnagore	10,794	6,723	17,516	43	26·43	...	5	3·36	...	...	...	...	9	6·05
	23	Uttarpara ...	4,413	2,961	7,373	21	28·90	1	1	1·60	...	...	...	...	4	6·39
	24	Kotrung ...	4,103	2,471	6,574	8	33·54	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	19·70
	25	Baidyabati ...	11,792	8,724	20,516	61	14·33	...	2	1·15	...	...	...	...	23	12·73
	26	Bhadreswar ...	15,882	8,491	24,353	17	35·01	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	5·32
							8·22									
HOWRAH	27	Howrah ...	114,329	64,560	179,389	410	26·91	25	24	1·58	1	·07	...	...	121	7·94
	28	Bally ...	14,217	8,177	22,394	24	17·88	3	1	·53	...	...	...	...	13	6·84
24-PARGANAS	29	Cossipore-Chitpur	30,793	17,385	48,178	147	35·91	22	13	2·93	...	...	...	...	46	12·24
	30	Maniktala ...	31,735	22,032	53,767	74	16·19	9	3	·66	...	...	...	...	35	7·66
	31	South Suburban ...	17,695	13,850	31,533	78	29·12	4	3	·75	...	...	...	...	18	6·73
	32	Tollygunj ...	11,183	7,250	18,433	38	24·27	5	3	1·92	1	·26	...	...	10	6·39
	33	Garden Reach ...	27,665	17,630	45,295	71	18·45	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	5
	34	Budge-Budge ...	11,839	6,453	17,982	22	14·40	...	9	5·89	...	...	...	...	14	9·98
	35	Baranagar ...	14,962	10,913	25,896	47	21·37	4	25	11·37	...	...	...	...	27	12·17
	36	Kamarhati ...	11,943	6,778	18,016	32	20·91	...	5	3·27	...	...	...	...	20	13·27
	37	Rajpur ...	5,762	5,845	11,607	29	29·42	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·07
	38	Barnipur ...	3,907	2,468	6,375	3	5·54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10·12
	39	Jaynagar ...	4,631	4,614	9,245	18	22·92	2	2	2·55	...	...	...	...	8	11·08
	40	North Dum-Dum...	5,151	3,714	8,865	21	27·89	...	14	18·59	...	...	...	...	5	0·19
	41	South Dum-Dum...	7,760	5,114	12,874	17	15·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6·64
	42	South Barrackpore	2,968	2,043	5,031	9	21·06	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7·32
	43	Barrackpore ...	11,357	6,944	18,301	11	7·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·34
	44	Panihati ...	6,339	4,779	11,118	20	21·18	1	9	9·53	...	...	...	...	19	1·29
	45	North Barrackpore	9,780	6,340	16,120	26	18·99	6	1	·73	...	...	...	...	15	20·12
	46	Titaghar	31,225	13,946	45,171	50	13·03	...	6	1·56	...	...	...	...	53	10·96
	47	Garulia	7,676	3,704	11,380	7	7·12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	19·81
	48	Naihati	11,685	6,534	18,219	25	22·62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	7·12
	49	Halisahar	8,371	5,062	13,433	12	10·53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12·92
	50	Bhatpara	34,799	15,676	50,414	106	24·75	1	9	2·10	...	...	...	...	19	6·14
	51	Baraset	4,781	4,039	8,790	11	14·74	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4·44
	52	Gobardanga ...	2,533	2,537	5,070	10	23·22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·38
	53	Basirhat	9,517	8,814	18,331	43	27·62	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	13·93
	54	Baduria	7,058	6,622	13,680	25	21·52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3·85
	55	Taki	2,627	2,575	5,202	16	36·21	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6·02
CALCUTTA	56	Calcutta	607,674	288,393	896,067	1,886	20·84	132	57	·75	...	...	...	...	293	4·85
NADIA	57	Krishnagar ...	11,767	11,708	23,475	38	19·05	1	2	1·00	...	...	...	...	23	11·54
	58	Nadia or Nabadwip	6,891	6,589	13,480	22	20·76	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	21·70
	59	Ranaghat	5,210	4,640	9,850	17	20·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	8·37
	60	Birnagar	1,301	1,353	2,654	5	22·18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	26·62
	61	Santipur	12,186	14,517	26,703	92	40·57	4	1	·44	...	...	...	...	25	11·02
	62	Chakdaha	2,469	2,462	4,931	6	14·33	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	23·38
	63	Kushtia	3,536	3 530	6,095	10	19·32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	9·66
	64	Kumarkhali ...	1,781	1,988	3,769	9	28·12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	18·74
	65	Meherpur	2,990	2,971	5,961	18	25·68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	19·75
MURSHIDABAD	66	Berhampore ...	14,302	11,841	26,143	43	19·37	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	10·36
	67	Murshidabad ...	6,269	6,410	12,679	20	27·88	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	31·60
	68	Azimganj	6,735	5,802	12,537	36	34·39	1	1	·95	1	·95	...	...	27	25·79
	69	Kandi	6,212	6,426	12,638	13	12·11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	18·63
	70	Jangipur	5,493	5,915	11,408	17	17·55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14·45
	71	Dhulian ...	4,016	4,242	8,258	26	51·08	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	32·64
JESSORE	72	Jessore ...	5,404	3,507	8,911	4	5·29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3·96
	73	Kotchandpur ...	4,284	3,792	8,076	20	29·16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	23·33
	74	Maheshpur ...	2,105	2,106	4,211	2	5·59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	11·18
KHULNA	75	Khulna ...	7,983	5,013	12,996	19	17·21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	7·25
	76	Satkhira ...	5,803	5,100	10,903	18	17·28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	17·28
	77	Debhatta ...	2,607	2,682	5,289	3	17·81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4·45

the month of October 1917.

REGISTERED.

DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	Towns.
21	6·88	2	·66	8	2·62	18	5·90	38	45	83	27·21	25	16	41	13·47	1	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·74	11	10	21	28·74	1	4	5	6·86	2	Kalna.
3	5·12	...	...	...	...	2	3·41	2	4	6	10·23	5	1	6	10·26	3	Katwa.
1	2·20	...	...	1	2·20	2	4·41	9	8	17	37·47	4	5	9	19·89	4	Dainhat.
2	1·52	1	·76	1	·76	9	6·84	17	28	45	34·19	11	11	22	16·76	5	Raniganj.
4	2·15	2	1·07	1	·54	13	6·98	28	19	47	25·25	9	7	16	8·61	6	Asansol.
...	...	1	1·29	1	1·29	...	...	2	4	6	7·73	2	2	4	5·17	7	Suri.
6	3·01	2	1·00	...	...	13	6·53	21	17	38	19·08	15	12	27	13·59	8	Bankura.
1	·57	1	·57	3	1·72	5	2·87	20	18	38	21·85	12	7	19	10·95	9	Vishnupur.
...	...	1	·89	1	·89	...	...	8	7	15	13·30	6	3	9	8·00	10	Sonamukhi.
4	1·44	8	2·88	1	·36	16	5·75	26	21	47	16·90	15	16	31	11·17	11	Midnapore.
1	·98	1	·98	1	·98	...	...	11	13	24	23·42	14	20	34	33·27	12	Ghatal.
2	2·66	2	...	...	...	...	...	6	9	15	19·98	10	5	15	20·03	13	Kharar.
2	2·90	2	2·66	...	...	3	4·35	10	10	20	29·00	14	14	28	40·70	14	Chandrakona.
3	4·16	...	2·90	1	1·39	7	9·72	12	13	25	34·71	5	6	11	15·31	15	Rampurhat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	9	12	30·68	3	3	6	15·38	16	Khirpai.
2	2·93	...	...	...	...	1	1·46	2	7	9	13·16	4	3	7	10·26	17	Tamluk.
9	3·66	5	2·04	...	...	22	8·96	35	38	73	29·72	25	30	55	22·45	18	Hooghly and Chinsura.
1	1·93	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	5	9·64	3	3	6	11·59	19	Bansberia.
1	1·46	...	...	...	...	4	5·85	7	7	14	20·48	7	9	16	23·47	20	Arambagh.
16	5·87	7	2·57	2	·73	16	5·87	34	24	58	21·29	24	26	50	18·40	21	Serampore.
1	·67	3	2·02	1	·67	12	8·07	15	16	31	20·84	9	14	23	15·50	22	Bhadra-Konnagore.
3	4·79	...	...	...	...	3	4·79	4	7	11	17·57	8	9	17	27·22	23	Uttarpara.
1	1·79	1	1·79	...	...	1	1·79	7	7	14	25·07	6	5	11	19·75	24	Kotrung.
7	4·02	1	·57	1	·57	11	6·31	18	26	44	25·25	10	17	27	15·53	25	Paldyabati.
5	2·42	1	·48	...	...	1	·48	5	13	18	8·70	10	8	18	8·72	26	Bhadreswar.
66	4·33	65	4·27	8	·53	119	7·81	212	192	404	26·52	185	179	364	23·95	27	Howrah.
5	2·63	1	·53	...	...	7	3·68	14	13	27	14·20	19	17	36	18·97	28	Bally.
9	2·19	...	...	9	2·19	45	10·99	65	56	121	29·56	58	49	107	26·22	29	Cossipore-Chitpur.
12	2·63	8	1·75	...	...	55	12·92	63	54	117	25·61	62	64	126	27·66	30	Manicktala.
10	3·73	3	1·12	...	...	8	2·99	18	23	41	15·31	18	26	44	16·47	31	South Suburban.
4	2·55	...	...	2	1·28	1	·64	12	8	20	12·77	3	8	11	7·04	32	Tollygunj.
11	2·85	10	2·59	1	·26	28	7·28	44	30	74	19·23	39	28	67	17·46	33	Garden Reach.
10	6·55	1	·65	4	2·62	2	1·31	33	7	40	26·19	13	4	17	11·16	34	Budge-Budge.
22	10·00	1	·45	...	...	15	6·82	51	39	90	40·91	35	23	58	26·44	35	Baranagar
10	6·54	2	1·31	1	·65	6	3·92	27	17	44	28·75	11	7	18	11·79	36	Kamarhati.
...	...	1	1·01	1	1·01	1	1·01	5	6	11	11·16	15	15	30	30·51	37	Rajpur.
...	...	...	...	1	1·85	1	1·85	4	4	8	14·78	4	3	7	12·96	38	Barnipur.
4	5·09	3	3·82	1	1·27	...	...	11	7	18	22·92	8	6	14	17·87	39	Jaynagar.
2	2·66	1	1·33	1	1·33	2	2·66	15	10	25	33·20	7	11	18	23·97	40	North Dum-Dum.
1	·91	...	...	3	2·74	2	1·83	4	10	14	12·80	9	9	18	16·50	41	South Dum-Dum.
3	7·02	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	9·36	6	4	10	23·46	42	South Barrackpore.
1	·64	1	...	...	·64	2	...	4	2	6	3·86	5	3	8	5·16	43	Barrackpore.
4	4·24	...	1·06	...	...	3	1·29	22	14	36	38·12	10	7	17	18·05	44	Panihati
4	2·92	3	2·19	...	...	17	3·18	16	24	40	29·22	11	5	16	11·71	45	North Barrackpore.
6	1·56	...	...	1	...	3	12·42	40	29	69	17·98	34	15	49	12·80	46	Titaghar.
1	1·02	...	...	...	2·6	...	·78	5	3	8	8·13	1	4	5	5·09	47	Garulia.
3	1·94	2	1·29	...	...	8	...	21	12	33	21·32	6	7	13	8·42	48	Naihati.
...	...	1	·88	...	...	...	5·17	3	5	8	7·07	10	6	16	14·07	49	Halisahar.
3	·70	8	1·87	1	·23	13	...	37	16	53	12·38	20	14	34	7·96	50	Bhatpara.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·04	2	5	7	9·38	7	6	13	17·46	51	Barasat.
1	2·32	2	4·64	...	...	...	...	4	5	9	20·90	4	3	7	16·30	52	Gobardanga.
2	1·28	1	·64	...	...	13	...	14	8	22	14·13	14	10	24	15·45	53	Bagirhat.
...	1·72	...	...	...	...	8	8·35	6	6	12	10·33	8	6	14	12·08	54	Baduria.
	...	...	...	...	...	1	2·58	2	1	3	6·79	3	4	7	15·88	55	Taki.
188	2·47	388	5·10	36	·47	868	11·41	1,074	756	1,830	24·05	994	813	1,807	23·80	56	Calcutta.
5	2·51	1	·50	...	...	4	2·01	16	19	35	17·55	6	6	12	6·03	57	Krishnagar.
5	4·72	...	...	1	·94	1	·94	15	15	30	28·30	10	14	24	22·70	58	Nadia or Nabadwip.
2	2·40	1	1·19	1	1·19	3	3·57	5	9	14	16·73	8	7	15	17·97	59	Ranaghat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8·87	1	7	8	35·49	3	3	6	26·68	60	Birnagar.
10	4·41	1	·44	1	·44	18	7·94	27	29	56	24·69	24	21	45	19·89	61	Santipur.
...	...	...	...	2	4·78	3	7·16	6	9	15	35·82	2	...	2	4·78	62	Chakdaha.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	5	9·66	2	2	4	7·74	63	Kushtia.
...	...	2	6·25	...	...	...	...	6	2	8	24·99	5	3	8	25·06	64	Kumarkhali.
1	1·97	1	1·97	1	1·97	...	...	10	3	13	25·68	2	1	3	5·94	65	Meherpur.
6	2·70	5	2·25	1	·45	22	9·91	28	29	57	25·67	13	13	26	11·74	66	Berhampur.
1	·92	...	...	...	...	4	3·72	19	20	39	36·25	8	11	19	17·70	67	Murshidabad.
2	1·91	...	...	...	...	9	8·60	14	26	40	38·21	11	9	20	19·15	68	Azimganj.
2	1·86	...	...	2	1·86	9	8·38	22	11	33	30·74	7	12	19	17·74	69	Kandi.
...	...	1	1·03	...	...	...	...	9	6	15	15·48	8	6	14	14·48	70	Jangipur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11	23	32·64	6	14	20	28·45	71	Dhulian.
1	1·32	1	1·32	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	6·61	2	3	5	6·62	72	Jessore.
...	...	1	1·46	1	1·46	2	2·92	13	7	20	29·16	9	3	12	17·54	73	Kotchandpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	11·18	1	5	6	16·82	74	Maheshpur.
2	1·81	...	...	...	...	1	·91	9	2	11	9·97	4	7	11	9·99	75	Khulna.
2	2·16	...	...	...	...	2	2·16	10	10	20	21·60	5	4	9	9·74	76	Satkhira.
...	...	1	2·23	...	...	1	2·23	2	2	4	8·90	4	6	10	22·32	77	Debhatta.

Vital Statistics of the Towns of Bengal for

District.	Number.	Town	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1911.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.			DEATHS							
									CHOLERA.		SMALL-POX.		PLAGUE.		FEVER.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
RAJSHAHI ...	78	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,057	10,349	23,406	57	28·67	4	14	7·04	...	...	...	...	24	12·07
	79	Nator ...	4,509	3,742	8,251	7	9·99	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	9·99
DINAJPUR ...	80	Dinajpur ...	9,648	6,297	15,945	14	10·34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2·95
JALPAIGURI ...	81	Jalpaiguri ...	7,547	4,218	11,765	16	16·01	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9·00
DARJEELING ...	82	Darjeeling ...	11,631	7,374	19,005	23	14·25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3·10
	83	Kurseong ...	3,126	2,448	5,574	16	33·80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	19·01
RANGPUR ...	84	Rangpur ...	10,509	5,920	16,429	5	3·58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	·788
BOGRA	85	Bogra	5,289	3,824	9,113	7	9·04	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	15·50
	86	Sherpur	2,317	1,571	4,088	9	25·92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	20·16
PABNA	87	Pabna	10,056	9,218	19,274	20	12·22	....	12	7·33	...	...	...	...	21	12·83
	88	Sirajganj	13,286	11,541	24,777	21	9·98	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1·90
MALDA	89	English Bazar ...	7,897	6,525	14,322	20	16·44	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	14·80
	90	Malda	2,014	1,736	3,750	14	43·96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	6·28
	91	Nawabganj ...	11,122	12,200	23,322	40	20·19	...	4	2·01	...	...	...	...	23	11·61
DACCA	92	Dacca	63,091	45,460	108,551	278	29·61	14	3	·33	...	...	...	...	75	8·14
	93	Narayanganj ...	18,738	9,138	27,876	98	39·48	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2·11
MYMENSINGH	94	Mymensingh ...	13,462	6,391	19,853	32	18·97	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3·56
	95	Muktagachha ...	3,922	2,633	6,555	18	32·33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	·718
	96	Netrakona ...	8,018	5,722	13,740	14	12·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·71
	97	Jamalpur	11,728	9,381	21,109	54	30·12	3	6	3·35	...	...	...	...	11	6·14
	98	Sherpur	8,516	7,075	15,591	29	21·90	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6·80
	99	Kishorganj ...	9,908	8,518	18,026	28	16·29	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5·23
	100	Bajitpur	5,447	5,386	10,833	14	15·22	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·52
	101	Tangail	8,493	7,869	16,362	39	28·06	2	...	...	1	·72	...	...	12	8·64
FARIDPUR ...	102	Faridpur	8,017	5,114	13,131	38	29·59	...	3	2·69	...	...	...	...	4	3·59
	103	Madaripur	10,549	8,524	19,073	101	62·35	1	14	8·64	...	...	...	...	15	9·26
BAKARGANJ ...	104	Barisal	15,486	6,985	22,473	98	51·34	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	6·29
	105	Jhalakati	4,872	1,107	5,979	1	1·97	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5·91
	106	Nalchiti	1,454	499	1,953	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	18·09
	107	Pirojpur	6,023	5,473	11,996	13	12·76	...	1	·98	...	...	...	...	4	3·93
	108	Patuakhali ...	3,938	2,279	6,217	10	18·94	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·78
CHITTAGONG ...	109	Chittagong ...	18,779	9,987	28,766	47	19·20	2	1	·41	...	...	...	...	13	5·32
	110	Cox's Bazar ...	2,102	2,270	4,378	6	16·14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	13·45
NOAKHALI ...	111	Sudharam	4,366	2,643	7,009	22	36·96	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3·36
TIPPERA ...	112	Comilla	13,706	8,986	22,692	63	32·69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1·04
	113	Brahmanbaria ...	11,671	10,624	22,295	56	29·57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11·09
	114	Chandpur	9,062	3,655	12,717	31	28·70	2	2	1·85	...	...	...	...	5	4·63
Total of month ...			1,781,610	1,125,741	2,907,351	5,498	22·27	290	283	1·15	4	·02	...	...	1,894	7·67
Total of corresponding month of previous year						5,396	21·91	236	111	·45	7	·02	...	...	1,489	6·04
Increase + or decrease − ...						+102	+·36	+54	+172	+·70	−3	equal	...	...	+405	+1·63

REMARKS.

The above table is compiled from returns collected by municipalities and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons. Taken as a whole the table possesses incomplete.

CALCUTTA,

The 20th December 1917.

the month of October 1917—concld.

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DYSENTERY AND DIARRHŒA.		RESPIRATORY DISEASES.		INJURIES INCLUDING SUICIDE.		OTHER CAUSES.		TOTAL ALL CAUSES.				TOTAL OF CORRESPONDING MONTH OF PREVIOUS YEAR.					TOWN.
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	
6	3·02	5	2·52	...	...	12	6·04	30	31	61	30·69	3	7	10	5·04	78	Rampur-Boalia.
4	6·71	...	...	...	...	2	2·85	6	7	13	18·55	4	4	8	11·44	79	Nator.
2	1·48	...	...	...	...	4	2·95	4	6	10	7·38	4	4	8	5·92	80	Dinajpur.
2	2·00	4	4·00	1	1·00	7	7·00	17	6	23	23·02	18	14	32	32·11	81	Jalpaiguri.
1	·62	6	3·72	...	...	7	4·34	11	8	19	11·77	10	9	19	11·80	82	Darjeeling.
4	8·45	5	10·56	...	...	6	12·67	14	10	24	50·70	7	8	15	31·77	83	Kurseong.
2	1·43	1	·72	1	·72	5	3·58	14	6	20	14·33	5	4	9	6·46	84	Rangpur.
3	3·88	1	1·29	...	...	3	3·88	9	10	19	24·55	9	4	13	16·84	85	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5·76	3	6	9	25·92	7	2	9	25·99	86	Sherpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·61	18	16	34	20·77	6	6	12	7·35	87	Pabna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	2	·95	4	2	6	2·85	8	9	17	8·10	88	Sirajganj.
4	3·29	...	...	1	·82	7	5·75	11	19	30	24·66	11	5	16	13·18	89	English Bazar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	6·28	3	2	5	15·74	90	Malda.
1	·50	...	...	...	...	3	1·51	16	15	31	15·65	4	4	8	4·04	91	Nawabganj.
20	2·17	5	·54	1	·11	105	11·39	127	82	209	22·67	91	98	189	20·63	92	Dacca.
10	4·22	2	·84	2	·84	26	10·98	25	20	45	19·00	23	21	44	18·63	93	Narayanganj.
6	3·56	2	1·19	...	...	7	4·15	13	8	21	12·45	14	15	29	17·24	94	Mymensingh.
1	1·80	1	1·80	...	...	3	14·37	9	5	14	25·15	3	5	8	14·40	95	Muktagachha.
1	·86	...	...	...	...	2	1·71	3	2	5	4·28	5	3	8	6·87	96	Netrakona.
4	2·23	1	·56	...	...	10	5·58	20	12	32	17·85	15	18	33	18·45	97	Jamalpur.
1	·76	1	·76	...	...	10	7·55	11	10	21	15·86	11	17	28	21·20	98	Sherpur.
9	5·88	1	·65	1	·65	2	1·31	10	11	21	13·71	6	7	13	8·51	99	Kishorganj.
...	...	...	...	...	...	6	6·52	5	7	12	13·04	6	1	7	7·82	100	Bajitpur.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·72	8	6	14	10·07	5	6	11	7·93	101	Tangail.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1	·90	4	4	8	7·17	3	4	7	6·29	102	Faridpur.
3	1·85	1	·62	...	...	12	7·40	24	21	45	27·78	19	20	39	24·14	103	Madaripur.
2	1·05	...	...	...	...	4	2·10	11	7	18	9·43	1	7	8	4·20	104	Barisal.
1	1·97	...	...	1	1·97	1	1·97	2	4	6	11·82	1	3	4	7·89	105	Jhalakati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	18·09	2	1	3	18·12	106	Nalchiti.
1	·98	...	...	...	...	6	5·89	6	6	12	11·78	5	4	9	8·85	107	Pirojpur.
2	3·78	...	...	1	1·89	1	1·89	5	1	6	11·36	4	2	6	11·39	108	Patuakhali.
8	3·28	...	...	...	...	15	6·14	20	17	37	15·14	16	16	32	13·13	109	Chittagong.
...	...	1	2·69	...	...	...	...	3	3	6	16·14	2	...	2	5·39	110	Cox's Bazar.
...	...	1	1·68	...	...	3	5·04	3	2	5	10·08	2	3	5	8·42	111	Sudharam.
2	1·04	...	...	...	...	4	2·08	3	5	8	4·15	1	5	6	3·12	112	Comilla.
2	1·06	3	1·58	1	·53	16	8·45	17	26	43	22·71	14	15	29	15·35	113	Brahmanbaria.
1	·93	...	...	...	...	3	2·78	7	4	11	10·18	8	2	10	9·28	114	Chandpur.
822	2·52	590	2·43	114	·46	1,773	7·18	2,910	2,379	5,289	21·42						
543	2·20	586	2·37	113	·45	1,640	6·66	2,372	2,117	4,489	18·22	2,372	2,117	4,489	18·22		
+79	+·32	+13	+·06	+1	+·01	+133	+·52	+538	+262	+800	+3·20						

a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases and in a few instances are obviously

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Vital Statistics of the Districts, excluding Towns

Divisions.	Number.	Districts excluding Towns.	Population under registration according to Census of 1911.			Births registered.			Deaths							
									Cholera.		Small-pox.		Plague.		Fever.	
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Ratio per 1,000 per annum of population.	Still-born number registered.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.
Burdwan.	1	Burdwan ...	718,880	725,805	1,444,185	3,881	31·64	17	173	1·41	14	·11	...	...	2,991	24·39
	2	Birbhum ...	466,931	467,411	926,342	2,790	35·46	106	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,674	21·28
	3	Bankura ...	534,150	547,314	1,081,464	3,030	32·99	4	19	·21	...	...	...	...	2,127	23·16
	4	Midnapore ...	1,367,300	1,371,001	2,738,301	6,801	29·24	300	397	1·71	6	·03	...	...	5,244	22·55
	5	Hooghly and Serampore.	465,970	472,645	938,615	2,602	33·77	6	413	5·18	...	...	...	...	2,039	25·58
	6	Howrah ...	369,595	372,124	741,719	2,079	33·00	18	603	9·57	...	...	...	...	647	10·27
Total of Division for month.			3,914,326	3,956,300	7,870,626	21,373	31·82	451	1,605	2·40	20	·03	...	...	14,722	22·02
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						22,168	33·25	360	700	1·05	68	·10	...	...	14,368	21·55
Presidency.	7	24-Parganas ...	970,850	914,740	1,885,590	5,350	33·28	60	82	·51	7	·04	...	...	2,186	13·65
	8	Nadia ...	765,429	756,429	1,521,858	6,006	46·46	161	42	·32	...	...	...	...	4,715	36·48
	9	Murshidabad ...	635,285	653,506	1,288,791	5,699	52·06	325	152	1·39	...	...	...	...	4,388	39·76
	10	Jessore ...	889,299	847,767	1,737,066	5,696	38·61	336	68	·46	...	...	...	...	3,330	22·57
	11	Khulna ...	693,187	644,392	1,337,579	4,138	39·07	171	83	·73	...	...	...	...	1,925	16·95
Total of Division for month.			3,954,120	3,816,834	7,770,954	27,169	41·17	1,053	427	·65	7	·01	...	...	16,544	25·01
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						23,072	35·81	942	280	·43	53	·08	...	...	13,130	20·40
Rajshahi.	12	Rajshahi ...	737,640	711,290	1,448,930	4,325	35·15	443	72	·59	...	...	...	...	3,859	31·36
	13	Dinajpur ...	880,228	791,090	1,671,318	4,532	31·92	242	20	·14	19	·13	...	...	5,511	38·81
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	482,681	408,214	890,895	3,424	45·25	259	7	·09	14	·18	...	...	2,384	31·51
	15	Darjeeling ...	127,337	113,634	240,971	887	43·34	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	619	30·25
	16	Rangpur ...	1,244,208	1,124,693	2,368,901	7,708	38·31	640	26	·13	15	·07	...	...	5,760	28·63
	17	Bogra ...	496,020	475,346	970,366	2,214	26·86	152	22	·27	5	·06	...	...	1,369	16·61
	18	Pabna ...	700,299	684,236	1,384,535	3,985	33·91	309	57	·48	18	·15	...	...	2,475	21·07
	19	Malda ...	477,714	485,051	962,765	4,250	51·98	175	81	1·99	9	·11	...	...	2,919	35·70
Total of Division for month.			5,146,127	4,794,154	9,939,281	31,328	37·11	2,207	285	·34	80	·09	...	...	24,899	29·50
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						34,089	40·49	2,249	181	·21	26	·03	...	...	23,002	27·32
Dacca.	20	Dacca ...	1,395,861	1,428,114	2,823,975	10,912	45·50	690	42	·18	5	·02	...	...	3,193	13·31
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,270,503	2,133,844	4,404,353	13,079	34·96	858	95	·25	33	·09	...	...	5,403	14·44
	22	Faridpur ...	1,056,393	1,033,317	2,089,710	10,124	57·02	331	190	1·07	...	...	...	...	2,979	16·78
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,212,560	1,167,733	2,380,293	6,850	33·88	230	19	·09	2	·01	...	...	2,562	12·67
Total of Division for month.			5,935,323	5,763,008	11,698,331	40,965	41·23	2,176	346	·35	40	·04	...	...	14,137	14·23
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						43,762	44·16	2,399	225	·22	43	·01	...	..	15,161	15·29
Chittagong.	24	Chittagong ...	701,950	773,339	1,475,289	5,155	41·14	487	3	·02	1	·01	...	...	3,090	24·66
	25	Noakhali ...	641,552	653,549	1,295,081	4,426	40·26	399	2	·02	2	·02	...	...	1,856	16·87
	26	Tippera ...	1,208,642	1,163,792	2,372,434	5,571	27·65	444	1	·004	...	...	...	...	2,305	11·44
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.														Not under
Total of Division for month.			2,552,124	2,590,680	5,142,804	15,154	34·69	1,330	6	·01	3	·01	..	...	7,251	16·60
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						17,102	39·26	1,366	60	·13	9	·02	...	...	6,563	15·05
Total of month for Bengal			21,501,020	20,920,976	42,421,996	135,836	37·72	7,282	2,669	·74	150	·04	...	...	77,553	21·52
Total of corresponding month of previous year.						140,693	39·15	7,803	1,451	·40	199	·05	...	...	72,924	20·18
Increase + or Decrease −						− 4,857	−1·43	−21	+1,218	+·34	−49	−·01	...	...	+5,029	+1·34

REMARKS.—The above tables compiled from returns collected by the thana police officers and submitted to this office by the Civil Surgeons.

CALCUTTA,
The 20th December 1917.

of Bengal, for the month of October 1917.

REGISTERED.

Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		Respiratory diseases.		Injuries including Suicide.		Other causes.		Total all causes.				Total of corresponding month of previous year.					
								Number.				Number.					
Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number registered.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Ratio per 1,000 per annum.	Number.	Districts.
71	·58	20	·16	53	·43	691	5·06	2,028	1,915	3,943	32·15	1,810	1,671	3,481	28·45	1	Burdwan.
9	·11	4	·05	27	·34	305	3·88	1,044	975	2,019	25 66	1.133	1,038	2,171	27 66	2	Birbhum.
53	·58	8	·09	37	·40	511	5·56	1,490	1,355	2,755	29 99	1,559	1,472	3,031	33·08	3	Bankura.
138	·59	14	·06	146	·63	1,239	5·33	3,679	3,505	7,184	30 89	3,551	3,276	6,827	29·43	4	Midnapore.
150	1·88	29	·36	70	·88	539	6·76	1,594	1,646	3,240	40 64	1,323	1,202	2,575	32·38	5	Hooghly and Serampore.
306	4·86	58	·92	50	·79	379	6·02	1,028	1,015	2,043	32·43	840	713	1,553	24 72	6	Howrah.
797	1·09	133	·20	388	·57	3,594	5·38	10,773	10,411	21,184	31·69						
673	1·00	116	·17	429	·64	3,284	4·92	10,316	9,422	19,638	29·45						
62	·39	38	·23	146	·91	604	3·77	1,670	1,455	3,125	19·51	1,821	1,400	3,021	18·91	7	24-Parganas.
6	·05	3	·02	76	·59	901	6·97	2,806	2,937	5,743	44·43	2,005	1,713	3,808	29·54	8	Nadia.
9	·08	1	·05	68	·78	867	7·92	2,637	2,886	5,503	50·27	1,795	1,791	3,586	32·85	9	Murshidabad.
18	·12	7	·01	96	·65	531	3·60	1,992	2,058	4,050	27·45	2,026	1,834	3,860	26·23	10	Jessore.
33	·29	6	·05	59	·52	859	7·56	1,528	1,437	2,965	26·10	1,670	1,799	3,469	30 61	11	Khulna.
128	·19	55	·08	463	·70	3,762	5·70	10,633	10,753	21,386	32·40						
104	·15	54	·08	515	·78	3,299	5·01	9,207	8,537	17,744	26·95						
4	·03	3	·02	82	·67	428	3·48	2,132	2,316	4,448	36·14	2,198	2,318	4,516	36 79	12	Rajshahi.
1	·01	2	·01	59	·41	112	·79	2,002	2,822	4,724	40 31	2,410	2,097	4,507	31·82	13	Dinajpur.
141	1·86	24	·32	20	·26	181	2·39	1,415	1,356	2,771	36·62	1,458	1,300	2,758	36 54	14	Jalpaiguri.
58	2·83	3	·15	9	·44	141	6·89	413	417	830	40 55	464	408	872	42·23	15	Darjeeling.
6	·03	1	·004	48	·23	183	·90	3,095	2,941	6,036	30·00	3,122	2,919	6,041	30 10	16	Rangpur.
12	·15	4	·05	52	·63	172	2·09	806	781	1,587	19 66	852	860	1,712	20·83	17	Bogra.
8	·07	3	·02	43	·37	178	1·51	1,475	1,310	2,785	23·68	1,417	1,143	2,560	21 83	18	Pabna.
...	...	...	...	81	·38	458	5·23	1,761	1,737	3,498	42·98	1,677	1,463	3,046	37·34	19	Malda.
230	·27	40	·05	542	·41	1,852	2·19	14,048	13,680	27,728	32·85						
225	·26	57	·06	325	·38	2,185	2·59	13,488	12,513	26,001	30 88						
193	·80	16	·07	74	·31	1,228	5·12	2,431	2,320	4,751	19·80	2,741	2,515	5,256	21·13	20	Dacca.
103	·28	43	·11	119	·32	1,523	4·07	3,904	3,415	7,319	19·57	3,650	3,370	7,020	18·78	21	Mymensingh.
76	·43	12	·07	93	·52	912	5·14	2,299	1,963	4,262	24·01	2,242	2,034	4,276	24·15	22	Faridpur
25	·12	4	·01	150	·74	1,162	5·75	2,051	1,842	3,923	19·40	2,674	2,851	5,725	28·39	23	Bakarganj.
397	·40	74	·07	436	·44	4,825	4·86	10,715	9,540	20,255	20 39						
452	·45	78	·07	409	·41	5,693	5·75	11,687	10,379	22,066	22·26						
18	·14	...	...	135	1·03	63	·50	1,630	1,651	3,310	26·42	1,534	1,527	3,061	24·49	24	Chittagong.
8	·07	2	·02	112	1·07	472	4·30	1,160	1,296	2,456	22·31	1,450	1,099	2,249	20·50	25	Noakhali.
65	·32	3	·01	100	·50	704	3·49	1,654	1,464	3,178	15·76	1,645	1,429	3,074	15·29	26	Tippera.
registration.																27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
91	·21	5	·01	347	·79	1,239	2·84	4,540	4,303	8,843	20 47						
79	·18	12	·02	377	·86	1,284	2·94	4,329	4,055	8,384	19·24						
1,573	·44	307	·09	1,971	·55	15,372	4·24	50,715	48,777	99,495	27·61						
1,533	·42	317	·08	2,059	·57	15,750	4·38	48,927	44,906	93,833	26·11	48,927	44,906	93,833	26·11		
+40	+·02	-10	+·01	-88	-·02	-378	-·14	+1,791	+3,871	+5,662	+1·50						

Taken as a whole the table possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual.

CHARLES A. BENTLEY,
Sanitary Commissioner for Bengal.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Approximate Return of Traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1917, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of Cargo.	Week ending Saturday, the 15th December 1917.			Week ending Saturday, the 16th December 1916.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy	672	66,225	1,088	525	43,232	793
Jute	176	79,575*	973	215	118,796†	1,341
Firewood	50	20,125	289	44	31,575	494
Other articles	789	152,246	1,936	755	162,636	2,103
Total ...	1,687	320,171	4,286	1,539	356,239	4,731
Empty boats and rafts ...	419	...	1,116	509	...	1,091
Grand Total ...	2,106	320,171	5,402	2,048	356,239	5,822

		Mds.
* Weight by canal measurement	... ...	65,225
† Ditto ditto	... ...	139,075

Calcutta,
The 20th December 1917.

F. A. A. Cowley.
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending 15th December 1917.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea level.	Height of surface above mean sea level on same date last year.	Remarks.
	A.M.				
9th Dec. 1917	7	11·5	11·5	9·3	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
10th " "	7	11·3	11·3	9·2	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the Passenger ghat and Chandpore ghat.
11th " "	7	11·1	11·1	9·1	
12th " "	7	11·0	11·0	9·1	
13th " "	7	10·8	10·7	9·0	Its reduced level is 22·41.
14th " "	7	10·7	10 8	8·9	
15th " "	7	10·6	10 6	8·8	

The previous year ...	Highest water-level	...	24·4 on 1st August 1916.
Ditto ...	Lowest "	...	1·8 on 16th February 1916.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Highest "	...	25·75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (Average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto "	...	25·74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges).	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only).	Ditto "	...	25·66 on 31st July 1900.
Ditto	Lowest "	...	1·0 on 8th February 1914.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	2·42 on 13th March 1908.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	2·91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Ditto	Ditto "	...	3·16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N. B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

Faridpur,
The 17th December 1917.

D. C. Sen Gupta,
for *Subdivisional Officer, P. W. D., Faridpur.*

WEEKLY RETURN OF TRAFFIC RECEIPTS ON INDIAN RAILWAYS.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

(INCLUDING DACCA SECTION.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, or 1,577 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry.)	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	682,610	3,53,390 0 0	2,592,010 0	3,11,410 0 0	38,680 0 0	(c)7,03,480 0 0	81,916	(d) 59,297	141,213
Per mile of railway per week	(a) 436	(a) 226 0 0	1,644 0	197 0 0	(c) 20 0 0	(c)442 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	5,539,420	28,34,830 0 0	22,127,400 0	31,72,060 0 0	2,97,180 0 0	63,04,080 0 0	724,476	492,266	1,216,742
Total for 10 weeks ...	6,222,030	31,88,210 0 0	24,719,410 0	34,83,470 0 0	3,35,860 0 0	70,07,540 0 0	806,392	551,563	1,357,955
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	727,872	3,65,079 0 0	2,811,015 0	4,56,683 0 0	46,921 0 0	8,68,683 0 0	99,377	69,496	168,873
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (1,628 mean mileage worked)	(b) 465	(b) 233 0 0	1,727 0	281 0 0	24 0 0	529 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	6,818,145	32,64,455 0 0	29,823,595 0	47,47,334 0 0	4,54,102 0 0	84,65,891 0 0	983,619	642,114	1,625,733

(a) Excluding 11 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(b) Excluding 63 miles not opened to coaching traffic.
(c) Excluding steamer earnings, Rs. 6,820.
(d) Including ballast train miles 9,934.
(e) Decrease is chiefly due to less jute and other sundry articles.

DACCA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 116 mean mileage worked.

	COACHING TRAFFIC.		MERCHANDISE AND MINERAL TRAFFIC.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	TRAFFIC TRAIN-MILES RUN.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	64,750	20,650 0 0	123,460 0	8,490 0 0	3,240 0 0	32,380 0 0	4,923	(b) 4,265	9,188
Per mile of railway per week	558	178 0 0	1,064 0	73 0 0	(a) 2 0 0	(a) 253 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	506,090	1,77,520 0 0	1,115,790 0	70,100 0 0	29,070 0 0	2,76,690 0 0	34,741	45,532	80,273
Total for 10 weeks ...	570,840	1,98,170 0 0	1,239,250 0	78,590 0 0	32,310 0 0	3,09,070 0 0	39,664	49,797	89,461
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	67,191	21,755 0 0	108,573 0	6,224 0 0	3,297 0 0	31,276 0 0	7,027	2,601	9,628
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (116 mean mileage worked)	579	187 0 0	936 0	54 0 0	3 0 0	244 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	644,028	2,35,218 0 0	1,388,798 0	93,124 0 0	29,660 0 0	3,48,011 0 0	68,836	25,119	93,955

(a) Excluding Bahadurabad ferry earnings, Rs. 3,000.
(b) Including ballast train-miles, 809.

COOCH BEHAR STATE RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 33 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,330	4,330 0 0	30,530 0	2 510 0 0	30 0 0	6,870 0 0	745	207	952
Per mile of railway per week	222	131 0 0	925 0	76 0 0	1 0 0	208 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	48,210	23,620 0 0	249,710 0	19,750 0 0	270 0 0	43,640 0 0	6,881	1,551	8,432
Total for 10 weeks ...	55,540	27,950 0 0	280,240 0	22,260 0 0	300 0 0	50,510 0 0	7,626	1,758	9,384
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	5,514	3,467 0 0	39,314 0	3,299 0 0	3 0 0	6,769 0 0	956	357	1,313
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (33 mean mileage worked)	167	105 0 0	1,191 0	100 0 0	.....	205 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	56,622	31,380 0 0	345,598 0	31,651 0 0	419 0 0	63,450 0 0	9,386	4,317	13,603

MYMENSINGH-JAGANNATHGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 56 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	23,660	5,720 0 0	167,350 0	11.170 0 0	40 0 0	16,930 0 0	1,211	2,215	3,426
Per mile of railway per week	423	102 0 0	2,988 0	199 0 0	1 0 0	302 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	151,160	51,480 0 0	1,504,570 0	75,570 0 0	330 0 0	1,27,380 0 0	10,727	15,789	26,516
Total for 10 weeks ...	174,820	57,200 0 0	1,861,920 0	86,740 0 0	370 0 0	1,44,310 0 0	11,938	18,004	29,942
Total for 23 weeks of calendar half-year(a).	386,465	1,35,225 0 0	3,380,272 0	1,55,674 0 0	785 0 0	2,91,664 0 0	34,108	32,205	66,313
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year	26,140	6 767 0 0	99,555 0	9,694 0 0	27 0 0	16,488 0 0	1,696	1,554	3,250
Per mile of railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (56 mean mileage worked).	467	121 0 0	1,778 0	173 0 0	.....	294 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year	181,062	56,388 0 0	1,975,873 0	90,986 0 0	311 0 0	1,47,685 0 0	16,643	16,061	32,704
Total to corresponding period of previous calendar half-year ...	388,193	1,16,845 0 0	4,363,490 0	1,80,886 0 0	774 0 0	2,98,505 0 0	41 082	32,868	73,950

(a) Audited figures to end of September 1917.

SARA-SERAJGANJ RAILWAY.

Approximate return of traffic and mileage for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 49 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching earnings.	Weight carried.	Goods earnings.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	15,720	4,660 0 0	33,480 0	1,800 0 0	20 0 0	6,480 0 0	1,142	580	1,728
Per mile of railway per week	321	95 0 0	682 0	37 0 0	.....	132 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	96,040	28,750 0 0	289,760 0	20,400 0 0	160 0 0	49,290 0 0	10,355	8,142	18,497
Total for 10 weeks ...	111,760	33,390 0 0	323,190 0	22,200 0 0	180 0 0	55,770 0 0	11,497	8,728	20,225
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding period of previous year.	11,284	3,953 0 0	28,042 0	2,201 0 0	21 0 0	6,175 0 0	1,295	514	1,809
Per mile of Railway per week for corresponding period of previous year (50 mean mileage worked)	226	79 0 0	561 0	44 0 0	1 0 0	124 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding period of previous year.	100,465	29,809 0 0	433,163 0	30,179 0 0	206 0 0	60,194 0 0	14,205	7,002	21,207

N.B.—Increase in coaching is due to more local and foreign booking and decrease in goods is due to jute traffic.

THE BENGAL AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 8th December 1917, on 2,056 mean miles worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated) including steam boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.			
Total traffic for the week on 2,056 mean miles worked	480,910	(a)2,05,610	1,299,500	(b)2,16,000	(c)29,120	4,50,730	53,269	(d)47,982	(f)101,251
Or per mile of railway per week	209·59	100·01	632·05	105·06	14·16	219·23			
For previous 8½ weeks of official half-year ...	3,336,450	14,52,030	8,656,450	13,27,160	2,02,500	29,81,690	452,635	364,457	817,092
Total for 9½ weeks ...	3,767,340	16,57,640	9,955,950	15,43,160	2,31,620	34,32,420	505,904	412,439	918,343
Comparison.									
Total of proportionate actuals for corresponding period of previous year on 2,057 miles open	482,774	2,11,146	1,281,985	1,88,336	24,374	4,23,856	64,001	(e)55,087	119,088
Per mile of corresponding period of previous year	237·18	102·65	623·23	91·56	11·85	206·06			
Total for corresponding period of previous half-year	4,776,280	19,69,566	10,926,261	17,40,428	2,59,194	39,69,188	630,202	497,649	1,127,851
Earnings per Coaching, Goods, and total train-mile respectively during the week ...		3·86		4·50	·29	4·45			
Ditto for corresponding period of previous half-year		3·30		3·42	·20	3·55			

(a) Decrease mainly in foreign passengers and parcels; local passengers increased owing to longer lead.
(b) Increase mainly in foreign outward traffic.
(c) Increase chiefly under steam-boats.
(d) Includes 2,854 miles of ballast trains.
(e) ,, 5,863 ,, ,, ,,
(f) Reduction due to restriction of train service.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 8th December 1917, on 2,618 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total
		Rs. A. P. (a)	Mds. S	Rs. A. P. (b)	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	593 946	7,01,734 0 0	7,785,096 0	16,53,634 0 0	69,685 0 0	24,25,053 0 0	139 139	316,667	455,826
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	268 0 3	.....	631 10 3	26 9 11	926 4 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year ...	5,081,203	62,18,793 0 0	72,354,744 0	1,29,33,955 0 0	5,11,230 0 0	1,96,64,078 0 0	1,248,443	3,816,452	4,064 895
Total from 1st October ...	5,675,148	69,20,527 0 0	80,039,840 0	1,45,87,587 0 0	5,81,015 0 0	2,20,89,129 0 0	1,387,582	3,133,139	4,520,721
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	674.162	6,18,346 0 0	9,409,382 0	15 18,085 0 0	25.139 0 0	21,69,570 0 0	178,796	284,000	462.796
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	237 7 4	.....	582 15 9	12 11 7	933 2 8	.....	.....	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year.	3,632 970	61.10,118 0 0	87,757,301 0	1.45.97,172 0 0	1,82 506 0 0	2.08.89,796 0 0	1,767,529	3,178,373	4,945.902

(a) The increase is due to enhancement of fares.
(b) The increase is in merchandise general.

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Open mileage	Period.	Coaching Traffic		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic		Other earnings	Total.	Per mile of railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week Rs	No.	Rate Rs A P
2,650	First 13 days of Oct. ...	1,097,763	13,95,861	16,613,844	24,96,466	85,450	41,77,777	849	869,661	4 12 10
2,645	Week ended 20th ,, ...	580,650	7,74,908	9,556,632	15,73,065	56,700	24,03,673	909	495,949	4 15 5
2,618	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	538,394	6,18,470	7,037,312	11,62,617	71,700	18,52,787	708	464,952	3 15 9
2,618	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	589,292	7,23,459	7,288,583	13,88,280	60,690	21,49,529	821	489,617	4 15 6
2,618	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	542,166	6,64,280	9,222,918	16 94,480	37,700	23,96,460	915	469,098	5 1 9
2,618	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	526,803	6,29,417	7,382,398	13,97,685	58,700	20,85,802	797	463,701	4 9 2
2,618	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	583,800	6,78,406	7,240,814	14,35,578	71,700	21,85,683	835	436,948	5 2 1
2,618	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	637,344	733,992	7,941,748	16,09,684	65,690	24,11,366	921	454,469	5 4 11
2,618	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	593,946	7,01,734	7,785,096	16,53,634	69,685	24,25 053	926	455,826	5 5 1
	Totals up to date ...	5,675,148	69,20,527	80,039,840	1,45,87,587	5,81 015	2.20,89,129	855	4,520,721	4 14 2

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld *1916-17.*

		No of passengers	Rs	Mds	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Per week. Rs	No	Rate. Rs. A. P
2,604	First 14 days of Oct. ...	1,373,076	12,88,220	16,446,287	26,18,533	7,351	88,94,074	748	1,037,496	3 12 8
2,604	Week ended 21st ,, ...	628,530	5,93,090	9,996,715	15,94,505	1,800	21,89,395	841	527,601	4 2 4
2,604	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	589,833	5,39,725	9,606,846	15,24,756	2,400	20,71,891	796	515,999	3 15 10
2,604	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	656,245	6,47,844	8,981,528	14,96,701	19,912	21,64,336	831	513,315	4 3 6
2,604	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	711,039	6,09,961	8,655,745	14,71,914	29,000	21,10,875	811	488,990	4 5 1
2,604	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	696,361	6,34,511	8,756,782	15,27,760	26,000	21,80,271	837	493,579	4 6 8
2,604	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	685,004	6,32,338	8,335,980	14,89,233	29,100	21,50,656	826	497,309	4 5 2
2,604	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	684,806	6,69,561	8,823,163	15,37,585	27,576	22.35,027	858	489,601	4 9 0
2,604	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	674.162	6,18,346	9,409,382	15,18,085	33,139	21.69,570	833	462,796	4 11 0
	Totals up to date ...	6,731,988	62,03,875	88,832,348	1,47,79,062	1,82,256	2,11,85,995	813	5,019,790	4 3 6

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

(Excluding Jhind-Panipat Extension.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th December 1917, on 195 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated.)	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-Miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. No.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	45,541	42,372 0 0	366,322 0	34,613 0 0	300 0 0	77,284 0 0	11,729	8,717	20,446
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	217 4 8	.....	177 8 0	1 8 7	396 5 3	....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year.	418,905	3,86,747 0 0	6,076,039 0	4,55,672 0 0	2,540 0 0	8,44,909 0 0	109,414	78,293	186,707
Total from 1st October...	464,446	4,29,119 0 0	6,442,361 0	4,90,284 0 0	2,840 0 0	9,22,193 0 0	120,143	87,010	207,153
COMPARISON.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	41,032	29 703 0 0	784,134 0	50,906 0 0	296 0 0	80,905 0 0	13,506	10,237	23,743
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	.....	152 5 2	.....	261 0 11	1 8 3	414 14 4	..	.. ..	.....
Total from 1st October of previous year	450,870	3,60 994 0 0	5,503,823 0	4 20,577 0 0	3,007 0 0	7,84,578 0 0	118.468	101,140	219,588

DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY—*concluded.*

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second-half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 13 days of October ...	82,379	78,883	1,153,121	79,664	572	1,59,069	434	37,872	4 3 2
195	Week ended 20th ,, ...	75,676	55,995	989,067	62,721	285	1,19,001	640	20,685	5 12 1
195	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	38,138	36,232	673,647	51,068	285	87,585	449	20,170	4 5 6
195	,, ,, 3rd Nov. ...	45,684	45,168	578,828	46,997	295	92,460	474	20,806	4 7 1
195	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	43,426	40,084	914,760	67,821	285	1,08,190	555	21,786	4 15 5
195	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	36,831	42,805	628,494	51,576	285	94,666	484	22,875	4 2 1
195	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	45,369	42,845	580,044	47,567	285	90,697	465	21,633	4 3 1
195	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	43,802	44,935	558,108	48,208	298	93,441	479	20,880	4 7 7
195	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	45,041	42,372	386,322	34,612	300	77,284	396	20,446	3 12 6
	Totals up to date ...	464,446	4,29,119	6,342,281	4,90,234	2,840	9,22,193	480	207,153	4 7 3

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18 in comparison with 1916-17—concld. *1916-17*

		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
195	First 14 days of October ...	88,079	72,338	993,736	64,072	578	1,36,988	351	43,165	3 2 9
195	Week ended 21st ,, ...	42,550	35,411	454,313	39,137	289	74,837	384	22,259	3 5 10
195	,, ,, 28th ,, ...	35,956	35,048	509,453	41,823	289	77,160	396	20,823	3 11 3
195	,, ,, 4th Nov. ...	42,829	37,729	644,200	49,577	246	87,552	449	22,106	3 15 4
195	,, ,, 11th ,, ...	51,989	42,740	569,128	48,735	312	91,787	471	24,103	3 12 11
195	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	47,500	44,670	565,654	46,503	312	91,485	469	25,239	3 10 0
195	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	44,056	36,297	501,694	42,858	312	79,467	408	21,317	3 11 8
195	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	42,668	32,093	574,533	41,092	415	73,600	377	20,773	3 8 8
195	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	41,032	29,703	754,134	50,906	296	80,905	415	22,743	3 8 11
	Totals up to date ...	436,659	3,66,029	5,566,895	4,24,703	3,049	7,93,781	407	222,528	3 9 1

JHIND-PANIPATH EXTENSION OF THE DELHI-UMBALLA-KALKA RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th December 1917, on 44 mean mileage worked.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (estimated).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	9,407	2,483 0 0	16,847 0	1,000 0 0	15 0 0	3,498 0 0	917	305	1,222
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	56 6 11	.....	22 11 8	0 5 5	79 8 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 39 weeks of half-year.	61,454	16,395 0 0	185,607 0	8,947 0 0	130 0 0	25,472 0 0	8,122	2,701	10,823
Total from 1st October...	70,861	18,878 0 0	202,454 0	9,947 0 0	145 0 0	28,970 0 0	9,039	3,006	12,045
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	5,306	1,263 0 0	2,299 0	613 0 0	10 0 0	1,886 0 0	915	305	1,220
Per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	28 11 3	.....	13 14 11	0 3 8	42 13 10	...	...	...
Total from 1st November of previous year.	30,656	8,072 0 0	16,042 0	1,418 0 0	58 0 0	9,548 0 0	3,076	1,025	4,101

1917-18. Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18.

Mean mileage worked.	Period.	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total.	Per mile of Railway.	Train mileage.	
		No. of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
44	For the first 13 days of October.	11,670	3,010	56,828	2,651	28	5,689	70	3,269	2 8 1
44	Week ended 20th Oct. ...	10,506	2,854	30,750	1,267	15	4,136	94	1,222	3 6 2
44	,, ,, 27th ,, ...	6,300	1,570	19,769	1,193	15	2,778	63	1,221	2 4 4
44	,, ,, 3rd Nov....	6,207	1,556	19,824	1,188	15	2,761	63	1,222	2 4 2
44	,, ,, 10th ,, ...	6,703	1,833	15,738	736	15	2,574	59	1,222	2 1 8
44	,, ,, 17th ,, ...	5,154	1,446	13,670	528	15	1,989	45	1,222	1 10 1
44	,, ,, 24th ,, ...	5,811	1,520	14,393	572	15	2,107	48	1,222	1 11 7
44	,, ,, 1st Dec. ...	9,303	2,604	14,636	822	12	3,438	78	1,222	2 13 0
44	,, ,, 8th ,, ...	9,407	2,483	16,847	1,000	15	3,498	80	1,222	2 13 10
	Totals up to date ...	70,861	18,878	202,454	9,947	145	28,970	67	12,045	2 6 6

Abstract of progressive weekly returns of all earnings for second half of 1917-18—concld.

		No of passengers.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Per week. Rs.	No.	Rate. Rs. A. P.
25*	First 4 days of Nov. ...	713	129	...	...	5	134	...	348	0 6 2
44	Week ended 11th ,, ...	7,768	2,220	3,822	74	11	2,305	52	612	3 12 3
44	,, ,, 18th ,, ...	7,662	2,179	3,825	74	11	2,264	51	612	3 11 2
44	,, ,, 25th ,, ...	4,485	1,132	17,362	270	11	1,413	32	612	2 4 11
44	,, ,, 2nd Dec. ...	4,917	1,182	18,734	367	11	1,560	36	784	2 0 3
44	,, ,, 9th ,, ...	5,306	1,263	2,299	613	10	1,886	43	1,220	1 8 9
	Totals up to date ...	30,884	8,105	46,042	1,418	59	9,582	39	4,188	2 4 7

* Mean miles for the week.

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (ORIGINAL LINE).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th December 1917, on 36 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	7,594	2,771 0 0	58,444 0	11,495 0 0	(a)329 0 0	14,595 0 0	591	(d)576	1,167
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	77 0 0	...	319 0 0	1 0 0	(c) 397 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 10 weeks of half-year.*	68,775	21,651 0 0	647,642 0	1,19,221 0 0	4,496 0 0	1,45,368 0 0	5,198	6,675	11,873
Total for 11 weeks ...	76,369	24,422 0 0	701,086 0	1,30,716 0 0	4,825 0 0	1,59,963 0 0	5,789	7,251	13,040
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	9,611	3,289 0 0	70,905 0	11,270 0 0	(b)449 0 0	15,008 0 0	540	(e)923	1,463
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	91 0 0	...	313 0 0	2 0 0	(c) 406 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	99,347	28,642 0 0	954,206 0	1,27,693 0 0	4,875 0 0	1,61,209 0 0	5,811	9,463	15,274

(a) Includes ferry earnings, Rs. 303.
(b) Ditto, 1916, Rs. 396.
(c) Excludes ferry earnings.
(d) Ballast train-miles, 38.
(e) Ditto, 1916, 63.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

BENGAL-DOOARS RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED (EXTENSIONS).

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic and Mileage for the week ended 15th December 1917, on 117 miles open

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings (including ferry).	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.		(a)	
Total traffic for the week	16,072	6,341 0 0	74,158 0	17,246 0 0	24 0 0	23,611 0 0	2,034	2,527	4,561
Or per mile of Railway ...	...	54 0 0	...	148 0 0	...	202 0 0	...	...	...
For previous 10 weeks of half-year.*	156,295	53,650 0 0	937,999 0	1,72,867 0 0	2,492 0 0	2,29,029 0 0	18,536	31,052	49,586
Total for 11 weeks ...	172,367	59,991 0 0	1,012,151 0	1,90,133 0 0	2,516 0 0	2,52,640 0 0	20,570	33,579	54,149
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year.	17,862	6,899 0 0	93,104 0	21,497 0 0	21 0 0	28,417 0 0	1,588	(b)3,551	5,139
Per mile of Railway corresponding week of previous year.	...	59 0 0	...	184 0 0	...	243 0 0	...	...	...
Total to corresponding date of previous year.	205,748	70,600 0 0	1,174,797 0	2,04,247 0 0	898 0 0	2,75,745 0 0	18,976	41,209	60,185

(a) Ballast train-miles, 122.
(b) Ballast train-miles, 1916, 684.
* Includes audited earnings for the month of

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

MAIN LINE.

pproximate Return of Traffic for week ending 8th December 1917, on 51 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	4,470½	2,708 0 0	20,442 0	7,537 0 0	66 0 0	17,311 0 0	2,210	3,380	5,590
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	190 0 0	.....	148 0 0	1 0 0	339 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	51,977	1,64,460 0 0	243,523 0	1,02,666 0 0	1,428 0 0	2,68,754 0 0	25,705	27,585	53,290
Total traffic up to 8th December 1917	56,447½	1,74,168 0 0	263 965 0	1,10,403 0 0	1,494 0 0	2,86,065 0 0	27,915	30,965	58,980
(59 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	346 0 0	.....	220 0 0	3 0 0	569 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	4,160½	10,748 0 0	24,442 0	9,915 0 0	187 0 0	20,850 0 0	2,932	2,459	5,391
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	211 0 0	.....	194 0 0	4 0 0	409 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous yeaf ...	57,619	1,35,552 0 0	310,475 0	1,39,117 0 0	1,910 0 0	2,76,579 0 0	27,320	24,752	52,052
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	369 0 0	.....	377 0 0	4 0 0	550 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes.—Difference for the week ...		— 1,040		— 2,378	— 121	— 3,539			
Difference up to date ...		+ 38,616		— 28,714	— 416	+ 9,486			

The decrease during the week in Coaching is mainly in Local passengers.
The decrease during the week in goods is mainly in Building materials and Tea traffic.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-KISSENGUNGE EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 8th December 1917, on 70 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week...	5,067	3,198 0 0	17,388 0	1,620 0 0	32 0 0	4,850 0 0	633	1,376	2,009
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	46 0 0	.....	23 0 0	.....	69 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	39,913	23 643 0 0	169,532 0	16,204 0 0	366 0 0	40,213 0 0	5,765	11,737	17,500
Total traffic up to 8th December 1917 ...	44,980	26,841 0 0	186,920 0	17,824 0 0	398 0 0	45,063 0 0	6,396	13,113	19,509
(59 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	26 0 0	1 0 0	65 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	3,713	2,996 0 0	25,340 0	1,642 0 0	29 0 0	4,667 0 0	836	1,171	2,007
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	43 0 0	.....	24 0 0	.....	67 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	78,908	25,890 0 0	202,911 0	13,877 0 0	189 0 0	39,956 0 0	6,898	9,517	16,415
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	38 0 0	.....	20 0 0	.....	58 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Notes:—Difference for the week ...		+ 202		— 22	+ 3	+ 183			
Difference up to date ...		+ 951		+ 3,947	+ 209	+ 5,107			

The increase in Coaching is mainly on Local and Foreign Passengers.

DARJEELING-HIMALAYAN RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SILIGURI-TEESTA VALLEY EXTENSION.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ending 8th December 1917, on 30 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings.	Total earnings.	Total Train-miles run.		
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	1,452½	926 0 0	2,667 0	1,991 0 0	5 0 0	2,922 0 0	215	740	955
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	31 0 0	.....	66 0 0	.....	97 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of the half-year	6,859	6,471 0 0	36,345 0	7,441 0 0	31 0 0	13,943 0 0	1,893	2,293	4,186
Total traffic up to 8th December 1917	8,311½	7,397 0 0	46,012 0	9,432 0 0	36 0 0	16,865 0 0	2,108	3,033	5,141
(69 days) Or per week per mile of railway	.....	25 0 0	.....	32 0 0	.....	57 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Comparison.,									
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	1,277½	920 0 0	18,976 0	3,143 0 0	18 0 0	4,081 0 0	207	1,281	1,488
Per week per mile of railway corresponding week of previous year	.....	31 0 0	.....	105 0 0	.....	136 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Total up to corresponding week of previous year ...	8,042	5,003 0 0	91,406 0	14,928 0 0	44 0 0	19,975 0 0	1,431	3,443	4,874
Or per week per mile of railway	.....	17 0 0	.....	51 0 0	.....	68 0 0	.....	.....	.....

NOTES :—Difference for the week + 0 — 1,152 — 13 — 1,159
Difference up to date + 2,394 — 5,496 — 8 — 3,110

The decrease in Goods is mainly in Tea traffic.

ASSAM-BENGAL RAILWAY Co., Ld.

(Incorporated in Great Britain.)

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 8th December 1917, on a mean-mileage worked of 879·96 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 12·70 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of Passengers.	Coaching Receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	94,998	61,278 0 0	331,551 0	59,481 0 0	6,241 0 0	1,27,000 0 0	14,911	18,891	33,802
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	69·64	.....	66·63	6·99	143·26	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8¾ weeks of half-year	797,404	5,39,632 0 0	2,459,187 0	5,19,550 0 0	56,068 0 0	11,16,150 0 0	119,908	178,667	298,575
Total for 9½ weeks ...	892,402	6,00,910 0 0	3,290,738 0	5,79,031 0 0	63,209 0 0	12,43,150 0 0	134,819	197,558	332,377
Comparison.									
Corresponding week of previous year :—									
Proportionate actuals ...	103,650	61,863 0 0	425,373 0	61,753 0 0	7,079 0 0	1,30,695 0 0	16,737	21,231	37,968
Per mile of railway ...	.....	77·23	.....	75·03	8·60	160·86	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year (a) ...	1,019,478	5,53,025 0 0	3,964,566 0	6,87,089 0 0	90,373 0 0	13,30,487 0 0	159,960	200,423	360,383

(a) Calculated on 823 miles excluding the mileage of the Hill Section unopened during the period.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 8th December 1917.			Receipts for week ending 8th December 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 8th December 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 8th December 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
892·66	1,27,000	143·26	823	1,30,695	160·86	47,60,875	47,78,438	.....	17,563

MYMENSINGH-BHAIRAB BAZAR RAILWAY CO., LD.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the week ended 8th December 1917, on a mean mileage worked of 57·51 miles for all descriptions of traffic, and an additional 30·08 miles for goods traffic only.

	Coaching Traffic.		Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.		Other earnings including steam-boat.	Total earnings.	Traffic Train-miles run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.	Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	Mds.	Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	11,140	4,038 0 0	30,961	4,382 0 0	.....	8,420 0 0	1,208	937	2,145
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	70·21	.....	50·02	.....	120·23	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8½ weeks of half-year	108,095	36,135 0 0	312,857	42,398 0 0	.....	78,933 0 0	10,465	7,679	18,144
Total for 9½ weeks ...	119,235	40,573 0 0	343,918	46,780 0 0	.....	87,353 0 0	11,673	8,616	20,289
Comparison,*									
Corresponding week of previous year—									
Proportionate actuals	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Per mile of railway	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Opened for traffic on 15th August 1917.

FINANCIAL YEAR.

Approximate Statement of Gross Receipts.

Receipts for week ending 8th December 1917.			Receipts for week ending 8th December 1916.			Total receipts from 1st April 1917 to 8th December 1917.	Total receipts from 1st April 1916 to 8th December 1916.	Total increase in 1917-18.	Total decrease in 1917-18.
Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Mean mileage worked.	Receipts.	Per mile worked per week.	Total receipts.	Total receipts.		
	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
87·59	8,420	120·23	...	.....	...	1,25,242	.....	1,25,242	.....

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Indian Munitions Board, published in the *Gazette of India Extraordinary*, dated the 24th December 1917, is republished for general information.

J. H. KERR,
Chief Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

INDIAN MUNITIONS BOARD.

ORDER.

Delhi, the 24th December 1917.

No. G. 93-A.—In pursuance of section 2 of the Defence of India (Criminal Law Amendment) Act, 1915 (IV of 1915), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Defence of India (Consolidation) Rules, 1915, namely:—

1. After sub-rule (*4*) of Rule 11AA of the said rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely:—

"(*5*) Where in pursuance of sub-rule (*2*) any person determines the compensation to be paid in respect of any product, article or thing placed at the disposal of the Governor General in Council in pursuance of an order made under sub-rule (*1*) such person need not in determining such compensation have regard to the market value of such product, article or thing but shall have regard—

(*a*) if the owner of the product, article or thing was the producer or manufacturer thereof, to the cost of production or manufacture and to the rate of profit usually earned in respect of similar products, articles or things before the war and to whether such rate of profit was unreasonable or excessive and to any other circumstances of the case;

(*b*) if the owner of the product, article or thing was not the producer or manufacturer thereof, to the price paid by the owner therefor and to whether such price was unreasonable or excessive and to the rate of profit usually earned in respect of the sale of similar products, articles or things before the war and to whether such rate of profit was unreasonable or excessive and to any other circumstances of the case :

Provided that, if the owner of the product, article or thing himself acquired the same otherwise than in the usual course of his business, no allowance or an allowance at a reduced rate on account of profit shall be made ;

Provided further that the Governor General in Council may by notification in the *Gazette of India* fix maximum prices to have effect within any area therein named for or in respect of any product, article or thing or class of product, article or thing which can in his opinion be utilized in connection with the prosecution of the present war, and that where a maximum price has been so fixed in respect of any product, article or thing for which compensation is determined under sub-rule (*2*) no sum shall be awarded as the price or value thereof in excess of such maximum price."

2. After sub-rule (*3*) of Rule 11 D of the said rules the following sub-rule shall be added, namely :—

"(*4*) Where in pursuance of sub-rule (*2*) any person determines the compensation to be paid to the owner of any mine, quarry, mineral deposit, industrial concern or business for any loss immediately attributable to an order made under sub-rule (*1*), such person need not in determining such compensation have regard to the rate of profit earned by such owner at the time of or immediately prior to such order, but shall have regard to the rate of profit usually earned before the war by the owner of a concern or business of like nature and to whether such rate of profit was unreasonable or excessive and to any other circumstances of the case."

3. After Rule 11F of the said rules the following rule shall be inserted, namely :—

"11G.—(*1*) The Governor General in Council may by order in writing regulate, restrict or prohibit the purchase, sale, delivery of or other dealing in any war material or any product, article or thing required for or in connection with the manufacture, production or supply thereof.

Power to control dealings in war material.

(*2*) Orders may be made under sub-rule (*1*) in respect of any person or class of persons and in respect of any class of war material or class of product, article or thing.

(*3*) If any person fails to comply with any provision of any order made in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (*1*), he shall be deemed to have contravened these rules, and if such person is a company every director and officer thereof shall be deemed to have contravened these rules unless he proves that the failure to comply took place without his knowledge or consent."

T. RYAN,
Secretary, Indian Munitions Board.

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